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Responding to the dramatic increase in extreme weather events and mega disasters is one of the great challenges of our present age. Climate change, rapid urbanization and population growth in hazard – prone cities and coastal areas make action all the more urgent. Disaster risk reduction is a top priority as we seek to hold back the tide of rising economic and human losses. Its impact can be catastrophic for poverty reduction and substinable development efforts, especially in a country like ours.



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Scientific communities in India and globally had undertaken various research studies which confirms that extremes are on the rise and developing countries are more vulnerable to climate change and poor people of these countries will bear the brunt of disasters. Every year the city of Thiruvanathapuram is affected by weather related disasters, especially untimely ad unexpected rains, causing urban flooding in many low lying area of the city. Lightening, high tides, eroding of coastal belt are other forms of recurrent disasters affecting the coastal communities. Land use pattern in the city has also changed drastically which adds to severity of the disaster. Hence, the twin concept of climate change and disasters are closely interrelated, thus making Disaster Risk Reduction vital for any climate change adaptation programme. It is high time that every city whether big, medium or small starts focus on reducing risks and vulnerabilities adopt systematic ad scientific planning process to mitigate disaster risks and vulnerability factors. Building capacities of state, district and local body institution and of the communities who lives with hazards are most important and are prelude for DRR initiatives.

I thank and appreciate United Nation Development Programme (UNDP) for supporting the Municipal Corporation of Thiruvananthapuram in Building capacities of the ULB and its staffs on Disaster Risk Reduction through the implementation of Gol – UNDP – DRR – URR Programme (2010 -12) and then with a new project aided by USAID titled "Gol – UNDP – Climate Risk Mangement Project in Urban Areas through Disaster Preparedness and Mitigation" (2013 -15) under which City Disaster Management Plan has been prepared.

I took this opportunity to express my sincere gratitude to our previous honorable Mayor Adv. K. Chandrika for supporting UNDP team with all her zeal in bringing out CDMP 2015 document. I also extend my heartfull thanks to all person's and institution's who contributed in their own way for developing City DM Plan for the City Thiruvananthapuram.

Adv. V.K. Prasanth Mayor

In an era spiked by climate change and other large-scale extreme weather events, our cities must be resilient in order to survive and thrive. But what does that mean, exactly? What is known about our own vulnerability and what remains to be explored? And how can we put thinking into practice to create our city resilient to disasters in the future?



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To help answer those questions Trivandrum City Corporation in association with United Nations Development Programme developed a City Disaster Management Plan under the project titled "GoI-UNDP-Climate Risk Management Project in Urban Areas through Disaster Preparedness and Mitigation" (2013-15) aided by USAID. In this context it is with great pleasure that the city Municipal corporation is releasing a comprehensive disaster management plan for our City.

While climate change is a global problem, its effects are—and increasingly will be—felt locally in communities across India and around the globe. Just as national and state level action on climate change is required, cities also play a critical role in mitigating after effects of climate change and helping society prepare for those impacts than it is too late to prevent.

The Cassandra call of warning and speculative analysis from various agencies has not been proven effective in reducing the vulnerability of disasters despite of a proper planning tool. In this context the significance of a City Disaster management Plan made by organically involving all stake holders in managing the perils of both natural and anthropogenic event is highly commendable. This document envisages on the current scenario will surely be a user's manual in live situation and will streamline all process to higher efficacy and standards reducing the impact of disaster.

I personally extent my warm regards to United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) for supporting the Municipal Corporation of Thiruvananthapuram in building capacities in DRR and I express my sincere gratitude to all other organizations who have contributed in delivering such a document for improving and empowering this ULB with resilience towards disasters.

Secretary M. Nizarudheen

The DM Act 2005 envisages a paradigm shift from the erstwhile response centric syndrome to a proactive, holistic and integrated management of disasters with emphasis on prevention, mitigation and preparedness. This national vision, inter alia, aims at inculcating a culture of preparedness among all stakeholders, especially the local self government in reducing the disaster vulnerabilities at community level.

Looking to the fact that an effective DM plan lies in the synergy between multiple stakeholders, immense efforts were put into collection and integration of relevant date various government departments. Ms. Vrindanath M.C, consultant hired on mission by the Municipal Corporation of Thiruvananthapuram under "Gol - UNDP - Climate Risk Management Project for Disaster Preparedness and Mitigation" played a crucial role in this process. I express my sincere thanks to her for the invaluable contribution she put in preparing City Disaster Management Plan (CDMP) 2015.

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To move away from erstwhile response centric approach to preparedness and mitigation, would need strategic planning at all levels starting from Hazard, Vulnerability and Risk Assessment. Since this document is foremost in conducting such analysis in the city of Thiruvananthapuram, I Acknowledge with thanks the valuable contributions we received from State Emergency Operation Centre, the research wing of Kerala State Disaster Managemetn Authority. I Acknowledge contribution made by Dr. Sekhar. L. Kuriakose, Head scientist SEOC (member KSDMA) and Mr. Joe George, State Project Officer UNDP for their contribution in revie in the CDMP. I express my deepest gratitude to all technical staffs of SEOC for supporting as by rproviding high quality GIS maps and relevant literatures.

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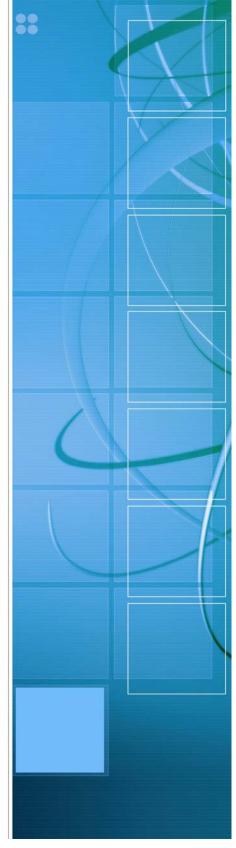
Thiruvananthapuram or Trivandrum, as it was conveniently re-christened by the English, is the southern-most district and it is the district headquarters as well as the State capital of Kerala. Thiruvananthapuram is known as god's own land, the jewel in the emerald necklace that Kerala is for the Indian subcontinent. The city gets its name from the word, Thiruvananthapuram, meaning the city of Anantha or "the town of Lord ANANTHA", the abode of the sacred Serpent Anantha on which Lord Vishnu, the preserver of the Hindu trinity, reclines.

The beautiful seaside city is one of the ancient cities that have references in Greek and Roman literatures dating back to 1000 BC. Rich in cultural heritage, blessed with all essential natural resources and skilled human potential, Thiruvananthapuram City has served as the capital to the area in pre-colonial period, colonial period, and post colonial period, functioning as administrative capital, which has enhanced the character of the city as a service centre, in the region.

The area of Thiruvananthapuram city stretches over the low lying coastal belt and undulating terrain of midland sandwiched between the high land comprising green mountain forests of Western Ghats and Lakshadweep Sea. Being the education, commercial, and medical hub of Kerala, Trivandrum is reaching new heights, with rapid development taking place across all sectors .Trivandrum city corporation has an area of around 214.86 Sq.Km with almost 1.7 million inhabitants as per the 2011 census. It is one of the most populous cities in Kerala, with population density of 4,454 /km², as against 860 per sq km for Kerala, and 368 per sq km for India.

As the city poises to leap ahead as an emerging metropolitan city in the southernmost part of India, with large and diversified population, high population density and unique geographical constraints makes the city extremely vulnerable to devastating consequences of disasters. Thus it's high time that the city must be primed with well planned, structurally coordinated city disaster management plan. Though disasters cannot be avoided, a planned approach covering all phases like mitigation, response and rehabilitation can minimize the impact of the disaster.

With this goal in mind, the UNDP supported City Disaster Management Cell functioning in the Corporation Office had launched a pilot initiative to prepare a CDMP under GoI-UNDP-DRR project 2010-12 and became successful in its venture to bring out a draft CDMP in the year 2013-15. On May 2014, the CDMP has been further reviewed & updated as per the recommendations made by the UNDP and newer strategies are adopted to bring together all stakeholders in disaster management to achieve perfection in collaborative efforts through knowledge sharing and rehearsals.



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## CITY PROFILE- 1

### **Digitized Map of Trivandrum Corporation**



#### List of Corporation Wards with Ward numbers

Sl.No	Ward Name	Zonal Office	Sl.No	Ward Name	Zonal Office
1	Attipra	Attipra	51	Jagathy	Main Office
2	Kulathoor	Attipra	52	Sasthamangalam	Main Office
3	Poundukadavu	Attipra	53	Kowdiar	Main Office
4	Pallithura	Attipra	54	Peroorkada	Main Office
5	Valiyathura	Fort	55	Mudavanmugal	Main Office
6	Perumthanny	Fort	56	Arannoor	Main Office
7	Vallakkadavu	Fort	57	Poojappura	Main Office
8	Muttathara	Fort	58	Pangode	Main Office
9	Sreevaraham	Fort	59	PTP Nagar	Main Office
10	Fort	Fort	60	Kanjirampara	Main Office
11	Chalai	Fort	61	Vattiyoorkavu	Main Office
12	Beemapalli East	Fort	62	Punnakkamugal	Main Office
13	Manacaud	Fort	63	Thirumala	Main Office
14	Kuriathy	Fort	64	Valiyavila	Main Office
15	Attukal	Fort	65	Thrikkanapuram	Main Office
16	Manikkavilakom	Fort	66	Kuravankonam	Main Office
17	Poonthura	Fort	67	Karamana	Main Office
18	Palkulangara	Fort	68	Pettah	Main Office
19	Sangumukhom	Fort	69	Kalady	Nemom
20	Sreekandeswaram	Fort	70	Pappanamcode	Nemom
21	Vettucaud	Fort	71	Melamcode	Nemom
22	Chakai	Fort	72	Estate	Nemom
23	Kamaleswaram	Fort	73	Ponnumagalam	Nemom
24	Ambalathara	Fort	74	Nemom	Nemom
25	Kalippankulam	Fort	75	Nedumcaud	Nemom
26	Beemapalli	Fort	76	Sreekaryam	Sreekariyam
27	Puthanpally	Fort	77	Chendamangalam	Sreekariyam
28	Anamughom	Kadakampalli	78	Njandoorkonam	Sreekariyam
29	Kadakompally	Kadakampalli	79	Poudikunam	Sreekariyam
30	Karikkakom	Kadakampalli	80	Chempazhanthy	Sreekariyam
31	Kazhakoottom	Kazhakuttom	81	Thiruvallam	Thiruvallam
32	Chanthavila	Kazhakuttom	82	Vellar	Thiruvallam
33	Kattayikonam	Kazhakuttom	83	Poonkulam	Thiruvallam
34	Kinavoor	Kuddapanakunnu	84	Punjakkari	Thiruvallam
35	Pathirappally	Kuddapanakunnu	85	Ulloor	Ulloor
36	Kudappanakunnu	Kuddapanakunnu	86	Cheruvakkal	Ulloor
37	Chettivilakom	Kuddapanakunnu	87	Nalanchira	Ulloor
38	Kannammoola	Main Office	88	Edavacode	Ulloor
39	Pattom	Main Office	89	Mannanthala	Ulloor
40	Medical College	Main Office	90	Akkulam	Ulloor
41	Vanchiyoor	Main Office	91	Kodunganoor	Vattiyoorkavu
42	Palayam	Main Office	92	Thuruthumoola	Vattiyoorkavu
43	Kunnukuzhy	Main Office	93	Vazhottukonam	Vattiyoorkavu
44	Nandancode	Main Office	94	Nettayam	Vattiyoorkavu
45	Kesavadasapuram	Main Office	95	Kachani	Vattiyoorkavu
46	Thampanoor	Main Office	96	Harbour	Vizhinjam
47	Vazhuthacaud	Main Office	97	Vizhinjam	Vizhinjam
48	Muttada	Main Office	98	Kottapuram	Vizhinjam
49	Valiyasala	Main Office	99	Venganoor	Vizhinjam
50	Thycaud	Main Office	100	Mulloor	Vizhinjam

#### **Topography**

Thiruvananthapuram city is located at 8° 30′N and 76° 54′E. The City Corporation which spreads over an area of 215.86 km2 stretches over 35 km of low lying coastal belt. The undulating mid land is sandwiched between the green mountain forests of Western Ghats in the west and Lakshadweep Sea in the east. The elevation of land varies from 0m to 165m from sea level. Although the city has a rolling terrain towards the hills and plain towards the coastal belt, Kovalam- Vizhinjam regions show rolling terrain in the coastal belt and this natural feature of terrain blesses the city of Thiruvananthapuram be a natural sea port. Figure (1.1) displays the topography of Thiruvananthapuram City Corporation

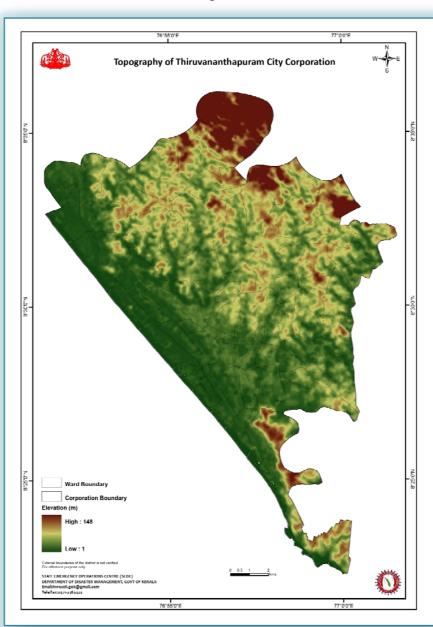


Figure (1.2)

#### Geology

Geologically, Thiruvananthapuram City is occupied by Precambrian crystalline acid to ultra basic intrusive of Archean to Proterozoic age, Tertiary, Sedimentary rocks and Quaternary Sediments of fluvial and marine origin. Both the crystalline and Tertiary sediments have been extensively laterised. Figure (1.2) shows the general geology of Thiruvananthapuram City Corporation

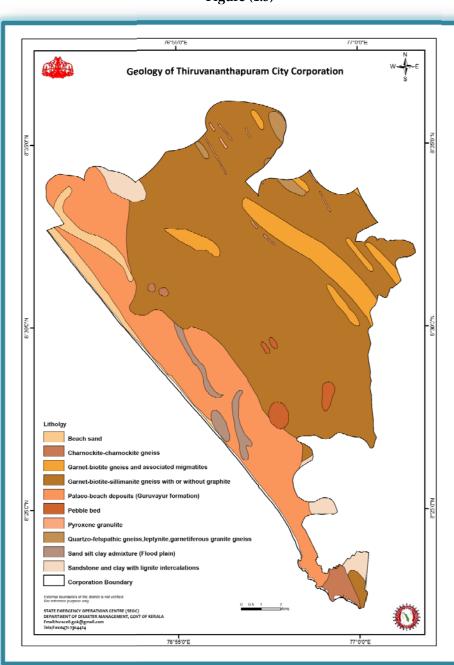


Figure (1.3)

#### Soil

The city has many types of soil, laterite and alluvial soils being the important kind. Alluvial soil is seen in low lying areas and valleys whereas laterite soils are found in the summits and slopping area. Sandy soil is found towards the beach. Figure 1.3 shows the wide-ranging distribution of soil type in Thiruvananthapuram City Corporation

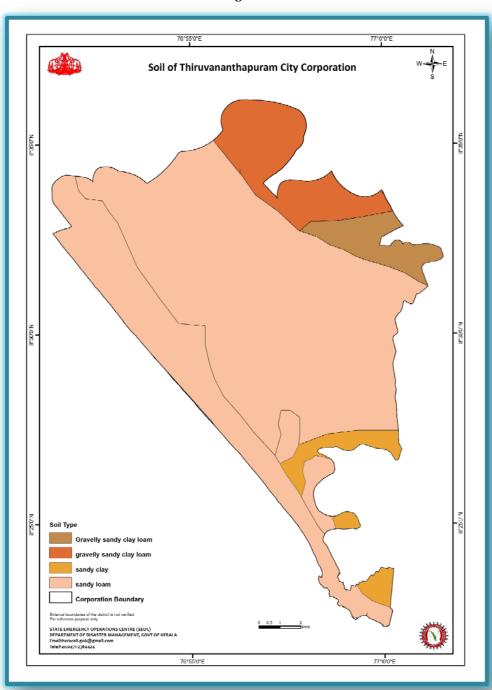


Figure (1.4)

#### Seismic Zone Map of India

The Geological Survey of India has identified Thiruvananthapuram as a moderately earthquake-prone urban centre and categorized the city in the Seismic Zone III as shown in Figure (1.5) Eighteen earth tremors have been recorded in Kerala from the period 1341 AD to1975 and majority of them are located in the coastal region. Hence seismically, these can be considered moderately active



**Figure (1.5)** 

#### Climate

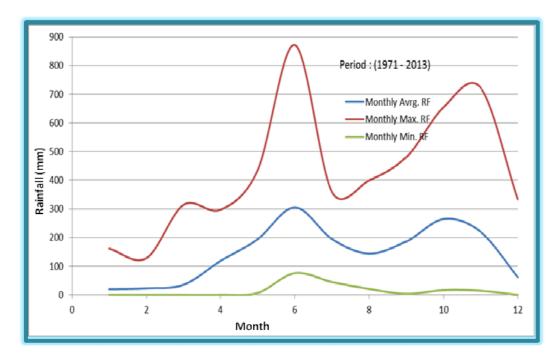
The climate of the city is generally hot tropical but actually it boarders between tropical savannah climate and a tropical monsoon climate. As a result it does not experience distinct seasons. The large forest reserves favourably affect the climate and induce rains. The mean maximum temperature is 32°C while the mean minimum temperature is 21°C. As the district stretches from north to south with the Arabian Sea in the west side, the relative humidity is generally high and rises to 90% to 95% during the monsoon season. Thiruvananthapuram is the first city along the path of the south-west monsoons and gets its first

showers in early June. The city gets heavy rainfall of around 1700 mm per year. The city also gets rain from the receding north-east monsoons which hit the city in October. The dry season sets in by December. December, January and February are the coldest months while March, April and May are the hottest. A climatic condition of the district is shown.

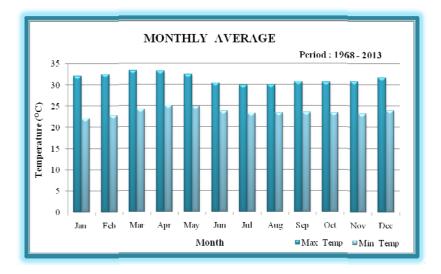
- 2348.7 mm in 1975 is the highest annual rainfall recorded in the city during the period 1971-2013
- 872 mm in 1991 is the highest monthly rainfall recorded in the city during the period 1971-2013

#### **Temperature**

The city has a mean maximum temperature 34°C and the mean minimum temperature is 21°C. The lowest temperature recorded during winter was 15 °C, and the highest temperature recorded in summer is 39°C.

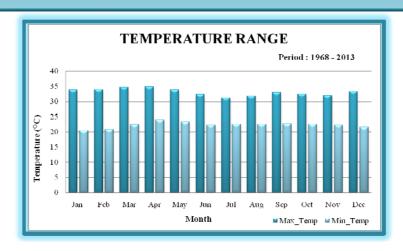


Graph 1.1: Rainfall range in the city, 1971-2013



Graph 1.2: Monthly average temperature, 1968-2013

- The city experiences a moderately hot and dry climate throughout the year
- Highest monthly average Maximum temperature of 34.9°C was recorded on April 1998
- Lowest monthly average Minimum temperature of 20.4°C was recorded on January 1974

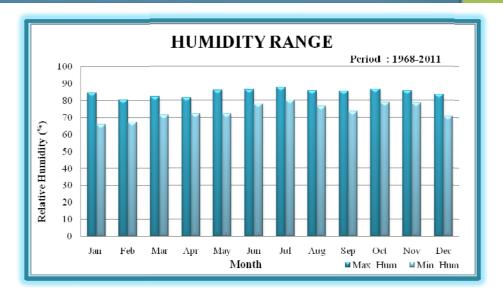


Graph 1.3: Temperature range, 1968-2013

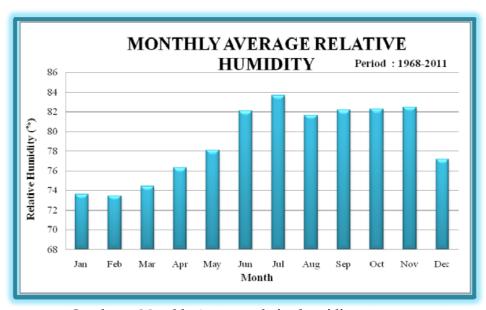
- Highest annual Maximum temperature was recorded on 2009 (32.4°C)
- Lowest annual Minimum temperature was recorded on 2003 (22.3°C)

#### Humidity

The humidity is high and rises to about 90% during the monsoon season and remains relatively high till December. In summer seasons the humidity is at its minimum.



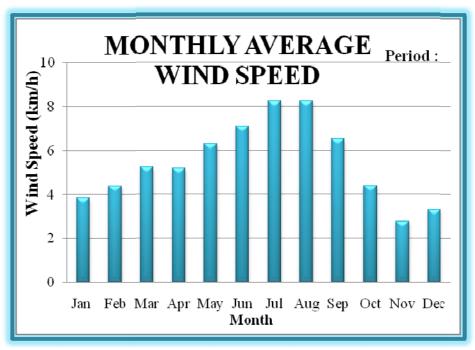
**Graph 1.4: Humidity range, 1968-2011** 



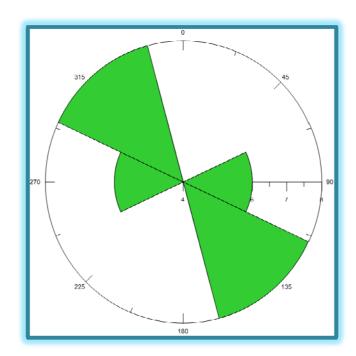
Graph 1.5: Monthly Average relative humidity, 1968-2011

#### Wind

The predominant wind direction is in the North West direction as shown in Figure 3a. The winds gradually gain speed during the pre-monsoon and is at its highest during the monsoon period.



Graph 1.6: Monthly Average wind speed, 2001-2011



**Graph 1.7: Prominent wind direction** 

- Highest monthly average wind Speed of 10.2km/h recorded was on July 2002.
- Highest daily wind Speed recorded is 28 km/h.

Table: 1.1 Wind directions, 2001-2011

Month	Wind Direction	
Jan	Calm	0
Feb	Calm	0
Mar	West	27
Apr	Calm	0
May	West	27
Jun	North West	32
Jul	North West	32
Aug	North West	32
Sep	North West	32
Oct	Calm	0
Nov	Calm	0
Dec	Calm	0

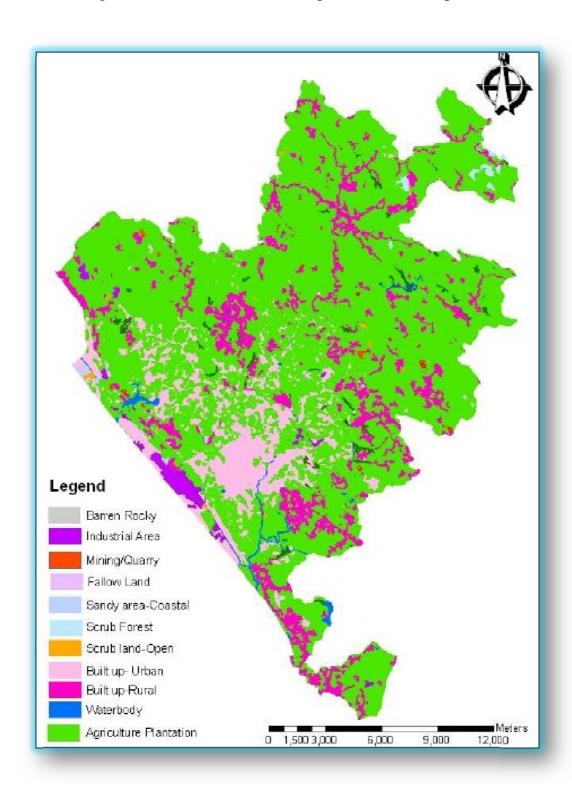
#### **Agriculture & Forestry**

The primary occupation of people of the Thiruvananthapuram is agriculture. Cultivable land is classified as wet, dry, garden and plantations. Rice is the most important crop cultivated in the wet lands. Tapioca and pulses are the important dry-land crops. Coconut is one of the most important crops of the district. The annual production of coconuts is about 516 million. Rubber cultivation is mainly confined to Nedumangad taluk which is close to the Thiruvananthapuram city. At present, there are about 269.99 km2 of rubber plantations and the annual production is estimated at 30,717 tonnes. Newly introduced agricultural development schemes have opened new vistas in this field. Fresh schemes are introduced in every Panchayat with a view to maximize yield per unit area by exploiting the production Potential of paddy and vegetables. Cashew is grown in 21.84 km² of land and the production is about 1,745 tonnes. Pepper cultivation covers an area of 50.9 km², and the yield is about 1824 tonnes.

#### Land use /Land cover

The city is covered with thick habitation. Two major rivers are flowing through the city i.e.Karamana and Killi. In addition to these rivers, the city is also having major canals/thodu namely Ulloor, Pattom, Vanchiyoor, Thekkinakara, Parvathy Puthnar and Amayizhanjan. These canals flowing through the city drain-off the surface runoff. Also there are many natural ponds within city. In and around the city two major water bodies Akulam Kayal and Vellayani Kayal reservoir are located. South East part of the city is fully covered with Lakshadweep Sea. The general land use/land cover along with crops of the district is shown in the Figure (1.6). The map shows the different land use classes in which arable land covers most part of the district. Figure depicts eleven different landuse/ landcover classes with different color codes which reveal that agriculture land and built up are the two major classes.

Figure.(1.6): Land use Land Cover Map of Trivandrum Corporation



#### Hydrology of the Study Area

Figure (1.7) shows the ground water hydrology of the district which also depicts the water table contour having lower value towards the sea coast. The ground water potential in terms of yield in liters/sec increases towards the coastal line. The maximum ground water yield lies at coastline in rage of 10-25 lit/sec



Figure (1.7): Hydrology

#### **Drainage Pattern of the City**

The Karamana river flows entirely through the Thiruvananthapuram district. This river originates from the Western Ghats at Agasthyakoodam and is the main source of water supply of Thiruvananthapuram city and Nedumangad town. Two dams are constructed across this river at Peppara and Aruvikkara. The total stretch of the river is about 61 km out of which 21 km flows within city and 40 km is at the upstream side. The main tributary of Karamana River is Killi, originates at Panavur in Nedumangad taluk of Thiruvananthapuram district. The river enters Thiruvananthapuram city at Vazhayila and flows through Jagathi, Killippalam, Attukal, Kalady, South and merges with Karamana River at Pallathu kadavu. The Killi river have total length of 33 km out of which 14km flows within city and 19km at upstream side in Anad panchayat of Nedumangad taluk. There are seven major thodus in the city viz. Pattom, Ulloor, Thekkanakara, Parvathi Puthnar, Poonthura Pozhi and Vanchiyoor. Ulloor thodu and Pattomthodu merges into the Aamayizhanjan thodu which flows finally to the Akkulam lake. Parvathi Puthnar is a

major waste water canal in the city. Most of the waste water of the city flows through this canal. Half of the waste water of this canal goes into the Akkulam lake and half portion of the canal merges into Karamana river at Thiruvellam which finally meets into the sea.

Pazhavangadi Thodu (drain) is one of the important storm water drain, which runs through the heart of the Thiruvananthapuram city. Pazhavangadi Thodu starts from Kerala Water Authority (KWA) at Vellayambalam and merges into Aamayizhanjan Thodu near Kannamoola and has a length of about 5.75 km. It is the main discharge channel of Trivandrum City and traverses through the key areas like Thampanoor, Pazhavangadi, Thakaraparambu, Vanchiyoor, Pattoor etc. Parvathi Puthanar is a major canal which joins the Karamanariver at Munnattumukku, Thiruvallam Figure 1.7 shows drainage pattern of the Karamana and Killi river basin.

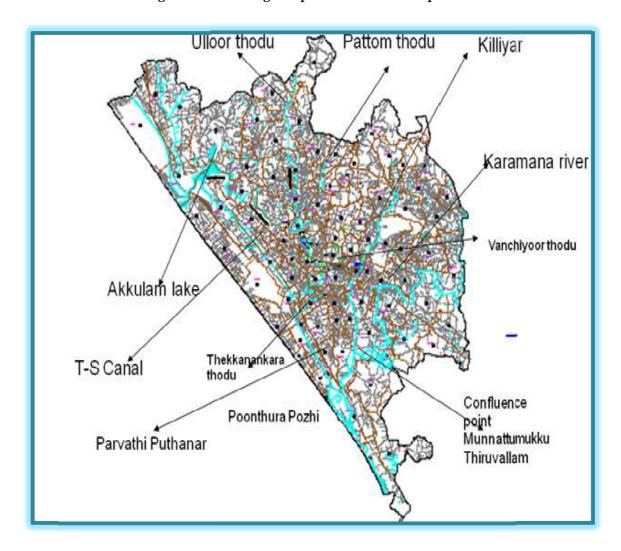


Figure.(1.8): Drainage Map of Trivandrum Corporation

Source: Irrigation Department

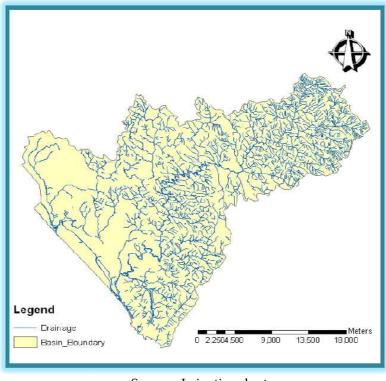


Figure (1.9): Drainage basin

Source: Irrigation dept

#### **Water Supply**

Peppara and Aruvikkara dams on river Karamana are the main sources of water supply in Thiruvananthapuram city. For the city, water supply scheme is having an installed capacity of 273 MLD serving a population of 10.32 lakhs (as per 2011 census) and covering an area of 200 sq km inside the city except Vinzhinjam area which is included in Neyyathinkara block water supply scheme. It is found that within corporation limit 81% population are depending on KWA water supply. 10% of the population is dependent on open/bore well for their source of water whereas 4% are dependent on public tap and 3% on lorry service. Lorry services are provided mainly for coastal areas.

The water supply network is designed for the 24 hrs water supply. The distribution system consists of a total length of 1500 km. The size of main lines in the city are 1200 mm CI, 900 mm PSC and 1500 mm MS pipes used to convey water from Aruvikkara to Thiruvananthapuram city. There are 8 water treatment plants (WTP) viz Vellayambalam, Aruvikkara, Chinthirakkunu, Pappanamkode, Shantivila, PTP campus, Paramala and Vandithandam which have a total capacity of 273 MLD. Raw water is also pumped from Karamana river at Kundamankadavu, Aruvikkara, Adimadakkayam and Trikkannapuram to the respective treatment/pumping stations. Apart from main water treatment plant, water from bore wells

and open wells are used for drinking purposes located at Karikodam (0.5 MLD), Pallithura (0.05 MLD), Panchallor/Anakuzhy (0.50 MLD) and Muttakad (0.30 MLD).

#### Sewerage System

The Thiruvananthapuram Corporation area is divided into 16 blocks and Attukkal Township and covers an area of 215 Sq. km. The existing Sewerage scheme comprises of 7 blocks out of which 5 blocks covers 30% of the city area (75 sq km) constructed in 1945. The Figure (1.10) shows the sewerage blocks existing in the city. The disposal system adopted presently is land treatment in the form of sewage farm at Muttathara. The most of sewage disposal in the city is through septic tank followed by sewerage system. The breakup of the method of sewage disposal is shown in Figure (1.11).



Fig (1.10): Sewerage Block Map of the City

Source: Irrigation Department

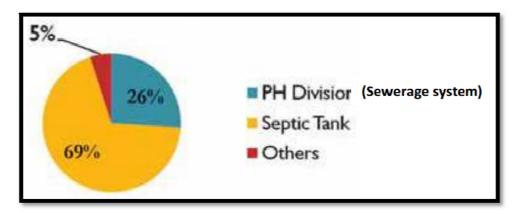


Fig: (1.11): Method of sewage Disposal in the City

The sewage from the pumping stations at Kuriathy, pattoor, Enchakkal and Kannanmoola is pumped to the stilling chamber at Valiyathura and Muttathara. The sewage farm is only existing sewage treatment facility which is receiving very limited sewage quantity (maximum upto 50 MLD). The sewage farm is maintained by the Dairy Development Department and fodder cultivation. As per the draft report on master plan of Thiruvananthapuram city, it is found that only 35 wards in the city have sewerage system. These wards are mainly located at the central part of the city. The remaining 65 wards do not have sewerage connections

#### **Transportation**

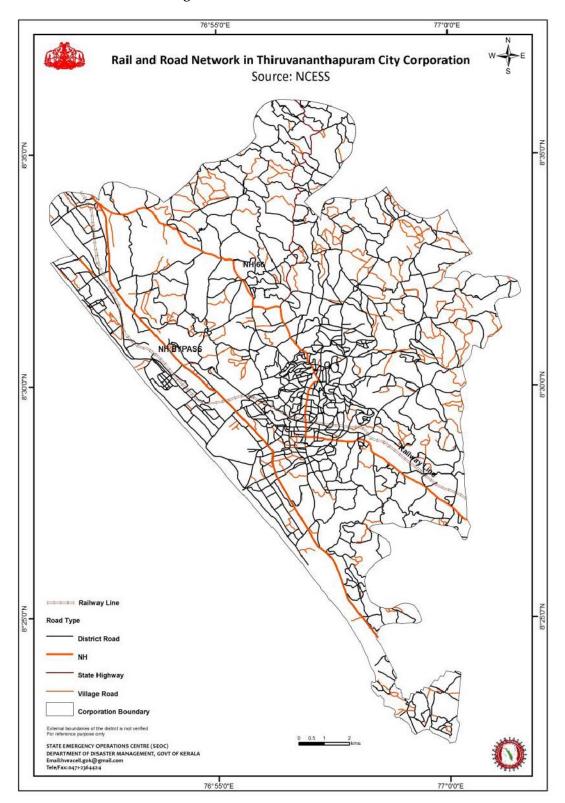
#### Road network

Road network is the most crucial transport medium in the city having a density of 4.11/km2. NH 66, which passes through city centre, divides it into two halves. National High Way is bypassed from Kazhakuttom to Kovalam and runs parallel to the coastline of the city. Other arterial roads, namely MC road, TS road, SH 02, MG road and PalayamChakai road serve as major lifelines of the city. The arterial roads along with the intra city link roads have a carriageway width ranging from 6 to 16 m.

#### **Railways**

The city is connected via rail network to all parts of the state and country. The urban population within and from neighboring districts depend on railways service for daily transportation. Apart from the central station at Thampanoor, there are stations at Thiruvananthapuram Pettah, Veli and one at Kazhakoottam.

Figure (1.12): Rail and Road Network



#### Socio-Economic Status of the City

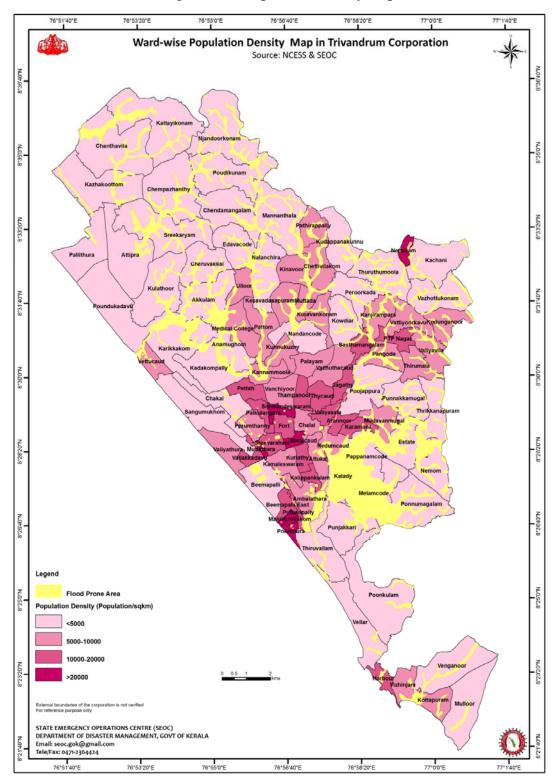
Thiruvananthapuram Corporation is the largest city corporation in Kerala (area) with a population of 10, 32,292 as per 2011 census. In October 2010, the area of the city has increased from 86 wards to 100 wards in addition of some panchayats i.e. Sreekaryam, Vattiyoorkavu, Kudappanakunnu, Vizhinjam and Kazhakuttam panchayats into the corporation. The city has now an area of 214.86 km². The highest population density lies in ward no 72, Manacaud (15908 persons/Sq km) and least in ward no 32, Thuruthumoola ward (723 persons/Sq km). The city has an average density of 4444 persons/Sq km. The distribution of population density among the wards within Thiruvananthapuram Corporation is shown in Figure 1.10. The population of women in Thiruvananthapuram is more than men with the sex ratio of 1,064 females to every 1,000 males. The major language spoken is Malayalam but English, Tamil, and Hindi are also widely understood. There is also a prominent minority of Tamil speakers and a few Tulu and Konkani speakers.

Economy of the city consists of tourism and leisure, information technology, rubber plantation, coffee production, tea production and education. Thiruvananthapuram is not an industrial region. But there are some industries like Travancore Titanium Products Ltd, English Indian Clay Ltd etc. There is less industrialization than in other major south Indian cities like Chennai and Bangalore. The main functional role as reflected in the occupational structure is services which comprise mainly of Government jobs and trade & commerce. As per 2001 census, the population below the poverty line in the city was 11,667. A BPL survey indicates the urban poor population as 120,367. Majority of these populace lives in slums and coastal fishing areas.

#### **Tourism**

Thiruvananthapuram City is a very famous tourist destination for both domestic and international tourists. It is also famous for being the evergreen city of India. Being the capital of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram is also called as "God's own capital". There are many tourist destinations in or near the city including very famous beaches like Kovalam and Sanghumukham Beach. Another attractions are the Napier museum and Zoo (Yann Martelwrote his book Life of PI after studying a disabled lion, Simba for months together), Kuthira Malika palace and, Sree Padmanabha Swamy temple.

Figure (1.13): Population Density Map



### CHAPTER - 2

#### An Introduction to CDMP

#### Introduction

Thiruvananthapuram City is vulnerable to numerous hazards. These can be natural hazards such as extreme weather events and human caused such as aircraft crashes, and those involving hazardous materials, infrastructure disruptions that could involve utility and power failures.

The City Disaster Management Plan establishes the framework that ensures the City is prepared to deal with any of these hazards. It is the methodology through which the City will mobilize its resources in the event of an emergency, thereby restoring the municipal Corporation to a state of normalcy. It is designed to ensure that all agencies which may become involved in an emergency are aware of their respective roles and responsibilities during that emergency and participate in the emergency management program.

Additionally, the Plan makes provisions for the earliest possible coordinated response to an emergency, an understanding of the personnel and resources available to the City, and recognition that additional expertise and resources can be called upon if required.

The City Disaster Management Plan in itself cannot guarantee an efficient, effective response to an emergency. It must be utilized as a tool to assist emergency and city services and officials in their emergency response activities. The Plan must be flexible enough to adapt to a broad spectrum of disasters and must be supported with:

- Adequate personnel, equipment and expertise from the response agencies;
- ♣ Familiarity with contents of the Plan by participating agencies;
- Training and exercises;
- Awareness of resources available from neighbouring municipalities and the private sector, supplemented by prearranged agreements;
- Testing of the Plan on a regular basis; and
- Review of the Plan following any incidents or exercises where it is implemented.

THE CITY DISASTER MANAGEMENT PLAN CAN BE WHOLLY DIVIDED INTO TWO PARTS, BASIC PLAN, AND RISK SPECIFIC PLAN.

The Basic Plan outlines how City agencies will respond to, recover from, and mitigate the impact of a disaster. The Basic Plan contains sections that describe purpose & scope, legal authorities, emergency management governance structure, preparedness and mitigation cycle.

**Risk-Specific Plans** are also supporting documents to the Emergency Plan. They contain specific response plans for hazards that may pose a threat to the City. These Plans reflect the City's Hazard Identification Vulnerability and Risk Assessment (HVRA).

#### **Purpose**

The aim of the City Disaster Management Plan is to provide the framework within which extraordinary arrangements and measures can be taken to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the inhabitants of the City when faced with an emergency.

The plan unifies the efforts of City organizations for a comprehensive and effective approach for responding to and reducing the impacts of a disaster. It is intended to increase the emergency response capability of the City by establishing a plan of action to efficiently and effectively deploy emergency services.

#### Scope

A disaster may result from an existing danger or it may be a threat of an impending situation abnormally affecting property or the health, safety and welfare of the community. Its nature and magnitude requires a controlled and coordinated response by a number of agencies, both governmental and private, under the direction of the Control Group, as distinct from routine operations carried out by an agency or agencies, e.g., fire fighting, police activities, normal hospital routines.

There are two major categories of hazards that may pose a threat to the Trivandrum City Corporation.

- Natural Events severe weather, floods, drought, coastal erosion, lightning
- Anthropogenic & Infrastructural Disruptions incidents involving hazardous materials, stampede, utility and power failures, transportation accidents, aircraft accidents, water supply failures, building or structural collapse, Radiological & Nuclear Disaster and epidemics.

#### **Legal Authorities**

Legislation under which the City Corporation, its' employees and agents are authorized to respond to an emergency are as follows:

Chapter – 6 of DM act, 2005: (1) Subject to the directions of the District Authority, a local authority shall –

- (a) Ensure that its officers and employees are trained for disaster management;
- (b) Ensure that resources relating to disaster management are so maintained as to be readily available for use in the event of any threatening disaster situation or disaster;
- (c) Ensure all construction projects under it or within its jurisdiction conform to the standards and specifications laid down for prevention of disasters and mitigation by the National Authority, State Authority and the District Authority;
- (d) Carry out relief, rehabilitation and reconstruction activities in the affected area in accordance with the State Plan and the District Plan.

(2) The local authority may take such other measures as may be necessary for the disaster management.

### **Disaster Management Governance Structure**

The City Disaster Management Committee shall consist of representatives holding positions in the City, local Agencies, Divisions and organizations as the case may be, or those designated to act on their behalf from time to time. The following list of recommended City Disaster Management Committee members includes senior representatives from various divisions to provide executive leadership and policy direction and to manage the strategic response and support site operations by mobilizing necessary resources during an event. (Structure of CDMC is under finalising)

# **Objectives of City Disaster Management Committee**

The City of Disaster Management Committee provides the City with an effective vehicle for developing and maintaining a comprehensive disaster management program, as defined under the *National Disaster Management Act*, 2005, and to manage emergency response activities, which will ensure:

- ♣ Mitigation, preparedness, response & recovery
- Support of emergency operations at the site(s)
- Overall strategic management of the emergency
- Risk identification, critical infrastructure protection
- Mobilization of all municipal, voluntary, and other agencies required
- Prevention of further injury, loss of life, property damage
- Establishment of information centres for the public and news media
- Procurement of essential resources
- **♣** Restoration of utilities and other essential services
- ♣ Rehabilitation

### **Authority to Activate the Emergency Operations Centre (EOC)**

The Mayor/ Deputy Mayor of Trivandrum City Corporation have the authority and responsibility for the activation of EOC and otherwise initiate the implementation of the City Disaster Management Plan

### City Emergency Operations Centre (EOC)

The City Emergency Operations Center is a state of the art facility which serves as the "nerve center" for the City's response and recovery efforts before, during and after an incident. The responsibilities of City EOC includes;

- **♣** Effective *policy and strategic direction* to the emergency
- **♣** Support of emergency operations at the Site(s)
- ♣ Providing resource management to support Site operations
- Coordinating management links to other Command / Operations Centres, ESF's
- ♣ Providing information to the public and news media
- Maintaining business continuity for the rest of the City

# CHAPTER - 3

# Hazard foot prints of the city

City Profile at a glance						
Head quarters	Thiruvanant	hapuram Muncipal Cor	rnoration			
Location (of the Headquarters)		• •	•			
Total area(City)	8 °25' N latitude, 76 °55' E Longitude 214.86 SqKm					
Mayor	Adv. V.K. Pr	rasantn				
Administrative Divisions						
Taluks	1					
Villages	25					
Wards	100					
Zonal Offices	12					
Geography & Topography						
Major Rivers	Karamana, k	Gilli				
Lakes	Veli, Akkula	m				
Canal	TS Canal (Co	onnection b/n Akkulam	-Veli Lake &Vellayani			
	Lake					
Coastline (length in kms)						
Average Elevation	16ft above M	ISL				
Highest Point	Observatory	(60mts)				
Mean Maximum Temperature	32 C					
Average Rainfall	170cm/Annu	ım				
Demography						
Total population	1,687,406					
Male	815,200 (48.3	1%)				
Female	872,206 (51.6	9%)				
Sex ratio	1000:1070					
Age group population (0-6 years)	142,242					
Population density	4,454 /km <sup>2</sup>					
Y itam and the	Table Male					
Literacy rate	Total	Male	Female			
	93.24%	94.87	91.73			

### **CLIMATIC DATA-2014**

Month	Max Temp (Degree Celsius)	Min Temp(Degree Celsius)	Rainfall (mm)
Jan-14	33.06	22.41	62.4
Feb-14	32.53	23.63	118.88
Mar-14	33.5	24.63	172.6
Apr-14	33.7	25.02	663.8
May-14	33.17	24.70	1293.4
Jun-14	32.45	24.8	766.7
Jul-14	29.68	24.56	547.2
Aug-14	31.91	31.66	2101.7
Sep-14	33.97	31.85	1136.5
Oct-14	31.05	23.88	1559.9
Nov-14	32.64	24.28	521.4

# **Hazard Profile of the City**

#### Introduction

Thiruvananthapuram City is home to nearly 8 lakh people inhabiting 215 km² of land. With the current rate of urbanization and development, the city and the adjoining urban outgrowth is expected to witness a massive growth in its population. Thiruvananthapuram city is historically vulnerable to various natural disasters. The city is prone to naturally triggered hazards like flood, drought, coastal erosion, lightning and earthquakes and human induced hazards like petro-chemical accidents, transportation accidents and epidemics.

Understanding the disaster proneness of the city and undertaking appropriate risk management activity is essential to the wellbeing of the city dwellers. Increasing frequency of urban flooding, severe droughts and windfall of trees in the recent past has proved disastrous to life, property and livelihood in the city.

The 27.4 km long coastline is vulnerable to various hazards particularly during monsoon. Of the 100 wards in the city corporation, 14 wards fall in the coastal belt.

The city falls in seismic zone III and is thus vulnerable to earthquakes. Tremors of minor magnitude have occurred in and around the city in 2012.

Lightening, which is of common occurrence during north east monsoon claims several lives and causes damage to property almost every year. The rise in anthropogenic hazards such as industrial mishaps, road accidents are also of major concern. Wind storm is a common event in the city causing substantial damages to life and property.

The City Disaster Management Cell has identified and assessed the various hazards and risks to public health & safety that could give rise to disasters and has identified the facilities and other elements of the infrastructure that are at risk of being affected by disasters. They can be grouped into three categories:

*Natural Events* – severe weather events, floods, earthquakes, thunderstorm, storm surge, wind storm and lightning.

Anthropogenic /Accidental Hazards –incidents involving hazardous materials, stampedes, building or structural collapse, transportation accidents, aircraft accidents, epidemics, nuclear and radiological.

*Infrastructure Disruptions* – utility and power failures, water supply failures, and critical resource shortages.

# **Hazard Profile of the City**

SL. No	Classification	Types of Disasters
	Natural	
1.		Flood –Urban flooding, Riverine flooding
		Coastal – Tsunami, Coastal erosion, Storm surge, Kallakkadal
	Weather related	Thunder & Lightning
<u> </u>		Cyclone, Heavy winds
		Drought
2.		Earthquakes
	Geological	Landslides
2	Anthropogenic	Tut I
3.	Biological	Epidemics Pest attack
•	biological	Food poisoning/ Hooch accidents
4.		Industrial Explosions
		Offsite Petrochemical accidents
		Oil spill
		Dam break due to structural weakness
	A . 1 1	Fire accidents – Fireworks/ Short Circuits/ LPG explosion
	Accidental	Stampedes
		structural Collapse
		Boat capsizing
		Air Craft/ Rail / Road accidents
		Nuclear/ Radiological
5.		Power failures
	Infrastructure Disruption	Water supply Failure
		Sewerage failure
		Accumulation of Solid Waste
		Critical resource shortage

# Hazard Risk Index

Magnitude> Probability	Catastrophic	Critical	Limited	Negligible
Highly Likely	Flood/Epidemics/Solid waste	Motor Vehicle Accidents		
Likely	Coastal erosion/Wind fall/Lightning	Fire/Utility Disruption/water pollution		Boat Capsizing
Occasional	Drought	Structural collapse	Earthquake	
	Stampede	Rail accidents	Chemical Disaster/aircraft accidents	Radiological Disaster/Nuclear Disaster

# Relationship between Primary & Secondary Hazards

Disaster	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	0	N	D
Earthquake												
Drought												
Fire												
Storm surge												
Lightning												
Flood					—					—	—	
Anthropogenic											—	

Hazard Seasonality Mapping of the City

Hazard Season	Earth	Tsunami	Landslide	Flood	Coastal	Drought	Lightning	Wind	Hazmet	Fire
hazards	quakes				Erosion			storms	Incidents	
Secondary Hazards										
Earthquakes										
Tsunami										
Landslides										
Flood										
Coastal Erosion										
Drought										
Lightning										
Extreme Heat Events										
Wind storms										
Epidemics										
Fire/Electrocuti on										
Traffic Disruption										
Infrastructure failures										
Hazmat Incidents										
Power Outages										
Water Shortage										
Tree falling										
Communication Failure										
Sewerage Disruption										
Water Contamination										
Environmental Degradation										

# Hazard foot Prints of the City

### Flood Hazard

One of the earliest accessible Governmental records regarding the flood proneness of the present day Thiruvanathapuram city is the Royal Proceedings dated 21st December 1920 issued by Mr. N. Rajaram Row, Chief Secretary to Government. This proceedings talk about flooding in Karamana River due to which a Government farm located in present day Karamana had to be shifted from that location to other parts surrounding the city.

Table 1 shows the years that 5, 50 and 100 year return interval one day rainfall was exceeded in the City based on available rainfall records from 1986 to 2013 for 3 rain gauges surrounding the City. Continuous daily rainfall data pertaining to the City is not available and hence data from adjoining rain gauges are used. It is evident that occurrence of extreme rainfall events were few in number, however, urban flooding in the city is an annual event. This indicates that urban flooding in the City is primarily owing to inadequate maintenance and management of sewerage systems and storm water drains. Improper construction of pavements, buildings, roads, other impervious structures, choking of drainage etc. are factors that aggravate the magnitude of urban floods.

Table (3.1): Five, Fifty and Hundred year return interval daily rainfall and years of exceedance

Sl. No	Nedumangadu			N	leyyattinka	ara	Varkala		
RI	5	50	100	5	50	100	5	50	100
Rainfall (mm)	127.5	159	168.1	108.3	131.6	138.4	131.9	155.9	162.9
Years exceeded	1993, 2003, 2004	2005, 2010, 2011	1992, 1996	1994, 2001, 2004, 2005, 2010	0	1993, 1995, 1998, 2003	1998, 2007	1989	1987, 2004, 2006, 2011

Pazhavangadi Thodu (drain) is one of the important storm water drains, which runs through the heart of the Thiruvananthapuram city. Pazhavangadi Thodu starts from Kerala Water Authority (KWA) at Vellayambalam and emerges into Aamayizhanjan Thodu near Kannamoola and has a length of about 5.75 km. It is the main discharge channel of Thiruvananthapuram City and traverses through key places of the city like Thampanoor, Pazhavangadi, Thakaraparambu, Vanchiyur, Pattoor etc. The water collected during a down-pour in the area adjacent to the railway station and bus stand is not drained quickly into the Thodu as the carrying capacity of the leading drains are significantly low in some places and not sufficient elsewhere. The most severe and frequent flooding in the city occurs at Thampanoor and East Fort/Pazhavangadi areas, followed by Uppilamoodu and Kannamoola areas. In 2014, flooding in Thampanoor between the Central Railway Station and the Bus Station has reduced owing to structural interventions. Discharge is monitored at three locations within the City they being Maruthamkuzhi,

Mankattukadavu and Karamana. Based on records available these locations, 5, 50 and 100 year return interval discharge and stage height values were calculated as is given as Table (3.2)

Flood Prone Areas Vs Ward-wise Population Density **Trivandrum Corporation** 

Source: Town Planning Department, Census of India (2011), NCESS & SEOC

76°56'40"E

76°56'20"E

77'00'E

76155'0'E

Fig. 3.1: Flood Inundation Map overlaid with Ward wise Population Density

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Source: Town

76°53'20"E

76'51'40"E

Table 3. 2: Five, Fifty and Hundred year return interval discharge (m3/sec) and gauge (m) readings

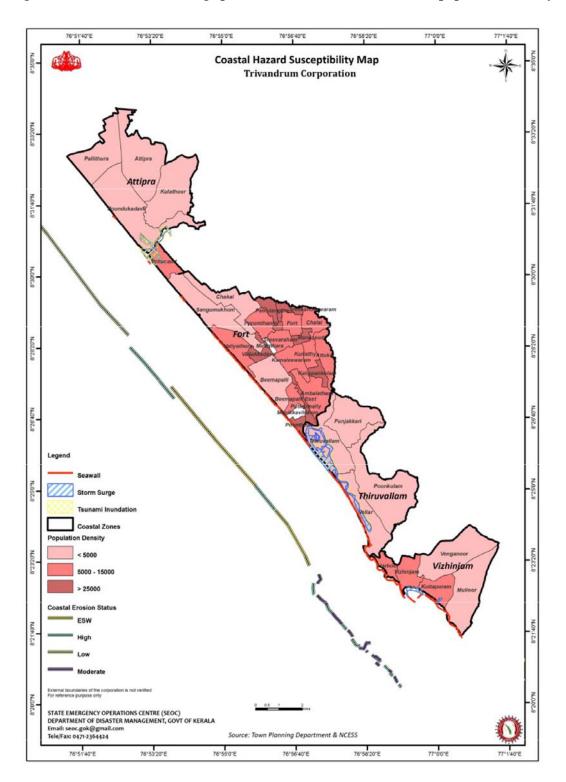
	Maruthamkuzhi (1979-2011)		Mankattukada	avu (1989-2011)	Karamana (1972-1988)		
RI	Discharge	Gauge	Discharge	Gauge	Discharge	Gauge	
T=5	5.44	1.42	25.31	1.62	8.28	2.82	
T=50	7.75	1.52	34.76	1.90	12.38	2.94	
T=100	9.01	1.57	39.91	2.05	14.61	3.00	

Considering these values and the scarcity of long term data, it is safe to assume that natural flood plains are the maximum possible flood inundation extent within the city limits. Accordingly, a flood prone area map of the City was prepared based on inputs from satellite images, field data collection and from the natural flood plains mapped by National Centre for Earth Science Studies. Low lying flood prone areas which are prone to urban flooding were added to the map using data derived from field visits and high resolution satellite images. Figure 1 shows this flood prone area map of Thiruvananthapuram city. A total area of 29.02 km² has been identified as naturally flood prone in the City while 22.7 km² is assessed to be prone to urban flooding.

### **Coastal Hazards**

Figure (3.2) shows the coastal erosion/accretion prone areas and the worst case scenario storm surge inundation limits (Tsunami 2004 inundation limits). Based on systematic field survey conducted by National Centre for Earth Science Studies, 6.5 km of the 27.4 km of Thiruvananthapuram City's coastline is prone to high rates of coastal erosion. In the worst case scenario, sea level may rise by 15 to 38 cm by mid-21st century [5]. Considering the tsunami inundation level this anticipated increase is negligible and thus, tsunami inundation level is also considered as the worst case scenario inundation level in the event of major storm surges.

Fig 3.2: Tsunami and Storm Surge prone area overlaid with ward wise population density



### Landslide

The City although is in an undulating terrain, the possibility of landslide is limited to one ward, namely Thirumala ward (Thirumala Village). This is owing to the presence of loose rock boulders atop Parakovil hill, a small hill housing a temple. All sides of the hill are densely populated and thus, extraction of the loose rock boulders is not an easy task. Figure (3.3) shows the map of the area prone to rock fall from Parakovil hill in Thirumala ward.

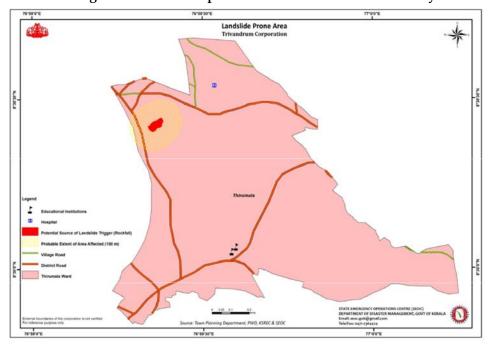


Figure 3.3: Landslide prone area and nearest critical facility

### Drought

Based on available research it is noted that the frequency of dry days was increasing, the onset date of monsoon was being delayed in Kerala and the rainfall in monthly, seasonal and annual time scale was showing decreasing trend over the last 100 years period. The annual average rainfall of Thiruvananthapuram City is 1746 mm based on rainfall data from 1986 to 2013. During the period, the annual rainfall of the city was less than annual average in the years 1986,1988, 1989, 1990, 1995, 1996, 2000, 2002, 2003, 2009, 2011, 2012 and 2013 (13 times). Thus the general trend and the observations indicate that the City is increasingly prone to drought like conditions due to natural negative departure of rainfall from long period average.

The situation is aggravated by the fact that about 41% of the City has deficiency in availability of potable centrally supplied pipe water. Present capacity of potable drinking water production in the City is 273 Million Litres per Day (MLD) and there exist a gap of 137 MLD between production and demand; transmission loss is approximately 35.5%. The presence of sock pits, sewerage pipelines and open

sewerage canals restricts the possibility of digging open wells for potable drinking water, particularly in the City limits as ground water may be contaminated with the presence of coli form and faecal coli form. Monitoring results in Akkulam -Veli lakes and Parvathy Puthanar shows high values of total coli form and faecal coli form. This situation aggravates the natural drought proneness of the City.

A drought prone area assessment was carried out using rainfall data, Normalized Difference Vegetation Index derived from MODIS satellite and Ground Water departure data. The assessment showed that the entire City falls under moderately drought prone category.

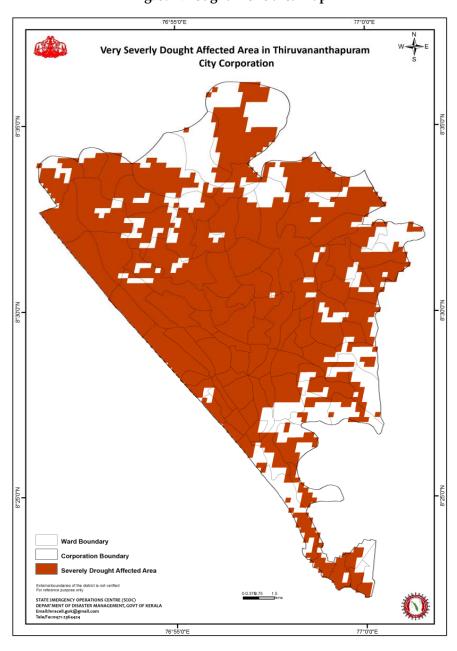


Fig: 3.4 Drought Prone area map

# Lightning

The City experiences frequent incidence of lighting. Lighting being a random Phenomenon, its potential cannot be mapped as an aerial extent. The undulating terrain and the density of electrification of the households may be considered as factors that contribute to lighting fatality and damages in the city. Figure 3.4 shows the lightning incidents in the city and the frequency of lighting per ward based on long term data of fatal and major damage causing lighting events reported.

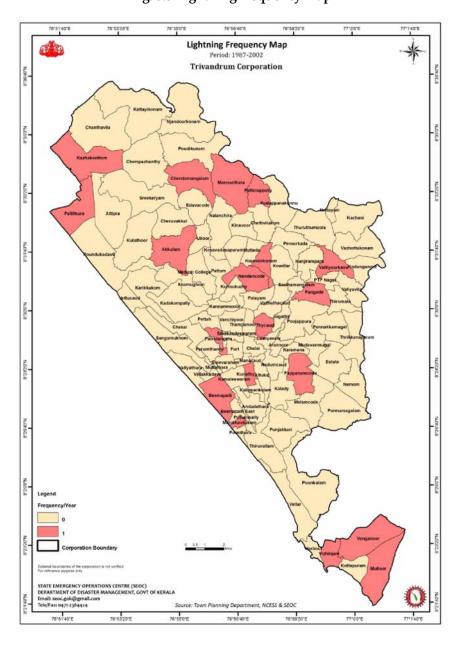


Fig: 3.5 Lightning frequency map

# **Anthropogenic Hazards**

### **Industrial hazards**

The Major Hazardous Installations in Trivandrum district are: Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited, LPG Plant, Kazhakuttom Travancore Titanium Products Limited, Veli English India Clay Limited., Veli

All these installations are Petroleum & Chemical Manufacturing & Storage Units. The major products handled by these units are LPG, HSD, MS, other Petroleum products.

### BHARAT PETROLEUM CORPORATION LTD, KAZHAKUTTOM

### **Principal Activity**

The principal activity in the factory of Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited is Receipt, Storage and Filling of Liquefied Petroleum Gas

### Location

 $22\ kms$ , Away from Trivandrum City, towards Kazhakuttam

Adjoining properties within 500m:

North West : KSSC Ltd.

North East : Public Road

South West : Private Land

South East : Residential Area

# **Storage Capacity**

LPG Bulk : 1180 MT

Filled Cylinders : 10700 (14.2 kg)

# TRAVANCORE TITANIUM PRODUCTS LTD

### **Principal Activity**

The principal activity in the factory of Travancore Titanium Products Ltd Is Manufacturing Titanium Dioxide pigment (non-toxic) & Manufacturing and storage of concentrated Sulphuric acid.

### Location

Kochuveli, Trivandrum

Adjoining properties within 500 m:

North : Kochuveli Industrial Development Area

East : Railway Siding
South : Residential Area
West : Coastal Area

Sl. No	Name of Chemical	Maximum Inventory
1	Sulphuric Acid	12455 MT
6	Sulphur	7000 MT
7	Superior Kerosene Oil	783 KL
9	Furnace Oil	424 KL

# **ENGLISH INDIA CLAY LTD**

# **Principal Activity**

Processed china clay Manufacturing

# Location

# Kochuveli, Trivandrum

Adjoining properties within 500 m:

North : Akkulam Lake

East : Parvathi Puthanar

South : Kochuveli railwaystation

West : Residential Area

# **Storage Capacity**

Sl. No	Name of Chemical	Maximum Inventory
1	Furnace Oil	89 KL
2	HSD	82 KL
3	Sodium Hydrosulphite	18 MT
4	Sulphuric Acid	18 KL

### **OTHER INSTALLATIONS**

In addition to the above three major hazardous installations, six installations as listed below are also considered hazardous, even though the threshold quantity of storage is less than the limit stipulated in respective statute, considering the hazardous nature of chemicals used:

Table: 3.3 – List of Industrial Installations in Trivandrum City

Sl. No	Name of Company	Name of Chemical	Storage Capacity
1	HLL Life care Ltd. Peroorkada	Ammonia Furnace Oil HSD LNG Sulphur	12500 KG 124 KL 15 KL 17224 KG 7500 KG
2	HLL Life care Ltd. Akkulam	Furnace Oil HSD	25 KL 25 KL
3	Indian Oil corporation, Air Port	ATF	1450 KL
4	Bharat Petroleum Corporation limited Airport	ATF	850 KL
5	Hindustan Petroleum Corporation limited Airport	ATF	140 KL

- ♣ Contact persons/number of all these facilities are attached in the annexure
- ♣ The chemical data sheets of these products are shown in **Annexure**

# **Transportation of Hazardous Goods**

There has been a steady increase in the transport of hazardous substances throughout the country and this has brought in its wake a great potential for accidents involving these substances. Hazardous chemical carriers involved in accident can cause disastrous consequences like fire, explosion and spillage resulting in loss of life and property besides environmental pollution. Such accidents demand immediate availability of essential information to take appropriate counter measures. Transportation accidents always involve the public and therefore an off-site emergency requiring co-ordination and gearing up of a number of public authorities.

Emergency arising out of transportation of hazardous substances is therefore a part of the disaster management Plan of the City. The hazardous chemicals from manufacturing installations at Kochi, Malappuram and Kozhikode are transported either on road or rail through Trivandrum. Thus the roads are more prone to accident on State Highways in Trivandrum area.

Due to the lack of adequate data regarding the chemicals transported through the City, any analysis on offsite emergency cannot be initiated.

### Fire Hazard

Fires are perhaps the most frequent disaster in urban areas. Urban issues like high population, overcrowding, unregulated commercial activities are frequently responsible for urban fires. Fire has emerged as critical issue in Urban Planning due to rising frequency of Fire accidents, leading to huge losses of life & property. Fires can occur with the same ferocity in residential buildings, slums and squatter settlements, public places like auditoria, cinema halls, shopping malls, LPG godowns/petrol pumps, industries, chemical handling units, etc.

Trivandrum, the administrative capital of Kerala State has been substantially affected by globalization and rapid urbanization over the last decade. It is one of the fastest growing cities in Asia.

Thiruvananthapuram City is greatly diversified and practically has every type of fire risk. In Trivandrum the fire risk can arise from the following sources:

- Large number of closely built old timber framed buildings
- High-rise buildings with inadequate fire-fighting facilities
- Commercial activities in Chala, Palayam, Eastfort, MG road areas
- Small, medium and hazardous industries in suburban areas
- Large slum settlements.

Following is the Fire prone area map of Trivandrum City Corporation. List of Fire & rescue Services in the Trivandrum City Corporation and other major critical infrastructures are attached in the annexure.

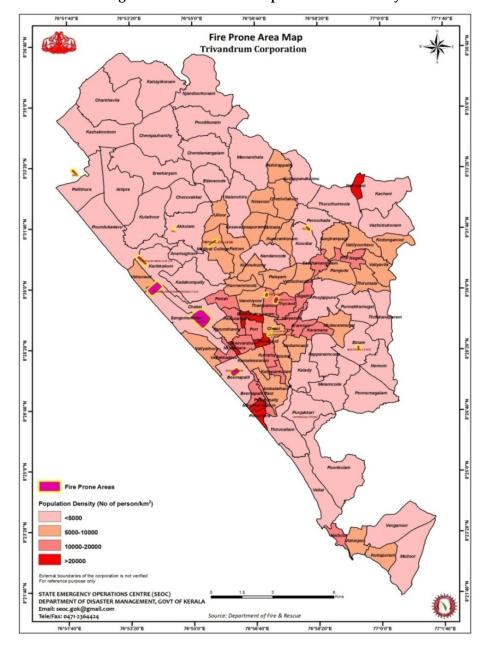


Fig.3.6: Fire Prone Area Map of Trivandrum City

# Mass gathering events

Thiruvananthapuram City experiences the following major mass gatherings, they being a) Attukal Pongala, b) Beemapally Urus, c) Madre De Deus Church, Vettucaud Pilgrimage and d) Onam Celebrations organized by the State Government.

Amongst these, Attukal Pongala which registers about 37 lakh women pilgrims congregating throughout the city is the most important. Devotees cook a mixture of rice, jaggery and coconut in earthen pots in the street that is offered to the goddess seeking divine blessings. The Chief Priest of the temple lights the main hearth from the fire inside the sanctum sanctorum of Attukal Temple. This fire is exchanged from one oven to another.

Being a traditional festival the devotees are self-disciplined and accidents involving fire have been minimal. However, the potential of stampede and fire outbreak cannot be ruled out. In order to assess the area occupied by the devotees and to evaluate the availability of resources, a team mapped the maximum areal extent of Attukal Pongala on 2014. Figure 3.7 shows the map of areal extent of Pongala in 2014.

Beemapally Uroos festival is celebrated during April of every year at Beemapally Mosque, one of the famous Muslim pilgrimage centre in Kerala. The 11 day long festival attract large crowd from various parts of the state. Even though there is no history of any untoward incidents during the celebrations, there exists element of risk.

Vettukadu Church annual festival at Vettucaud church or Madre De Deus Church is yet another major festival in the City. Vettucaud church or Madre De Deus Church situated at the coastal areas of Trivandrum (N- 08° 27.402′; E- 076° 56.078′) is an ancient church in south India bearing a tradition of 500 years. Every year the church celebrates a holy festival during mid November that last for 10 days.

The State Government organizes Onam celebrations every year at Trivandrum City with grand processions, folk art presentations, music and dancing make. It's a large event organized in association with all government departments and City Corporation. Each year huge mass arrives in the City Centre for seeing this event.

76"53"20"E Aerial Extent of Attukal Pongala (2014) & Neighbouring Critical Facilities **Trivandrum Corporation** Kazhakoottom Mass Gathering Worship Location Aerial Extent of Attukal pongala (2014) STATE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTRE (SEOC)
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Fig 3.7: Aerial extent of Attukal Pongala, population density & critical facilities

### **Radiological Instruments**

Radiological exposure incidents have not been reported from Thiruvananthapuram City in the last 50 years. However, the March 2010 accident at Mayapuri Scrap Market, New Delhi was an eye opener to agencies involved in radioactive safety regulations in the country. An AECL Gamma cell 220 research irradiator owned by Delhi University since 1968, but unused since 1985, was sold at auction to a scrap metal dealer in Mayapuri on February 26, 2010. The orphan source arrived at a scrap yard in Mayapuri during March, where it was dismantled by workers unaware of the hazardous nature of the device. The Cobalt-60 source was cut into eleven pieces. The smallest of the fragments was taken by the scrap metal dealer who kept it in his wallet and two fragments were moved to a nearby shop, while the remaining eight remained in the scrap yard. Eight people were hospitalized as a result of radiation exposure, where one later died.

This incident points to the hazard potential of otherwise non-hazardous radiation sources such as X ray units, CT scanners, PET scanner, Gamma Chambers, Auto Radiography, Gas Chromatograph Units, Atomic Absorption Spectrophotometer, Microwave digestion system, CHNS Analyzer and Cyclotrones in the City.

Trivandrum City is having the state of the art medical facilities and research centers with numerous radiological instruments

In Trivandrum, Regional Cancer Centre, Medical College, Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences & Technology are some of the hospitals using these radiological applications. Apart from this some research institutions like Central Tuber Crops Research Institute, Agriculture University are using instruments like Gamma Chamber, Auto radiography, Gas Chromatograph unit, Atomic Absorption Spectrophotometer, Microwave digestion System, CHNS Analyzer, Cyclotrone for research purposes which can also pose threat if it's not following the mandatory instructions and safety precautions

A map of institutions utilizing such radiological equipment is given as Fig 3.8

List attached in the annexure

76°53'20"E **Institutions Possessing Radiation Generating Equipments & Radioactive Sources Trivandrum Corporation** on Density (Population/km²) <5000 STATE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTRE (SEOC)
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Fig 3.8: Institutions possessing radiation generating equipment & radioactive sources

### **Epidemics**

Thiruvanathapuram City due to its spatial attribute is one of the vulnerable locations in regards to epidemic outbreak. Every year thousands of people are affected with various kinds of epidemics with virulence of the disease increasing in each year. The City has become the focal point for a mosquito-borne plague that is sweeping the whole state. Out of the six diseases included under NVBDCP viz, Malaria, Dengue fever, Filariasis, Chikungunya, Kala azar and Japanese encephalitis, the first 5 are being reported in the City. A few cases of cutaneous leishmaniasis were also reported in the city in 2009 and in 2015.

Since 1994, indigenous Malaria was a problem at Valiyathura and neighboring areas in the coastal Thiruvananthapuram. During 2011, 13 indigenous cases were reported from Mukkola and in 2014 this was increased to 360 cases, in 2015 it became a serious threat to the coastal areas and numbers of cases are further increasing.

Dengue fever was first reported in the district in the year 2001. Maximum number of cases were reported in year 2013. Dengue fever still continues as one of the most threatening outbreak prone communicable diseases in the city.

Very recently another vector-borne disease seems to have surfaced, with the reporting of an indigenous case of Kala Azar or visceral Leishmaniasis at the Medical College Hospital. An infectious disease usually seen only in Bihar, West Bengal and Uttar Pradesh, this is a rare instance of Kala Azar being reported here. The disease, which had been eradicated in India in the late 1950s, resurfaced after 20 years and by the late 80s manifested again as a major public health problem.

### **Locally important Vector Borne Diseases**

# Dengue fever

The disease is prevalent in almost all parts of the district with more number of cases reported from Corporation areas, peri-urban areas, coastal areas and plantation areas. Outbreak can occur anywhere in the district. More number of cases is reported in the pre and post monsoon season.

# Malaria

Not endemic. Randomly distributed imported cases with cases of seasonal focal outbreaks in some coastal pockets viz, Valiyathura, Pulluvila, Poovar, Pozhiyoor, Vizhinjam etc.

### **Filariasis**

Filariasis cases have drastically decreased during the last decade. But still new cases are detected. Mettukada, Rajajinagar, Nedumcadu, Sreevaraham, Chalai, Manacadu, Chenthitta, Karimadomcolony, Palkulangara, Fort, Karamana etc are hot spot areas.

In Thiruvananthapuram city, last year, there were outbreaks of Dengue fever, Hepatitis A & Scrub typhus. In addition there were cases and deaths due to Leptospirosis from different parts of the district. There were occasional / seasonal Cholera. There was fourfold increase in the number of dengue suspected cases in the last two years with proportionate increase in the number of dengue related deaths.

**Seasonality Diagram of Communicable Diseases (2014)** 70 60 50 40 30 20 10 0 December 424 ■ Scrub typhus ■ Leptospirosis ■ Dengue fever ■ Malaria ■ Chikungunea ■ Hepatitis A ■ Typhoid

**Graph 3.1: Seasonality Diagram of Communicable Diseases** 

Source: IDSP Cell Trivandrum

Table 3.4: Communicable Diseases scenario during the last 4 years

	2011		2012		2013		2014	
	Case	Death	Case	Death	Case	Death	Case	Death
Cholera	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
ADD	18940	0	20606	0	26661	0	25323	0
Leptospirosis	169	1	192	1	317	0	390	1
Typhoid	356	0	398	0	932	0	170	0
Hepatitis - A	21	0	33	0	37	0	90	0
Hepatitis - B	278	0	296	0	172	0	172	0
Hepatitis - C	46	0	11	0	17	0	18	0
Dengue Fever	865	1	2447	4	4192	5	1280	3
Chicken Pox	898	0	1191	0	1168	0	1276	0
Malaria	95	0	70	0	133	0	80	0
Chikungunya	35	0	43	0	219	0	225	0
Indigenous Malaria	7	0	0	0	0	0	360	3

# The Common causes of epidemics are given below

# Presence of mosquito breeding sites

Mosquitoes spread Dengue, Chikungunya, Malaria, Japanese Encephalitis and Filariasis

- a. Water stored in vessels, pots, tanks etc (due to lack of regular water supply and concomitant water storage practice)
- b. Construction sites ground excavations, cement/synthetic tanks, curing surfaces, spaces for lift/ latrine, roof tops etc
- c. Plantations and estates Presence of natural / artificial containers like latex collecting cups, pineapple leaf axils, damaged cocoa fruits, areca nut leaves
- d. Buildings and premises artificial containers in and around houses, offices, hospitals, shops etc
- e. Public places streets, markets and blocked drains
- f. Open shallow wells and uncovered ground level and over head water tanks

# Unsafe drinking water

Unsafe water causes Water borne diseases like Diarrhoea, Cholera, Typhoid, Hepatitis A

- a. Scarcity and inadequacy in supply
- b. Improper treatment and Chlorination
- c. Poor maintenance and leakages in supply lines
- d. Low quality of water supplied through tankers
- e. Contamination of drinking water sources by night soil, waste dumping etc

# Inadequate Solid and Liquid Waste management system

- a. Accumulation of waste in urban and rural areas and lack of adequate waste management system to deal with bio degradable and other wastes.
- b. Common use of non degradable materials like plastic
- c. Insanitary fish /vegetable markets and slaughter houses generating large quantity of organic waste which favour breeding / multiplication of flies, rats and dogs etc
- d. Deficiency of sanitary toilets in coastal, hilly, tribal areas and urban slums
- e. Lack of appropriate technology for toilet construction in water logged areas like Kuttanad

### Unhygienic eateries and unhealthy food handlers

- f. Unhygienic and low quality food supplied through fast food shops and road side eateries
- g. Handling of food by disease carriers

- h. Use of unsafe water and ice (commercial ice) for preparation of juices, colas, ice creams, sip ups, etc eg: welcome drink in marriage parties, mixing pipe water with boiled water in hotels
- i. Salads prepared using unwashed vegetables and fruits

# Inadequate infection control measures

- j. Improper sterilization of syringes, needles and instruments in private clinics, dental clinics, labs, clinics of traditional practitioners engaged in piles treatment and circumcision etc.
- k. Inadequate bio hazard waste disposal in health care facilities
- 1. Use of same instruments, blades, stones etc in barber shops, beauty parlours and tattooing centers
- m. Intravenous drug users

# Influx of migrant labourers

- n. Large influx of labourers from high endemic states causing emergence of communicable diseases viz malaria, filariasis, kala azar etc
- o. Unhygienic living conditions predispose to water borne and vector borne diseases
- p. Language barrier hinders timely health seeking
- q. Comprehensive care of illnesses is often prevented by the pressures of labour contracts

**Spatial Distribution of Reported Cases of Dengue Trivandrum Corporation** Legend No of Reported Cases Population Density (No of person/sqkm) <5000 5000-10000 10000-20000 >20000 STATE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTRE (SEOC)
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Fig.3.9: Spatial Distribution Map of Dengue Fever in Trivandrum City

76°53'20"E Spatial Distribution of Reported Cases of Malaria **Trivandrum Corporation** Legend No of Reported Cases < 10 Population Density (No of person/km²) <5000 5000-10000 10000-20000 >20000 External boundaries of the corporation is not verified For reference purpose only STATE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTRE (SEOC)
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Fig.3.10: Spatial Distribution Map of Malaria in Trivandrum City

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Fig.3.11: Spatial Distribution Map of Chickungunya in Trivandrum City

76°53'20"E 77°0'0"E Spatial Distribution of Reported Cases of Leptospirosis **Trivandrum Corporation** Legend No of Reported Cases < 10 10 - 25 Population Density (No of person/km²) <5000 5000-10000 10000-20000 >20000 STATE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTRE (SEOC)
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Fig.3.12: Spatial Distribution Map of Leptospirosis in Trivandrum City

76°53'20"E Spatial Distribution of Reported Cases of Scrub Typhus **Trivandrum Corporation** Legend No of Reported Cases < 10 10 - 25 >25 Population Density (No of person/km²) <5000 5000-10000 10000-20000 >20000 External boundaries of the corporation is not verified For reference purpose only STATE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTRE (SEOC)
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Fig.3.13: Spatial Distribution Map of Scrub Typhus in Trivandrum City

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Fig.3.14: Spatial Distribution Map of Hepatitis A in Trivandrum City

**Spatial Distribution of Reported Cases of Typhoid Trivandrum Corporation** Legend No of Reported Cases < 10 10 - 25 Population Density (No of person/km²) <5000 5000-10000 10000-20000 >20000 External boundaries of the corporation is not verified For reference purpose only STATE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTRE (SEOC)
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Fig.3.15: Spatial Distribution Map of Typhoid in Trivandrum City

76°56'40"E 76°55'0"E Spatial Distribution of Reported Cases of Hepatitis B **Trivandrum Corporation** Legend No of Reported Cases < 10 Population Density (No of person/km²) 5000-10000 10000-20000 >20000 STATE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTRE (SEOC)
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Fig.3.16: Spatial Distribution Map of Hepatitis B in Trivandrum City

# Multi-hazard susceptibility ward map

Based on the maps mentioned above a multi-hazard ward map of Thiruvananthapuram City was

prepared using heuristic weighting. The heuristic criteria used for preparing the multi-hazard susceptibility ward map are as follows:

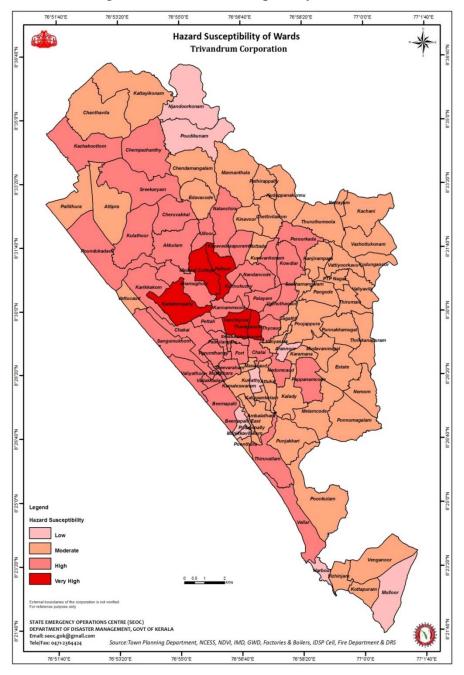
Table 3.5: Heuristic criteria used for preparing the multi-hazard susceptibility ward map

Hazard type	Ward category	Ward weighting
Flood	>50% of ward area	12
12004	25 to 50% of ward area	8
	5 to 10% of ward area	4
	>0 to 5% of ward area	1
	0	0
Drought (Moderate)	>50% of ward area	6
	25 to 50% of ward area	4
	5 to 10% of ward area	2
	>0 to 5% of ward area	1
	0	0
Coastal hazards	>50% of ward area	8
	25 to 50% of ward area	4
	5 to 10% of ward area	1
	>0 to 5% of ward area	0
	0	0
Lighting	>1 event	3
	No event	1
Epidemics	>10 events	10
	5 to 10 events	5
	>0 to 5 events	2
	0	0
Industrial hazards	>50% of ward area	8
	25 to 50% of ward area	4
	5 to 10% of ward area	2
	>0 to 5% of ward area	1
	0	0
Mass gathering	>50% of ward area	6
	25 to 50% of ward area	4
	5 to 10% of ward area	2
	>0 to 5% of ward area	1
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Landslide	>50% of ward area	4
	25 to 50% of ward area	3
	5 to 10% of ward area	2
	>0 to 5% of ward area	1
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Radiological entities	>3 entities	4
	1 to 3 entities	2
	0 entities	0

# Relative rating of hazard susceptibility of wards based on the heuristic criteria

Multi-hazard rate	Hazard susceptibility
0	No hazard
1 to 15	Low
15 to 30	Moderate
30 to 45	High
>45	Very High

Fig 3.17: Multi-hazard susceptibility of wards



#### **Environmental Issues**

The Kerala State Disaster Management Policy asserts disaster as a serious disruption of the functioning of the society caused by a hazard or otherwise, having wide spread human, material, or **environmental and other losses**, which exceed the ability of the affected society to cope using its own resources. As per the Kerala State DM Policy 2010, the term disaster encompasses the environmental issues too. Under the section Kerala State Disaster Management Policy approach and Strategy, category 5 – Manmade disaster includes all kind of pollution (water, air & soil)

Any discussion on environment in Thiruvananthapuram highlights the issue of raw sewage being let off into the 'Parvathy Puthenar' which is on the coastal zone. In addition to this the second issue that is highlighted is on storm water stagnation in certain low lying areas of the city. Besides these air and water pollution, solid waste disposal are the other threats pertained to this city.

### **Water Pollution**

The major possible sources of river pollution in Trivandrum city are due to the settlements along the river, non-functioning of sewage farm, solid waste disposal etc. The city drains meet the river at different locations of the river stretch. These drains carry waste water from the individual household outlet, overflow of septic tanks/existing choked sewerage or non-functioning of sewage pumping stations, leakage of water supply lines, orchards area etc. There is a sewage farm on the side of Parvathi Puthnar, which is almost abandoned and sewage is getting discharged into the river Karamana through Parvathi Puthanar.

# Lack of Sewerage System

At present, only 30% of the city area has covered under the sewerage system .Most of the intercepting and main sewers are serving more than the designed population. It is observed that in some area manholes are punctured and waste water is flowing into the nearby drain which is ultimately disposed off into the river. The present sewerage system is not properly functioning at the desired level. In some areas due to head build up in the sewerage system people cannot connect their latrines/toilets to sewerage system. Hence the entire sewerage system is practically defunct with raw sewage finding its way through punctured manholes and leaky sewer lines, ultimately dumping in open yard or surface water bodies.

# **Disposal of Untreated Sewerage**

At present there is no sewage treatment plant in operation. The sewage collected through sewerage network is carried to sewage farm at Muttathara. The sewage farm is very old and due to increase in the sewage load its absorption capacity is decreased. As per the study conducted by RITES, It is observed that sewage is discharged at 10 pm daily from the sewage farm into the Parvathy Puthnar which is major threat to the pollution of Karamana river. The people are facing problem of nuisance due to pungent smell and odour of partially treated sewage coming out of sewage farm. The organic load of sewage uses substantial oxygen depleting the oxygen level of river thereby upsetting the ecological balance of river. Sewage also carries microbial pathogens that are the cause for the spread of diseases.

#### **Dumping of Dead animals**

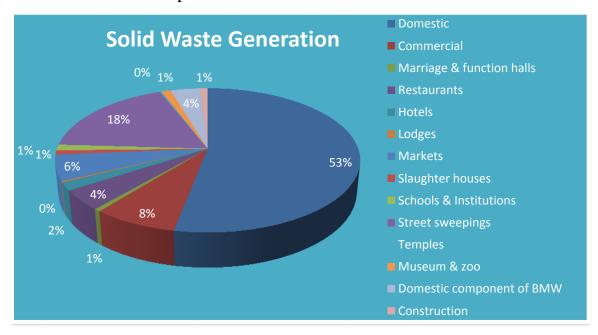
There is no proper collection and disposal system for the dead animals in the city. Therefore, people throw dead animals into the river which create odor, nuisance and pollution to the river water. The resident of the nearby is affected due to bad odor and areas become prone to spread of diseases due degradation of dead body of the animals.

#### Discharge from Residential and Commercial Buildings

The Killi river is passing through densely populated areas of the city. The residential units near the river discharge their waste directly into the river. Also, the commercial buildings like hospitals, restaurants, marriage halls, cinema halls, banquet hall, automobile service centre and residential buildings etc are discharging their waste directly in to the river. This is mainly occurs in areas which are not connected with sewerage system

#### **Solid Waste Dumping**

Solid Waste Management of the city is in miserable condition due to which littering of solid waste are seen almost everywhere. The open dumping has become the normal practice for the disposal of solid waste. People are using rivers, open drains, railway track sides and vacant lands etc for the disposal of solid waste. The major impact of dumping of solid waste into the river is choking or obstructing the river flow. Also, it is responsible for increased BOD in river water. Earlier there was a solid waste treatment facility at Villappisala, which is abandoned since December2011 due to agitation of local people against the environmental issues such as leachate generation, odour nuisance etc from the plant. At present there is no centralized treatment plant exists in the City.



Graph 3.2: Sources of Solid Waste Generation

Source: Master Plan, Thiruvananthapuram Corporation

#### Discharge of Biomedical Waste

There are 300 hospitals in the city. There is only one common bio-medical waste facility existing in the state. BMW generated in the hospitals are presently disposing through 'IMAGE' (Indian Medical Association Goes Eco Friendly) a Bio Medical Waste Management agency under Indian Medical Association (IMA. Disposal of biomedical waste into the river creates pollution. As per the field study conducted by RITES, they have observed that some hospitals like S. K Hospital at Pangod, Eye Hospital near Karimodam colony etc are disposing untreated bio-medical waste into the Killi river. In the city, Government medical college, general hospital etc do not have bio-medical waste treatment facilities. It is also observed that the syringes, vaccine vials and drip sets were dumped in the drain behind the hospitals. The impacts due to improper disposal of medical waste are causing health hazard through pathogenic bacteria, mosquitoes and other water borne diseases. It is also dangerous for the aquatic life.

#### **Slaughter House**

There is only one slaughter house in the city under Municipal Corporation. During the field study it is observed that this slaughter house is not in operation. One unmaintained open slaughter house is located at Nedumangad panchayat. The waste water of this slaughter house goes into the Killi river. Total coliform and fecal coliform are especially high in this place.

#### **Dhobi Ghats & Bathing Ghats**

Major dhobi ghats in Killi river are at Parachira bridge and at Kavadivella, Kannadumukku and bathing ghat at Moolayalkadavu. Detergent content in river water increases due to activities at dhobi ghat, which ultimately results in rapid growth of algae. This process reduces oxygen content in water after algae dies and decay. Littering of sack and use of open ground for urinal etc causes unaesthetic view. Water quality analysis results reveal that due to activities at dhobi ghat and bathing ghat there is increase in BOD, COD, TC and FC values. According to a study conducted by RITES, it is observed that BOD increases from 4mg/l to 7mg/l due to activities at bathing ghat. It is also noticed that TC (56%) and FC (86%) increase took place with respect to its upstream location. Hence, river water is harmful to aquatic life and not fit for drinking or bathing purpose.

#### **Health Issues**

Most intestinal (enteric) diseases are infectious and are transmitted through faecal waste. Pathogens which include virus, bacteria, protozoa, and parasitic worms are disease producing agents found in the faeces of infected persons. These diseases are more prevalent in areas with poor sanitary conditions. These pathogens travel through water sources and interfuses directly through persons handling food and water. Hepatitis, cholera, dysentery, and typhoid are the more common water-borne diseases. People generally take bath in Karamana river. It is also observed that some students of swimming club got infected with the bacterial pollution while taking bath near Thiruvallam in Karamana river (April 2013). The infection was rat fever (Leptospirosis) and jaundice. Therefore primary health centre (PHC) of Thiruvallam has warned the people not to use Karamana river for swimming or taking bath.

#### **Aquatic Life**

River water samples were collected along the Killi and Karamana river stretches to know pollution status of river flowing through the city. In the water analysis it is found that the DO level is greater than 4 mg/l (required for survivalof aquatic life) in upstream portion of Karamana river. But DO level have dropped to 3.4 mg/l at Thiruvallam where, there would be significant impact on aquatic life.

## Air pollution

The Kerala State Pollution Control Board is continuously monitoring the ambient air quality at 13 stations throughout the State. Of these, 4 monitoring stations are located in Thiruvananthapuram city area. The 4 ambient air quality monitoring stations in Thiruvananthapuram are situated at the premises of the Hightech, Chacka (Industrial area); SMV School Premises (Residential, rural and other area); Residential Premises at Sasthamangalam (Residential area); and in the premises of PRS Hospital (Sensitive area).

The monitoring results, obtained from the air quality monitoring stations in Thiruvananthapuram show that the quality of air is satisfactory. In the case of Thiruvananthapuram city the respirable Particulate Matter & Particulate Matter are occasionally exceeding the quality limits. However the trend shows that the concentration of the pollution parameters are steadily increasing mainly due to various developmental activities in the city area in general and the increase in the density of automobile population and the road conditions in particular.

#### **Noise Pollution**

As high noise levels are causing lot of health problems at present there is regulation to prevent unnecessary sound generation and control the noise levels. Certain studies conducted in Thiruvananthapuram city area show the noise levels are very high in certain areas. While laying noise level standards, the areas are classified into four namely industrial area, commercial area, residential area and sensitive area.

The studies reveal that the high levels of noise in major streets and commercial areas due to crowding of automobiles resulting in blowing horns. This is due to paucity of designated exclusive vehicle parking areas, narrow roads, road conditions, etc.

#### **Industrial Pollution**

Thiruvananthapuram city is not having many industries. Most of the industries are located at Veli industrial area and its vicinity. The industries, which are making discharge of wastewater, are brought under the consent administration of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974. There is full proof mechanism to deal with any violation from the part of industries. In the case of emission from industries also all the industrial units making emissions are brought under the purview of the Water Act 1981.

#### **Transportation Hazard**

In 2003, Thiruvananthapuram District had 350,455 registered motor vehicles, of which majority of them were in the city region. This suggests that on average, there are 106 motor vehicles for every 1,000 persons and 160 vehicles per sq. km of area. This is significantly higher than the State average (78 motor vehicles per 1,000 persons and 65 vehicles per sq. km area). During the period 1991-2003, the average annual growth of vehicle population was 11%. From 2001 to 2003 a declining trend is seen (9.30%).

Growth of motor vehicles and its pressure on the road network is significant, resulting in over utilization of road network in the region with frequent traffic problems like congestion and accidents. Available statistics indicate that road accidents are a major concern in Thiruvananthapuram District with 7% average annual growth rate during 2001-03.

#### **Infrastructure Utility Failures**

Urban societies depend heavily on the proper functioning of infrastructure systems such as electric power, potable water, and transportation networks. Normally invisible, this reliance becomes painfully evident when infrastructure systems fail during disasters. Moreover, because of the network properties of infrastructure, damage in one location can disrupt service in an extensive geographic area. The societal disruption caused by infrastructure failures is therefore disproportionately high in relation to actual physical damage.

Engineers have long tried to design infrastructure to withstand extreme forces, but recently they have begun to address the need for urban infrastructure systems that are *resilient* to disasters. Conceptually, resilience entails three interrelated dimensions: lower probabilities of failure; less-severe negative consequences when failures do occur; and faster recovery from failures (Bruneau et al., 2003). The emphasis on consequences and recovery suggests that improving the resilience of infrastructure systems is not only a technical problem, but it also has societal dimensions.

The consequences of recent flooding /windfall/storm surge have demonstrated that urban infrastructure systems in the Thiruvananthapuram Corporation remain highly vulnerable. Moreover, infrastructure failure is often a primary cause of economic and human losses. Inadequacy of infrastructure coverage, poor level of service, non-availability in certain areas of the city, lack of access to city level infrastructure for the urban poor further add its vulnerability.

Transport, water supply, sewerage and sanitation, storm water drainage, communication facilities are the essential utility services in the city that need special attention before and after a disaster. Unfortunately most of the infrastructure utilities are commissioned in the pre independence era that still lack any maintenance or up-gradation causing heavy damage during disaster.



Fig.3.18: Utility Infrastructure in Flood prone Area of Trivandrum City

## **Climate Change**

Due to the proximity to the ocean and the Socio economic condition, Trivandrum is largely dependent on climate. Fishery and Tourism are the two major sources of income in coastal areas of Trivandrum which comes under the purview of City Corporation. While climate is the asset of tourism, climate change can pose a serious threat to it, affecting the industry here. Impact of climate change is manifested in sea level rise and rise in sea surface temperature which in turn will lead to depletion of marine resources. A rise in sea level will also cause soil erosion, thereby weakening solid structures of hotels in the coastal areas. It can induce intrusion of salty water into agricultural land, affecting crop production and protection

An increase in sea surface temperature can also lead to increased level of moisture into the atmosphere, thereby increasing humidity, increased rainfall, change in rainfall pattern and increase in frequency and intensity of cyclones. Vulnerabilities owing to climate change have huge dimension in the city. City has already been faced various types of developmental and environmental issues. Mean while climate change accelerates these issues into more complicated one. Water scarcity become more, spread of vector and water borne diseases, biodiversity degradation become severe are some of the common issues which may become severe and relevant in the recent years.

The physical and mental health of the people too is beginning to be affected by the changing weather conditions. Post 2000, the City has seen the emergence of a variety of diseases including dengue, chickungunya and even the return of malaria. More and more people are being hospitalized with sunstroke each year, something which used to be unheard here. The deviation of the population away from the traditional virtues to acquiring materialistic assets in an uncanny competitive society set under capitalistic rules has already started taking its toll on the mental health of the population.

#### Sea Level Rise and Projections

It's now established that the sea level is on the rise due to global warming and the projected sea level rise (SLR) along the coast of Kerala on a conservative estimation is about 100 to 200 mm over the next 100 years. Vulnerability to sea level rise would be of alarming to the majority coastal communities that live on sandy coasts, most of which are barrier beaches or spits. Back water banks, islands and filtration ponds / paddy fields are other sections of the coastal zone which are highly susceptible to Sea Level rise.

# CHAPTER - 4

# **Vulnerability Analysis**

#### Vulnerability

Vulnerability is the degree of loss to a given element or set of elements-at-risk resulting from the occurrence of a natural phenomenon of a given magnitude. Usually expressed on a scale from 0 (no damage) to 1 (total damage). Vulnerability has a wide range of interpretations and multiple definitions. Vulnerability refers to the conditions determined by physical, social, economic and environmental factors or processes that increase the susceptibility of a community to the impact of hazards. It is the susceptibility to damage and/or the intrinsic fragility of exposed elements, systems or communities that facilitate loss when affected by hazard events. It also covers the lack of resilience that influences the capacity to anticipate, cope with, resist, respond to, and recover from the impact of a hazardous event (www.move-fp7.eu/).

The vulnerability of communities and households can be analyzed in a holistic qualitative manner using a large number of criteria that characterize physical, social, economic and environmental vulnerability. The importance of each of these indicators is evaluated by assigning individual weights to them and combining them using spatial multi-criteria evaluation. Physical vulnerability is evaluated as the interaction between the intensity of the hazard and the type of element-at-risk, making use of heuristic or quantitative criteria. Vulnerability is, therefore, multi-dimensional (physical, social, economic, environmental, institutional, and human factors define vulnerability), dynamic (it changes over time), scale-dependent (it can be expressed on different scales from individuals to countries), and site-specific (each location might need its own approach) (http://drm.cenn.org).mIn this project, semi-quantitative heuristic solutions are used for the analysis of vulnerability.

#### Population vulnerability to hazards

Based on population density and worst case scenario hazard prone area, population exposed per ward to different hazards were calculated.

Hazard type	Hazard prone area	Population	Ward wise
	(km²)	exposed	details
Floods	39.9	1,58,477	Annexure 1
Drought	Entire City is D	Prought Prone	
Coastal	2.1	8,209	Annexure 2
Hazards			
Lightning*	44.2	1,81,640	Annexure 3
Landslide	0.05	393	Annexure 4
Industrial	90	3,53,191	Annexure 5
hazards			
Mass	15.93	1,36,568	Annexure 6
gathering**			

Table 4.1: Population exposure to hazards

## Physical vulnerability of public buildings

Physical vulnerability is essentially the potential for physical impact of hazards on the built environment and population. It is defined as the degree of potential loss, to a given element-at-risk or set of elements-at-risk, resulting from the occurrence of a natural phenomenon of a given magnitude; it is expressed on a scale from 0 (no damage) to 1 (total damage). Physical vulnerability is related to the characteristics of the elements-at-risk and the hazard intensity. Physical vulnerability, as such, is not a spatial component, but is determined by the spatial overlay of exposed elements-at-risk and hazard footprints (http://drm.cenn.org).

Thiruvananthapuram City has an assemblage of public buildings ranging from schools, hospitals, public offices and museums. In the event of calamities, functioning of local relief and rescue management will be significantly affected if these buildings are affected. Specific structural assessment of all these buildings are not feasible and is not required from a disaster risk reduction perspective. However, through a rapid visual screening, the general vulnerability of these buildings to accidents and hazards may be assessed. Hence a rapid visual screening (RVS) of 378 public buildings was conducted. These public buildings were chosen based on the inputs provided by local people's representatives. Table 6 shows the categories of public buildings that were subjected to RVS.

<sup>\*</sup>Entire ward was classified as lightning prone, if at least one event has been reported from the ward
\*\*Areal extent of Attukal Pongala alone was mapped as other events were limited to not more than 1.5
km from the respective religious centre

Table 4.2: Category of buildings subjected to Rapid Visual Screening

Sl. No	Category	No. of buildings
1	Higher Educational Institutions	45
2	Government Institutions	130
3	Hospitals	42
4	Public Buildings	44
5	Schools	117
	Total	378

Traditionally, RVS is conducted with several technical parameters which can only be handled by technically qualified personnel. This impedes the replicability of such techniques as a routine time bound procedure, particularly in situations of financial constrain. Hence, as part of this project, a simple, pragmatic and replicable RVS method has been adopted which contains ten parameters only. The parameters were chosen so as to represent the lumped vulnerability of individual buildings to hazard events after consultation with civil and electrical engineers, fire & rescue officers and town and country planning officials. Table 7 shows the criteria used.

Table 4.3: Criteria used for vulnerability assessment of selected public buildings

Sl. No	Criteria	Highly vulnerable	Moderately vulnerable	Least vulnerable
1	Safety equipment	Not equipped	Equipped but not well	Highly equipped &
			maintained	well maintained
2	Accessibility for	No space for	<9 m space around the	9 m or more space
	water	movement of water	building & restricted	all around the
	tendersaround the	tenders around the	movement of water	building for
	building	building	tenders possible	movement of water
				tenders
3	Evacuation routes	No evacuation	Evacuation routes are	Well marked
		routes marked	present, but not clearly	evacuation routes
			marked	
4	Early warning	No alarms, smoke	Alarms, smoke detectors	Well maintained
	systems	detectors or fire	or fire detectors are	alarms, smoke
		detectors present	present, but not well	detectors or fire
			maintained	detectors are
				present

	gement Plan		2015	
5	Occupancy	>1000 persons	500 to 100 occupants	<100 occupants
6	Accessibility of emergency services to the building	>1 km from main PWD roads	Within 1 km from main PWD roads	Within 200 m of PWD roads
7	Damageability of buildings	Very old, damaged and not properly maintained	Old, physical damages visible but maintained	No physical damages visible and well maintained
8	Electrical insulation	Electrical wires visibly hanging	Sealed and insulated, but not affixed properly to walls	Well insulated, sealed and affixed to the walls
9	Storage of fuel	Storage of petroleum products within the building	Storage of petroleum products immediately outside the building	Storage of petroleum products in separate fire resistant rooms; no storage of petroleum products
10	Accessibility to	Distance to medical	Distance to medical	Distance to medical

City could be screened within 20 days with the involvement of 7 graduates in science hired on daily wages. Annexure 7 gives the list of buildings evaluated per ward and the vulnerability category that each building falls in, based on the RVS. Based on the absolute number of public buildings evaluated using RVS per ward, the wards were categorized into high, moderate and low vulnerability. Figure 18 shows the ward wise physical vulnerability map of Thiruvananthapuram City.

facility within 1 km

facility >1 km

facility within 200

m

#### Loss-potential assessment

medical facilities

Based on the vulnerability assessment using the RVS, a loss-potential assessment was also conducted for using in the risk assessment. The criteria used for quantifying the loss were also kept simple and replicable. It may be noted that in Thiruvananthapuram City, building damage data pertaining to coastal erosion and windfall alone are available. Hence the scale has been based on field based expert judgments with data pertaining to coastal erosion. No specific vulnerability curves were utilized for the purpose as such curves are non-existent for the types of buildings in the City. Table 4.4 shows the criteria used for classifying the loss potential of buildings based on expert opinion of engineers.

Table 4.4: Criteria used for vulnerability assessment of selected public buildings

Hazard susceptibility	Building vulnerability class	Loss potential
	Highly vulnerable	0.2
No hazard	Moderately vulnerable	0.1
	Least vulnerable	0.1
	Highly vulnerable	0.6
Low	Moderately vulnerable	0.4
	Least vulnerable	0.2
	Highly vulnerable	0.8
Moderate	Moderately vulnerable 0.5	
	Least vulnerable	0.3
	Highly vulnerable	0.9
High	Moderately vulnerable	0.6
	Least vulnerable	0.4
	Highly vulnerable 1	
Very High	Moderately vulnerable 0.7	
	Least vulnerable	0.5

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Fig: (4.1) Vulnerability of wards based on physical vulnerability of public buildings

#### Socio-economic vulnerability assessment

Socio-economic vulnerability is the potential impact of events on vulnerable groups within a society. It considers public awareness of risk, ability of groups to self-cope with catastrophes, and the status of institutional structures designed to help them cope. In this project, the parameters used were literacy rate, total population, working population, sex ratio and number of households in a given ward. By incorporating working population into the social vulnerability assessment, the attempt was also to capture the economic vulnerability. Common data in terms of authenticated ward boundaries and Census 2011 data were available only for 78 wards. Hence, social vulnerability of only 78 wards could be assessed. Individual parameters were classified and weights were assigned to each class, heuristically. Wards were assigned specific vulnerability scores by aggregating the weights. As and when Census Department releases complete data regarding the 100 wards of the City, further additions will be made to this assessment.

#### Markets, Commercial Clusters and slums

Thiruvananthapuram city has a number of commercial clusters; places that have contiguous development of commercial establishment. There is 1 main market, 4 submarkets, 7 main zonal markets, 46 local markets and 4 road side markets. Only 3 markets (Kazhakuttom, Sreekariyam and Kanjirampara) have waste management facility. Unhygienic conditions prevail in most of the markets, particularly due to the absence of solid waste management facility. Figure 19 shows the commercial clusters and markets in Thiruvananthapuram city. Annexure 9 shows the list of commercial clusters and markets in the Thiruvananthapuram city and Annexure 10 shows the consolidated data of slums in Thiruvananthapuram city.

#### Livelihood

According to Census 2011, 84% of the city population are categorised under main other workers population and 14% are employed as marginal workers. Only 1% of population are involved in agricultural and household industrial activities and less than 1% is involved in cultivation activities. Thus the city's economic resilience in terms of livelihoods is significantly high in general and hence this criteria is not separately added to the socio-economic vulnerability assessment. However, special attention is needed for the marginal worker population who may be economically highly vulnerable to disasters. Annexure 8 shows the ward wise pattern of livelihood pattern of population.

**Existing Commercial Clusters and Markets Trivandrum Corporation** STATE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTRE (SEOC)
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Figure (4.2): Existing commercial clusters and markets of Thiruvananthapuram City

1%
0% 1%

Main Cultivator Population
Person

Main Agricultural Labourers
Population Person

Main Household Industries
Population Person

Main Other Workers
Population Person

Marginal Worker Population
Person

Figure (4.3): Livelihood pattern of Thiruvananthapuram City

# Parameter weights and aggregate scores for socio-economic vulnerability assessment

Table 4.5 shows the parameter weights and Table 4.6 shows the aggregate scores and vulnerability class used for this project.

Table 4.5: Parameters, classes and weights used for social vulnerability assessment

Sl. No	Parameter	Class	Weight
1	Literacy rate: Representation of coping capacity; higher the literacy rate, higher is the coping capacity and hence vulnerability is low	>90%	1
2	Total population: Higher the population, higher is the	< 7000	2
	vulnerability	7000-10000	4
		>10000	6
3	Total working population: Higher the total working	>3000	1
	population, higher is the coping capacity and hence less vulnerability	<3000	3
4	Sex ratio: Higher the sex ratio, higher is the exposure of	<1000	1
	women to hazards and hence higher is the vulnerability	>1000	4

	City Disaster Management Plan		2015
5	0-6 age group population: Higher the number of children,	< 500	2
	higher is the vulnerability to hazards as children below 6 are	500-1000	4
	generally incapable of appropriate response to hazards	>1000	6
6	Households: Higher the number of households, higher is the	<1000	2
	vulnerability as higher will be the number of buildings	1000-3000	4
	affected	>3000	6
7	Households without electricity connection (% of the total	>1%	2
	households in the ward)		
8	Households with no drainage & open drainage (% of the	<25%	1
	total households in the ward)	25-50%	2
		>50%	4
		2=0/	
9	Unhygienic drinking water source - untreated tap	<25%	1
	water/river/pond water (% of the total households in the	25-50%	2
	ward)	>50%	3
10		<b>~100</b> /	1
10	House roof - grass/thatch/bamboo/mud/plastic	<10%	1
	sheet/unburnt wood (% of the total households in the ward)	10-15%	2
		>15%	4
11	House wall - grass/thatch/bamboo/mud/plastic	<10%	1
11	House wall - grass/thatch/bamboo/mud/plastic sheet/unburnt wood (% of the total households in the ward)	10-15%	2
	sice, and after wood (70 of the total flousefloids in the ward)	>15%	4
		>15%	4
12	No. of Slums/ward– Higher the number of slums higher will	<5	1
12	be vulnerability	>5	4

Table 4.6: Aggregate weights and vulnerability class

Sl. No	Aggregate weight	Vulnerability
1	<25	Least
2	25-30	Moderate
3	>30	High

Figure (4.4) shows the social vulnerability of Thiruvananthapuram City based on the criteria above.

Socio-economic Vulnerability of Wards **Trivandrum Corporation** STATE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTRE (SEOC)
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Figure (4.4): Socio-economic vulnerability of wards

#### **Environmental vulnerability**

In assessing the cost of damage to natural resources, economists generally assign value to "services" provided by natural resources. Examples of environmental services include hydrological features, atmospheric gas regulation and habitats. Services provided to humans by natural resources include commercial uses such as waterways, water provision, agriculture irrigation, timber harvest, recreation and health. Such an assessment requires bench marks for quantification of the costs of environmental services which is not available for the country. Hence, instead of attempting to quantify the losses, known issues are flagged herein. Thiruvananthapuram City has few selected environmental expanses. The most important of them are:

- a) The Zoo and Museum Campus
- b) The Kanakakunnu Palace Grounds
- c) The Kawodiar Palace Grounds
- d) The Golf Club Grounds

In addition to these locations, the city also has green expanses in the campus of many of the educational institutions and central agencies. Water front recreation facilities are available at multiple beaches along the city and at Velli and Akkulam lakes. Numerous ponds associated to temples are also present in the city.

These entities increase the relative resilience of the city. Presence of green cover increases resilience to industrial & traffic related pollution and industrial accidents that may release toxic plumes. Back waters offer a buffer to storm surges. Presence of fresh water ponds increase the surface water storage and thereby act as a buffer against severe drought conditions by offering ground water recharging.

However, presence of trees that have exceeded their critical growing age and those that have suffered damages to the roots due to structural developments and road cuts pose significant threat to life and property in the City. In 2013, as many as 300 windfall of trees were reported from the City which caused several fatalities and damage to property. Despite the presence of such green cover, the air quality of the City is assessed to be moderately polluted with the principal component of pollution in the City being suspended particulate matter. The health effects of exposure to PM10 (particulate matter less than 10 micrometer in diameter) using dose-response coefficients show that the effect is severe in terms of mortality and morbidity parameters.

Proximity of various industrial units with chemical storages to water sources poses a minor threat to the water quality and the environmental services offered by such water sources. The threat is categorised as minor given the steep terrain and the presence of several minor streams that drains through the back waters into the sea. Any release of toxic materials into the unconfined water sources such as lakes and back waters will be washed off into the sea, swiftly particularly during the monsoon seasons. Intensity of the event will be higher if it is during the lean, summer season during which water outflow through the streams are minimal. However, as a last resort contingency measure, water stored in Peppara, Neyyar and Aruvikkara dams can be released into streams to wash off any toxic chemicals, although this may reduce the availability of drinking water during the off season. In the event of chemical leakage, ground water contamination is inevitable.

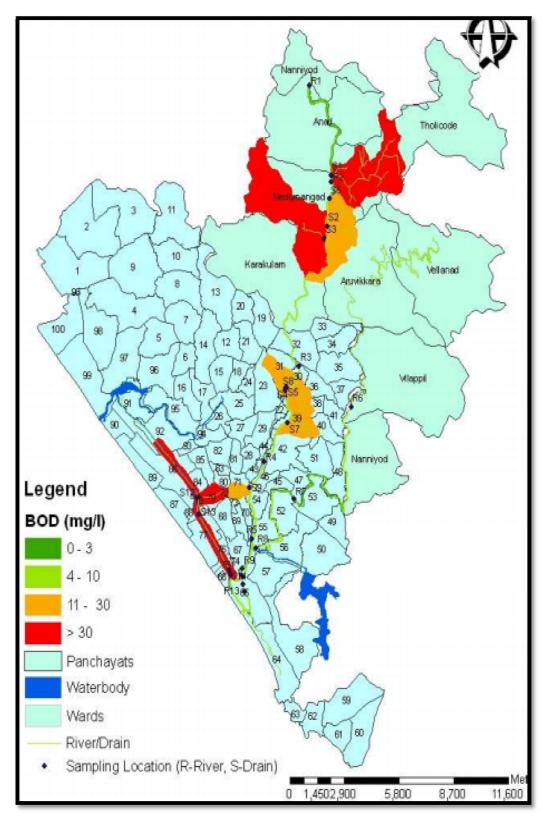
The groundwater quality of Thiruvananthapuram City is poor, particularly around the sewerage farm in Muttathara-Valiyathura area with total coliforms and faecal coliforms present beyond the permissible limits for drinking water quality. In a study report released by Kerala State Council for Science, Technology and Environment in 2010, analysis of water samples collected from 20 locations along the river showed contamination from different sources resulting in poor water quality, especially in the downstream areas of Karamana River, a principal stream that flows through the City. Thrikkannapuram, the Pachalloor estuarine area where tourism projects are centred, and Thiruvallam were found to be the most contaminated reaches. Seventy-five per cent of the river water samples were acidic in nature. Most of the physico-chemical water quality parameters exceeded the desirable limit prescribed by the Bureau of Indian Standards. Ninety percent of the groundwater samples collected from the river basin was acidic and 53 per cent bacteriologically contaminated. Biological analysis of surface water samples indicated heavy organic pollution at Thiruvallam and Pachallur. The report observes that the Parvathy Puthanar canal is a major source of pollution of the river waters. Bacteriological analysis of the river water clearly indicated microbial contamination. Almost all the stations showed higher index for total coliforms and faecal coliform. E.coli was present in the samples collected during different seasons. The garbage treatment plant at Vilappilsala was polluting the Meenampally Thodu, a stream joining the river in the upstream area. Analysis of sediment samples collected from the Pappanamcode industrial area revealed high concentration of heavy metals like iron, manganese, copper, cadmium and nickel.

Another major environmental disaster that the beaches and coastline of the City are prone to is oil spill pollution. The City is close to the international shipping line between Asia and Europe and there by several ships, including large oil tankers transit the area. The along shore currents of the coast may lead to a condition of oil spreading all across the coast and also may enter into the backwaters and estuaries

Pollution zones for Trivandrum Corporation has been prepared by RITES, based on the pollution load (BOD and bacteriological count) contributed by the existing drains while meeting into the river. The zones have been demarcated on the basis of catchment area of each drain. The pollution zones due to BOD and bacteriological counts are presented in the Figure (4.5) and Figure (4.6) respectively. These zones include panchayats like Nedumangad, Tholikkode of block Vellanadu, some part of Aruvikkara in Nedumangad block and some wards of Thiruvanthapuram Municipal Corporation.

The zones are shown with the help of color code. Green colour indicates lesser pollution while red colour indicates the highest pollution. Nedumangad Panchayat and Parvathi Puthnar are in red colour which is the polluting zones or the Killi and Karamana river respectively.

Fig (4.5) Pollution Zoning Map based on BOD



Tholicade Karakulam 9 Vellanad Aruwikkara 13 20 12 Mappil Nanniyod Legend Sampling Location (R-River, S-Drain) Drain River 59 >5000 (Total Coliform, Fecal Coliform) 63 /62 Panchayats Waterbody Meters 11,600 0 1,4502,900 Wards 5,800 8,700

Fig (4.6): Pollution zoning Map based on Bacteriological Count

Fig (4.7) Pollution Zoning Map of Thiruvallam Area

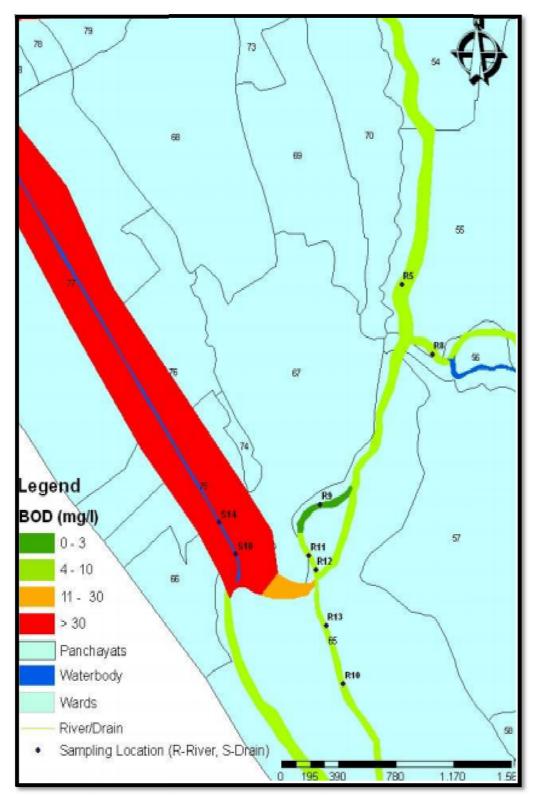
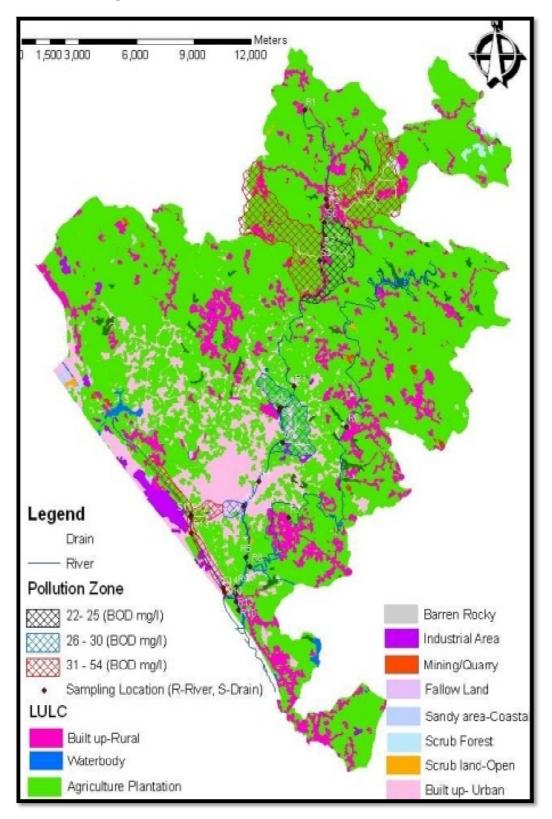


Fig (4.8) Land Use Land Cover with Pollution Zones



#### Climate change vulnerability

Review of peer reviewed research works was conducted and probable effects as pointed out by climate change researchers from a hazard probability are tabulated below in 4.7.

Table 4.7: Anticipated effects of Global Climate Change in Kerala – tabulated review results

Parameter	Effects	References (Annexure - 5)
Temperature	Annual mean surface temperature increase of 0.5 to 4.5°C in 100 years expected	[9], [10], [11], [12], [13]
Precipitation	Observed decreasing trend based on rainfall data for the last 100 years; extreme events expected to increase in frequency	[3], [9]
Wind	No reference to be found	-
Sea Level	Estimate of sea level rise of 1.30 mm/year based on past tide gauge data. Future global projections indicate an average increase of about 4 mm/year. Sea level may rise by 15 to 38 cm by mid-21st century	[5], [13]

Based on this inputs, the anticipated effects have been modified as follows:

- 1. Increase in autumn and winter season's extreme rainfall will increase the probability of urban flooding during the north-east monsoon period.
- 2. Decrease in spring rainfall would imply that the drinking water shortage faced by Thiruvananthapuram city during the peak summer (April-May) months will intensify.
- 3. Spring rainfall also has a cooling effect on the general urban temperature. The reduction in extreme rainfall during the period may increase the urban temperature and lead to intensification of urban heat-island effect. An increase in mean surface temperature by 0.5 to 4.5 degree Celsius may significantly increase the probability of epidemics.
- 4. Increase in sea-level may increase the intensity and extent of coastal erosion along the thickly populated coastline of Thiruvananthapuram city.

Although the intensity of drought, floods and coastal erosion may increase, the hazard footprint may not increase beyond the worst case scenarios mapped and hence separate hazard foot print assessment was not conducted.

Based on the assessment of probable increase in urban temperature, an attempt has also been triggered to map urban heat-island effects with data derived from ASTER satellite data. Increase in urban heat-island effect may increase incidence of sun-stroke and sun-burns and may alter the epidemic incidents in the City. This map will be included in the final report.

### Coping capacity

Any effort to reduce vulnerability to natural disasters should focus on legal and instrumental aspects and on the institutional framework. Furthermore, vulnerability reduction requires focus on stabilizing factors such as diversity and resilience - that is, the capacity of natural and social systems to absorb both exogenous and endogenous changes. For this purpose, it is not enough to focus on a set of policies and instruments, but also to understand the intimate relationship between natural and social factors. An integral part of any vulnerability report is the coping capacity of the administrative unit in terms of institutional arrangements for responding to various hazards.

Thiruvananthapuram District has District Disaster Management Authority constituted vide SRO. No. 977/2008 dated 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2008 with the District Collector as Chairperson and District Panchayath President as Co-chairperson. The DDMA meets frequently and evaluates the disaster preparedness initiatives of various departments. Thus institutional arrangements for disaster management as envisaged in the Disaster Management Act, 2005 (Central Act, 53) is active at the district level.

Chapter 7 shows the zone-wise distribution of critical buildings useful for disaster response in the city. In addition to these facilities, the City has the presence of multiple battalions of State Police, Indian Army and Indian Air Force. Presence of the State Incident Commanders (Chief Secretary and Principal Secretary, Revenue and Disaster Management) and the State Emergency Operations Centre in the City ensures prompt response to L2 and L3 level calamities and direct attention of the State Government, unlike other urban areas of the State. These strengths significantly increase the coping capacity of the city and thereby reduce the vulnerability of Thiruvananthapuram City to various hazards. In 2014 (26th to 30th May), the City has apportioned about Rs. 30 lakhs from its own funds for disaster risk reduction and has trained 25 of its official in Basic and Intermediate level Incident Response System. The City Administration is actively working towards mainstreaming disaster risk reduction with the support of the GoI-USAID-UNDP Climate Risk Management Programme implemented by the State Disaster Management Authority. Effort for preparing a comprehensive City Disaster Management Plan is in progress.

However, at the City level, there is a lack of coordination with the District Disaster Management Authority as envisaged in Chapter 6 of the Disaster Management Act, 2005 whereby, the Local Self Government is to work under the guidance of the District Disaster Management Authority in matters concerning disaster management.

#### **Conclusions**

- From the vulnerability assessment of the City, it is evident that Thiruvananthapuram is relatively a resilient city with a reasonable degree of coping capacity.
- Based on multi-hazard susceptibility, Kadakampally and Pattom wards are the most hazard susceptible wards of the City.
- Puthanpally and Pappanamcodu wards are the most vulnerable in terms of the physical vulnerability of public buildings.
- Forty two (42) wards of the City are highly vulnerable considering the socio-economic conditions
  of the population.
- Lack of long term epidemic data impedes a critical assessment of the epidemic proneness of the
   City.
- The City should develop an annual tree pruning policy such that over grown and root damaged trees are culled/thinned on time, particularly prior to the monsoon.
- Onsite plans and offsite plans for every industrial unit in the city must be prepared and a contingency plan for chemical leakage must be prepared.
- Petro-chemical accident contingency plan must be prepared.
- An oil spill contingency plan for the coastline of the City needs to be prepared and response measures have to be made ready.
- Political commitment with vision of long-term sustainable development is an absolute necessity
  at the City administration level. As a first step, setting priority areas for investment and
  institutional capacity, associated with formulating comprehensive national vulnerability
  reduction plans and environmental management plans should be established and executed.
- Environmental and social concerns should be integrated at every stage of planning, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of all programs, projects, and activities, and be included in related institutional and legal frameworks.
- There is an important regional dimension to environmental management to reduce vulnerability
  to natural hazards and hence close coordination with the District Disaster Management
  Authority is a must for effective and efficient vulnerability reduction.

- In order to reduce vulnerability to social and environmental hazards, the public sector and
  concerned stakeholders should be institutionally organized, adequately staffed and trained.
  Targets of training to build institutional capacity will include central and local government
  officials, local leaders and communities, NGOs, and, especially, populations vulnerable to
  hazards.
- Adaptation of a participatory development approach is essential, since it is almost impossible to accomplish a vulnerability reduction plan with only the public sector's "top-down" efforts. Basic to this is a "bottom-up" approach and "empowerment" concepts, which give local communities and concerned stakeholders the knowledge, power, and motivation to meet their needs and handle vulnerability mitigation with self-reliance. Public awareness, adequate formal and nonformal education, and appropriate, transparent information dissemination are also essential for this approach.
- Appropriate tools and measures including state-of-the-art technology are available and should be applied judiciously to implement vulnerability reduction and long-term development.

# CHAPTER - 5

# **Institutional Arrangements**

# **Organizational Structure-DM**

The organizational structure of DM in the city is a three tier mechanism with City Disaster Management Committee at the apex level, City Crisis Management Team at the second level and then comes the City response Team.



Fig 5.1: Three - Tier Institutional Mechanism

#### **City Disaster Management Committee**

An apex body that constitute members from City Corporation as well as district administration that will coordinate and execute disaster related activities in the city corporation. It's a 19 member committee with Mayor as the Chairperson, Deputy

Mayor – Vice chairperson and Secretary Municipal Corporation as the Convener. The list of Committee members are given below.

- 1. Mayor (Chairperson)
- 2. Deputy Mayor (Vice Chairperson)
- 3. Secretary Municipal Corporation (Convener)

#### Members:-

- 1. City Police Commissioner
- 2. Standing Committee Chairperson (Health)
- 3. Standing Committee Chairperson (Welfare)
- 4. Standing Committee Chairperson (Works)
- 5. Standing Committee Chairperson (Development)
- 6. Standing Committee Chairperson (Tax Appeal)
- 7. Standing Committee Chairperson (Education)
- 8. Standing Committee Chairperson (Town Planning)
- 9. Additional Secretary, Municipal Corporation
- 10. Corporation Engineer
- 11. Health Officer, Municipal Corporation
- 12. DM Deputy Collector (Dist Administration)
- 13. District Medical Officer (DMO)
- 14. Additional Divisional Officer (Kerala Fire & Rescue Services)
- 15. Scientist (NCESS)
- 16. City Project Coordinator (UNDP)

#### City Crises Management Team (CCMT)

It's a second tier body exclusively for the members of corporation, who will take decisions and administer the overall process in accordance with the guidance of City DM Committee. Following are the list of members in the CCMT.

### **Corporation Staff Only**

- 1. Additional Secretary (Team Head / Convener)
- 2. Health Officer
- 3. Health Supervisors
- 4. Accounts Officer
- 5. Executive Engineer/s (South/Central/North)

#### City Response Team (RT)

City Response Team is a group of teams, who are equipped with various skills/ techniques/ resources/ equipments exclusively for responding to the disaster, which mainly comprises of trained workers from the city corporation. Following is the list of team members in the Response team

Health Supervisors - 2 Nos

Health Inspectors - 4 Nos

Junior Health Inspectors – 10 Nos

Junior Public Health Nurses- 4 Nos

Assistant Engineers- 2 Nos

Overseer- 4 Nos

Contingent Health Workers -40

Other volunteers

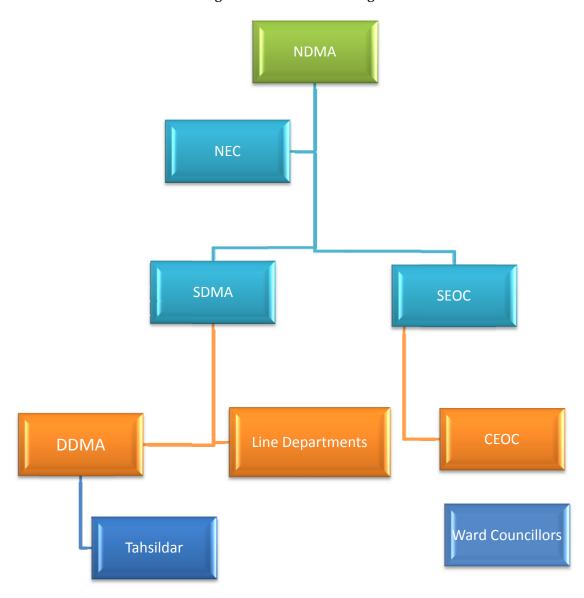


Fig.5.2: Institutional Linkages

# CHAPTER - 6

# Mitigation Plan

The purpose of hazard mitigation is to implement and sustain actions that reduce vulnerability and risk from hazards, or reduce the severity of the effects of hazards on people and property. Mitigation actions include both short-term and long-term activities which reduce the impacts of hazards, reduce exposure to hazards, or reduce effects of hazards through various means including preparedness, response and recovery measures. Effective mitigation actions also reduce the adverse impacts and cost of future disasters.

The Objectives of Hazard Mitigation Plan of Trivandrum Municipal Corporation is to create a safer community. It represents the City's commitment to reduce risks from natural and other hazards, and serves as a guide for decision-makers as they commit resources to reducing the effects of potential hazards.

Surrounded by greenbelt and the Arabian Sea in the west, Trivandrum City preserves the diversity and quality of its natural and built environments, creates a satisfying quality of life for its diverse population and workers, and attracts visitors from around the world. But every aspect of the city, its economic prosperity, social and cultural diversity, scenic beauty and historical character could be dramatically altered by a severe flood, earthquake, tsunami or fire.

Natural hazards that have affected the City in the past and those that may affect it in the future can be identified with a high degree of probability. However, the future extent of these hazards is unknown. Flooding, coastal erosion, Tsunami and earthquakes have all occurred in the City within the past several years. The City is prone to reoccurring floods and droughts and the City will periodically witness these conditions in the future as well. While we cannot predict or protect ourselves against every possible hazard that may strike the community, we can anticipate many impacts and take steps to avoid or reduce the harm they will cause. This Hazard Mitigation Plan will look into the aspects of identifying the most important steps to pursue in order to minimize these risks.

#### Mitigation Plan Objectives and Actions

Trivandrum City strives to be a disaster-resistant community that can avoid, mitigate, survive, recover from, and thrive after a disaster while maintaining its unique character and way of life. City government should be able to provide critical services in the immediate aftermath of a devastating event of any kind. The people, buildings and infrastructure should be resilient to disasters. The City's overall objective is to have basic government services and commercial functions resume quickly after a damaging flood or other significant event.

#### Mission & Goals

The mission of Hazard Mitigation Plan is to establish and promote a comprehensive mitigation policy and program to protect City residents, their property, public facilities, infrastructure and the environment from natural and manmade hazards.

#### Goal 1: Protect Life.

Objective 1.1 – Improve systems that provide warning and emergency communications.

Objective 1.2 – Develop or amend laws so they effectively address hazard mitigation.

Objective 1.3 – Reduce the impacts of hazards on vulnerable populations.

Objective 1.4 – Strengthen state and local building code enforcement.

Objective 1.5 – Train emergency responders.

#### Goal 2: Protect Property.

Objective 2.1 – Protect assets, particularly critical assets.

Objective 2.2 – Protect and preserve facility contents.

Objective 2.3 – Reduce repetitive and severe repetitive losses, including those caused by flooding

#### Goal 3: Protect the Environment.

Objective 3.1 – Develop hazard mitigation policies that protect and improve the

Environment

#### **Goal 4: Strengthen Partnerships**

Objective 4.1 - Strengthen communication and coordinate participation among and within public agencies, residents, non-profit organizations, business, and industry to gain a vested interest in the implementation of mitigation measures.

Objective 4.2 - Encourage and support leadership within the private sector, non-profit agencies and community-based organizations to promote and implement local hazard mitigation activities.

## Goal 5: Increase Public Preparedness for Disasters.

Objective 5.1 – Improve the understanding of natural hazards and the risk they pose.

Objective 5.2 – Improve hazard information, including databases and maps.

Objective 5.3 – Improve public knowledge of hazards and protective measures so individuals appropriately respond during hazard events.

Objective 5.4 – Develop new policies to enhance hazard mitigation initiatives.

#### Major Hazards and their mitigation strategies

#### Urban Flooding - "Operation Anantha"

Thiruvananthapuram City has been experiencing severe floods particularly at East Fort and Thampanoor even during a moderate rain. Despite repeated attempts involving various types of engineering intervention, the areas still face the menace of flooding and this causes significant loss to public and private properties. Despite spending crores of rupees by various agencies under the State Government the flooding situation has become a routine affecting the normal life of the people. The major reason for the frequent floods are manifold some of which are given below:-

- Large scale encroachments which have occupied the entire drain in certain areas.
- Narrowing of the drains due to encroachments from either side.
- Criss crossing of cables/utility pipelines etc. across the canals causing obstruction to the free flow of water.
- Filling up of ponds and conversion of ponds for other purposes (parks/playgrounds/buildings etc.)
- Silt depositions in canals.
- Dumping of solid waste directly into canals by both individuals and institutions.

Even during the recent summer rain of April - May of 2015 East Fort and Thampanoor got flooded, affecting the normal life and it was apprehended that there would be an impending disaster during the monsoon. The District Administration was to intervene aggressively to manage the flooding situation. Hence, it was decided that the emergency powers vested upon the District Collector as Chairman of District Disaster Management Authority invoking Kerala State Disaster Management Rules, 2007 under Chapter VI of the Disaster Management Act 2005 (DM Act, 2005) to ensure an immediate solution to tackle this threatening situation to life and public property.

Accordingly short and long term action plans were prepared for implementation by various organizations under the State Government like PWD (Roads), Minor Irrigation, Major Irrigation, KSUDP, KRFB, KWA (Sewerage), KWA (Water supply), Thiruvananthapuram Corporation, KSEB, BSNL etc. to mitigate the disastrous effect of flooding during the monsoon of 2015. The action plan named as "Operation Anantha" attaches top priority to clearing the encroachments and obstructions in the existing drains in and around East Fort and Thampanoor. The progress of action taken as per the action plan is being reviewed at the level of the Chief Secretary, Principal Secretary, District Collector and other senior officers of the respective departments. An amount of Rs. 10 crores has also been sanctioned for the above works.

Multiple agencies doing the flood eradication works often reduce its effectiveness and cause confusion. It was therefore suggested that a single nodal agency that can co-ordinate with all the stake holders would be a better solution to implement the project in a more effective way. Government have examined the case in detail and are pleased to order as follows:-

A Cabinet Sub Committee consisting of the following Ministers is constituted to monitor and oversee the various programs of flood control taken up under Operation Anantha:-

- 1. Sri. P.J.Joseph, Hon'ble Minister for Water Resources
- 2. Sri. V.K.Ibrahim Kunju, Hon'ble Minister for Public Works Department
- 3. Sri. Manjalamkuzhi Ali, Minister for Urban Affairs & Minority welfare
- 4. Sri. V.S. Shivakumar, Minister for Health & Dewasom
- 5. Sri. Adoor Prakash, Minister for Revenue and coir

A District Level Co-ordination Committee with District Collector as Chairman, Sub Collector as Convenor and officers of the various departments/organizations at the level of Executive Engineers shall also be constituted to oversee the progress of daily activities.

Kerala Road Fund Board (KRFB) shall be designated as the nodal agency for planning and coordinatining the project for this monsoon (short term). A separate wing will be created in KRFB with professionals posted on working arrangement from various organizations, who are presently executing the works of "Operation Anantha". This wing will have the responsibility to plan, co-ordinate and monitor the works on a war footing under fast-track mode under Disaster Management Action Plan. All the encroachments affecting the smooth and normal flow of the existing drains in the city will be demolished and cleared. Drains will be constructed wherever necessary including through private properties in which case adequate compensation will be given to the owners, wherever eligible as per rules.

Accordingly short term and long term measures were proposed by the various agencies implementing Operation Anantha. State Level Monitoring Committee and District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA) discussed the proposals in detail and recommended implementation of the short term measures which were essential for the mitigation of flooding. The Empowered Committee chaired by the Chief Secretary will sanction works (both Administrative sanction and Technical sanction) costing more than Rs. 25 lakhs and the District Level Committee chaired by the District Collector will sanction works below Rs. 25 lakhs. Accordingly the State Government as well as the District Collector accorded administrative sanction for those works. The major works executed by the various agencies are detailed below:-

S1. No.	Name of Work	Estimated Cost	Implementing Agency	Present status
1.	Re-construction of storm water drain from Pazhavangadi Ganapathy Temple to Abhedashram	2,94,41,790/-	KSUDP	Work Completed
2.	Widening and re-construction of RCC culvert at mosque lane near Thampanoor	29,80,000/-	KSUDP	Work Completed
3.	Widening of canal and construction of RCC retaining wall near Hotel Hycinth, Work in Progress Thampanoor	1,26,55,000/-	KSUDP	Work in Progress
4.	Widening of canal and re- construction of RCC retaining wall near Hotel Thamburu at Thampanoor	54,21,000/-	KSUDP	Work in Progress

5.	Re-construction of road side drain from Abhedashramam to Thekkinikara canal	1,29,00,000/-	PWD Roads Division	Work Completed
6.	Cross connection from Pazhavangadi thodu near Central Theatre to Putharikandam through pipe line for overflow of storm water from Pazhavangadi thodu	65,00,000/-	PWD Roads Division	Work Completed
7.	Construction of drain from Thampanoor Aristo junction to Mangalam	45,00,000/-	PWD Roads Division	Work in Progress
8.	Re-construction of RCC drain from Ramachandran Textile to Abhedashramam	72,00,000/-	PWD Roads Division	Work Completed
9.	Re-construction of road side drain in Manjalikulam road	66,00,000/-	PWD Roads Division	Work Completed
10.	Re-construction of culverts one each at Attakulangara near Mosque and at SKP junction	85,00,000/-	PWD Roads Division	Work Completed
11.	Re-construction of road side drain at Rubi Nagar Attakkulangara	1,16,00,000/-	PWD Roads Division	Work Completed
12.	Re-construction of drains of larger capacities along the right side of Attakulangara - Killippalam road	1,60,00,000/-	PWD Roads Division	Work in Progress
13.	Re-construction of drains of larger capacities along the left side of Attakulangara - Killippalam road	3,40,00,000/-	PWD Roads Division	Work in Progress
14.	Re-construction of existing drain near Kalpadrumam Hospital and RDR Auditorium at Edappazhinji	34,00,000/-	Minor Irrigation	Work Completed
15.	Re-construction of existing drain from Pattayavarayar Temple Aryasala to Attakulangara Bypass road	1,42,00,000/-	Minor Irrigation	Work in Progress

16.	Re-construction of existing drain from Marakkada road to Kuriyathy pump house road Erumakkuzhi	63,00,000/-	Minor Irrigation	Work in Progress
17.	Re-construction of existing drain from Chala market to Erumakkuzhi	34,00,000/-	Minor Irrigation	Cancelled
18.	Construction of RCC drain at Kuriyathi thodu near Rottikkada junction	34,00,000/-	Minor Irrigation	Work Completed
19.	Construction of RCC drain at Kuriyathi thodu near Karimadom Colony	1,38,00,000/-	Minor Irrigation	Work Completed
20.	Reconstruction of existing drain from Chenthitta towards Killippalam via Tamil School	26,00,000/-	Minor Irrigation	Work Completed
21.	Construction of RCC drain at Kuriyathi thodu near BSNL compound	63,50,000/-	Minor Irrigation	Work Completed
22.	Cleaning of Pattom Thodu from Vayalikkada to Kannamoola	20,00,000/-	Minor Irrigation	Cancelled
23.	Construction of RCC drain and slab from Yamuna Nagar to Karimadom colony (151 metres)	30,00,000/-	Tvpm Corporation	Work in Progress
24.	Construction of new drain from SS Kovil road to Amayizhanchan thodu	26,17,068/-	KRFB	Work Completed

The DDMA has accorded administrative sanction for works for which estimated cost less than 25 lakhs as for 149 works amounting to Rs. 412.58 lakhs. The works undertaken under Operation Anantha have attracted much appreciation from all corners of life. In order to maintain the smooth flow of storm water through the canals and drains constructed under Operation Anantha, regular cleaning and removal of debris are essential. Thiruvananthapuram Corporation may consider a permanent solution and work programme for preventing dumping of solid waste in to these canals, failing which the whole effort taken under Operation Anantha will be futile. The Corporation may also arrange for cleaning of the drains and canals under their administrative control regularly for prevailing the menace of flooding in the capital city.

#### **Storm Surge & Coastal Erosion**

The problems of coastal zone in the Thiruvananthapuram City is unique due to the high density of population, loss of land due to coastal erosion, drastic morphological and shoreline changes due to shore structures like harbour breakwaters, destruction and reclamation of wetland including mangroves, saline intrusion into the water table, decreasing fish catch, development related degradation of the environment and violation of the provisions of CRZ.

Severe beach erosion is reported along the Coast of Thiruvananthapuram during south west monsoon season. Rebuilding of beaches takes place during the latter part of monsoon and post monsoon period. The important mechanism for the high erosion during SW monsoon is the cross shore sediment transport than the long shore transport. The coastal community is the only sector that periodically loses dwelling places due to erosion. The destruction of natural habitats in the form of reclamation of wetlands, dumping of industrial and urban wastes worsens the plight of the coastal communities.

#### Proposed Mitigation Measures are;

Shelter belts can be constructed as complementary structures along the coastal line to provide adequate safety to coastal erosion.

The present practice of sea wall construction is to be supplemented with the plantation of Mangroves, and other suitable species of trees/vegetation to suit the soil condition which is most suited for stabilizing the banks. Mangroves and other trees can be used wherever the conditions are congenial.

An alternate method for preventing sea erosion using artificial offshore reefs is an environment friendly practice, which is much more sophisticated than simple rock walls and groins. This is a multipurpose perspective that goes beyond the simple aim of protecting a stretch of the coast. It is constructed with large sand filled geo textile bags having life up to 40 years. These reefs are safe and secure during storms and dampen wave activity so that the beach grows out and lost land is recovered. The reef acts as fish aggregation device and increases fish stock through extra habitat. The reefs promote tourism as it supports recreation, water sports and surfing. Such reefs can be introduced in some areas nearer to the tourist spots. Detailed study and consultancy is recommended

Construction of cut-off line Structures: To solve the problems like destruction of houses built on encroachments to the beaches arises due to roughness of sea, a permanent gabion wall is proposed to be constructed along the beach. This will make a line of cut off to future encroachments, leaving maximum wide beach thereafter towards sea. This structure can also be used as a walkway, as an extension to the existing walkway at Sankhumugham beach, towards both sides. Towards south, it can be extended up to Valiyathura Kadalpalam and from there to Poonthura. Towards north, it is proposed to be extended up to Kannanthura, Vettukad, Kochuveli and Veli.

Construct Multipurpose community centers in the coastal villages: During monsoons the fishermen households in the city are badly affected by sea-erosion. The affected families are taken to the schools / community centres nearby. Multipurpose community centres in the coastal villages can be used as shelters during emergency as well as for other community activities. Hence a multipurpose community centre cum disaster shelter in each fishing village is proposed.

#### **Environmental Issues**

Pollution mitigation measures are the actions to reduce, avoid or offset the potential adverse environmental consequences of the activities. On the basis of existing and required sanitation facilities gap analysis has been worked out. The CPHEEO Manual for sewerage and sewage treatment, Ministry of Urban Development is referred for gap analysis. This was worked out by considering environmental aspects like waste water, solid waste, hospital waste, Dhobi ghat, commercial activities etc. The mitigation measures have been suggested based on the gap analysis.

## Waste Water Management system

Discharge of waste water from residential and commercial units is the major sources of pollution in river especially those near the Killi river bank. Pipes carrying waste water from these commercial and residential establishments are linked to the nearest storm water network which finally meeting into the river. Practically, it is very difficult to identify and close the illegal waste water pipe connections to the nearest storm water drains. It is also difficult to lay new sewerage line in this area due to space constraint. Hence, it is proposed a waste water collection system by laying pipes on both sides of river and along the river. The waste water from these areas will be collected through this proposed pipe by providing connections through manholes. The waste water from proposed lines will be temporarily stored in the sumps both sides at confluence point. This waste water further will be pumped to the proposed sewerage treatment plant which is likely to be proposed at about 300 m from Killi and Karamana river confluence

#### Sewerage system

The existing sewerage systems with ten pumping stations are very old which needs up gradation. As per CPHEEO manual on sewerage and sewage treatment, the age of existing sewerage system in the blocks A, B,& C is more than 30 years which needs to be replaced. Collection of sewage after provision of 100% sewerage system should be carried to sewage treatment plant. After treatment it should be reused for different purposes like agriculture, horticulture, landscaping, industrial processes, toilet flushing etc as per the degree of treatment.

The following measures shall be adopted for efficient sewerage system;

- A preliminary survey will be undertaken to identify the unsewered areas. For which detailed project report for the unsewered areas need to be prepared for their implementation.
- Coverage of city with 100% sewerage system is required to maintain a good sanitation system of the city and to prevent the river water pollution.
- CPHEEO manual and IS Codes should be followed for the designing of sewerage system
- Regular cleaning and maintenance should be carried out by concerned authority.
- Periodic awareness program conducting public consultation and arranging seminar at regular interval of time is required to be accomplished. This will help to prevent choking of sewerage due to disposal of poly-bags etc here and there.
- Condition survey will assist the project proponent to identify the shortcomings in the existing system and accordingly the up-gradation will be taken up for smooth functioning of the system.
- Sanitation system should be provided at the worship/temple locations along the river

- It is observed that at discharge point of some of drains, manual gates are installed but it is in poor condition hence should be replaced by new automatic type with bar screens
- For the improvement of existing storm water drains it is urgently required to cover 20% of existing open roadside drains with provision of manholes/removable cover (Approximate length 87 Km).

## **Solid Waste Management**

Waste minimization and source reduction are one of the best strategies for Solid waste management while considering Trivandrum City. Though the city does not have any centralised waste management facility, it has started significant ward level initiatives in source reduction programmes. At present the total quantity of solid waste generated in the city is reduced to 250 metric tonnes from 300 metric tonnes per day. Of these 150 metric tonnes of waste is daily processed in its source itself. The remaining 100 tonne is creating problems in the city corporation as per the information from the Health Department. The health department is responsible for all public health activities including solid waste management in Trivandrum Corporation.

The Corporation is currently introduced a campaign called 'ente nagaram sundara nagaram' to promote waste reduction/ management in the City, under which the health department promote various source reduction strategies like pipe composting, well composting, mass pit composting, pot composting, ring composting, vermin composting, portable house bio-gas composting, mini bio pedestal composting, portable bin or bucket composting, portable bio-bin composting, centralizing masonry bio tank composting, organic waste composting machine etc for individual households, flats, commercial buildings etc.

For the promotion of composting 80% subsidy for the pipe composting, 80% subsidy for bio gas , 80% subsidy for ring composting, 80% subsidy for vermin composting are provided. Ten bio gas plants are in implementation stage by corporation. As per the Director Suchitwa Mission, one sanitary landfill site at Chalai owned by Thiruvananthapuram Development Authority (TRIDA) is expected to complete soon based on the waste to energy technology. The plant is expected to produce 3.2 MW electricity per day. The plant is established under Public Private Partnership (PPP) with DBFOT (Design, Built, Finance, Operate and Transfer) format for treating 35 tonnes of waste per day initially, and to increase it to 100 tonnes per day.

Solid waste is being used for the construction of railway platform which contain three layers of solid waste and forth layer of soil. About 500 tons of solid waste from the city is utilized for constructing 2.5 m wide 1 m high railway platform at Murukkumpuzha railway station. About 1200 tonnes solid waste is utilized for constructing 2 m wide 1m high railway platform at Kochu Veli railway station.

Apart from this mobile incinerator, shredder units are being installed by the corporation in various places. For managing wastes in public places corporation is being installing Priyam aerobic bins and thumboor muzhy bins which can process waste of 2 tonnes per unit capacity. At present it is implemented in 12 wards in its sampoorna swichitwa ward programme. The wards declared as sampoorana swichitwa wards are Jagathy, Pattom, Edavacode, Ulloor, Palayam, Sreekandeswaram,

peroorkkada, Nedumcadu, Chettivilakom and Vazhuthacaud. Currently around 60 % people are treating their waste in house hold itself, remaining 40 % lacks any waste management facility due to lack of adequate spaces for treating the waste. Therefore a centralised waste processing unit is indispensable for the city as far as the amount of waste generation is considered. The local government needs to identify the site for sanitary landfill. The sanitary landfill site should be developed as per the Municipal Solid Waste Handling Rules 2000 and CPHEEO manual on Municipal Solid Waste Management.

As far as Hazardous wastes are considered, it should be collected separately and disposed-off properly through authorized agency. The hazardous waste must be handled and disposed off as per The Hazardous Wastes (Management, Handling, Transboundary Movement) Rule 2008.

Following mitigation measures shall be adopted for the proper solid waste management in the city to avoid river pollution;

- Provision of 3 m high metal wire mesh along both side of the river stretch flowing through the city.
- Install signboard massages, banners, hoardings etc at various places along the river to aware the people from tossing things into the river
- Dust bins should be provided at road side and the worship/temple locations along the river
- Animal incinerator should be provided at suitable places
- Provision of Sanitary landfill site with windrow composting
- Provide sufficient assets to deal with situation and optimal management

#### **Bio-Medical Waste**

Following mitigation measures should be adopted for the proper management of bio-medical waste; Reduction/control of waste (by controlling inventory, wastage of consumable items, reagents, breakage etc).

- Segregation of wastes in Separate Containers (at the Point of Generation) according to their treatment/disposal.
- Segregated collection by labeling, color coding andtransportation to final treatment/disposal facility so that they do not getmixed.
- Proper treatment through incineration.
- Proper organization and management.

#### **Modern Slaughter House**

It is observed during the field study that, no proper slaughter house is in operation in the city. Hence, two number of modern slaughter house with its effluent treatment plant should be provided, one in Thiruvananthapuram corporation and one in Nedumangad panchayat.

#### **Public Awareness**

The public awareness aims to create awareness as well as to induce behavioral changes among the local population. Public awareness program should be carried out for the different groups/stakeholders i.e. local public officials and community leaders, local communities, Institutions, NGO's, government

organizations, schools and media etc. Also, campaigns through different media like TV, press, school children, poster competition etc should be conducted to create awareness. Segregation of wastes at source needs to be encouraged. A complaint cell should be created in each ward to provide assistance for waste management.

#### Imposition of Legal Action

It is necessary to impose enforcement mechanism under Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 to maintain the river water clean. The imposition of mechanism shall be ensured by state level authority i.e. state pollution control board. The strict implementation of rules and regulations will help to control the pollution of the river. Water monitoring should be started at the major pollution sites of the river. Dumping of domestic wastes and other polluting materials should be banned. There will be provision of fines/imprisonment based on their activities towards polluting the river water as per the relevant acts.

# Provision of Cross Regulator at Parvathi Puthnar

Parvathy puthanaar canals opens into the sea at Poonthura and Veli to facilitate natural flushing of canal water. Due to closer of opening by sandbars, the water of Parvathy Puthanar has got diverted in karamana riverat Thiruvallam. The restoration work is required to be done to clear sand bars so that water of Parvathi Puthanar will meet directly into the sea without affecting the water quality of Karamana river. Secondly, a gate is also proposed to prevent mixing of Parvathi Puthanar water into Karamana river. A gate required to be in the location as shown in Figure (6.1). The closer of the gate will divert the water of Parvathi Puthanar to sea through existing natural channel. This channel requires cleaning for smooth diversion of Parvathi Puthanar flow to sea.



Fig: (6.1) provision of cross regulator at Parvathy Puthanar

Source: Irrigation Department

#### Air Pollution

In order to reduce air pollution, it is proposed to install 5 automatic ambient air quality monitoring stations at major stations in the city with digital display arrangements as the air quality deterioration directly affects the health of people. The suggested stations are at Thampanoor, Palayam, East Fort, Ulloor and Vellayambalam. All results from these monitoring stations are proposed to be transmitted to a control room in City Police Commissioner's office.

Based on the information received, necessary instructions such as diverting traffic, actions to avoid congestion, etc. can be given according to the pollution level. The data also can be utilised for the effective enforcement of automobile emission.

The trend clearly indicates the smoke or particulate matter emission from automobiles is to be minimized. In this connection, detailed study has to be conducted on the replacement of diesel with CNG.

Adequate attention will be given for maintaining better road condition, timely removal of construction waste and debris from the roads, even taking action to remove small amount of sand and soil from the road, etc.

#### **Anthropogenic Disasters**

#### Mass gathering Events

As far as mass gathering events are considered the mitigation strategy mainly must include all the possible measures to deal with managing crowds.

#### **Event / Venue – Details & Descriptions**

It is necessary that the plan for management of the mass gathering at event/ venue has all important information's needed for ascertaining safety aspects from all angle. An indicative list of components and sub-components to be included in event application is as given below. Event application will have, but not limited to following details:-

## **Event / Venue Details**

- ➤ Event Location
- ➤ Brief history of the event/venue
- Duration of event (schedule and timing)
- Expected number of people
- ➤ Admission arrangement (Open to public / by invitation/tickets etc)
- ➤ Details of activities and how/when/where they will take place
- > Event management structure ((set out the key management personnel)
- Functions of key personnel (Event Controller, Safety Officer and
- ➤ Health and Sanitation in- charge)
- > Event control and communications (location of central control room, who
- will be there, what means) Of communication will be used for reporting)

- Any particular arrangements (special needs spectators, pre-launch ceremonies etc.)
- Overview of large equipment and temporary structures (staging, sanitary facilities, lighting etc.)
- Contact details and of Event organisers / administrator and venue owner

#### Site Map

The site plan must include maps showing location and details of -

- Transportation hubs (Bus-stops, Railway stations, Taxi stands etc.)
- > Rest area / Places
- > Information kiosks
- Places of interest at the venue/event
- Meeting points / Media Center
- > Entry and exit points at event venue
- ➤ Water Outlets
- > Food outlets / courts
- > Toilets
- Phone booth
- ➤ Holding area(s), queue complex(s), routes for movement
- Watch towers at vantage locations for observing and monitoring the crowd.
- ➤ CCTV coverage at all vulnerable locations to be monitored at the control room.
- Sector wise deployment of Policemen with sector wise responsibility and wireless communication network between watch towers, CCTV control room and deployment inside the crowd.
- Police stations
- Reporting places for lost/stolen/found items, missing persons etc.
- Parking lots
- Health facilities
- Shopping areas
- Food joints
- > Hazard points
- Emergency Exits
- Emergency Assembly Points
- ➤ First Aid services
- Emergency services (Fire, Ambulances,)
- Emergency Operations Center, Incident Command Posts etc

#### Hazard and Risk Assessment

This is necessary for event management to undertake a risk assessment of those hazards which could cause harm to staff and/or members of the public attending the event and can be done with the help of state emergency operation centre. An indicative list of hazards (natural and manmade) for any event/venue of mass gathering is given below.

- 1. Severe Storm / Heavy rains /flash flood
- 2. Earthquake
- 3. Cyclone
- 4. Fire
- 5. Hazardous Materials Incident
- 6. Bomb Blast
- 7. crowded situation leading to stampede
- 8. Vehicle accident
- 9. Structure Collapse

Functional plans will be prepared and annexed based on the hazard, risk and vulnerability assessment (HRVA).

# **Safety**

Risk assessment forms the basis for designing the safety / security plan. Following are the salient components, but not limited to, of an event safety plan.

- Safety Policy Statement
- > Event Risk assessment
- Signage (information service provided), installing PA system etc
- Critical control points Location, type, and purpose of barricading (based on the risk assessment)
- Crowd management (number of home guards/volunteers/police/others, responsibilities, location)
- Plans to involve home guards, civil defence, and community stake holders (how, when,)
- Security agencies deployed (license details, in case of private agencies)
- > Entry and exit arrangements (routine and designation of emergency routes and assembly areas)
- Fire precautions (means of escape, safe holding capacity calculations, fire safety equipment)
- Structures (schedule of completion, certifying engineer)
- Electrical installations (lighting, auxiliary power provision)
- Environmental issues (noise, sanitation, catering, garbage / waste, drinking water, etc.)
- Vehicular access and exit (transport plan for site traffic and car parking arrangements)
- Medical/First Aid Provision (numbers required, location, ambulance, equipment)
- On site traffic management (where deliveries will be made, any parking etc.)
- Emergency power and lighting arrangements
- Firework permit, if applicable
- ➤ List and Locations of Food vendors using gas cylinders
- Fire and electrical safety assessment plans, mock drills, and action taken reports
- > Communication plan (internal/external, before the event and in case of emergency)
- Command and control hierarchy Security:
- Screening and credential checks for suspicious persons
- Unattended packages
- Concealment areas

#### Preparedness and Capacity Building

Planning is the one of the key elements in the Preparedness cycle. Preparedness cycle illustrates the way the plans are continuously evaluated and improved through a cycle of planning, organizing, training, equipping, exercising, evaluating and taking corrective action. Following components should for a part of the preparedness process.

#### **General Measures and Consideration**

- Emergency Operation Center (Control room)
- Public Information
- ➤ Awareness (local as well as wide area)
- Services and Utilities
- First aid and basic health services
- Visitors flow management
- ➤ Access for emergency resources including ambulances
- Hazard in the area and mitigation measures
- Services for people with special needs / disabled
- Transportation and Traffic Management
- Safety and Security Plan
- Lost and found
- Contractors and supplier management plan
- Chain of command
- Incident monitoring & reporting system
- Training and exercising
- Approach to Capacity Building
- Institutional capacity building
- Management/ policy makers
- ➤ Police, fire, health services
- Others
- Community capacity building
- Civil defense
- NGOs/ CBOs
- Volunteers
- ➤ Skill up-gradation, follow-up training programmes, certificate courses
- ➤ List of trained personnel with contact details and specialisation5.3 Health, Hygiene and Medical Services
- ➤ List of approved food vendors
- Drinking water availability (location, sources,)
- > Toilets (location, numbers for males and females, cleaning schedule, and Responsibility etc.)
- Waste Management (garbage bin arrangements, waste collection schedule, recycling plans)
- Plans to include local community members

- Medical problems reported historically (impact of weather, terrain, etc.)
- Medical facilities (number of beds, equipment available etc.), staff (number of doctors, Surgeons, paramedics, nurses etc. and their expertise), number of ambulances available (with/without life support systems) and their locations
- ➤ Contact details, facilities and capacity of local hospitals, primary health centres, mobile hospitals, standby staff etc.
- ➤ Plan for first-aid training to volunteers, security personnel etc.
- ➤ A 5-year roadmap for improvements in facilities and emergency medical services (which facilities, how much, where, who will finance etc.)

#### **Emergency Response Plan**

Response plan guides the development of the more operationally oriented annexure. Its primary audience consists of the event/venue management/ authorities, local emergency management officials, and the community (as appropriate). The elements listed in this section should meet the needs of this audience while providing a solid foundation for the development of supporting annexes. Major components of response plan will include (but not limited to)

- 1. Incident Response System
- 2. Emergency Operations Centres
- 3. Response flow chart(s)
- 4. Hazard/Incident specific responsibility charts for emergency functions
- 5. Alert mechanisms, early warnings etc.
- 6. Procedure for the activation of plans, resource mobilization, seeking external help, coordination with different agencies
- 7. Media management and information dissemination

#### **Functional annexure**

Functional annexure - The functional annexes detail the goals, objectives, and courses of action of functions (e.g., evacuation, shelter, security, medical and health services, missing persons, relief supplies etc) that apply across multiple threats or hazards. Functional annexes discuss how the event and venue (including house of worship) manages a function before, during, and after an incident. Following is the list of major functional annexure:-

- Traffic Management Plan
- Medical Plan (in consultation with relevant Health Authority)
- > Event Communications (including Wireless radio frequency channels to be used by event staff in schematic format) plan
- Emergency procedures (the publication of these procedures should be restricted to event staff and the statutory agencies) for stopping the event
- Action in the event of a bomb scare
- Action in the event of Fire

- > Action in the event of any other emergency incident (Including Natural and human made disaster
- Evacuation of the venue and shelter management

#### Plan Management: Rehearsal, Review and Revision

Train Stakeholders on the Plan and Their Roles - Everyone involved in the plan needs to know their roles and responsibilities before, during, and after an incident.

#### **Exercise the Plan**

The more a plan is practiced and stakeholders are trained on the plan, the more effectively they will be able to act before, during, and after an incident to lessen the impact on life and property. Exercises provide opportunities to practice with local emergency management officials and community partners, as well as to identify gaps and weaknesses in the plan.

#### **Chemical Hazard**

Trivandrum City Corporation poses considerable risk related to industrial hazards. The City is vulnerable to both onsite and offsite emergencies. To mitigate the risk posed by chemical hazards following measures have been taken by the factories and boilers at the district level.

#### Crisis group

A Crisis Group has been constituted as per the G.O. (Ms) No. 3/98/STED dated 05.02.1998 with the Collector as Chairman to handle emergencies associated with chemical accidents/hazards effectively and to mitigate the consequences therefore, at the district level. There is a District Crisis Group (DCG) and Local Crisis Group (LCG) existing and functioning in Trivandrum District.

#### Offsite/Onsite chemical emergency plan

The preparation of onsite and Offsite emergency is a statutory requirement according to Factories Act, 1948 (amended in 1987) and manufacture, Storage and Import of Hazardous Chemicals rules 1989 respectively. Therefore preparations of these plans are necessary for the mitigation of chemical disasters.

#### Updating offsite emergency plan

The Offsite emergency plan requires updating at least once in three years or more frequently under the following conditions.

- 1) Commissioning of new industries manufacturing and storing of hazardous substance in quantities above the threshold limit.
- 2) Change of manufacturing process and capacity increase.
- 3) Development of new information and technology in the safety systems and the consequent major changes in the emergency plan of the individual units.
- 4) Amendment in statute.

# **Preparation of Standard Operating Procedures**

The departments associated with responding to chemical disasters should prepare their own standard operating procedures and each concerned official authorized to respond this kind of incidents must have a basic understanding of their roles and responsibilities. Besides this a resource inventory should also be prepared and kept in ready for an event.

## **Training**

Workers of the industrial establishment, minimum 10 % of the total strength shall be trained in fire fighting, First-Aid and handling the affected persons effectively as and when required. They shall be well trained in artificial respiration and external cardio massage. The transportation of victims to the nearest medical institutions is most important. Each establishment shall have sufficient first aid equipments and accessories for emergency use as required under *Kerala Factories Rules*, 1957

#### Transportation of hazardous goods transport

Centre Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 and Rules, 1989 prescribed certain regulations for transportation of hazardous goods by road. The salient features of these rules are as under:

- 1) Every goods carriage transporting hazardous goods shall display a distinct mark of the class label appropriate to the type of dangerous goods.
- 2) Every package shall also display the class label.
- 3) Size mode of display, position, colour etc. has also been prescribed.
- 4) Every goods carriage used for transportation of hazardous goods shall have an emergency information panel consisting of the following information.
  - a. Correct technical name.
  - b. Class label
  - c. Name and telephone number of the emergency services, the consignor and the customer.
  - d. UN Number
  - e. HAZCHEM Code
- 5) The consignor shall supply requisite safety information to the transporters.
- 6) The transporters shall ensure that all details have been made available required for safe transport.
- 7) The owner shall ensure that the driver has sufficient knowledge of the goods transported.
- 8) The driver shall observe all precautions at all times.
- 9) In case of an accident, the driver shall report to the nearest police station. In case the driver and helper are victims of the accident, the police on duty at the nearest junction/patrol shall be responsible for the notification.
- 10) The driver of the vehicle shall possess the transport emergency card or TREMCARD.

In addition to this Material Safety Data Sheet of chemicals stored in Trivandrum are attached in the annexure.

#### List of chemicals transported

Even though hazardous industries are few in Trivandrum City many hazardous chemicals are being transported through the district. Some important chemicals, which their UN Number, Hazchem Code and risk and hazard classification, among them are attached in the annexure.

## **Epidemics**

#### Action plan for the prevention and control of Communicable Diseases

Continuous disease surveillance throughout the year is essential for effective preparedness and eradication of epidemics. Discussion with private hospitals, private practitioners., HOD and Unit Chiefs of Medical Colleges has to be under taken to collect and update the data bank regarding various disease outbreaks. Rumor registers kept in health institutions, media reports, and information through informal networks etc can also act as a tool for surveillance. There has to be regular vector surveillance and integrated vector management wherever required with the cooperation of City Corporation and other departments & agencies. There should be regular IEC / BCC activities, proper monitoring, supervision, and reviews at each level. Additional measures have to be planned as per requirement depending on the situation. Following is a month wise specific action plan prepared by health department as part of their disaster preparedness activity.

Table 6.1: Calendar of activities

Month	Activities		
January	Training Logistic arrangements		
	Situation analysis and seasonality map		
	Action Plan preparation		
February	Intervention in water scarce areas		
	Technical updates		
	Advocacy and Sensitization meetings		
	Inter sectoral Coordination meetings		
	Discussion with plantation owners		
	Neighborhood group gatherings		
	Activate WHSNC		
	Discussion for Labour Officer and Contractor's Associations		
March	Advocacy and Sensitization meetings		
	Awareness cum Action campaigns		
	Waste management measures		
	Rat and stray dog control		
	Elimination of Lymphatic Filariasis		
April	Advocacy and Sensitization campaigns		
	Dry container and Key container elimination campaigns		

	Mana tangan da mlantatian agamaiana			
	Move towards plantation campaigns			
	Rapid response to outbreaks			
May	Awareness cum action campaigns			
	Clean public place campaigns			
	Clean water campaigns			
	Rapid response to outbreaks			
June to	Rapid response to outbreaks			
August	Strengthen treatment facility			
	Weekly dry day observations			
	Student campaign			
	Observe Anti Malaria and Anti Dengue months			
	PH Act implementation, Meetings			
September	Advocacy and sensitization meetings			
to	Intensive screening of immigrants for malaria.			
December	Prevent breeding of malaria mosquitoes			
	Release larvivorous fishes in wells and other water sources.			
	IRS in endemic areas and focal spray in outbreak areas of malaria			
	Supply of Doxycycline for the prevention of Leptospirosis.			
	Waste disposal and rat control with the help of other agencies.			
	Aedes control and surveillance against Dengue outbreaks			
	Control of outbreaks of other diseases whenever needed			
	Action campaigns may be organized if required			

General guidelines for control activities

Control of mosquito borne diseases (Dengue, Chikungunya and Malaria)

# Detection and elimination of breeding sources of Aedes mosquito

Conduct one survey every week in all JHI areas covering 30-50 or more houses (50 or more houses in populated areas and 30 or more houses in less populated areas) and assess the indices (CI, HI and BI). There should be efforts to detect all breeding sites including any newer sites and to eliminate breeding sites. This should be repeated weekly in all high risk areas until the area becomes low risk.

Identify buildings with water storage practice in water deficient areas and make necessary interventions to avoid mosquito breeding.

Visit construction sites and take steps to prevent mosquito breeding in water collected in sunken slabs, lift space, curing areas, terrace tops, tanks etc.

Undertake weekly source reduction in the campus of all health institutions (GH, DH, THQH, CHC, PHC, SC, DMO Offices etc).

During pre - monsoon cleaning, cleaning must be done in such a way that all hidden sources of Aedes (especially tyres and dry containers) are suitably disposed.

During summer, sources of Aedes will be minimum. Conduct a detailed Aedes survey (esp by DVC Unit) to trace out all potential sources and key containers and eliminate them so that during monsoon the density of Aedes can be kept low.

DVC Units have to find out Pupal indices in addition to larval indices so that the risk of the area and efficiency of source reduction in the area can be evaluated.

#### Detection and elimination of breeding sources of anopheles mosquitoes

In areas where malaria was detected and in areas where migrants are residing, search for breeding sites of Anopheles mosquito and undertake control measures (netting of tanks, deposition of abate solution or Diflubenzuron tablets, introduction of fish, IRS etc).

Visit construction sites and take steps to prevent mosquito breeding especially in the water tanks.

Arrange regular IRS in malaria endemic areas and focal spray in malaria outbreak areas.

Fogging may be done in areas where there is high mosquito density to reduce mosquito density. This may be done in health institutions also.

Fogging and source reduction should be done in the following areas. District Malaria Officer (DMLO) should coordinate these activities with the help of DVC unit.

Undertake Fogging and Source reduction in 30 – 50 houses around the house of all Dengue patients. This should be arranged with in 48 hours of diagnosing Dengue. The diagnosis of Dengue fever in Medical College, District hospital or any other hospital should be informed to the concerned CHC/PHC immediately to arrange fogging and source reduction.

In the campus of all hospitals where there is treatment for Dengue and Chikungunya. This should be done once a week.

Provide mosquito nets (preferably LLIN) to VBD patients or make the fever ward mosquito proof in major hospitals.

#### Improve surveillance for early detection of vector borne diseases

Improve active and passive blood sample collection for detection of malaria

Conduct regular screening of migrants to detect Malaria and Filaria. Field staff should visit residences and worksites of migrants regularly.

Sensitize contractors and work supervisors to get help for the screening.

Collect 5 samples of suspected cases from each GH, DH and THQH every week (3 to 4 major hospitals in a district) and test for Dengue/ Chikungunya. Samples may be sent to SSH for testing. Send report on or before 5<sup>th</sup> of every month. District Malaria Officer should coordinate these activities with the help of DLT.

Do necessary maintenance of all fish tanks (mini hatcheries) in health institutions and also in schools/ panchayaths, rear good number of larvivorous fishes (guppy) and distribute to selected water masses for biological control.

#### Control of water borne diseases (ADD, Typhoid, Cholera, Hepatitis A & E)

Work with LSGD and Water Resources department to ensure regular supply of safe drinking water. Work with concerned local authorities and civil society to protect drinking water sources and to purify and chlorinate before supply.

JHI should visit all pumping stations regularly to ensure proper chlorination (proper purification if possible).

Regularly visit hotels, shops and bakeries to ensure the use of chlorinated boiled water for preparing soda, cola, ice cream, sip up, sarbath, juices etc.

Arrange for water quality testing and corrective measures.

Work for decentralized waste disposal, plastic ban, sanitary latrines etc.

Active case search and preventive measures against Cholera in Wayanad and vulnerable areas in Thiruvananthapuram.

#### **Control of Leptospirosis**

- Supply Doxycycline tablets to all people engaged in high risk jobs.
- ➤ Work with LSGD for solid waste management.
- > Seek the help of other LSGD and Agriculture departments for rodent control.
- Promote personal protection to high risk groups.

## **Control of Hepatitis B**

- > Ensure blood safety.
- ➤ Vaccinate all children up to 5 years.
- > Sensitize laboratories, Dental clinics and hospitals regarding proper sterilization.
- Educate hair saloons, beauty parlour, tattoo centre workers about hygienic measures.

Control of other emerging diseases (H1N1 fever, Scrub Typhus, Leishmaniasis).

Specific guidelines issued earlier should be followed.

Implementation of PH Act.

#### Fire Hazard

The number of city fires in a year has multiplied by 10 times in India during the last three decades as per the findings of National Institute of Disaster Management. Haphazard growth of the city, proliferation of slums, and fragile infrastructure aggravates the situation. In a building, fires are primarily due to electrical short-circuiting, overloading, improper earthing, tripping, failures of fittings, improper use of inflammable gases etc.

In slums and squatter settlements, closely packed construction, construction with inflammable materials, narrow, winding lanes inhibiting access to fire engines, unauthorized tapped electrical connections, stocking of highly flammable and toxic scrap material, loose or unsafe wiring are major causes of fires.

In old residential areas, encroachment, household industries dealing with flammable materials, narrow roads result in fires, while unsafe handling of flammable substances, non adherence to safety norms like use of mobile phones etc are major causes of fires in petrol pumps/gas stations.

Prevention and mitigation of fire risks depends on a critical risk assessment followed by preparedness and risk reducing measures. Major preventive measures in high rise buildings may be listed as the following structural and non-structural measures:

Structural Non Structural Strict adherence to all safety measures Implementation of Fire Order - role & Building by-laws with respect to Fire responsibility of occupant Fighting & Safety Standards Building to have proper Emergency Exit Ensuring Good House Keeping - Occupant participation Escape route to be properly marked Careful smoking Building to have Fire Ring main & Careful use of Hazardous product like LPG & network of Hydrant & Water Monitor SKO by occupants Provision of Automatic Fire Siren System Keeping means of Escape hindrance free Dedicated Under Ground/Over ground Evacuation Drill on regular Interval Fire Water Tank & automatic Sprinkler Portable Fire Extinguisher Regular Training of fire & Safety to occupant Provision of Hose Reel Regular Maintenance of Fire Safety Equipment Lightning protection Display of Important Telephone Numbers Reticulated or piped gas Supplies of LPG/PNG

**Table 6.2 Fire Prevention & Mitigation Measures** 

Urban Fire Hazards demands a shift from Fire Fighting to Fire prevention by ensuring enrollment of all partners (Community, Administration, Occupant, Fire Department) & to identify Vulnerable areas/activities, assessing Fire Risk & making Fire Safety an integral part of Town Planning & Building Design to avoid heavy Human & Financial Losses.

At present, the State has Fire Force Act 1962, which need thorough revision and updation to meet provisions of National Building Code (NBC, 2005) in order to strict implementation of fire code in building design and construction. National Building Code (NBC) should be strictly adhered to in high-rise buildings, schools, colleges, shopping malls, cinema halls, hospitals, industrial units, institutions and public and private buildings. This can be ensured only by the city corporation before giving permission for construction activities.

The FRS in the city lacks in firefighting manpower and also there are shortage of emergency equipment's which need to be filled up at the earliest.

Based on prioritization of Fire Stations, State Fire Services needs to add new Fire Stations at a faster pace, as there is a huge gap both in urban and rural areas.

Online Vehicle tracking through GPS or and development of a fully computerized response system is another area for improvement.

Though Kerala State Fire and Rescue Services is creating public awareness programs through fire prevention wing and fire service officers in schools, hospitals, Govt. offices, etc. however, it is not meeting up to the desired level due to lack of trained manpower and funds. For that purpose sufficient manpower at senior officer levels have been recommended to have an effective State "Fire Prevention Wing". The fire prevention wing should have trained officials for fire inspection, awareness and training, so that fire incidences similar to that of AMRI, Kolkata should not occur. The Fire & Rescue Sevice should have a dedicated "Education Van" in for this purpose. The van should be well equipped with short video films as produced by MHA, distribution of pamphlets on "DO"s and "DONOT"s generated by MHA, and live demonstration of how to use "portable extinguishers" and handle small fires.

Periodic fire drills and fire-inspection of schools, colleges, cinema halls hospitals, shopping complexes, multi-storied buildings, and major industrial centers should be taken care by the FRS.

For congested areas, and by-lanes where movement of Water Tender and Water Bowser is difficult, QRTs and motorcycle with mist sets should be used for the fastest response, supplemented by the Water Tenders and Water Bowsers by laying the large hose pipelines. Additionally, Fire Service should identify congested areas and request district administration to decongest such areas with the help of police. The congestion could be in terms of illegal extension of residential buildings, shops, unauthorized parking on roads. For unauthorized parking, State traffic department can also play an important role. Here role of fire prevention officials is important as such, exercises are not one time exercise and should be carried out regularly.

#### **Nuclear and radiological Emergencies**

#### **Public Awareness**

Public awareness plays a key role in the emergency preparedness and response plans for any type of emergency/disaster where the participation/role of the public is of prime importance. The fact that one cannot see, feel or smell the presence of radiation, coupled with a general lack of credible and authentic information to the public at large about radiation and radiation emergencies and the wide publicity given to any nuclear/radiation-related incident, has resulted in several erroneous perceptions about nuclear technology.

To educate the people about the beneficial aspects of nuclear radiation and to remove their misgivings about it, awareness programmes should be conducted for the public and officials with the basics of radiation protection, safety limits, safety practices, and the dos and don'ts during a nuclear emergency.

#### Network of Emergency Response Centres and Crisis Management Group

As a basic regulatory requirement, emergency preparedness exists at all nuclear and radiation facilities to respond to any on-site or off-site emergency in their areas. But to handle radiological emergencies arising from a transport accident or from the movement/ handling of 'orphan sources' (radioactive sources that have lost regulatory control are called 'orphan sources') or due to malevolent acts like explosion of an RDD, Radiation Exposure Device (RED) or IND any time or anywhere in the country, a network of 18 units of Emergency Response Centres (ERCs) has been established by BARC, DAE This network is basically meant for responding to such emergencies and also providing timely advice and guidance to first responders at the state and national levels. These ERCs are equipped with radiation monitoring instruments, protective gear and other supporting infrastructure. The geographical locations of these 18 ERCs are shown in Figure (4.12).

#### Check regulatory and enforcement roles

The AERB, the national regulatory authority, has been regulating the nuclear and radiation facilities in the country very effectively and has, over the years, issued a large number of codes, standards and guides. These cover the various activities relating to the nuclear fuel cycle as well as for radiation applications in medicine, industry, agriculture and research. As far as the city administration is concerned, its role is confined to informing the AERB, if any violation of codes or procedure is identified. The nearest ERC to Trivandrum City are located in Alwaye & koodankulam.

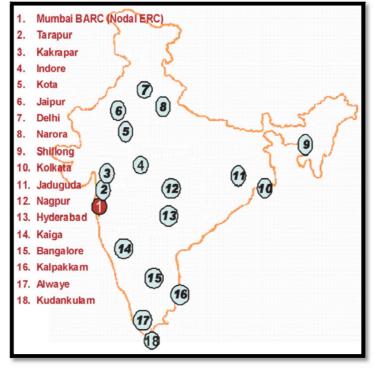


Fig.6.2: Network of Emergency Response Centres and Crisis Management Group

Source: National Disaster Management Authority

#### **Emergency Plans to Respond to Transportation Accidents**

The AERB has laid down guidelines to be adopted for the transport of radioactive materials and emergency response plans for accidents during their transportation The AERB's safety code covers the design of the transport container, its handling and loading, procedures for transporting and unloading, including the procedures to handle any accident en-route. The SOPs also indicate what will be done in the event of any radiation emergency—the precautions to be taken, the agencies to be notified, etc. The CMG, DAE, will also be available to direct the technical resources of DAE to any location and to assist the transporters/local authorities in responding to the emergency situation.

#### Strengthening the Institutional Frameworks (for Regulatory and Response Mechanisms)

It is well known that effective coordination mechanisms amongst the different agencies involved is the key to an efficient emergency response mechanism. This requires formal institutional frameworks and linkages, with the necessary statutory backing. Therefore a coordination mechanism between DAE and the local/district officials who would be responding to any radiation emergency in the public domain is essential for the implementation of a regulatory and enforcement mechanism by the AERB.

#### Provision of a Portable Radiation Detection System

With increasing incidences of terrorists activities and impending threat of an RDD, it is imperative that the police, which in all probability will be the first to reach the site of an explosion, should have some simple portable monitoring instruments (at each police station within the areas with radiological threat perception) which will warn them as they approach the radiation area (from, say, a blast of RDD).

#### Strengthening the Medical Preparedness and Response Mechanism

Presently, there is no network of hospitals in the city which can handle radiation induced injuries on a large scale. The establishment of such a network is essential for handling nuclear emergencies/disasters. There should also be a dedicated and reliable communication facility among hospitals so that they can pool their resources when required.

#### **Physical Protection**

Facilities using radioactive sources need to strengthen their physical protection systems along with proper inventory and control procedures of the radiation sources. If possible, the city administration must have all the details of radioactive sources in the city along with the antidotes, communication officer of nearest ERC s and also details of hospitals that can handle nuclear emergencies and also essential medical supplies.'

#### **Tansportation Safety**

The National Urban Transport Policy aims to introduce Intelligent Transport System for traffic management. The policy is meant to improve safety, efficiency and economic productivity of transport system in an urban area. Though the full adaptation of the ITS available today is yet to get implemented in India, Area Traffic Control System (ATCS) which is one of the components of ITS, is applied to manage traffic here.

CDAC, Thiruvananthapuram has already developed an ATCS for Indian conditions and implemented in Pune. A similar traffic control system is proposed in Thiruvananthapuram. Traffic enforcement and monitoring with the help of camera stations and centralised traffic regulation will also help to reduce accidents.

#### **Pedestrian facilities**

Improvements to pedestrian facilities include footpaths along the roads), foot over bridges, subways, at grade pedestrian road crossing facilities, exclusive pedestrian pathways etc is highly required in the city. A bout 12 locations have been identified for providing pedestrian road crossing facilities. They are Thampanoor, East Fort, SMV School, Statue, Medical College, Pattom Kesavadasapuram, Cotton Hill, General Hospital Jn., Karamana, Vazhuthcaud and Manacaud.

#### **Parking Facilities**

Absence of off street parking facilities has caused traffic obstructions on many a road in the city by on street haphazard vehicle parking. Off street parking facilities are proposed as ground level facility, underground facility and/or multilevel facility.

A few critical locations are identified below. Palayam, Statue – Secretariat area, Vazhuthcaud, near Museum & Zoo, Ulloor – Medical College Hospital area, Peroorkada, East Fort – Chalai area, Thampanoor area & Vellayambalam – Sasthamangalam road.

#### Grade Separators for identified road intersection

In the Central Business area and places where major work centres are located, the pedestrian is in sharp conflict with vehicular traffic. In Thiruvananthapuram, pedestrians cross the roads at grade. Where a high volume of pedestrians cross a road of an equally heavy volume of vehicular traffic, proper grade separated pedestrian facilities should be provided. Traffic studies in the city has identified a few road intersections on the major roads which now have nearly 10000 PCUs per hour and the traffic projections show substantial increase in traffic volume. At grade solutions like signalling have been counterproductive leading to queuing up of vehicles especially at peak hours, disruption of traffic flow and resulting in increase in accidents.

Possible solution to this (apart from better mass transport facilities) is to construct grade separators (flyovers or underpasses). Road junctions identified are: Pattom, PMG Jn., Medical College Jn., Vellayambalam, Sreekariam, Ulloor Jn., Widening & improvements to Thampanoor flyover, Pettah – Anayara road, Peroorkada etc.

#### **Climate Change Mitigation**

Mitigation refers to any strategic intervention and/or anthropogenic action taken to remove the greenhouse gases (GHG) released into the atmosphere, or to reduce their amount, to reduce any risk and hazards of climate change to human life and environment.

The Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) defines climate change mitigation as technological change and substitution that reduce resource inputs and emissions per unit of output. Although several social, economic and technological policies would produce an emission reduction, with respect to climate change, mitigation means implementing policies to reduce GHG emissions and enhance sinks.

# **Mitigation Measures**

Switching to low-carbon energy sources such as wind power, solar, geothermal, hydroelectric or nuclear represents one of the major strategies for lowering the emissions of greenhouse gases in the atmosphere.

The scale of the challenge is daunting - fossil fuels make up about 80% of all energy. But technologies such as carbon capture and storage (CCS) could help reduce their impact. One form of CCS involves

chemically capturing the carbon dioxide from a power station flue, and then piping it underground so that the invisible gas is contained in rock formations without leaking.

Existing oil fields, un-mineable coal seams and underground salty aquifers are all among the geological sites that are considered suitable for CO2 storage. But while CCS could, in theory, limit the amount of carbon going into the atmosphere; it doesn't do much for the CO2 already there.

Greening urban areas can also make a difference. Cities are home to half the planet's population, and are responsible for three-quarters of energy consumption and 80% of carbon emissions. Retro-fitting buildings to make them more energy efficient and cutting the impact of transport emissions represent some of the strategies for doing this.

Tackling waste is also an issue. About 11.2 billion metric tonnes of solid waste is currently being collected around the world every year, and the organic portion that decays is contributing around 5 % to global greenhouse gas emissions. Experts would like to reduce its impact primarily by producing less but also recycling more and treating waste in a way that is less harmful to the environment or even using it as a sustainable energy fuel source.

Mitigation also extends to the protection of natural carbon "sinks" like the forests or oceans. New sinks can be created through, for example, forest regeneration.

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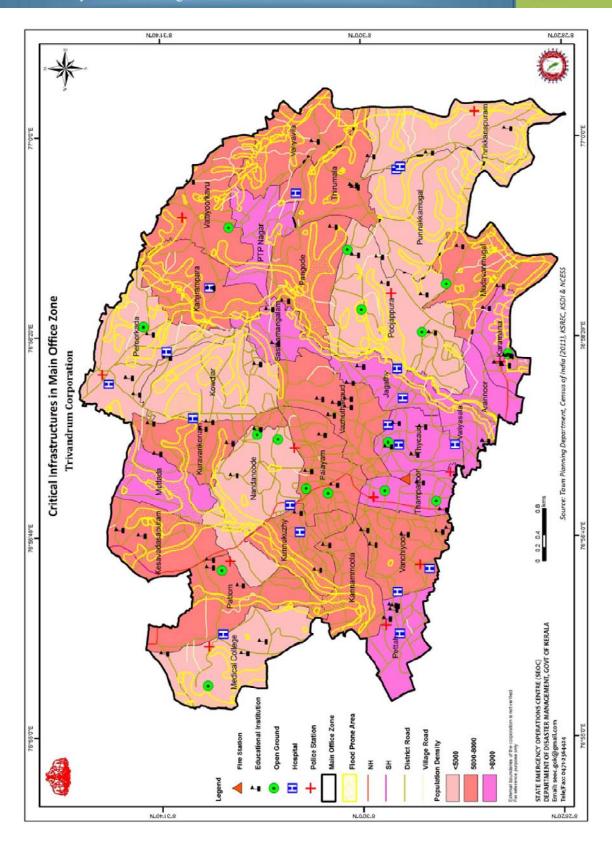
# Planning & Response Structure

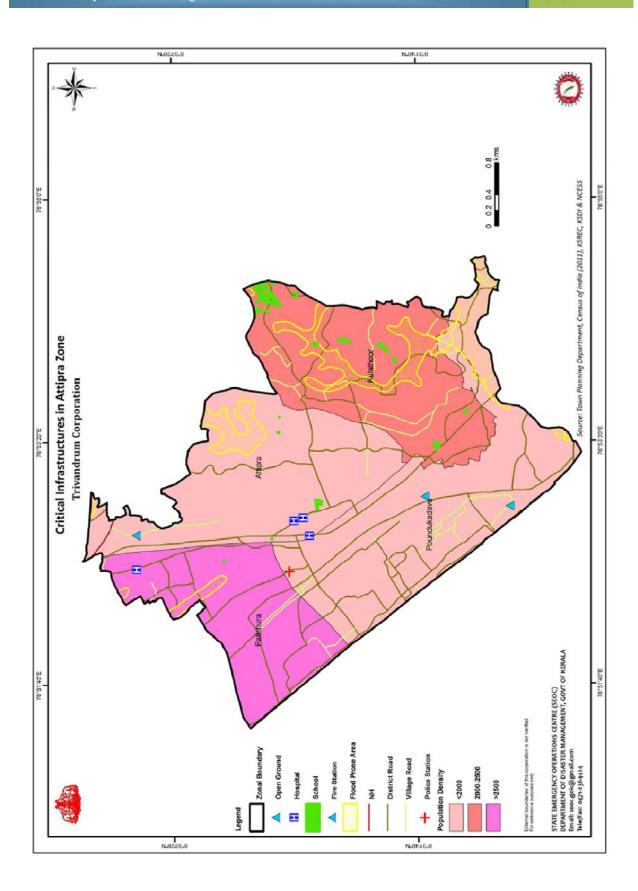
# **Grid Based Emergency Coordination**

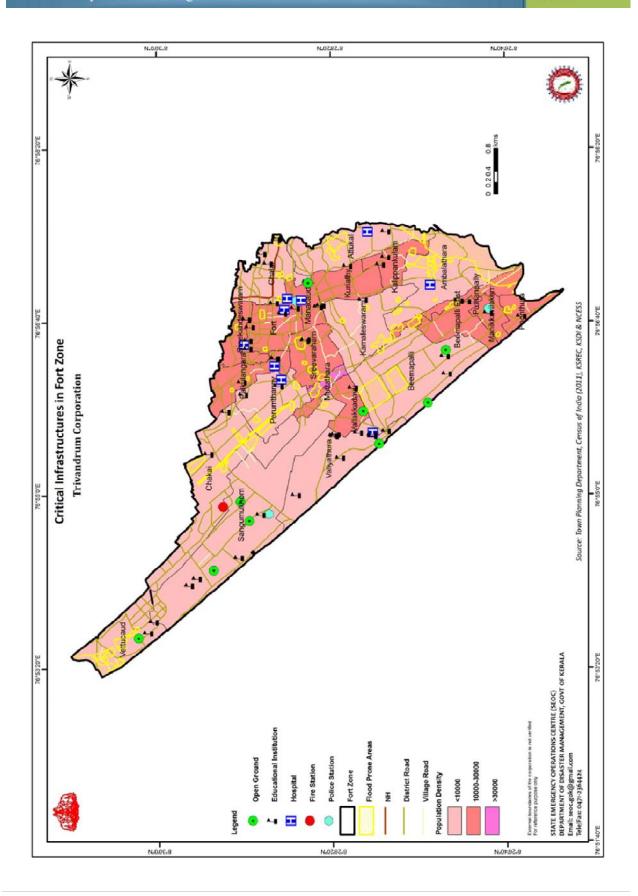
Segregation of City Corporation into various grids, ensuring effective management during a disaster helps in better planning and coordination by the supporting agencies. This grid system may divide the entire city corporation into twelve zones (based on the present zonal office) and capacity analysis of each zone is done, so that in an emergency, each grid will stand alone and act as a separate functional unit with its own resources and capacities, which in turn helps in quarantining and effective time management. The 12 Zonal Office in the Trivandrum City Corporation and associated wards are as follows.

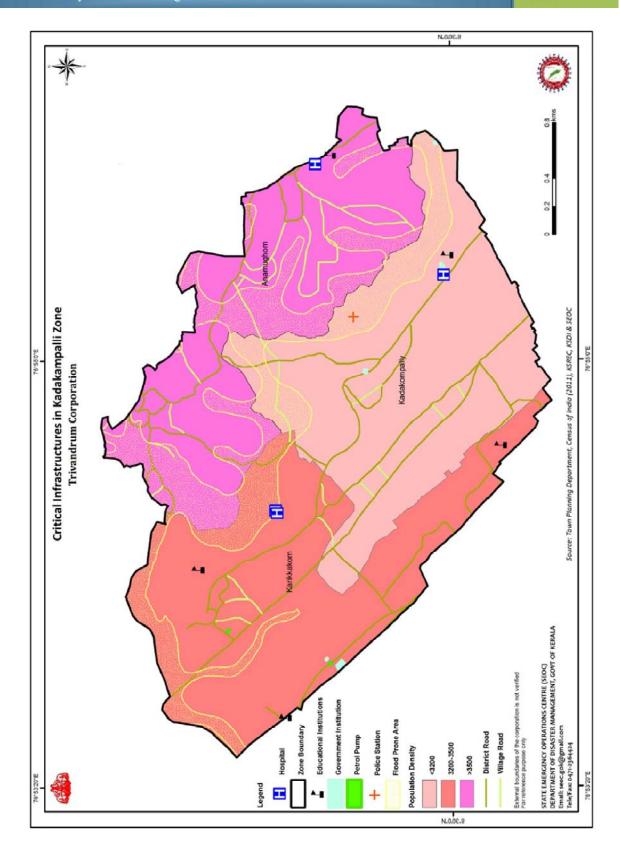
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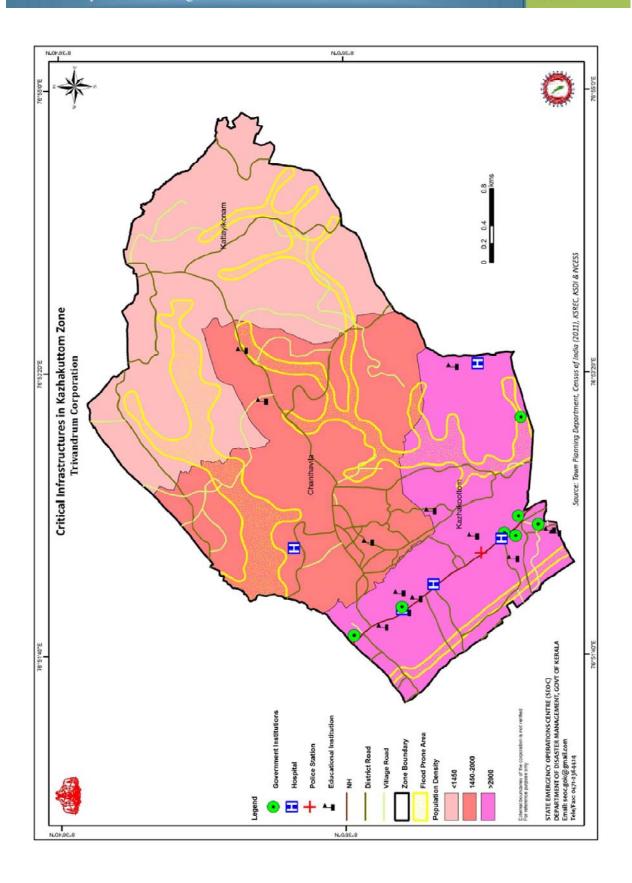
SL No	Zonal Office	Wards
1	Attipra	Pallithura, Kulathoor, Attipra, Poundkadavu
2	Ulloor	Cheruvaikal, Akkulam, Edavakkod, Mannanthala, Nalanchira, Ulloor
3	Kadakampalli	Anamukham, Karikkakom, Kadakampalli
4	Fort	Sreevaraham, Manacaud, Fort, Chala, Ambalathara, Attukal, Kuriathi, Kalippankulam, Kamaleswaram, Kaladi, Poonthura, Puthenpalli, Manikyavilakom, Beemapalli, Beemapalli East, Muttathara, Valiyathura, Vallakkadavu
5	Thiruvallam	Thiruvallam, Punchakari, Poonkulam, Vellar
6	Nemom	Estate, Pappanamcode, Nemom, Ponnumangalam, Melamcode
7	Vattiyoorkavu	Thuruthummoola, Nettayam, Kachani, Vazhottukonam, Kodunganoor
8	Kudappanakunnu	Kinavoor, Kudappanakunnu, Pathirappally, Chettivilakam
9	Sreekaryam	Chellamangalam, Chempazhanthy, Powdikonam, Njandoorkonam, Sreekaryam
10	Kazhakuttom	Kazhakuttom, Chanthavila, Kaattayikonam
11	Vizhinjam	Venganoor, Mulloor, Kottapuram, Vizhinjam, Harbour
12	Main Office	Nanthencode, Kesavadasapuram, Muttada, Kuravankonam, Pattom, Medical College, Kannammoola, Kowdiar, Kanjirampara, Valiyavila, Sasthamangalam, Vattiyoorkavu, Peroorkada, PTP Nagar, Kunnukuzhy, Palayam, Thampanoor, Valiyasala, Jagathy, Vazhuthacaud, Pangode, Thycaud, Thirumala, Thrikkannapuram, Mudavanmugal, Poojappura, Valiyavila, Karamana, Aranoor, Nedumkadu, Sreekandeswaram, Perumthanni, Palkulangara, Vanchiyoor, Chakka, Sankhumugham, Vettukadu, Pettah.

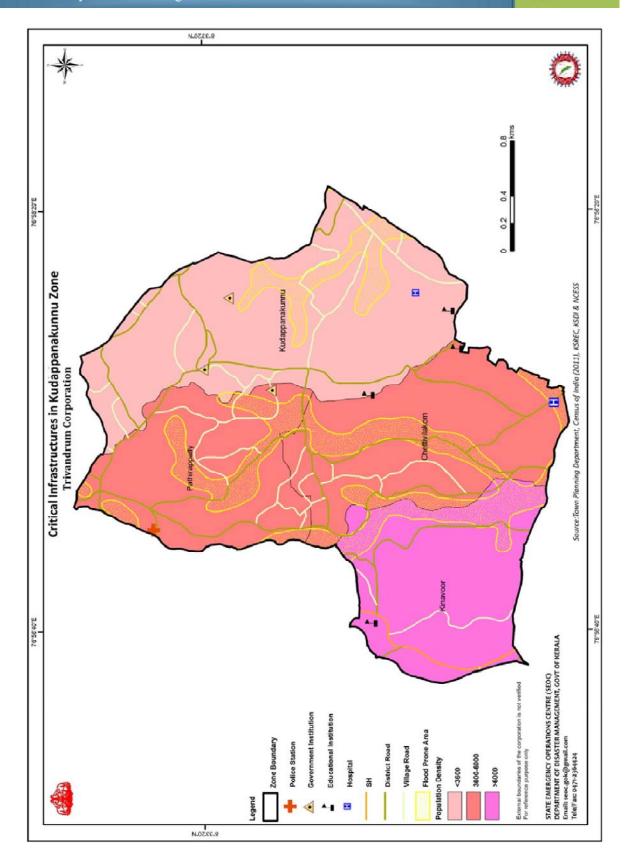


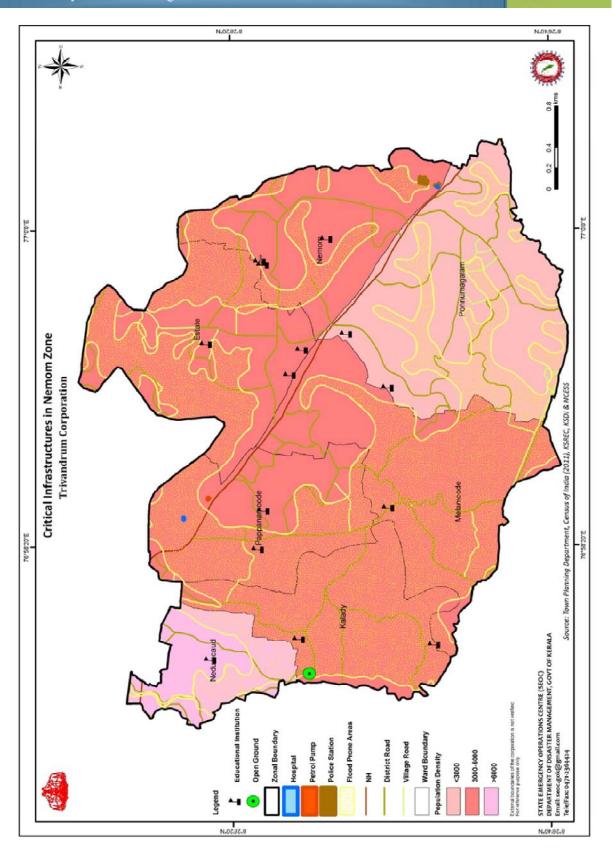


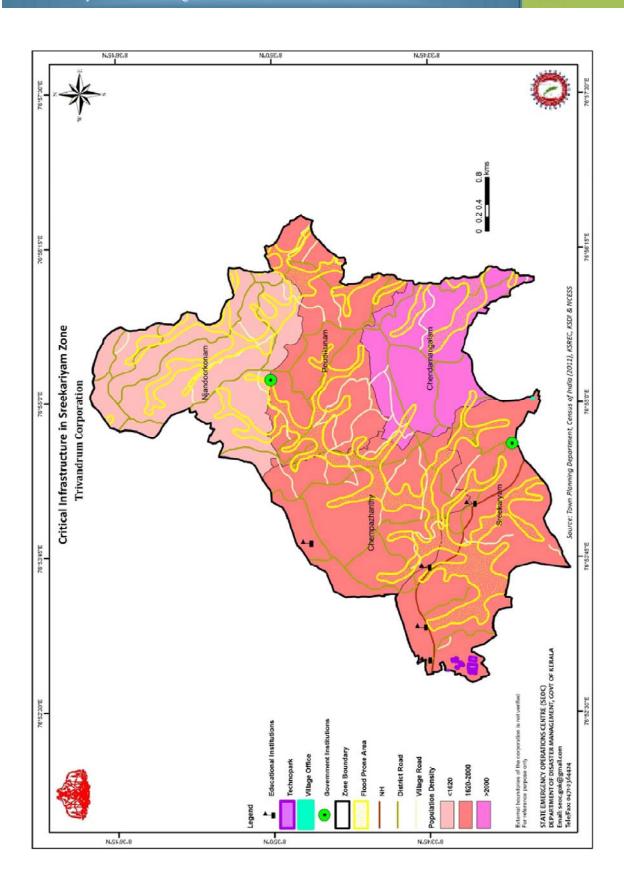


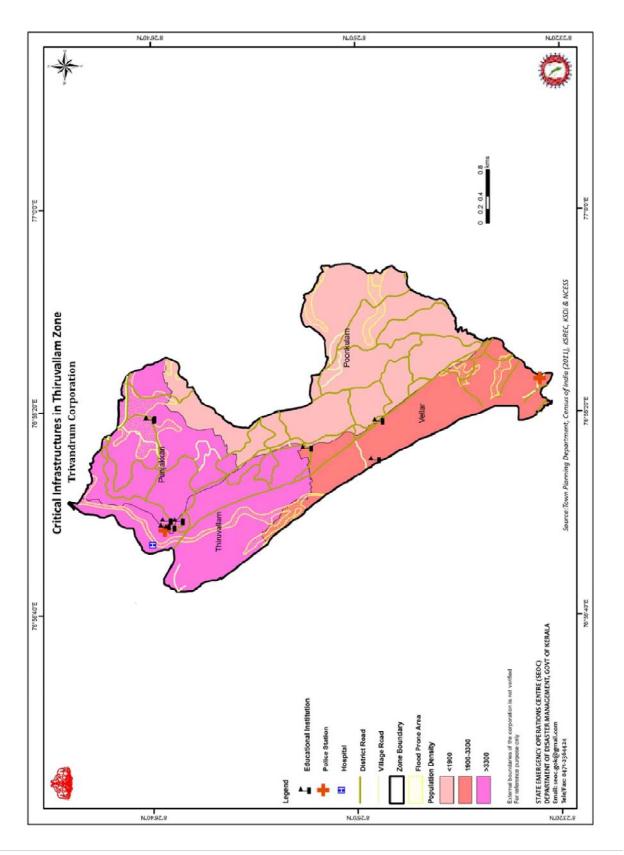


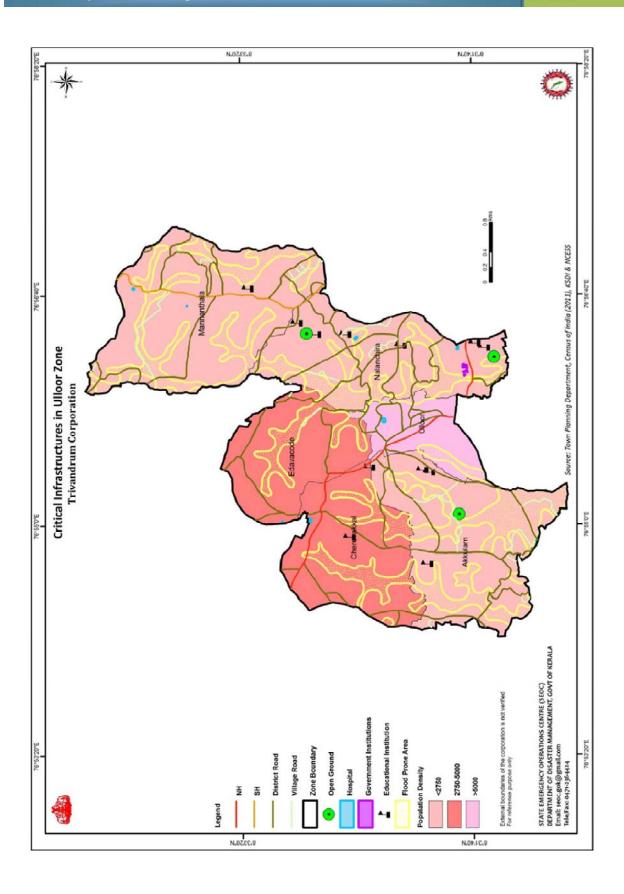


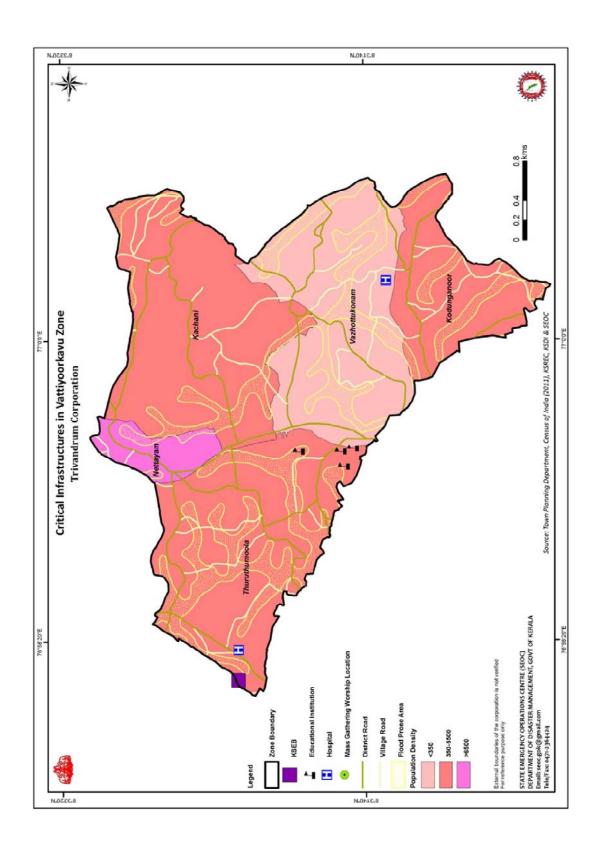


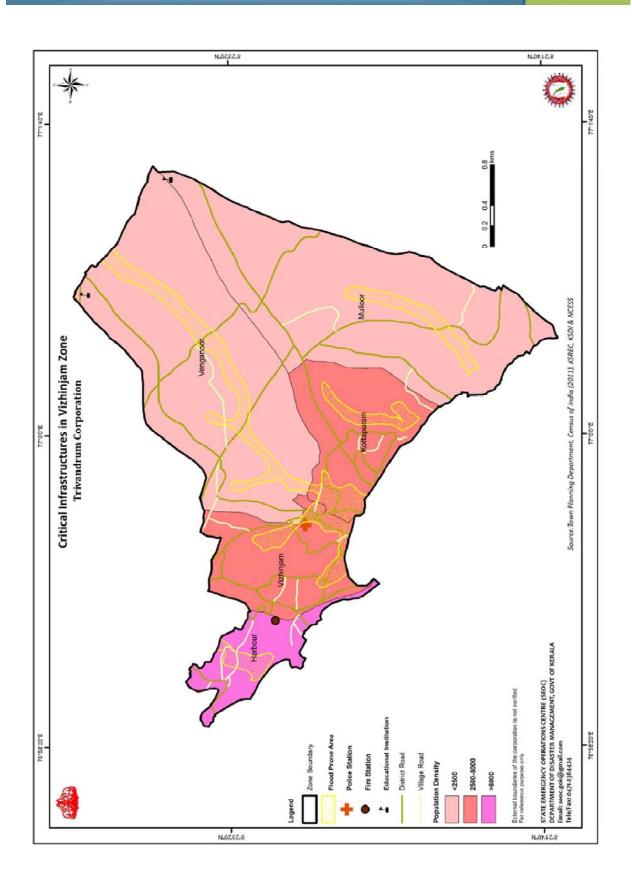












### **Emergency Trigger Matrix**

f	Colour Code &	Actions
Level of Emergency	Type of Event	
_ 기 표		General:
		Normal Operations
		Executive: Normal Functions
	Normal	Command and Control:
	( Day to Day)	Check status of EOC equipment and repair or replace as needed.
		Check status of EOC supplies and restocks needed. Update EOC resource data
1		General:
	Potential	The initial detection of an event occurring or anticipated to occur and has the potential to have a significant impact on the City Operations or the community. Assessment is made to determine the hazard(s), timing, and impact.
	threat	An alert stage to warn City Departments of developing, near term threats which could significantly impact City operations - and/or -will likely result in the need for multi-agency coordination in the near term (within a few hours).
		Preparedness actions may include holding a coordination meeting of key response and recovery stakeholders –or- assembly of a Situation Assessment Team to make a more comprehensive threat assessment. Individual departments may enact internal preparedness or readiness plans or take actions based upon the threat and its impact. The EOC may be placed into Activation mode.  Executive:
		The Mayor will review potential emergency situation, determine staff availability, and review emergency tasks assigned in the emergency management plan and annexes.
		Designate the personnel on call for emergency duty.
		Command and Control: Alert staffs, determine personnel availability & update EOC staff call lists. Consider situation briefings for senior staff.
2		General:
		An event or stage of an event that requires multi-agency coordination

beyond what occurs on a day-to-day basis between agencies.

Time span of operations is typically less than 24 hours. Activities typically involve coordination/acquisition of locally obtainable resources.

Coordination of Plans or response actions by EOC.

#### **Limited Event**

#### **Executive:**

The City Mayor will brief the Departmental Heads on the potential emergency situation and plans to deal with it should it occur and ensure that on-call staff members are available by telephone and ready to report duty if called.

Coordinate with the State & District Administration, if necessary.

#### Command & Control

Consider situation briefings for EOC staff.

Determine specific EOC staff assignments and alert staff.

Monitor potential emergency situation and determine possible impact areas.

Update maps, charts, displays, and resource data.

#### General:

An event or stage of an event either anticipated or actual where response actions will exceed the resource capabilities of the City & State Response activities will occur over multiple operational periods.

Recovery actions may last over a period of weeks.

#### Executive

The City Mayor will brief the Departmental Heads on the potential emergency situation and plans to deal with it should it occur and ensure that on-call staff members are available by telephone and ready to report duty if called.

#### **Major Event**

Coordinate with the State & District Administration

#### **Command & Control**

Monitor situation.

Update maps, charts, displays, and resource lists.

Arrange for essential service

Determine possible hazard impact areas and potential hazard effects.

Conduct briefings for senior staff and EOC staff.

Formulate and implement precautionary measures to protect the public.

Coordinate with adjacent jurisdictions that may be affected.

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#### **Early Warning System**

A systematic approach towards managing risk through an established early warning system (EWS) can minimize loss of lives and adverse economic impact. EWS backed with effective institutional arrangements can predict hazards in a timely and effective manner, thereby empowering decision makers and community. Early warning of impending disasters and their effective dissemination by using various alternative communications are the key factors for effective prevention and preparedness. Advancement in observation and monitoring, mathematical modeling, computing capabilities, communication technology and conduct of scientific risk assessment facilitated dissemination of timely and accurate warnings by technical agencies and move people/assets from harm's way.

In Trivandrum District, early warning on an impending event is the key responsibility of District Collector (ex-officio Chairman of DDMA). The District Collector sends these early warning messages to various institutions, including Thiruvananthapuram Corporation via fax, email and phone calls. Thiruvananthapuram Corporation on receipt of warning informs the people within its Jurisdiction. Key agencies currently involved in the process of issuing early warning are IMD, INCOIS, GSI, NCESS, KSDMA, ILDM, SEOC, IDSP Cell, Port authority, Irrigation Department and Fisheries Department.

A detailed Early Warning Action plan is being prepared under GOI-UNDP Climate Risk Management Project and will be added as a supplementary document to the City Disaster Management Plan.

ESF S	Functions	Roles	Primary Department	Secondary Departments
ESF 1	Coordination	Establishing Effective Coordination mechanism for smooth Relief and Response Activities	District Collectorate	Revenue & DM Trivandrum City Corporation Fire & Rescue PWD Police DHS/ DMO
ESF 2	Communication	Establishing, maintaining, augmenting, and providing backup for all types of Communication devices needed during emergency response operations.	Home Department	NIC Police / Revenue Wireless operator Ham Radio Operator Clubs, Mobile Operators
ESF 3	Early Warning	Communicating alerts on disaster from various sources to the city emergency control operation centre.	Weather related – IMD (Indian meteorological Department) Flood – CWC (Central Water Commission) Landslide – GSI/NCESS (Geological Survey of India/ national Centre for earth science studies) Tsunami – INCOIS (Indian National Centre for Ocean information Service) Storm Surge – NCESS Health related- Directorate of	DEOC Revenue Dept Fisheries Coast Guard Police

			Health Services  NEOC/ SEOC (National /State Emergency Operation Centre)  State Disaster Management Authority Chemical – Factories & Boilers	
ESF 4	Information Dissemination	Preparation and dissemination of notifications, updates, warnings, and instructional messages, making the help line operational	PRD BSNL SEOC	FM Radio, Local Cable TV Network, Electronic and Print Media, AIR Doordarshan
ESF 5	Search & Rescue	Removal of trapped and injured persons from buildings collapses and other structural collapses, administering first aid, and assisting in transporting the seriously injured to medical facilities	Fire Department SDRF NDRF	Police Coast guard Navy Army Airforce Paramilitary forces CBDRM Emergency Response Team City response Team
ESF 6	Evacuation	Immediately following an alert from control room people may need to be evacuated to safe places	Revenue Department	Police Animal Husbandry CBDRM Emergency Response Team City response Team

ESF 7	Emergency Medical Response	Mass fatality management, Public health, Medical, Mental health service	DHS/DMO,	Health Circle, Corporation Blood Banks CBDRM ERT's NGO's youth clubs
ESF 8	Relief	Optimizing Food and Civil Supplies to the needful. Accommodating homeless and affected people and providing mass care	District Collectorate	Food and Civil Supplies Revenue CBDRM ERT's
ESF 9	Infrastructure utility restoration	Restoration and repair of Electric and Water supply system to minimize the impact on critical service to the public	City Corporation	PWD Irrigation KSEB Health Department
ESF 10	Debris Clearance	The identification, removal, and disposal of rubble, wreckage, and other material which block or hamper the performance of emergency response functions	City Corporation	PWD NHAI KSEB Forest Fire & rescue Indian railways CBDRM ERT's City Response team
ESF 11	Law and Order	Law and Order enforcement for Public Safety Police Dept	Police	Home Guards

#### **Structure of Emergency Support Functions**

#### **Response Frame Work # 1: Coordination**

## ESF NO. 1

#### **COORDINATION**



#### TEAM LEADER

District collector



#### **SUPPORTING AGENCY**

**PRD** 

**BSNL** 

**SEOC** 

FM Radio, Local

Cable TV Network,

Electronic and Print

Media,

AIR

Doordarshan

#### PREPAREDNESS PHASE

- Functioning of (24 X 7) EOC at District, Taluk & City
- Regular Updating and Situation analysis of any calamity through early warning centers
- Analyzing daily weather report
- Make arrangements for intact emergency communications & identify emergency shelters.
- Establish interdepartmental coordination network

#### RESPONSE PHASE

 Give alert to all primary departments to standby and request to take all precautionary and preparatory measures and to remain vigilant to face the challenge of any disaster.



#### RESPONSIBILITIES

Maintaining Coordination among all stakeholders to manage critical situations Strengthening EOC

Arrangement of all unmet needs during in emergency

Patrolling all vulnerable points

Resource Mapping

#### Response Frame Work # 2: Communication



#### PREPAREDNESS PHASE

- Identify operational telecom facilities
- Identify requirement of additional telecom facilities
- Maintain VHF Communication network

#### **RESPONSE PHASE**

- Establish Temporary mobile exchanges on
- Priority
- Arrange temporary communication facility for public
- Activation of HAM Radio network
- Establish Inter department communication facility



#### RESPONSIBILITIES

Establishing, maintaining, augmenting, and providing backup for all types of Communication devices needed during emergency response operations. Prepare and Update list of ham radio operators

Maintain/Install VHF Communication facilities

#### Response Frame Work #3: Emergency Public Information, Help line & Warning

#### ESF NO. 3

# INFORMATION DISSIMENATION



#### PREPAREDNESS PHASE

Collecting resource inventories of major line departments

#### **RESPONSE PHASE**

- ESF's will report the situation and the progress in response activities to the respective EOCs.
- Send news flash of latest updates/donation
- requirements for disaster area all over the state
- Assist the EOC in providing crisp and updated information to national as well as state level.
- Setting up of toll free numbers for emergency information assistance



TEAM LEADER
DISTRICT COLLECTOR



#### **SUPPORTING AGENCY**

Police/Revenue Wireless operator Ham Radio Operator Mobile Operators NIC



#### **RESPONSIBILITIES**

To provide and collect reliable information on the status of the disaster and disaster victims for effective coordination of relief work at district level Coordinate with EOC's at the airport and railways for required information Coordinate with all TV and radio networks to send news flashes for specific needs.

#### Response Frame Work # 4 : Search & Rescue

#### ESF No. 4

#### **SEARCH & RESCUE**



#### TEAM LEADER DIVISIONAL FIRE OFFICER



#### **SUPPORTING AGENCY**

Police

Coast

guard/Navy/Army/Air

force

Paramilitary forces

Health Dept

**CBDRM Emergency** 

Response Team(ward

level task force)

City response Team

NSS/NYK/local club

volunteers

#### PREPAREDNESS PHASE

- Identify and locate resource inventories
- Conducting emergency mockdrills/ Sop preparation
- Maintaining emergency equipments

#### RESPONSE PHASE

- The QRTs will be deployed at the affected site
- QRTs will report the situation and the progress in response activities to the respective EOCs.
- Medical assistance and SAR for collapsed building structure.
- GIS is used to make an estimate of the damage area and the deployment of the SAR team in the area according to the priority.
- Ambulatory patients(Walking wounded) to be given first aid, and the rest to be transported to nearest hospital.



- Establish, maintain and manage state search and rescue response system.
- Coordinate search and rescue logistics during field operations
- Provide status reports of SAR updates throughout the affected areas.

#### Response Frame Work # 5: Evacuation

#### ESF No. 5

#### **EVACUATION**



#### TEAM LEADER CITY POLICE COMMISSIONER



#### **SUPPORTING AGENCY**

Revenue Dept
Police
CBDRM Emergency
Response Team(ward
level task force)
City response Team
NSS/NYK/local club
volunteers
City Corporation

#### PREPAREDNESS PHASE

- Identify and locate emergency shelters
- Conducting emergency mockdrills/ Sop preparation
- All district and Ward maps with clearly defined areas and road network.

#### **RESPONSE PHASE**

- Quick assessment of evacuation routes available through aerial and ground surveys
- Facilitate evacuation to safe shelters / open areas
- GIS is used to make an estimate of the damage area and identify the safest evacuation routes.
- Coordinate evacuation logistics during field operations
- Arrange transportation facilities to evacuate people to safe shelters



- Establish evacuation plans
- Identify fastest evacuation routes and alternate routes
- Coordinate evacuation logistics during field operations

#### Response Frame Work # 6: Medical Response

#### ESF No. 6

Medical response



#### TEAM LEADER

District Medical Officer/ Director DHS



#### **SUPPORTING AGENCY**

Private Hospitals
Asha Workers
NSS/NYK/local clubs
Ambulance Services
MotorVehicle
Department
Indian Red cross Society
Blood Banks
Response Team(ward level task force)
Kerala medical Services
Corporation Ltd

#### PREPAREDNESS PHASE

- Medical Health and Trauma preparedness and response plan containing emergency contact
- Check list for emergency first aid kits, emergency medicine supply, ambulance availability, Blood Banks etc.
- Conduct emergency mock drills/prepare Sop's

#### **RESPONSE PHASE**

- Provide information to all the hospital about likely damage and expected injuries
- Provide systematic approach to patient care Perform medical evaluation and treatment as needed
- Maintain patient tracking system to keep record of all patients treated the rest to be transported to nearest hospital.
- Determine type of injuries, illnesses and medicines needed



#### RESPONSIBILITIES

To coordinate, direct and integrate State level response

- Direct activation of medical personnel, supplies and equipment
- Coordinate the evacuation of patients
- To prepare and keep ready Mobile Hospitals.
- Keep and regularly update the reserves of medical supplies, equipments and drugs

#### Response Frame Work # 7: Relief

#### ESF No. 7 RELIEF



#### TEAM LEADER

Principal Secretary Revenue & DM/ ADM



#### SUPPORTING AGENCY

Revenue & DM
District Supply Office
City Corporation
PWD

KWA

Market association

NGO's/clubs etc

BSNL/Private mobile operators

Police

**KSEB** 



#### PREPAREDNESS PHASE

- Check list for onsite requirement for distribution of relief.
- Prepare emergency contact / resource inventory etc

#### **RESPONSE PHASE**

- Quick assessment of functional and stable buildings
- Clearing of the areas for establishment of relief camps
- Set up relief camps and tents
- Assist local authorities to set up important telecom and other services facilities
- Initiate, direct and market procurement of critical food available from different inventories
- Allocate food in different packs that can be given to families on a take-home / open community kitchen
- Make emergency food supplies available to population
- Locate adequate relief camps based on survey of damage
- Develop alternative arrangements for population living in structures that might be affected even after the disaster.

- Ensure the timely distribution of food to the people
- Control the quality and quantity of food
- Provide adequate and appropriate shelter to all population
- Quick assessment and identifying the area for the establishment of the
- relief camps
- Identifying the population which can be provided with support in their own place and need not be shifted reallocated

#### Response Frame Work # 8: Water & Electricity

#### ESF No. 8

WATER & Electricity



#### TEAM LEADER

Executive Engineer KWA Executive Engineer KSEB



#### **SUPPORTING AGENCY**

City Corporation PWD Irrigation Dept NHAI Sewerage Division



#### PREPAREDNESS PHASE

- Prepare emergency plan/contingency plan
- Prepare emergency contact / resource inventory etc
- Emergency tool kits in place.

#### **RESPONSE PHASE**

#### Water

- The QRTs will be deployed at the affected site
- Setting up water points and key locations and in relief camps
- Maintaining water purity
- Provide chlorine tablets to people in affected area
- Providing clean drinking water at regular intervals in case of disruption of water pipe lines
- Locate drinking water facilities separate from sewer and drainage facilities

#### Electricity

- Review the total extent of damage to the power supply installations by a reconnaissance survey
- Dispatch emergency repair teams equipped with tools, tents and food
- Hire casual labour for the clearing of damaged poles etc

- Ensure the timely distribution of food to the people
- Control the quality and quantity of food
- Provide adequate and appropriate shelter to all population
- Quick assessment and identifying the area for the establishment of the
- relief camps
- Identifying the population which can be provided with support in their own place and need not be shifted reallocated

#### Response Frame Work # 9: Debris Clearance

#### ESF No. 9

**DEBRIS CLEARANCE** 



#### **TEAM LEADER**

Secretary, Municipal corporation



**PWD** 

**Irrigation Dept** 

**NHAI** 

**KSEB** 

**KWA** 

Forest DEPT

Revenue dept

MotorVehicle Department

Indian railways

CBDRM ERT's

City Emergency response

**Team** 



#### PREPAREDNESS PHASE

- Prepare emergency plan/contingency plan
- Prepare emergency contact / resource inventory etc
- Emergency tool kits in place.
- Check list for emergency equipments requirement and district maps with road network.

#### **RESPONSE PHASE**

- Keep national and other main highways clear from disaster effects such as debris etc.
- All technical officers should be notified
- Review and update precautionary measures and procedures
- Inspect all roads, bridges
- Inspect all buildings and structures of the State government
- Establish a priority list of equipments which will be opened first Identify locations for transit /relief camps
- Adequate road signs should be installed to guide and assist in relief work.

- Pre-positioning assessment teams headed by the primary agency coordinating officer
- Emergency clearing of debris to enable reconnaissance
- Coordinate road clearing activities to assist local relief work
- Provide a work team carrying emergency tool kits, depending on the nature of disaster, and essential equipment such as- Towing vehicles Earth moving equipments- Cranes-
- Construct temporary roads
- Keep national and other main highways clear from disaster effects such as debris etc.

#### Response Frame Work # 10: Law & Order

#### ESF No. 10 LAW & ORDER



#### TEAM LEADER

City Police Commissioner



District Collectorate Police – Traffic Para military forces City Corporation

#### PREPAREDNESS PHASE

- Prepare emergency plan/contingency plan
- Prepare emergency contact / resource inventory etc
- Check list for onsite assessment of communication disruption.

#### **RESPONSE PHASE**

- Immediate deployment of available force
- Quick assessment of law and order situation in affected areas
- Support and coordinate with Local Administration
- Prepare updates on the law and order situation every 4-6 hours and brief the authorities
- Prevent rioting and looting, and cordon off sensitive areas.



- Maintaining Law and Order situation
- Crowd control, Riot control
- Preventive arrests
- Cordoning of sensitive areas
- Assisting the authorities in uninterrupted relief operations
- Protection of Vital Installations

### City Emergency Support Functions Assignments for response

P- PRIMARY S- SECONDARY C-COORDINATING  DEPARTMENTS	COORDINATION	COMMUNICATIONS	EARLY WARNING	EVACUATION	SEARCH & RESCUE	RELIEF OPERATIONS	DEBRIS CLEARANCE	UTILITY RESTORATION	LAW & ORDER	MEDICAL RESPONSE
Police Dept	s	P	s	s	s	С	С	С	P	С
Fire & Rescue	С	С	С	С	P	С	P	С		С
Revenue	P	S	P	P	S	P	С	С	С	C
Irrigation	С		С	С		С	S	S		С
KSEB	С			С	С	С	С	s		C
MVD	С		С	С	С	С	С	s		С
BSNL/Mobile Operators	С	S	С	С	С	С	С	S		С
Forest	С		C	С	C	С	C	C		
Indian Railways/ NHAI	С		С	С	С	С	S	S		
City Corporation	S	S	С	С	С	C	S	P	S	C
KWA	С		C	С	С	С	С	S		C
Food & Civil Supplies	С		С	С		С		С		
Health	С		С	С		C		С		P
Paramilitary/ Military	С	C	С	C	С	С	С	С		
Animal Husbandry	С		С	S		S				S

# **ANNEXURE**

Annexure 1: Population exposed to floods in the wards of Thiruvananthapuram

Sl. No	Ward Name	Ward population	Flood prone area (km²)	Population exposed to floods
1	Akkulam	8856	1.27	3109
2	Ambalathara	8659	0.67	3368
3	Anamughom	9873	0.88	3305
4	Arannoor	10004	0.02	354
5	Attipra	8741	0.30	573
6	Attukal	8699	0.19	1335
7	Beemapalli	8642	0.29	1046
8	Beemapalli East	8790	0.00	21
9	Chakai	9754	0.13	544
10	Chalai	8692	0.05	434
11	Chanthavila	9351	1.19	1750
12	Chempazhanthy	10184	0.96	2006
13	Chendamangalam	10036	0.51	1464
14	Cheruvakkal	9357	0.56	1957
15	Chettivilakom	10496	0.40	2323
16	Edavacode	8659	0.35	1364
17	Estate	9856	1.50	5381
18	Fort	8888	0.02	199
19	Harbour	8692	0.09	1186
20	Jagathy	9872	0.01	69
21	Kachani	9328	0.36	991
22	Kadakompally	9908	0.50	1581
23	Kalady	8659	2.02	8036
24	Kalippankulam	8708	0.02	378
25	Kamaleswaram	8675	0.05	347
26	Kanjirampara	10004	0.47	2865
27	Kannammoola	9955	0.31	2713
28	Karamana	8856	0.09	1048
29	Karikkakom	9766	0.50	1669
30	Kattayikonam	9229	1.05	1489
31	Kazhakoottom	10528	0.66	1430
32	Kesavadasapuram	9856	0.26	1753
33	Kinavoor	10545	0.27	1828
34	Kodunganoor	10348	0.30	1941
35	Kottapuram	10610	0.27	2130
36	Kowdiar	10069	0.34	1579

	City Disaster Ma	nagement Plan		2015
37	Kudappanakunnu	9451	0.28	1007
38	Kulathoor	8938	0.53	1102
39	Kunnukuzhy	9512	0.13	1077
40	Kuravankonam	9840	0.16	1327
41	Manacaud	8660	0.00	46
42	Manikkavilakom	8315	0.00	93
43	Mannanthala	9525	1.09	2316
44	Medical College	10528	0.38	2005
45	Melamcode	10354	2.38	7446
46	Mudavanmugal	9020	0.48	2706
47	Mulloor	9778	0.19	480
48	Muttada	10020	0.35	3354
49	Muttathara	10527	0.03	2374
50	Nalanchira	8777	0.85	2354
51	Nandancode	9512	0.22	957
52	Nedumcaud	10528	0.50	4689
53	Nemom	9950	0.63	2827
54	Nettayam	10509	0.07	1464
55	Njandoorkonam	8501	1.01	1612
56	Palkulangara	9941	0.01	87
57	Pallithura	10044	0.11	329
58	Pangode	10200	0.51	3360
59	Pappanamcode	9872	1.43	6101
60	Pathirappally	8659	0.35	2018
61	Pattom	10545	0.23	1364
62	Peroorkada	9184	0.26	1098
63	Perumthanny	9290	0.08	752
64	Ponnumagalam	10168	1.10	2925
65	Poojappura	8644	0.37	1018
66	Poonkulam	10250	0.29	535
67	Poonthura	8659	0.02	439
68	Poudikunam	9004	0.99	2048
69	Poundukadavu	9676	0.54	967
70	PTP Nagar	10250	0.08	900
71	Punjakkari	10168	0.56	1902
72	Punnakkamugal	10168	0.56	2391
73	Puthanpally	8315	0.18	3142
74	Sangumukhom	10171	0.01	22
75	Sasthamangalam	10490	0.11	1579
76	Sreekandeswaram	9676	0.01	136
77	Sreekaryam	10455	1.24	2441

	City Disaster Ma	nagement Plan		2015
78	Sreevaraham	8659	0.06	703
79	Thirumala	9905	0.18	1220
80	Thiruvallam	10332	0.25	863
81	Thrikkanapuram	9856	0.52	2229
82	Thuruthumoola	10027	0.99	2953
83	Ulloor	9102	0.19	1496
84	Valiyasala	8774	0.01	175
85	Valiyavila	9348	0.37	2266
86	Vallakkadavu	8790	0.00	13
87	Vattiyoorkavu	9807	0.32	1814
88	Vazhottukonam	1037	0.68	232
89	Vazhuthacaud	9679	0.03	195
90	Vellar	9758	0.23	757
91	Venganoor	9696	0.46	1121
92	Vettucaud	10351	0.27	2650
93	Vizhinjam	8724	0.20	1434
	Total	8,81,064	39.9	1,58,476

Annexure 2: Population exposed to Tsunami and Storm Surge in the wards of Thiruvananthapuram

Sl. No	Ward Name	Ward Population	Tsunami & Storm Surge prone area (km²)	Population exposed to Tsunami & storm surge
1	Poonthura	8659	0.001098	27
2	Thiruvallam	10332	0.812604	2759
3	Vellar	9758	0.628847	2045
4	Vizhinjam	8724	0.011926	84
5	Kottapuram	10610	0.037035	297
6	Vettucaud	10351	0.210119	2069
7	Karikkakom	9766	0.126489	419
8	Poundukadavu	9676	0.283001	509
	Total	77,876	2.1	8209

Annexure 3: Population exposed to landslide in the wards of Thiruvananthapuram

Sl. No	Ward Name	Ward Population	Landslide prone area (km²)	Population exposed to landslide
1	Thirumala	9905	0.05	393

Annexure 4: Population exposed to lighting in the wards of Thiruvananthapuram

Sl. No	Ward Name	Area (km²)	Population
1	Chendamangalam	3.5	10036
2	Nandancode	2.2	9512
3	Mannanthala	4.5	9525
4	Pathirappally	1.5	8659
5	Kuriathy	0.6	9266
6	Thycaud	1.0	10399
7	Manikkavilakom	0.3	8315
8	Pappanamcode	2.3	9872
9	Pangode	1.6	10200
10	Vattiyoorkavu	1.7	9807
11	Vizhinjam	1.2	8724
12	Venganoor	3.9	9696
13	Mulloor	3.8	9778
14	Kuravankonam	1.2	9840
15	Palkulangara	0.7	9941
16	Akkulam	3.6	8856
17	Beemapalli	2.4	8642
18	Kazhakoottom	4.9	10528
19	Pallithura	3.2	10044
	Total	44.2	181640

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Annexure 6: Population exposed to Attukal Pongala related accidents in the wards of Thiruvananthapuram

Sl. No	Ward Name	Ward Population	Attukal Pongala prone area (km²)	Population exposed to Attukal Pongala related accidents
1	Ambalathara	8659	0.01	64
2	Beemapalli	8642	0.33	1172
3	Beemapalli East	8790	0.05	772
4	Chakai	9754	1.45	6242
5	Chalai	8692	0.52	4916
6	Fort	8888	0.50	5989
7	Jagathy	9872	0.00	26
8	Kadakompally	9908	1.10	3516
9	Kamaleswaram	8675	0.08	557
10	Kannammoola	9955	0.09	801
11	Karikkakom	9766	0.14	456
12	Kesavadasapuram	9856	0.25	1711
13	Kowdiar	10069	0.03	149
14	Kunnukuzhy	9512	0.99	8252
15	Kuravankonam	9840	0.31	2560
16	Medical College	10528	0.25	1296
17	Muttathara	10527	0.14	10500
18	Nalanchira	8777	0.28	776
19	Nandancode	9512	0.83	3598
20	Palayam	9761	1.06	7863
21	Palkulangara	9941	0.63	9582
22	Pattom	10545	0.95	5692
23	Perumthanny	9290	0.90	8435
24	Pettah	10859	0.61	6641
25	Puthanpally	8315	0.04	719
26	Sangumukhom	10171	0.09	275
27	Sasthamangalam	10490	0.06	854
28	Sreekandeswaram	9676	0.46	9676
29	Sreevaraham	8659	0.14	1588
30	Thampanoor	9184	0.80	9184
31	Thycaud	10399	0.68	6986
32	Valiyasala	8774	0.13	1731
33	Vallakkadavu	8790	0.12	1948
34	Vanchiyoor	9498	1.38	8897
35	Vazhuthacaud	9679	0.52	3146
33	Total	3,34,253	15.93	1,36,568
	างเลา	3,34,433	13.73	1,50,500

Annexure 7: List of public buildings in Thiruvananthapuram City which were rapidly screened for physical vulnerability

Sl. No	Name	Ward	Vulnerabilit y
1	Govt. U.P. School, Cheruvackal	Akkulam	2
2	Ananthapuri Public School		1
3	Al-Arif Hospital	Ambalathara	1
4	National college of Arts & Science		2
5	Kendriya Vidyalaya, Akkulam	Anamugom	1
6	Corparation Zonal Office Kazhakuttom		2
7	Corparation Zonal Office Kulatoor		2
8	Kulathoor Govt. L.P.School	A	1
9	Village Office, Aattipra	Attipra	1
10	Our Own English Medium School		1
11	Govt. H.S.School, Kulathur		1
12	BSNL Telephone Exchange, Manacaud	Attukal	2
13	Govt. U.P. School, Beemapalli	Bheemapally	2
14	Govt. U. P School, Chakkai	Chakai	1
15	Govt. L.P. School, Kuriyathi		2
16	Kerala Water Authority, South Subdivision		2
17	Govt. Girls High School, Chala	Chalai	2
18	Govt. U.P.& Nursery School, Chalai		2
19	Sainik School		1
20	Ayurvedic Dispensary Amballor		2
21	Kinfra film & Video park	G1 .1 .1	2
22	Chanthavila HS	- Chanthavila	2
23	St: Thomas Institute of Science & Tchnology		. 2
24	Madhavavilasom .H.S	Chempazanthy	2
25	IISER Chvadimukku	1 3	1
26	Loyola School		2
27	Bethlehem English Medium School	Cheruvaikal	2
28	Mary Nilayam English Medium School		1
29	Govt. L.P School,Pongummood		2
30	Chinmaya	a	3
31	Santhwana Hospital	Chettivilakom	1
32	Seventh day advetistsec UP school	Estate	2

State		City Disaster Management Plan		2015
The Kerala Agro Industries Corporation Ltd, Office Of	33	FCI	FCI	3
The District Soil Conservation	34	Christ nagar college of engineering		3
Fort	35			
36		The District Soil Conservation	Fort	1
38         Technical Education Directrate         1           39         Vizhinjam plice Station         1           40         Vizhinjam light House         2           41         Vzhinjam 66 KV Sub station         1           42         Fire and rescue service station         1           43         Inspection Benglow         2           44         Office of the Health Inspector, Jagathy         Jagathy         2           45         Govt. High School         Kalady         2           46         R K D,SAS         2           47         Butterflies Kindergarten         3           48         Cenre of Environment & Department         2           49         Sivodaya Hospital         2           50         Post Office Kanjirampara         3           51         City Rationning Office         3           52         Govt: LPS Kanjirampara         3           53         Govt: LPS Kanjirampara         3           54         BPM English medium school         Kannamoola         2           55         Devayani Memorial Govt L.P.School         1           57         All Saints College         1           58         Govt. H.S School, Karikkarom	36	Fort Girls Mission High School	Port	1
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Vizhinjam light House	38			1
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42         Fire and rescue service station         1           43         Inspection Benglow         2           44         Office of the Health Inspector, Jagathy         Jagathy         2           45         Govt. High School         Kalady         2           46         R K D,SAS         2           47         Butterflies Kindergarten         3           48         Cenre of Environment & Department         2           49         Sivodaya Hospital         2           50         Post Office Kanjirampara         3           51         City Rationning Office         3           52         Govt: LPS Kanjirampara         3           53         Govt: LPS Kanjirampara         3           53         Govt: LPS Kanjirampara         3           54         BPM English medium school         Kannamoola         2           55         Devayani Memorial Govt L.P.School         1           56         Urban Wholesale Agricultural Market         1           57         All Saints College         1           58         Govt. H.S School, Karikkarom         2           59         VPCK         2           60         Krishibhavan         2	40	Vizhinjam light House	12410041	2
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44         Office of the Health Inspector, Jagathy         Jagathy         2           45         Govt. High School         Kalady         2           46         R K D,SAS         2           47         Butterflies Kindergarten         3           48         Cenre of Environment & Department         2           49         Sivodaya Hospital         2           50         Post Office Kanjirampara         3           51         City Rationning Office         3           52         Govt: LPS Kanjirampara         3           53         Govt: LPS Kanjirampara         3           54         BPM English medium school         Kannamoola         2           55         Devayani Memorial Govt L.P.School         1           56         Urban Wholesale Agricultural Market         1         Karikakom           57         All Saints College         1         Karikakom           59         VPCK         2           60         Krishibhavan         2         2           61         Al ulsuman School         2           62         Nikunjam         1           63         Regional Vocational Training institute         2           64	42	Fire and rescue service station		1
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	67	CSI-Hospital		1

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68	A.J.Hospital		2
69	Police Station		2
70	Women's ITC		2
71	Jyothi Central School		3
		Kazhakuttom	
72	Alan Feldman School		1
73	Karyavattom Govt:College		2
74	Kerala Highway Research center		2
75	Kazhakuttam High School		2
76	Village Office		2
77	Sub-Registrar Office		2
78	Transport Office		2
79	Health center pangappra		1
80	Govt:Teacher's training center Karyavattom		2
81	INCPE		1
82	Electricity Office Kazhakuttam		2
83	Pothancode Block office		2
84	Govt: Vetinary Hospital Kazhakuttom		2
85	NSS H.S. School	Kesavadasapuram	1
86	St Mary's HSS Vizhinjam	Kottapuram	2
87	TVM Golf Club		2
88	Income Tax Commissioner Office		2
		Kowdiar	
89	National Informatics Centre		2
90	Farm Information Bureau		2
91	PSNM Govt. HSS		2
92	Kerala State SC/ST Federation		3
93	Ayurdhara Panchakarma Centre		2
94	Kolath Hospital		2
95	Punarjani Hospital		2
96	Kerala State Veterinary Council		2
97	Chempaka Kindergarten		2
	Trivandrum Corporation Zonal Office,		
98	Kudappanakunnu		3
99	PSNMG, GHSS Peroorkada		3
100	Concodia School		1
101	Tvm Civil Station	Kudapanakunnu	1
102	Trivandrum Zonal Office, Kudappanakunnu		2
103	Dooradarshan Kendram		2
104	Livestock Management and Training Centre		2
105	BNV Hospital		1

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106	Karakulam panchayat ofiice		2
107	Karakulam HS		2
108	Karakulam LPS		2
109	Veteritnary Hospital		2
110	KWA pamb House		2
111	Keltron		2
112	School of The Good Shepard		1
113	Dr. Ambedkar Memorial Residential School		2
114	College of Engineering, Thiruvananthapuram		2
115	The Holy Trinity English Medium H.S.School	Kulathoor	1
116	Govt. U.P.School, Kuzhivila		1
117	Mar Gregorious Memorial Central Public School		1
118	Dioscores College of Pharmacy		1
119	Model Hostel Boy's Vellayambalam		3
120	Air India office, Vellayambalam		1
121	Nirmala Bhavan		3
122	Salvation Army School		2
123	Income tax		3
124	VIT Kuravankonam	Kuravankonam	1
125	Soil conservation department		3
126	Nimala Bhavan Higher Secondary School		2
127	Kerala State Commission for Backward Class		2
128	Kerala Financial Corp		1
129	The Zonza Hospital		1
130	SUT Hospital	Manacaud	1
131	Oxford School		3
132	KSRTC Department		2
133	National Hospital		2
134	District Jail, Trivandrum		2
135	Post office Manacaud		3
136	Corporation Office Manacaud		3
137	KBM Hospital		3
138	Post Office, Manacaud		1
139	Chinmaya Vidhyalam School		1
140	Medical College		2
141	Central Diagonstical Laboratary		2
142	Sree Chithira Thirunal Institute of Imaging		2
143	Avittom Thirunal Hospital		2
144	Directorate of Medical Education	Medical College	2

	City Disaster Management Plan		2015
145	Dental College		1
146	Kerala Irrigation Infrastructure Development		
	Corporation		1
147	Govt. U.P.School, Ulloor		1
148	GVHSS UP School	Mullor	2
149	St. Mary's H.S. School, Pattom		1
150	Bureau of Indian Standards, BSNL	Nalanchira	1
151	Directorate of Mining & Geology		1
152	Directorate of Survey		1
153	Govt:Model Boy's HSS Vazhuthacadu		2
154	Kalabhavan		2
155	IHRD, Vazhuthacaud		2
156	Devasam Board		3
157	Kerala Sate Transport Project office		3
158	Christ nagar HS		2
159	Christ nagar HSS		2
160	Kerala road Fund board	Nandancode	2
161	Sandeepini School		1
162	Keltron CDAC		2
163	Devaswam Board Headquarters		2
164	Central Bureau of Investigation		3
	Employees Privident Fund Organisation, Ministry		
165	of		1
1.55	Labour Govt of India		1
166	Vidyuthi Bhavan		1
167	Kerala Womens Commission		2
168	Village Office		3
169	Shree vidhyaraja Homoeopathic Medical College	Nemom	2
170	Karakamandapam Govt: Hospital	Nemon	2
171	Govt: LPS		2
172	Govt. HSS Ayiroorpara	Njandoorkonam	2
173			
	Public Sector re-structuring internal audit board		2
174	Jubilee Mission Hospital, Palayam		1
175	RBI		3
176	University hostel for women		1
177	KERAFED		2
178	KWA		2
179	Tourism information centre		1

	City Disaster Management Plan		2015
180	PWD		3
181	Sate land bank		3
182	KFC		2
183	Fine Arts College		3
184	State Library	Palayam	2
185	Institute of Engineers		3
186	Panchayat Assosiation hall		3
187	University College, Trivandrum		1
188	MLA Quarters		1
189	Kerala Police Housing & Construction		1
190	Public Library		1
191	Post & Telecom Audit Office		2
192	Corporation Office, Trivandrum		1
193	Office of Electrical Inspector		1
193	Kerala Water Authority		2
195	Keltron		1
	NSS Public School, Perumthanni, NSS H.S. School,	D 11 1	1
196	NSS Art's College For Women	Palkulangara	1
197	IITMK		1
198	KINFRA Apard park		1
199	Marian Eng: College		1
200	Marian Teacher's Institute		2
201	St' Xavier's College		2
202	Jyothi vilayam H.S.S	Pallithura	2
203	St:Jude H .S		3
204	Pallithura H.S		3
205	Food Corporation Of India		1
206	Govt. L.P.School, Attinkuzhi		1
207	Food Corporation Of India		1
208	Veterinary Hospital	Pangode	2
209	NSS College	Papanamcode	3
210	Kerala Police HQ		1
211	Peroorkada Panchayat Office	Pathirapally	2
212	P A Aziz College of engineering and tchnology		2
213	District Panchayath Office		1
214	Kendriya Vidyalaya, Pattom	Pattom	1
215	Kerala PSC		1

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216	Pattom Village Office		1
217	Govt. Model Girls H.S.School, Pattom		1
218	Institute of Paramedical Science		1
219	Kerala Low Acadamy		2
220	J.J Hospital Peroorkada		2
221	Amardeep eye Hospital		1
222	KSRTC Peroorkada		1
223	ESI Hospital		1
224	Oolanpara Hospital		2
225	Peroorkada K.S.R.T.C. Bus Depot.		3
226	Village Office Kudappanakunnu		3
227	Kerala Water Authority		3
228	Post Office Peroorkada		2
220	Danie de la Delles Cretten	Peroorkada	2
229	Peroorkada Police Station Trivandrum Peroorkada District Panchayat		2
230	Hospital		2
231	Indiragandhi National Open University		3
232	Health Inspector Diploma Course (Government Of		3
232	Kerala)		3
233	All India Institute of Local Self Govt.(University Of		
233	Kerala)		3
234	ESI Dispensary Peroorkada		3
235	G.H.S.L.P.S. Peroorkada		2
236	GHSS Girls Peroorkada		1
237	BSNL Customer Service Centre, Ambalamukku		2
238	Lecode chempaka		2
239	Govt. U.P. School, Enchakkal	Perumthanny	1
240	Kerala Poultry Development Corporation		1
241	Govt. Girls Vocational Higher Secondary School, L.P.		
241	School, Pettah	Pettah	2
242	Govt. Boys High School, Pettah		2
243	St. Anne's U.P.School		1
244	Vectory Girl"s & Boy's HS		3
245	Vectory VHSE		3
246	Spinning mill	Ponnumangalm	3
247	Govt:UPS		3
248	Govt Health center		2
249	Govt LPS Pangode		1

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250	Nath Memorial School		1
251	Hindu Mahila Mandiram GHSS		1
252	Nrithalaya Hospital		1
253	Police Station, Pujappura		2
	·	Poojapura	
254	HLL Lifecare Ltd, Pujappura		2
255	SBT , Pujappura		2
256	Panchakarma hospital		2
257	BSNL		2
258	SCERT and pareeksha bhavan		2
259	LBS centre for science and technology		2
260	central prison		2
261	social justice board and juvenile home		2
262	samsthana vigalanga kshema coorporation		2
263	Panchakarma hospital		2
264	Govt UPS, Pujappura		2
265	Vigilance and anticurreption Burueau		2
266	KSEB Pujappura		3
267	Rajiv Gandhi Centre for Biotechnology		1
268	Village Office Uliythara	Poudikonam	1
269	BNV College of teacher education		2
270	ACE College of engineering		1
271	MG College of Engineering	Punjakkari	1
272	BNV School		1
273	C-Dit Campus		1
274	IIMR	Puthanpally	3
275	St. Marys H.S. School	ì	1
276	Private L. P School, Shangumukham	Sangumugom	2
277	V.O,SAS		2
278	Sree Ramakrishna Hospital		1
279	Sree Ramakrishna Vidyamandir, Maruthumkuzhi		1
280	Govt: Sasthamangalam		2
281	Kerala Chalachitra Acadammy		2
282	Sri Mookambika School Sasthamangalam		3
283	Govt. LPS Sasthamangalam		2
284	Kerala State Beverages Corporation Office	Sasthamangalam	3
285	Sri Mookambika Public School		2
286	Kerala State Chalachitra Academy		2
287	Post Office Sasthamangalam		2

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288	Haree Sree School		2
289	Kerala State Social Welfare Board		2
290	Health Inspector Office		2
291	Pettah Village Office		1
292	Govt. U.P. Girl School, Fort	Sreekandeswaram	1
293	Passport Office, SBT		2
294	Campus		1
295	University teacher's Hostel		2
296	Information Kerala Mission		2
297	Govt: High school Sreekaryam	Sreekariyam	2
298	Mar Gregorious memorial school		2
299	Govt: UP school Karyavattom		2
300	Seventh day Adventist Secondary school		1
301	Govt. College of teacher education Thycaud		1
302	SMV H.S School	Thampanoor	1
303	NABARD		2
304	AG'S Office Trivandrum		1
305	K.V Pangode		1
306	Thirumala village office		1
307	AMHSS Thirumala		1
308	SBT Thirumala		2
309	Akshaya Centre	Thirumala	1
310	Sreekrishna Hospital		1
311	Post Office, Thirumala		1
312	Vijayamohini mill		1
313	Viswaprakash central School		2
314	Govt. LPS Thiruvallam		3
315	Karibhagam Coir Vyavasaya Sahakarana Sangam	Thiruvallam	2
316	Punarjani Hospital		2
317	KSEB Peroorkada		2
318	Govt. Vocational HSS	Thuruthumoola	2
319	Central polytechnic College Vattiyoorkavu		2
320	Swathithirunal Music College		2
321	Govt. Model boy's School Thycaud		2
322	DPI	Thycaud	2
323	Sisuvihar centre, Vazhuthacaudu		2
324	Jagathy Postoffice		3
325	Kerala State Cooperative Consumerfed	Ulloor	1

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	Govt. Model H.S. School For Boys Chalai, Office of the		
326	Deputy Director For Education		2
327	Govt. Dispensary	Valiyasala	3
328	Govt. Model H.S. School For Boys Chalai, Office of the	Ž	
320	Deputy Director For Education		2
329	Trivandrum Corporation Malstya Bhavan, Valiyathuraya		3
330	Govt. U.P. School, Valiyathura		3
331	Vallakkadavu L.P. School		1
332	Food Corporation Of India	Valiyathura	1
333	Govt. U.P.School, Valiyathura	vanyamara	1
334	St. Antony's H.S.School		1
335	Govt. V.H.S School, Valiyathura		2
336	Ponnara Sreedhar Memorial U.P. School	Vallakadavu	1
337	Magistrate Court	v anakada v u	2
338	St. Joseph H.S. School		1
339	Govt. High School, Vanchiyoor		1
340	Sree Sankaracharya University of Sanskrit		2
340	Siee Sankaracharya University of Sanskitt	Vanchiyoor	
341	Kerala State IT Mission	v unem y oor	2
342	Urban Resource Center		2
343	District Court		1
344	Fast Track Court		1
345	SN Public School Venpalavattom		2
346	KSEB vattiyoorkavu	Vattiyoorkavu	3
347	Govt: LPS Vattiyoorkavu		3
348	Primary Health center		2
349	Police Station		2
350	Village Office		2
351	KSFC		2
352	TVM corparation ward committee		2
353	Mother- baby care centre		2
354	Health Inspector Office		2
355	Shirdhi Sai Daycare&Nursery School		3
356	Post Office Vattiyoorkavu		3
357	Cotton Hill GHSS		2
358	Cotton Hill GLPS		2
359	Forest HQ		2
360	Forest Office		2
361	Women's College		2

	City Disaster Management Plan		2015
362	Kerala Social Welfareboard	Vazhuthucaud	3
363	Govt: Arts College		3
364	Carmel GHSS		2
365	sarvavikjanakosha institute		2
366	ulloor smarakam		2
367	TRIDA		2
368	Family Welfare Centre	Vellar	2
369	C-DAC	Vellayambalam	2
370	AgriculturalUniversity		3
371	Vizhinjam SVLPS	Venganoor	2
372	Santhinikethen school		3
373	KSRTC Vizhinjam		2
374	Castal Police Station Vizhinjam		1
375	Govt:HALPS	Vizhinjam	2
376	Indian cost Gard		1
377	Vhinjam Post Office		3
378	Govt: Model HSS Kalliyoor		2

1: Least Vulnerable

2: Moderately Vulnerable

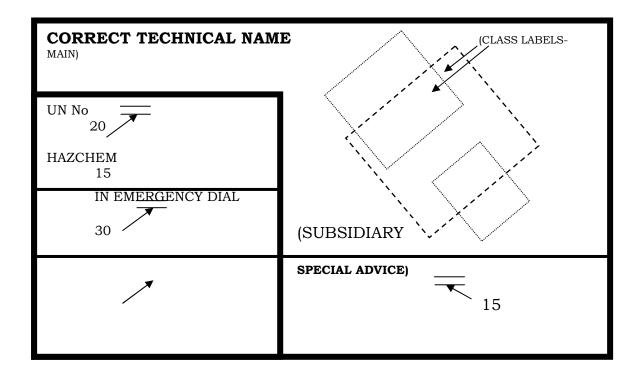
3: Highly Vulnerable

## Annexure 8 Transportation of Hazardous Goods

#### **Emergency information panel**

The Emergency Information Panel provides information in the event of an emergency. It indicates the correct technical name of the substance being transported, its UN Number, HAZCHEM code and UN Hazard class label. The panel also provides a contract telephone number in an emergency for specialist advice. The size and shape of the class label is shown in the Annexure G. Each term in the Emergency Information Panel is explained below. (See figure).

The emergency information panel shall ber marked on three places on the road tankers – at both sides and rear end.



#### **Class Label:**

Symbols of material shall be marked giving the label in particular colour at top right area of the panel. The subsidiary risk label shall be on the bottom-right of the class label.

Chemicals have been grouped into nine basic classes depending on nature of hazard, represented numerically from 1 to 9. Many of these classes are further separated into divisions. They are:

- 1. Class I Explosives
  - 1.1 Substances and articles, which have a mass explosion hazard.
  - 1.2 Substances and articles, which have a projection hazard but not a mass explosion hazard.

- 1.3 Substances and articles which have fire hazard and either a minor blast hazard or a minor projection hazard or both but not a mass explosion hazard.
- 1.4 Substances and articles, which present no significant hazard, i.e. the effects are confined largely to the package is to be expected. An external fire must not cause practically, instantaneous explosion of virtually the entire contents of the package.
- 1.5 Very insensitive substances, that is substances, which are so insensitive that there is very little probability of initiation or of transition from burning to detoriation under normal conditions or transport.
- 1.6 Extremely insensitive substances.
- 2. Class 2: Gases
  - 2.1 Non-flammable gases.
  - 2.2 Flammable gases
  - 2.3 Toxic gases
- 3. Class 3 Gases
  - 3.1 Liquids with a flash point below 18°C
  - 3.2. Liquids with a flash point above 18°C and below 23°C
  - 3.3 Liquids with a flash point above 23°C and upto 61°C
- 4. Class 4 Flammable solids.
  - 4.1 Solids other than classed as explosives, which under conditions encountered in transport are readily combustible or may cause or contribute to give through friction.
  - 4.2 Substances liable to spontaneous combustion
  - 4.3 Substances, which in contact with water emit inflammable gases, substances, which on interaction with water are liable to become spontaneously inflammable to dangerous quantities.
- 5. Class 5. Oxidising substances, organic peroxides.
  - 5.1. Oxidising substances other than peroxides
  - 5.2 Organic peroxides.
- 6. Class 6,. Poisonous (toxic and infectious stances)
  - 6.1 Poisonous (toxic) stances
  - 6.2. Substances which give off a poisonous (toxic) gases or vapours.
  - 6.3 Poisonous substances other than those giving off poisonous gases or vapours.

- 6.4 Infectious substances containing decease producing micro organisms.
- 7. Class 7: Radioactive substances.
- 8. Class 8: Corrosives
- 9. Class 9: Miscellaneous dangerous substances.
  - 9.1 Substances not falling within the other clauses or the divisions of this class.
  - 9.2 Lachrymatory substances not falling with other class. Each United Nations Hazard Class Label (With the exception of Class 9) has a distinctive diamond shaped label bearing a pictogram for quick hazard recognition. Each label also has a characteristic background colour.

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Table 1: Colour Code.

Hazard Type	Colour
Explosives	Orange
Flammable	Red
Water reactive	Blue
Oxidizing substances	Yellow
Toxic / Infectious	White
Radioactive	Yellow and White
Corrosive	Black and white

The advantage of this system is that the shape, colour and pictogram of the labels clearly convey the nature of dangers in the chemicals being transported; it helps overcome language barriers and literacy problems, extremely beneficial in the multilingual country like ours. The other advantages are:

- 1. Dangerous goods in transit are recognizable from a distance because of the distinctive colour.
- 2. The danger of the risk is made more apparent by means of black symbols each representing a particular risk, e.g. the flame denoting the risk of fire.

The upper half of the diamond shaped label (Square, set an angle of 45 degree) is reserved for the black symbol representing the nature of the risk. The reference symbols are provided for each of the UN. Class. The number of class or division is shown in black colour in the bottom corner of the label.

#### **UN Number**

The UN Committee has classified various hazardous various hazardous substances according to the risk involved. Each hazardous substance included in the list has been allocated a unique four digit number, which are the substances 'UN Number'. So far there are over three thousand chemicals, which have been allotted UN Numbers. Since numbers are in Arabic letters, it helps in ready identification of the chemical being transported.

#### **HAZCHEM Code**

The Hazchem code is an emergency action code designed by the London Fire Brigade. It shall be clearly marked on the left middle area of the panel; it reveals properties of that material and safe handling methods. This enables the fire brigade to know at once the action to be taken in case of fire, spilling or leakage. It also ensures the use of appropriate protective closing.

The Hazchem code consists of a numeral 1 to 4 in conjunction with one or two alphabets. The first digit indicates fire – fighting method while the alphabet after the digit indicates whether to contain or to dilute. The letter 'E' indicate evacuation, letter 'V' indicate violently reactive etc. Details are given in next page.

Examples of a few chemicals along with their Hazchem codes are given below:

Benzene	2 WE
Chlorine	2 XE
Sulphuric Acid	2 P
Oleum	4 WE
Phenol	2 X
Cumene	3 Y
Acetone	2 YE
Monocychlo Hexylamine	3 WE

#### **TREMCARD**

Under the act, every vehicle of dangerous goods has to carry a Transport Emergency card. The Emergency Information Panel only provides very essential data to enable immediate action to be taken in case of a mishap. However, detailed instructions on fire, spillage or leakage and action to deal with the emergency are indicated in the TREMcard. This card, which is to be provided by the consigner, is to be carried by the driver in his cabin. The TREMcard for LPG is shown in Annexure D. This will also help the driver to act responsibly because he has been given information in writing on the immediate action that should be taken in the event of an emergency.

#### **HAZCHEM CODE**

1	JETS
2	FOG
3.	FOAM
4	DRY AGENT

P	V		
R		Full	
S		BA	
S	V	BA for FIRE only	DILUTE
Т		BA	
Т		BA for FIRE only	
W	V		
X		Full	
Y		BA	
Y		BA for FIRE only	CONTAIN
Z		BA	
Z		BA for FIRE only	

E	CONCIDED EVACUATION	
E	CONSIDER EVACUATION	

#### Note

**V.** Can be violently or even explosively reactive

**FULL** Fully body protective clothing with BA

**BA** Breathing apparatus plus protective gloves.

**DILUTE** May be washed to drain with large quantities of water

**CONTAIN** Prevent by any means available spillage from entering drains of water course.

#### LIST OF CHEMICALS TRANSPORTED

Even though hazardous industries are numerous in Trivandrum district, many hazardous chemicals are being transported through the district. Some important chemicals, which their UN Number, Hazchem Code and risk and hazard classification, among them are detailed below:

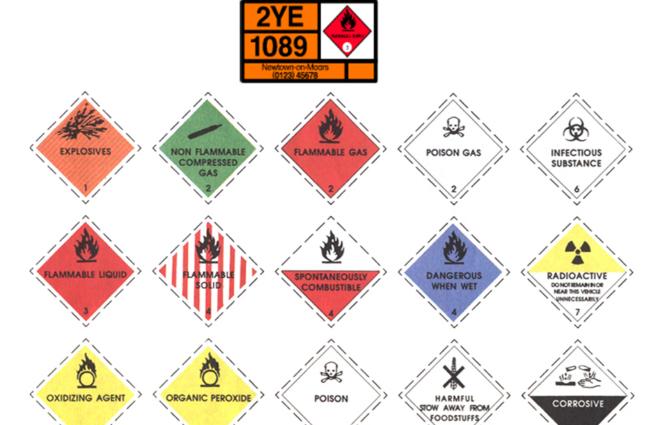
**Table: 2 – List of Chemicals** 

Sl.	UN	UN Hazchem		hem	Name of Chemical	UN H	azard
No	No.	No. Code		de		Class	
						Main	Sub
						Risk	Risk
1	1001	2	S	Е	Acetylene, dissolved	2	3
2	1002	2	Т		Air compressed	2	-
3.	1005	2	P	Е	Ammonia	2	3
4	1017	2	X	Е	Chlorine	2	6.1
5	1038	2	W	Е	Ethylene, refrigerated liquid	2	3
6.	1049	2	S	Е	Hydrogen, compressed	2	3
7.	1066	2	Т		Hydrogen, compressed	2	3
8.	1072	2	S		Oxygen, compressed	2	5.1
9.	1075	2	W	Е	Petroleum gas, liquefied	2	3
10.	1077	2	W	Е	Propylene (Propane)	2	3
11.	1086	2	W	Е	Vinyl Chlorine, inhibited	2	3
12	1090	2	Y	Е	Acetone	3	-
13	1114	3	W	Е	Benzene (Benzol)	3	-
14	1134	2	Y		Chlorobenzene (Monochloro – benzene)	3	-
15	1170	2	S	Е	Ethanol (Ethyl alcohol	3	-
16.	1188	2	S	Е	Ethanol (Ethyl alcohol)	3	-
17	1198	2	S	Е	Formaldehyde solutions, flash point not more than 61 degree C.	3	-
18.	1202	3	Z		Gas oil (Diesel)	3	-
19	1203	3	Y	Е	Motor spirit include Gasoline or Petrol	3	_
20	1204	2	S	Е	Nitro-glycerine solution in alcohol containing not more than 1% nitroglycerine.	3	-
21	1208	3	Y	Е	Hexane and its isomers	3	-
22	1219	2	S	Е	Isopropanol (Isopropyl-alcohol)	3	-
23	1223	3	Y		Kerosene (Paraffin)	3	-

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24	1230	2	P	Е	Methanol (Methyl alcohol, Wood alcohol, Columbian (Spirit)	3	6.1
25	1255	3	Y	Е	Naphtha, petroleum	3	-
26	1256	3	W		Naphtha, solvent	3	-
27	1267	3	W	Е	Petroleum, crude oil	3	-
28	1294	3	Y	Е	Turpentine	3	-
29	1299	3	Y		Turpentine	3	-
30	1350	2	Z		Sulphur	4.1	-
31	1381	2	W	Е	Phosphorus, white or yellow dry or under water or in solution	4.2	6.1
32	1428	4	W		Sodium, metal	4.3	-
33	1671	2	X		Phenol	6.1	-
34	1719	2	R		Caustic alkali liquids, n.o.s.	8	
35	1789	2	R		Hydrochloric acid	8	-
36	1830	2	P		Sulphuric acid	8	-
37	1846	2	Z		Carbon Tetrachloride	6.1	

#### **Annexure 9 - CLASS LABEL**

# HAZARDOUS GOODS CLASS LABELS



#### Annexure 10

#### Baggage scanners (x-ray)

- 1. High court of kerala, eranakulam
- 2. Airport, thiruvananthapuram
- 3. Airport, nedumbasserry, ernakulam
- 4. Airport, karipur, malappuram

# List of hospitals with radio therapy installations in trivandrum corporation Radio active sources for tele therapy

Government medical college, medical college p.o., trivandrum, kerala-695 011

#### Linear accelerators

- 1. Kims, p b no 1, anamugham, anayara p o, trivandrum, kerala, pin. 695 029, 0471 3041000
- 2. Isro, thiruvananthapuram (industrial use)

3.

#### Gamma scan centres

1. Regional cancer centre. Medical college p.o., trivandrum, kerala. Pin. 695 011

## **Brachy therapy centres**

- 1. Kims, p b no 1, anamugham, anayara p o, trivandrum, kerala, pin. 695 029, 0471 3041000
- 2. Regional cancer centre. Medical college p.o., trivandrum, kerala. Pin. 695 011
- 3. Government medical college, medical college p.o., trivandrum, kerala-695 011

#### List of Institutions possessing X-rays

Arumana hospital, airport road, trivandrum 695 008, 4712468991

Ambika x-rays, opp. Medical college hospital, trivandrum (w.u)

Ajira, clinical lab, meena building, sreekaryam, trivandrum - 17

Al arif hospital, poonthura p.o., trivandrum 695 026, 0471 2381715

Appolo dental centre, vellayambalam, trivandrum - 11

Aisha memorial hospital, parathikuzhi jn. Manacaud p.o., trivandrum 2456423

Ads scan & hospital pvt. Ltd., pazhaya road, medical college, tvm

Bio clinical centre, opp. Puthunppally lane, pazhaya road, medical college, trivandrum

Bnv hospital, thiruvallam, trivandrum - 27

Clinical diagnostic & research centre, market junction, mancaud p.o., trivandrum 695 009

Cm xray, oppo.medical college police station, medicalcollege p.o., trivandrum 695511, ph. 0471 2444397

Chelsa medical care pvt,ltd, sastri nagar jn, kunjalumoodu, karamana,trivandrum 695 002 ph. 0471 2342252

Ddrc wellspring pathlabs pvt.ltd., aster square, medical college p.o., trivandrum 695 011, ph. 0471 2447227

Devi scans pvt. Ltd, ulloor, trivandrum

Devi x-ray clinic, peroorkada,thiruvananthapuram pin;695005, ph. 0471 2432135

Dental college, medical college, trivandrum 695 011, ph 0471 2444092

Ct scan, near blood bank, medical college hospital, trivandrum, kerala. Pin-695011, ph, 0471-2528386

Cardiology department, medical college hospital, trivandrum, kerala. Pin-695011, ph, 0471 2528386

Dhanwanthari centre, medical college hospital, trivandrum -11

Dr.govindans hospital, convent road, trivandrum 695 001, ph. 0471 2453652

Esi hospital, peroorkada, thivandrum 695 005, ph. 0471 2433075

Govt. General hospital, trivandrum, ph. 0471 2307874, 9745508891

Govt. Thq hospital, peroorkada, trivandrum

Instant bio lab, kumarapuram, trivandrum

James x ray ecg clinical laboratory, poovar.p.o., trivandrum 695925, ph. 0471 2211020

Jubilee memorial hospital, mead's lane, palayam, thiruvananthapuram, kerala. Pin- 695 034, , ph.0471 2334562, 2334561

Kvs, ulloor, trivandrum

Kurup's clinical lab, statue road, trivandrum

Kolath medical centre, peroorkada, thivandrum 695 005, ph. 0471 2433327

Mitraniketan, vellanad, trivandrum

Travancore scans health care pvt ltd., mediplaza, medical college.p.o.., trivandrum 11, ph. 0471 2551050

Medicare lab, kumarapuram, trivandrum

Dianova laboratories, abg complex, pazhaya road, medical college, trivandrum., 0471-2445722

Nirmala hospital, chalakuzhy road, medical college, trivandrum 695 011, ph. 0471 2445320

Prs hospital, killipalam, karamana po, thiruvananthapuram, kerala. Pin-695 002, ph. 0471-2344443

Prasad clinic, pmg, trivandrum

Regional cancer centre. Medical college p.o., trivandrum, kerala. Pin. 695 011, ph. 0471 2442541

Raveendra x-ray clinic, medical college p.o., trivandrum 11, ph. 0471 2555389

Rotary hospital, poojapura, trivandrum

Swantham hospital, pearl nagar, peroorkada, tvm

St. vincent diabetes centre, pattom, trivandrum 695 004, ph. 04722443328

St.jude hospitals, killipalam, karamana, trivandrum 695 002, ph.04712343274

Srvs diagnostic & research institute, aj hall, medical college p.o., Trivandrum

Sri ramakrishna ashrama charitable hospital, sasthamangalam, trivandrum  $695\ 010$ , ph. 04712722125

S.r hospital, ambalathara, trivandrum

Srevya medicare research & rehabiliation centre, santhwana hospital building, ambalamukku p.o., trivandrum 695005, ph.0471 2432121

Sree uthradom thirunal hospital, pattom, trivandrum, kerala, pin. 695 004, ph. 0471 4077777

Dept. Of is&ir, sree chitra thirunal institute for medical sciences, trivandrum, kerala. Pin- 695 011, ph,0471 2443152, 0471-2524131

S p fort hospital, fort, trivandrum, kerala. Pin- 695 023, ph. 0471 2450540

Sreechitra thirunal institute of medical sciences and technology, medical college campus, trivandrum, kerala, pin. 695 011, 0471-2524431

Span hospital, manacad, trivandrum

Dr. Gopinath's diagnostic services, medical college.p.o, trivandrum 695 011, ph. 0471 2445940

 $Dr.\ Gopinath's\ diagnostic\ services, opp.government\ 0471-2445940 hospital, peroorkada\ trivandrum\ 695\ 0005\ ,\ ph.\ 0471\ 2445940$ 

S.challenge memorial health, muttacadu, trivandrum

Sasikala poly clinic, statue road, trivandrum

University health centre, kariavattom, trivandrum

Universal lab & research centre, south centre, fort, trivandrum, 695 023, ph. 04712450084

Venus x-ray clinic, c/o nathanis diagnostic clinic, chalakuzhy junction, pattom, trivandrum, kerala. Pin- 695 004, ph.0471 2550122

Sree uthram thirunal royal hospital, kochulloor, trivandrum, kerala. Pin- 695 011, ph. 0471 6541087

Women and children hospital, thycaud, thiruvanathapuram, kerala, pin. 695 014, ph.0471 2323457, 9847180479

Aranta diagnostic, air port road, shanghumugom, trivandrum, 695008

Aj hospital, kazhakuttom. P.o, thiruvananthapuram, kerala. Pin- 695 582, ph, 0471-2418452

Chandra sekhar memorial x-ray, chandra buildings, medical college p.o,tvm

Cosmopolitan hospitals private ltd, murinjapalam, pattom p.o, thiruvananthapuram, kerala. Pin-695 004, , ph,0471-2521252

Diagnostic services, opp.cathiolic syrian bank, kumarapuram, medical college p.o., trivandrum 695 011, ph, 04712442465

Devi scans pvt ltd, kumarapuram, medical college-po, trivandrum. Pin- 695 011, ph,0471-2552727

Fathima clinic, statue road, trivandrum 695 001, ph. 0471 2477179

Doctors diagnostic research service x-ray, shams complex, east junction, attingal, trivandrum, kerala, pin. 695 101,ph. 9447013825

G.g. hospital, p.b. no. 2443, trivandrum, murinjapalam, medical college p.o, thiruvananthapuram, kerala. Pin- 695 011, ph. 0471 2557744

Kims, p b no 1, anamugham, anayara p o, trivandrum, kerala, pin. 695 029, 0471 3041000

Sri sankara dental college, akathumuri, varkala, trivandrum - 695318., ph.

Rajadhani hospital, kottakakam, east fort, trivandrum

Lords hospital, tc 76/2183(1), anayara, trivandrum, kerala, pin-695 029, ph.0471-3045111

Travancore scan centre, medical college, tvm

Royal x-ray clinic, ulloor, medical college p.o, trivandrum

Medical college hospital, trivandrum

Mental hospital, trivandrum

Sat hospital, trivandrum

Zoo hospital, trivandrum

Sanatorium for chest deseases, pulayanarkotta, trivandrum

Jaya lab, opp. Government l.p school, vizhinjam, tvm

Lal's medical diagnostic centre, kazhakkutom p.o., trivandrum 695582, ph. 0471 3208105

Triveni nursing home, vachiyoor, trivandrum 695 035, ph. 0471 2470450

Daniels x-ray, vithura, trivandrum

Ananthapuri hospitals & research institute (ahri), chacka, nh bypass, trivandrum-695 024., ph,0471-2579900, 2506565, 2506767, fax:0471-2506969

Punarjani institute of medical science & research pvt ltd, akg nagar road, peroorkada p.o, trivandrum, kerala. Pin-695 005, ph. 0471 2539901/2539902

Al ameen diagnostic centre, gandhari ammn covil road, thampanoor, g.p.o., tvm 695 001, ph, 0471 3251722

S k hospital, edappazhinji junction, trivandrum 695 006, ph. 0471 4081111

The great india health care management limited, palayam, tvm

Athira x-ray & lab, sreekaryam, trivandrum

Health support services division - diagnostics, kazhakuttam p.o, trivandrum 695 582 , ph.0471 2413737

Health care diagnostic centre, t.c. 41/2445, kamaleswaram road, manacaud, tvm 695 009, ph. 0471 2458309

Alshafa diagnostic centre, yatheimkhana shopping complex, vallakkadavu, trivandrum 695 008, ph, 0471 2502642

Doctors diagnostic research centre, ulloor jn, medical college, trivandrum

Muthoot scans mri ct-labs & research centre, opp.puthupally lane, pazhaya road, medical college p.o., trivandrum 695 011, ph.0471 2443651

Attukaldevi institute of medical sciences ltd, attukal, manacaud, trivandrum, kerala. Pin-  $695\ 009$ , , ph,0471 2459040

K.k. o.p.g. and dental x-ray, murinjapalam, medical college -695011

Rural health training centre, kazhakuttam, thiruvananthapuram-695 582., ph:0471 2418378

M.r.r. ayurvedic hospital, trivandrum - 695 001

R.r. children's hospital & surgical centre, attinkuzhi, kazhakkuttom, trivandrum, kerala – pin: 695 582, ph.0471 2414473

Pallavi hospital, pazhayakada, trivandrum

Credence hospital, ulloor, medical college, trivandrum, kerala.

Pin- 695 011, , ph, 0471 4033333

 $Mullackals\ diagnostic\ centre,\ sowbhagya\ buildings,\ fort\ p.o,\ trivandrum,\ keralaPin-\ 695\ 023,\ ,\ ph.0471\ 3010714/715$ 

C.m. x-ray, opp. Medical college police station, medical college p.o., trivandrum

Rins hospital, nedumangad, trivandrum

Sai diagnostics, t.c. 55/92, kaimanam junction, trivandrum

Amma x-rays, general hospital junction, trivandrum

Meditrust diagnostics & laboratory, spectrum chambers, kuravankonam, pattom- kowdiar road, kowdiar-po, trivandrum, kerala. Pin- 695 003, ph. 0471 2310222

Welcare diagnostic centre, city plaza, medical college junction, trivandrum, kerala. Pin- 695 011,ph. 0471 6459696

Mullackals diagnostic centre, marapalam, pattom, trivandrum, kerala. Pin- 695 004

Doctors diagnostic nuclear medicine & research centre pvt, ltd, aster square, medical college p.o.,

Kims ddnmrc, kims hospital, anayara p.o., trivandrum, kerala. Pin-695 029, , ph.0471-2550104

Beema maheen hospital, beemapally, thiruvananthapuram, kerala, pin. 695 008, ph,0471 2508080

Lab centre, medical college, trivandrum

The appolo clinic law college junction vikas bhavan trivandrum

Meditrina hospital, plamoodu, pattom, trivandrum, kerala. Pin. 695004, ph.0471 6452011

Govt dental college trivandrum, kerala-695 011,, ph. 0471 2444092

Imaging and diagnostics solutions (ids), manjadimoodu, vattiyoorkavu, trivandrum, ph. 0471 3298700

Instant biolab, medical college p.o., trivandrum 695511, ph. 0471 2442484

Kodakeril cosmetric dental clinic, kariyavattom, tvm

Lekshmi clinical laboratory, sourtherstar building, opp.w & c hospital. Thycaud, trivandrum 695 014, ph. 0471 4068700

M.b. dental clinic, n.h. road, kazhakkuttam, tvm

Modern diagnostic services, computerised lab, ecg, x-ray, nadesh tower, chakkalamukku, sreekariyam 17 , ph.0471 2597196

Rural institute of medical sciences, govt.college road, nedumangad 695 541

Sapphire medical centre, vrindavan terrace, opp.trivandrum club, trivandrum 695 010 , ph. 9847311333

Trivandrum diagnostic centre, priya cottage, vallakadave, airport road, trivandrum, ph. 04713268675

Vanchinad hospital ltd., pongummood, trivandrum

Station medicare centre, head quarters southern air command akkulam thuruvickal

Sut m&b hospital ,manacaud , trivandrum kerala 695 009

Ddrc srl diagnostic pvt ltd, kanjirmpara, opp.govt.hospital, peroorkada ,trivandrum,kerala, pin. 695 005 . Ph. 0471 2303018

Government ayurveda college, trivandrum - 695001. Ph 0471-2260190

Kamala health care private limited vazhuthacaud, trivandrum, kerala - 695014. Ph. 0471-2338420

Sreedevi lab& scans, ulloor, medical dollege p.o, trivandrum,pin- 695 011, 0471-2554636

Sut life care clinic, tc4/1632, vellayambalam, kowadiar.p.o, trivandrum, ph. 9447144433

Govt homoeopathic medical college hospital, trivandrum, 0471-2462746

Dr.farook's childrens hospital, paravankunnu jn, manacadu.p.o, trivandrum, pin – 695 009

Capital diagnostic centre, twinkle plaza, panvila junction, trivandrum 695014, 0471 4066850

Devi scans pvt. Ltd, kumarapuram(gitanjali hospital, vazhuthakkad) 0471 2443074

Military hospital, pangode, military camp, trivandrum 695 006, 0471 2354294

Tsc hospital (pvt) ltd, by pass, kulathoor, kazhakkuttam, trivandrum pin 695 583, ph. 0471 2412127

Tmss ltd, sut preventive clinic, tc4/1632, kowdiar.p.o., trivandrum 695 003, ph. 0471 2724696

#### Annexure 11 Resource Inventory

# **Thiruvananthapuram Corporation Office**

**Telephone Directory** 

Phone Number 0471 :- 2320821, 2320894, 2320785, 2320113, 2320597, 232047

Fax Number 0471 :- 2332083

(For contact dial extension number after 2320821)

Administrative Officers/Section/Officer	Office	Extension	Residential
Mayor	2322470	404	2478844
Mayor Section		433	
Deputy Mayor	2329905	437	2598072
Secretary	2332085	406	2573745
Deputy Secretary		401	2225401
<b>Corporation Engineer</b>		402	2333767
Health Officer		452	9496434485
Health Supervisor		421	
Town Planning Officer		415	2311270
Waste Garbage Section		403	
<b>Standing Committees</b>			
Chairman Financial Standing Committee		437	2598072
Chairman Development Standing Committee		409	2300252
Chairman Welfare Standing Committee		461	2450094
Chairman Health & Educational Standing Committee		432	2495729
<b>Chairman Standing Committee</b>		445	2340806

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Chairman Town Planning Standing Committee	424	2307750	
Garage		2473832	
Main Office Garage	460	2336014	

		Corporation Zonal Offices
Zonal Offices	Phone Number	Wards
Fort	04712472937	Sreevaraham, Manacaud, Fort, Chala, Ambalathara, Attukal, Kuriathi, Kalippankulam, Kamaleswaram, Kaladi, Poonthura, Puthenpalli, Manikyavilakom, Beemapalli, Beemapalli East, Muttathara, Valiyathura, Vallakkadavu
Attipra	04712418350	Pallithura, Kulathoor, Attipra, Poundkadavu
Ulloor	04712442070	Cheruvaikal, Akkulam, Edavakkod, Mannanthala, Nalanchira, Ulloor
Kadakampalli	04712741897	Anamukham, Karikkakom, Kadakampalli
Thiruvallam	04712382786	Thiruvallam, Punchakari, Poonkulam, Vellar
Nemom	04712391703	Estate, Pappanamcode, Nemom, Ponnumangalam, Melamcode
Vizhinjam	04712480226	Venganoor, Mulloor, Kottapuram, Vizhinjam, Harbar
Kazhakuttom	04712418252	Kazhakuttom, Chanthavila, Kaattayikonam
Sreekariam	04712598393	Chellamangalam, Chempazhanthy, Powdikonam, Njandoorkonam, Sreekaryam
Kudappanakkunnu	04712733311	Kinavoor, Kudappanakunnu, Pathirappally, Chettivilakam
Vattiyoorkavu	04712360134	Thuruthummoola, Nettayam, Kachani, Vazhottukonam, Kodunganoor

Hospitals	
Name	Phone/fax/Email
Medical College	2444270
General Hospital	2307874
Ophthalmic Hospital	2304046
S P Fort Hospital	2450540,2451659
Regional Cancer Centre, Medical College	2442541
Sree Ramakrishna Ashram Charitable Hospital, Sasthamangalam	2722125
Cosmopolitan Hospital	2448182,2449188
PRS Hospital, Killipalam	2344443,2345358
Sree Chitirathirunal MD Centre, Medical College	2443152,2446433
SUT Hospital, Pattom	2446220,2444304
Women's and Children's Hospital, Thycaud	2323442
GG Hospital	2557744,2448463
Mental Hospital	2433868
Super Speciality Dental Hospital, Medical College, TVM	2441890, 2556566
Kerala Institute of Medical Sciences (KIMS)	2447676 ,2446535
Ananthapuri Hospital, Near Terminal (2), Chacka, NH Bypass Service Road,	0471 257 9900
Lords Hospital, Anayara P.O, Chackai,	0471 304 5111
Vasan Eye Care, pattom	0471 398 9000
Chaithanya Eye Hospital, Kesavadasapuram	0471 244 7183
SK Hospital Edappazhinji, Pangode,	0471 302 2222
TSC Hospital, Bypass Rd, Kulathoor,	0471 241 2128
Jubilee Memorial Hospital Meads Lane, Palayam,	0471 233 4561
Punarjani Hospital AKG Nagar Rd, Peroorkada	0471 6454466, 2539901, 2539903

Aster Medcity Information Center 3 & 14, 1st Floor, Kailas Plaza, Pattom,	081119 98083
Sree Uthram Thirunal Royal Hospital Hospital Rd, Pongumoodu,	0471 417 7777
Precise Eye Care Hospital PMG Junction TTC Junction Road,	0471 276 6666
Vasan Dental Care Pattom Medical College Road	0471 440 0900
Al Arif Hospital Ambalathara, Thiruvananthapuram,	0471 238 0917
A J Hospital kazhakootam	0471 241 8452
SAT Hospital Medical College Campus	0471 252 8302
ARUMANA HOSPITAL VKK Nagar, Perunthanni,	0471 246 7374
ESI Hospital Peroorkada, Thiruvananthapuram	0471 243 3075
NIMS Aralumoodu, Neyyattinkara,	0471 222 6513
Sree Gokulam Medical College Venjaramoodu P.O., Trivandrum,	203-284-2818
Saraswathy Hospital NH47, Kurumkutty, Parassala,	0471 220 2598
Kalyan Hospital	0471 246 0076
Meditrina Hospital, Pattom,	0471 306 3000
GOVT FORT HOSPITAL	0471 2471766
General Hospital Neyyatinkara	0471-2221935
Mental Health Center, Peroorkada	0471-2434762
Speciality (TB) Pulayanarkotta	0471-2442041
Specialaity(W&C H) W&C Thyucaud	0471-2323457
District TB Centre	0471-2471544
Government Ayurvvedic Maternity Hospital,	0471-2350938
District Hospital Peroorkada	0471-2432071
TH Nemom	0471-2390276
CHC Iranimuttom	0471-2455620
CHC Palode	0472-2840561
CHC Poonthura	0471-2380427

City Disaster Management Plan		2015
CHC Kallara SCP	0472-2860857	
CHC Vakkom	0470-2653882	
CHC Poovar	0471-2210017	
CHC Manamboor	0470-2688354	
CHC Perumkadavila	0471-2276169	
CHC Vellanadu	0472-2882199	
CHC Kattakada	0471-2293828	
CHC Vizhinjam	0471-2480400	
CHC Vilappil	0471-2289185	
PHC Valiyathura	0471-2502480	
PHC Vattiyoorkavu	0471-2914181	
PHC Pozhiyoor	0471-2213345	
PHC Thiruvallom	0471-2380007	
PHC Palace dispensary Kowdiar	0471-2433758	
PHC Karamana	0471-2244749	
PHC Chettivilakam	0471-2730404	
PHC Kadakampally	0471-2559392	
MCH Unit (PHC) Pangappara	0471-2418038	

Kerala State Disaster Management Authority	0471-2331345	
State Emergency Operation Centre	0471-2364424	
District Disaster Management authority	0471-	
Control Room District Collectorate	0471-2730067, 2730045	
Deputy Collector, DM	8547610015	
Institute of Land and Disaster Management	0471-2365559	
Taluk Office, Fort	0471-2462006	

GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS	
Agriculture Department	04712304481
Animal Husbandry Department	04712302283
Armed Police Battalion	04712338144
Ayurveda	04712322620
Chemical Examiner's Lab	04712461568
Civil Supplies	04712321152
Collectorate Office	04712462361
District Collectorate	04712462471
Collectorate Taluk Office, Fort/Thahasildar	04712462006
Directorate Of Health Services	04712302490
Directorate Of Mining & Geology	04712447184
Directorate Of Ports	04712724533
Drugs Control	04712471896
ESI	04712323960
Forensic Laboratory	04712721533
Government Analysis Laboratory	04712472192
Government Press	04712331458
Ground Water Department	04712553039
KSIDC	04712330613
Kerala Hi-tech Industries Limited	04712501325
Kerala Live Stock Development Board Limited	04712440920
Medical Council	04712443227
National Highway Wing	04712326147
Legislative Assembly Complex	04712512524
Degionary Property Complex	OFFICE

City Disaster Management Plan	2015	
Pharmacy Council Directorate	04712470951	
Raj Bhavan	04712721100	
State Motor Vehicles & Transport	04712474866	$\exists$
State Pollution Control Board	04712318150	$\exists$
State Sports & Youth Affairs	04712327271	

## **Other Institutions**

24 Hours Working Medical Stores, Community Pharmacy Services, Medical College	0471-2443850
In House Drug Bank, S A T Hospital	0471-2528343
District Collector Thiruvananthapuram	0471-2462471
District Superintendent Of Police Thiruvananthapuram	0471-2478524

## Auditorium

Auditorium	Phone Numbers
Senate Hall	0471-2305971
Tagore Theatre	0471-2329656
V J T Hall	0471-2477441
Ananthapuri Auditorium	0471-2322534
Bank Employees Union Hall	0471-2460569
Bishop Pereira Hall	0471-2327872
Co-Bank Towers	0471-2317081
Hassan Marikkar Hall	0471-2306823
Institute Of Engineers Hall	0471-2322991
Karthika Thirunal Hall	0471-2471335
Kesari Memorial Hall	0471-2471909
Madhavanthampi Hall	0471-2441661

City Disaster Management Plan		2015
YMCA	04712330059	
YWCA	0471-2463690	
Trivandrum Club	0471-2726444	
Sreemoolam Club	04712722980	
Trivandrum Hotel	04712331142	
Theerdhapadamandapam	04712477011	
Attukal Shopping Complex	0471-2461859	
Attukal Karthika Kallyanamandapam	0471-2463130	
University Students Centre	0471-2302923	
Alakapuri Auditorium	0471-2725457	
Aravind Auditorium	0471-2447085	
AKG Memorial Hall	0471-2305731	
BTR Hall	20471331449	
Rajadhani Auditorium, East Fort	0471-2473353	
Kilimanoor Townhall Kilimanoor	0470-2672060	
LMV Auditorium	0471-2422333	

## **Ambulance Services**

Institution	Phone
Attukal Bhagavathi Temple Trust	0471- 2456456
Ayyappaseva Sangham	0471- 2451296
City Corporation	0471- 2473832
Corporation of Trivandrum	0471- 2320821, 2336014
Frat	0471- 2474745
Intensive Care on Wheels	0471- 2556611
K J Ambulance Service, Pettah	0471- 24686662
Malankara Central Council	0471- 2310193

City Disaster Management Plan	2015
Sevabharathi	0471- 2448593
Siva Sena	0471- 2460100
Vincent De Paul Society	0471- 2542588
Yesoram Ambulance Service, Medical College	0471- 2558006
Cosmo Hospital	0471- 2448182
Dhanwanthary Center	0471- 2550531, 2554409
KIMS	0471- 2448585
P R S Hospital	0471- 2344443
Sree Ramakrishna Hospital	0471- 2722125
SUT	0471- 2446220

# **Blood Banks**

Institution	Phone
Medical College	0471- 2528230
Sree Chithra	0471- 2524606
SUT	0471- 2446220
Dr. Rao's	0471- 2443740
KIMS	0471- 2447575
Premier	0471- 2443740
St. Jude, Killippalam	0471- 2345514
Superior, Statue	0471- 2331156
Superior Blood Bank	4712331156
Rao's Blood Bank	4712443740
Santhwana Hospital - Blood Bank	0471 2432121, 0471 2435490
General Hospital	0471 2307874, 0471 2304827
PRS Hospital	0471 2344443
Regional Cancer Centre (RCC)	0471 2522256/ 0471-2442541
Sreechithra	4712524606

Mobile	Mortuary
Apsara Medical Center	0471- 2444382
Jayaram Mobile Mortury Service	0471- 2553015
K J Ambulance	0471- 2468662
Kerala Ambulance	0471- 3950399
Royal Mobile Mortury	0471- 2442946
Sreeram Ambulance Service	0471- 2443923
St. George Mobile Mortury	0471- 2554281
Yesoram Mobile Mortury	0471- 2558006

# Village Office

Thycaud	8547610107
Sasthamangalam	8547610115
Vattiyurkkavu	8547610109
Kowdiar	8547610116
Peroorkkada	8547610110
Kudappanakunnu	8547610111
Pattom	8547610112
Ulloor	8547610125
Cheruvaikkal	8547610128
Attipra	8547610129
Kadakampally	8547610102
Pettah	8547610103
vanchiyur	8547610106
muttathara	8547610104
manacaud	8547610105
Thiruvallom	8547610114
nemom	8547610113
Tirumala	8547610108

List of Fire Stations Divisional Officer -0471- 2571354 (O)

Sl. No	Location of Fire Station	Officer-in– charge	Telephone
1	Trivandrum	Station Officer	0471-2333101, 101
2	Chacka	Station Officer	0471-2501255
3	Vizhinjam	Station Officer	0471-2480300, 2482101
4	Neyyattinkara	Station Officer	0471-2222307, 2222101
5	Attingal	Station Officer	0470-2622000
6	Varkala	Station Officer	0470-2607700
7	Kazhakoottam	Station officer	0471-2700099
8	Vithura	Station Officer	0472-2857101
9	Poovar	Station Officer	0471-2210101
10	Parassala	Station Officer	0471-2201717, 2202536
11	Kattakkada	Station Officer	0471-2280101
12	Nedumangadu	Station Officer	0472-2812101

# **Strength of Personnel**

Sl. No.	Fire Station	Station officer	Asst. Station officer	Leading Fireman	Driver mechanic	Fireman Driver	Fireman
1	Trivandrum	4	3	10	2	30	68
2	Chacka	1	1	9	1	14	39
3	Vizhinjam	1	1	4	1	9	24
4	Neyyattinkara	1	1	4	1	9	24
5	Attingal	1	1	4	1	7	24
6	Varkala	1	1	4	1	7	24
7	Kazhakoottam	1	1	2	1	3	12
8	Vithura	1	1	4	1	7	24
9	Poovar	1	1	4	1	7	24
10	Parassala	1	1	4	1	7	24
11	Kattakkada	1	1	3	1	5	18
12	Nedumangadu	1	1	4	1	5	12

# List of Appliances

Sl. No.	Fire Station	No. Of water tender	Crash tender	Emergency tender with spl rescue equipment s	Wate r lorry	Amb ulanc e	Jeep	Trail er pump	Portabl e pump	Recov ery vehicl e	Ind ustr ial wat er ten der
1	Trivandrum	6	nil	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	nil
2	Chacka	2	1	nil	nil	1	nil	nil	nil	nil	nil
3	Vizhinjam	2	nil	nil	1	nil	1	nil	1	nil	nil
4	Neyyattinkar a	2	nil	nil	1	nil	1	nil	1	nil	nil
5	Attingal	2	nil	nil	nil	1	1	nil	1	nil	nil
6	Varkala	2	nil	nil	1	1	nil	nil	2	nil	nil
7	Kazhakootta m	1	nil	nil	nil	nil	nil	nil	2	nil	nil
8	Vithura	2	nil	nil	nil	1	1	nil	nil	nil	nil
9	Poovar	1	nil	nil	nil	nil	1	nil	2	nil	nil
10	Parassala	1	nil	nil	nil	1	1	nil	1	nil	nil
11	Kattakkada	2	nil	nil	nil	1	nil	nil	1	nil	nil
12	Nedumangad u	2	nil	nil	1	1	1	nil	1	nil	nil

# IMPORTANT TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Sl.No	Name	Telephone number		
		Office	Residence	
1	District Collector	0471-2731177	2318746	
2	Additional Disrict Magistrate	0471-2731188		
3	Superintendent of Police	9497996985	2741545	
4	Inspector of Factories & Boilers	2471458		
5	Controller of Explosives, Kochi	(0484)2427286		
6	District Fire Officer	2322354,2320872		
7	District Information Officer	0471-2731300	9496003215	
8	Disrict Medical Officer	0471-2473257		
9	Executive Engineer, KWA (distribution)	0471 236 0790		
10	Dy. Chief engineer, KSEB, TVM	0471 251 4424		
11	GM(Telephones)	04712570000		
12	Regional Transport Officer	0471-2333336	8281786097	
13	Suptd. MCH			
14	GM.Dist. Industries			
15	BPCL,Kazhakuttom	04712705202		
18	Hindustan Latex Limited, Peroorkada			
19	Travancore Titanium Limited			
20	IOC Airport, Trivandrum			
21	BPCL-Airport, Trivandrum			

# Police station

Designation	Office	VPN	Mob
District Police Chief [DIG]	2320579	10100	
	2320579	10100	9497996988
DCP L/O & Traffic	2321676	10101	9497996987
DCP Admn. & Crimes	2322682	10102	
DCP & CSO, Sree Padmanabha			9497981198
Swami Temple, TVPM	2570200		
City Police Office	2320486	10103	9497965267
Sr. Administrative Assistant	2320486	10103	9497965286
Senior Superintendent	2320486	10103	

City Disaster Managemen	t Plan		2015
Manager	2320486	10103	9497965313
AO	2320486	10103	9497990001
AC Special Branch	2321399	10104	9497990000
AC DCRB	2324033		9497990002
AC Narcotic Cell	2337800		9497990003
AC Crime Dett.	2337800		9497975998
Cyber Cell	2329107	10108	
Crime Stopper	2329107	10108	9497990232
Commandant AR Camp	2320746	10109	9497990248
AC ADJ	2320746	10109	
AR Camp - 1	2321146	10110	
AR Camp - 2	2320746	10111	9496102573
Mounted Police [RSI]			9446324478
Dog Squad [ASI]			9497990004
AC Control Room	2331403		
Duty Officer	2331843	10112	9497987004
Control Room CI-1	2331843	10112	9497987003
Control Room CI-2	2331843	10112	
Police Control Room	2335410, 2336410, 2337410		
Police Canteen	2321186		9497990005
AC Traffic [South]	2558724	10114	9497990006
AC Traffic [North]	2558721	10115	9497987002
CI Traffic [South]	2558726	10116	9497987001
CI Traffic [North]	2558734	10117	9497987014

