





# CLIMATE SMART GRAM PANCHAYAT

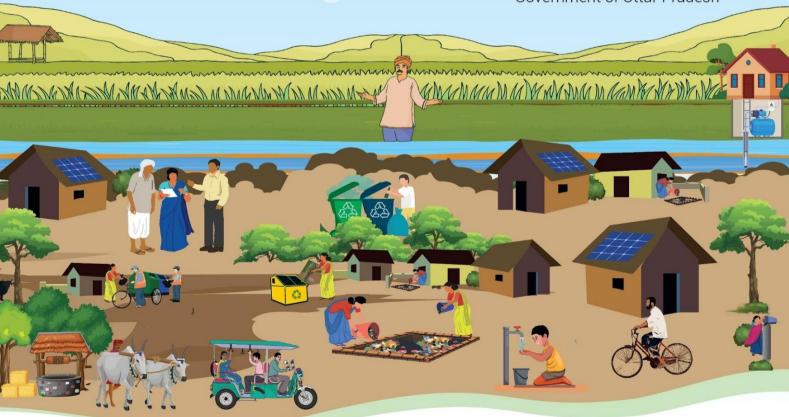
**SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS** 



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Department of Environment, Forest and Climate Change

Government of Uttar Pradesh









# **Enhancing Green Spaces and Biodiversity**

- Plantation of trees
- Agroforestry
- Arogya Van

#### **Short Term**

Plantation of 1,500 tree saplings |Sequestration potential:  $5,400 \text{ tCO}_2$  (in 15 to 20 years) | Establishing Arogya Van on 0.1 ha allocated land

#### Medium Term

Plantation of 1,500 to 2,000 tree saplings | Sequestration potential: 7,200  $tCO_2$  (in 15 to 20 years) | Adoption of Agroforestry in 55 ha land | Sequestration potential:49,000  $tCO_2$  (in 20 years)

# **Long Term**

Additional 2,000 to 2,500 saplings planted | Sequestration potential: 8,900  $tCO_2$  (in 15 to 20 years) | Adoption of Agroforestry in 82 ha land | Sequestration potential: 73,000  $tCO_2$  (in 20 years)

### **Key Departments**

Department of Environment, Forests and Climate Change | State Biodiversity Board | Panchayati Raj Department | Rural Development Department | Central Institute of Medicinal and Aromatic Plants, Lucknow

# **Estimated Cost**

Over ₹1.1 crores across three phases (Short Term: ~₹18 lakhs | Medium Term: ~₹41 lakhs | Long Term: ~₹57 lakhs)

# Management and Rejuvenation of Water Bodies

- Rainwater harvesting
- Rejuvenation of ponds
- Repair of wells
- Tree plantations
- Recharge pits
- Enhancing drainage infrastructure

# **Short Term**

Installation of RwH structures in all PRI buildings | Rejuvenation of 3 ponds,  $\sim$ 1,000 trees planted around water bodies | Repair of 11 wells | Construction of 30 recharge pits | Construction of 3 km drainage network & installation of siphon

#### **Medium Term**

Maintenance of ponds, wells and drainage network| Installation of RwH structures in 25 households

#### **Long Term**

Continued maintenance of water resources|Installation of RwH structures in 25 households

#### **Departments**

Rural Development Department | Irrigation and Water Resources Department | Uttar Pradesh Department of Land Resource

### **Estimated Cost**

Over ₹2.52 crores across three phases (Short Term: ~₹84 lakhs | Medium Term: ~₹98 lakhs | Long Term: ~₹68 lakhs crores)

# Sustainable Agriculture

- Micro-irrigation
- Farm ponds
- Construction of bunds
- Adoption of drought tolerant varieties of rice & wheat
- Crop rotation & mixed cropping with drought resilient crops like millets
- Transition to natural farming

### **Short Term**

Introduction of micro-irrigation on 11.7 ha (50%) |Construction of bunds on 112.5 ha (75%) of agricultural land | Construction of 5 farm ponds| Transitioning 22.5ha (15%) of agricultural land to natural farming

### **Medium Term**

Expanding micro- irrigation on 11.77 ha| Construction of bunds on 150 ha (100%) of agricultural land | Construction of 10 farm ponds |

Sustainable livestock management

Transitioning 56.25 ha (cumulative 40%) to natural farming

#### **Long Term**

Expanding micro-irrigation | Maintenance of infrastructure | 100% transition to natural farming (112.50 ha)

### **Departments**

Department of Agriculture | Department of Horticulture and Food Processing | Department of Land Resources | Jal Shakti Department | Animal Husbandry Department | Uttar Pradesh New and Renewable Energy Development Agency (UPNEDA) | Regional Centres for Organic Farming | Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Sant Kabir Nagar

#### **Estimated Cost**

Over ₹72.71 lakhs across three phases (Short Term: ~₹21.34 lakhs | Medium Term: ~₹35.64 lakhs | Long Term: ₹15.73 lakhs)

# Sustainable Solid Waste Management

- Enhanced waste management infrastructure
- Compost, vermicompost & NADEP pits
- Sanitation management
- Ban on single-use plastics

# **Short Term**

Setting up segregation pits (88) and storage facility | Installation of 20 waste bins | Procurement of 1 electric garbage van | Setting up of 30 vermicompost pits & 15 NADEP pits | Engagement of 200-250 women for manufacturing plastic-alternative products (SHG alignment)

#### **Medium Term**

Installation of additional waste bins (10) and maintenance of existing infrastructure | Scaling up partnerships

# **Long Term**

Installation of 1 GP-level plastic shredder | Regular awareness, training and capacity-building programs

#### **Departments**

Panchayati Raj Department | Department of Health and Family Welfare | Department of Rural Development | Department of Agriculture | Uttar Pradesh Khadi and Village Industries Board

#### **Estimated Cost**

Approx ₹52.8 lakhs across three phases (Short Term: ~₹44.8 lakhs | Medium Term: ~₹3 lakhs | Long Term: ~₹5 lakhs)

# Access to Clean, Sustainable, Affordable and Reliable Energy

- Solar rooftops
- Solar-powered pumps
- Agro-photovoltaics
- Clean cooking solutions- Household biogas, Solar induction cookstoves, improved chulhas, LPG
- Energy efficient (EE) fixtures
- Solar street lights

# **Short Term**

Solar rooftop installation on all government buildings | 18 diesel pumps replaced with solar pumps | Solar rooftop installation for suitable residential buildings | Suitable households to adopt clean cooking interventions like household biogas, solar induction cookstoves and improved chulhas | Replacing existing fixtures in all government buildings with energy efficient fixtures (LED lights, EE fans) | Installation of 92 solar street & 8 high-mast street lights | Solar potential: 27 kWp | Mitigation potential: 56 tCO<sub>2</sub>e per year

# **Medium Term**

Solar rooftop installation on 40% of pucca houses (167) | Agro-photovoltaic installed on 2 ha | 27 diesel pumps replaced with solar pumps | 90 LED street lights replaced with solar street lights & 10 high mast street lights | Solar potential: 1,001 kWp | Mitigation potential: 1,127 tCO2e per year

# **Long Term**

Solar rooftop installation on 100% of pucca houses (250) | Agro-photovoltaic installed on 2 ha | 45 diesel pumps replaced with solar pumps | Replacing all CFL light fixtures with LED tube lights/ bulbs; installation of EE fans across households | Installation of additional high mast street lights (as required) | Solar potential: 1,250 kWp | Mitigation potential: 1,420 tCO $_2$ e per year

#### **Departments**

MNRE | Uttar Pradesh New and Renewable Energy Development Agency (UPNEDA) | Uttar Pradesh Power Corporation Limited (UPPCL) | Purvanchal Vidyut Vitran Nigam Limited | Panchayati Raj Department | Rural Development Department | Department of Agriculture | Education Department

### **Estimated Cost**

Over ₹16 crores across three phases (Short Term: ~₹72 lakhs | Medium Term: ~₹7.3 crores | Long Term: ~₹8.4 crores)

# Sustainable and Enhanced Mobility

- Road infrastructure
- Enhancing public transport
- E-vehicles and E-tractors

# **Short Term**

Road elevation works (3.5 km) & CC/interlocking works (2.5 km) | Introducing 10 e-autorickshaws in the GP | Promoting adoption of 5 e-tractors and 5 e-goods carriers

# **Medium Term**

Maintenance of existing road infrastructure | Additional 10 e-autorickshaws in the GP | Mitigation potential: 1.8 tCO<sub>2</sub>e per e-auto-rickshaw

# **Long Term**

Additional e-autorickshaws added to IPT fleet (as required) | Expanding public transport (as required)

# **Departments**

Infrastructure and Industrial Development | Transport Department | Panchayati Raj Department | Department of Rural Development | Uttar Pradesh New & Renewable Energy Development Agency (UPNEDA)

#### **Estimated Cost**

Over ₹5.4 crores across three phases

# **Enhancing Livelihoods and Green Entrepreneurship**

- Engaging SHGs to manufacture sustainable products
- Organic fertilizer production
- e-tractor and e-goods carrier rental services
- Solar powered cold storage facility
- Production and sale of natural medicines and supplements
- O&M of RE installations

#### **Short Term**

Capacity building, training and support for 100 women and other entrepreneurs to establish enterprises across the GP.

#### **Medium Term**

Expanding capacity building programmes to cover 200 more women and other groups as per need and enhancing marketing of products and services.

# **Long Term**

Continue scaling entrepreneurship opportunities and strengthening market linkages

#### **Departments**

Panchayati Raj Department | Department of Rural Development | Department of Horticulture and Food Processing | Uttar Pradesh Skill Development Mission | UP State Council for Vocational Training

Please refer to action plan for detailed recommendations

<sup>\*</sup> Expansion of suggested climate smart activities and regular maintenance of any installations and infrastructure throughout the plan implementation and beyond.