

# AZHIKODE GRAMA PANCHAYAT

KANNUR DISTRICT

## TSUNAMI READY PROGRAMME



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AZHIKODE GRAMA PANCHAYAT HALL

# AZHIKODE GRAMA PANCHAYAT LAUNCHES TSUNAMI READY PROGRAM



The Azhikode Grama Panchayat is leading the charge in safeguarding its residents from potential tsunamis by launching a groundbreaking **tsunami-ready program**. This initiative empowers the community with the necessary knowledge and skills to respond decisively in the face of a tsunami threat.

### Pilot Program Paves the Way for a Model Community

The program's launch on Tuesday, June 25th, 2024, marked a significant milestone for Azhikode. Selected as a pilot program among nine coastal districts in the state, Azhikode has the opportunity to become a model for tsunami preparedness. This distinction will not only bolster their own community's resilience but also serve as a guiding example for others.

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## Multiple Goals, Unified Approach

The program strives to achieve several critical objectives:

- Enhance preparedness: Equipping residents with the ability to respond swiftly and effectively during a tsunami.
- Minimize casualties and property damage: Protecting lives and minimizing losses in the event of a tsunami strike.
- Earn a "tsunami-ready" certification: Achieving formal recognition for the community's preparedness efforts.



## Strong Collaborative Effort Underpins the Program

The program launch highlighted the importance of collaboration between various departments. Representatives from the Fire and Rescue Services, Police Department,

Medical Department, Revenue Department, Fisheries Department, Social Justice Department, Women and Child Development Department, Public Works Department (PWD), Emergency Response Team volunteers, Asha Workers, RRT volunteers, ward-level members, and NGOs all came together to pledge their support. This unified approach ensures a comprehensive and well-rounded program for the community.

## Program Officials Take Center Stage

The program benefitted from the leadership of prominent figures:



Sri. Ajeesh.K, President of the Grama Panchayat, inaugurated the program. The Assistant Secretary Sri.Shahanad VP, ably chaired the program. Dr. Mithila Mallika, the State Project Officer, led the core training sessions. Smt. Aiswarya, Hazard Analyst for Kannur District, provided valuable insights on potential hazards. DM Plan Coordinator Thasleem Fazil emphasized the importance of updating the Disaster Management (DM) Plan. Ward members expressed their opinions in the program.

The Azhikode Grama Panchayat is moving forward with its comprehensive tsunami-ready program and has proposed several key actions:

- ❖ **School Safety Training:** Government schools within the panchayat will receive dedicated training on tsunami preparedness.
- ❖ **Hospital Safety Program:** A hospital safety program will likely be implemented to ensure medical facilities are prepared for emergencies.
- ❖ **Disaster Management Group Reinforcement:** The 13th Working Group on Disaster Management and Climate Change will be bolstered, along with the Emergency Response Team under the LSG (Local Self Government) body.

These initiatives demonstrate the Azhikode Grama Panchayat's commitment to building a more resilient community prepared to face potential tsunami threats.

### **Looking Ahead: Building a Resilient Community**



The Azhikode Grama Panchayat's initiative demonstrates a commendable commitment to safeguarding its coastal residents. By actively participating in future training sessions and working alongside dedicated officials, the community can build a more resilient future prepared to weather any tsunami threat.

# AZHIKODE TSUNAMI READY PROGRAM PHOTOS & VIDEO





## **TSUNAMI READY PROGRAME AT AZHIKODE GRAMA PANCHAYAT**

### **VIDEO LINK: -**

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1IUv6u9DgV3oy2Vma772XwnwxhYW2MS9S/view?usp=drivesdk>

### **TSUNAMI READY PROGRAME ATTENDANCE REPORT LINK :-**

[https://drive.google.com/file/d/1m4hTaoZGfpHjWL4pDde\\_NFDliHBESlbj/view?usp=drivesdk](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1m4hTaoZGfpHjWL4pDde_NFDliHBESlbj/view?usp=drivesdk)

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