# WADAPALLY VILLAGE

Presentation on the Village attachment program to the Village Wadapally which is situated in the Nalgonda District of Telangana



# Demercherle Overview

- Wadapally, formerly known as Wazeerabad, located at confluence of Krishna and Musi rivers along the Telangana-Andhra Pradesh border is a village standing at the cusp of transition between a village and a town.
  - Connectivity- Roads, Railways, Internet, Mobile, Post Office.
  - Village is situated 59 km south to the district Nalgonda.
  - This village is the largest cement producer in the area due to the presence of Limestone in the neighbouring Guntur district of Andhra Pradesh. The India Cement Mill, established in 1980s proved to be the major driving force behind the development of this village.
  - Major Occcupation Daily wage / Contract labour, Self Employment, Agriculture(27%) and Fisheries
  - Major Crops- Paddy, Cotton and Chillies జిల్లాయం

# Participatory Learning and Action(PLA) Activities

#### Transect Walks

- Morning and evening walks in the village helped us to gain a holistic understanding of the village including key areas like infrastructure, occupation, transportation, sanitation, healthcare, and cultural activities.
- Interaction with villagers and officials during these walks helped in better understanding of their lives and of the impact of various schemes being implemented in the village.





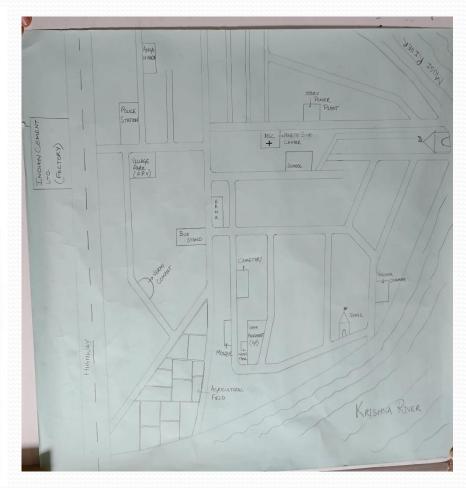
- Social/Resource Map creation
  - Social map created using the help of villagers helped us to gain a better insight on village level institutions and infrastructure.













### **Poverty Rank Analysis**

Reasons for Poverty	Shekhar Babu	K.Jayan a	Narsi Reddy	Mahamunna Begum	Rank
Landlessness	2	3	2	3	2
Illiteracy	5	4	5	4	5
Low Wages	1	5	3	1	3
Immigration	7	6	7	5	6
Ignorance of Schemes	6	7	6	7	7
Indebtedness	4	2	4	6	4
Gambling and Liquor	3	1	1	2	1

# Demography

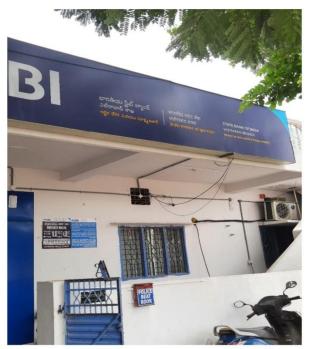
Total Population	5201
Total No. of Households	1457
Total No. of voters	4549
Sex Ratio	995/1000
Literacy Rate	78%
BPL population	90%

#### Infrastructure

Resource Mapping and Transect Walks across the village revealed the following infrastructural achievements of the village.

- Metalled Roads with 325 Street Light Poles
- 1 primary and 1 Zila Parishad High School, 1 Private School
- 1 Primary Health Sub Centre
- 5 Anganwadis
- 1 police Station
- 1 Bus stand
- 1 Community Hall
- 1 Post Office
- SBI Bank Branch and ATM
- 132/33 Kwh Electrical Substation
- Gram Panchayat Office
- Internet Broadband Connectivity
- 7 Overhead Water Tanks







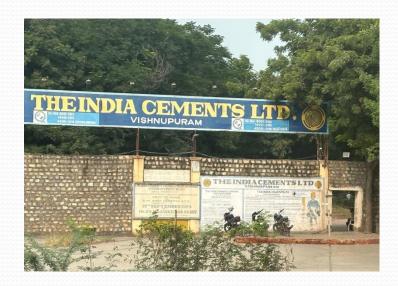






#### **Economic Facts**

- 20% Agricultural workers
- Dominance of Daily wage labourers with over 50%, due to the presence of India Cement and over 20 other Mills
- Self Employment 15-16%
- MGNREGA workers- 12%
- Others- Fisheries, Semi-Govt/Govt. Sector.
- 109 Self-Help groups





# Government Schemes Implemented in the Village

- Area Development/Community programmes
  - MGNREGA
  - Telangana Ku Haritha Haaram
  - Vaikunthu Dhaamam
  - Palle Praghati Vanaalu
  - Mission Bhageeratha
  - Swachch Bharat Mission
- Individual benefit programmes
  - Rhythu Bandhu
  - Rhythu Bima
  - Aasara Pensions
  - Kalyana Lakshmi/Shadi Mubarak

#### **MGNREGA**

- Facts
  - 738 Card Holders
  - 151.56 Average Wage rate Per Person per month
  - 17.09 Average Working Days
  - 20-25 Days for Payment of Wages
- Areas For Improvement
  - Reduction of Payment credit time
  - Awareness Among Unemployed youth
  - Increase in Average Wage Rate
  - Low days of empoyment





#### Telangana Ku Haritha Haram

- 9100 saplings distributed by Gram Panchayat
- 6 Saplings distributed per family (Preferably fruit Saplings)
- 95% Survival Rate
- Active Monitoring by Gram Panchayat and 500 Rs fine on non survival of all the Saplings
- Double row plantation of 300+ trees across the state highway
- Impacts
  - Increase in Green cover of the village
  - Village Beautification
  - Horticulture livelihood

#### Vaikuntha Dhaaman

- One Cremation place in the village
- Basic facilities are there and is under proper use by the villagers
- Maintenance is undertaken by Gram panchayat and one worker is appointed for it



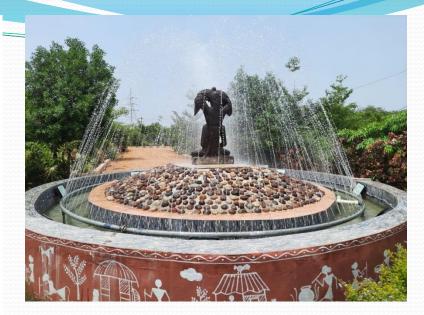




#### Palle Pragathi Vanaalu

- 2 Acre land alloted for the community park in the village
- 2 workers are employed by the Gram Panchayat for the maintenance of the park
- Adequate Green cover with a Nursery
- It was under proper use by the villagers for morning and evening walks
- One designated place in the village for photoshoots
- Impacts
  - Better quality of life for the villagers
  - Better Health and a reduction in diseases
- Areas for Improvement
  - No designated area for community gatherings
  - Inadequate workforce for the maintenance of park













#### Mission Bhageeratha

- One water treatment sub plant in Wadapally to purify water
- 75% of the village covered by piped drinking water using tap connections in the houses
- 100l per capita water provided to every household
- 7 Over head water storage tanks
- Monthly cleaning of the Water Storage tanks
- Water is provided in phases for 1.5 hours in the morning and evening
- Impacts
  - Access to safe drinking water
  - Improved Health and Sanitisation
  - Industrial growth
- Areas for improvement
  - 25% of the village left to be covered
  - Irregular cleaning of tanks leading to poor quality of water being supplied
  - Low water supply















#### Swachch Bharat Mission

- ODF+ Status
- Sanitary Latrines available in every household
- Overall Sanitation level and cleanliness was Exemplary
- Roads were clean and well maintained
- Active Awareness campaigns by Gram Panchayat
- Vermi Compost Plant



- Impacts
  - Increased Sanitisation
  - Reduction in Diseases and improvement in overall health status



#### Rythu Bandhu

- 5000Rs input subsidy to farmers per 6 months per Acre
- Timely credit with only a marginal delay
- Biometrics were installed to avoid middlemen
- 90% Landowners were covered under the scheme
- Impacts
  - Financial Assistance to farmers
  - Decreased Incidence of Debts

#### Rhythu Bima

- 5 Lakh Insurance to farmer in the event of his death
- 1008 farmers with 100% registration under the scheme

#### **ASARA Pensions**

- 520 Beneficiaries
  - NOAP 257
  - Widow 130
  - Disabled 103
  - Single woman 30
- Old, Widow, single woman getting 2016/- every month while disabled are getting 4016/- every month
- Impacts
  - Consistent source of income to fulfill basic needs of pensioners
  - Reduction in Poverty levels

#### KalyanaLakshmi/Shadi Mubarak

- Financial Assistance of Rs.1,00,116/- for the girl's marriage at/after her marriage
- Total 105 beneficiaries were found in the village
- Impacts
  - Beneficiaries can celebrate their daughters' weddings with dignity
  - Reduction in Debts
  - Reduction in Early marriages of girls





#### PDS ration Shops

• 3 Ration Shops in the village

• 6 kg rice per person per month were being

distributed

1470 Ration Card families







#### Women SHGs

- 109 Self Help groups with 10 members each
- Collateral free loans
- Maximum Loan amount 15 Lakh(increased from 10 lakh in 2022)
- 99% Recovery rate
- 11% Interest rate
- 1,52,08,200/- Amount given as loan till 2022
- Active Awareness campaigns in the village by the members
- Women were actively being indulged in entrepreneurship activities which included (Opening of tea/milk /coffee shops, Tent houses, tailoring, pickle shops). However, most of the loans were still being taken for education purposes
- Impacts
  - Low Dependency on male counterparts
  - Increased women empowerment
  - Boost in village economy
  - Increased literacy levels







#### Education

- 5 Anganwadi, 1 Primary and 1 Zila Parishad High school
- 1 Private School
- 78% Literacy Rate
- Female students> Male Student( Primary 51M and 65 F; High School 57M and 65 F)
- Free Uniform/ Books
- Low Dropout Rate
- Hygienic Mid-Day Meals
- Toilets for females
- Shortcomings
  - No Senior Secondary High School
  - People preferred Private Schools because of poor learning outcomes
  - No Sports Facilities
  - No Toilet for male students in ZHPS

#### Anganwadi Centres

- Total 5 Anganwadi centres
- 20-25 Attendance
- Hygienic food : Rice, Eggs, Milk
- Assessment of height, weight and deficiencies of students
- One teacher and one helper per Centre
- Direct supply of food materials to the Anganwadis to avoid middlemen
- Interrelated activity with ASHA workers
- Periodic Checkup of females to assess deficiencies









#### Health Sub Centre

- 1 Health Sub-Centre in the Village
- 2 ANM and 5 Asha Workers
- Timings
  - 9:00 AM to 2:30 PM
  - After 4 Pm Field visits
- Types of Services Provided
  - Basic Medicines (Free of cost)
  - Pre Natal Support
  - Every Saturday Polio Dose
  - Emergency Transportation to district hospital
  - Immunization of children till 5 years
  - Distribution of KCR kits to females







#### Key Attractions of the village

- 100% Electrification with low power cuts
- Use of Online payments like UPI
- Availability of Internet Broadband Connections
- Active Woman participation in Employment Activities
- Confluence of Musi-Krishna river serves as a tourist spot for 50,000-1 Lakh tourists every year on the day of Maha-Shivaratri





# **THANK YOU**

