

**Jhargram Krishi Vigyan Kendra**  
**Bidhan Chandra Krishi Vishwavidyalaya**  
Kadamkanan, P.O & Distt.: Jhargram  
West Bengal – 721507  
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**PROCEEDING OF THE 1<sup>ST</sup> SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING**  
**JHARGRAM KVK**

**VENUE – JHARGRAM KVK, RRS – BCKV, JHARGRAM**

**DATE - APRIL 06, 2022**

**Members Present:**

1. Dr. Umesh Thapa, Director of Extension Education, BCKV
2. Dr. Subrata Kumar Roy, Director, ICAR-ATARI, Kolkata
3. Dr. S. K. Roy, Pr. Scientist & Head, ICAR-NBSS & LUP, Kolkata
4. Dr. Asim Kumar Maiti, Senior Scientist & Head, Jhargram KVK
5. Dr. Mini Poduval. In-Charge, RRS Jhargram, BCKV
6. Dr. Alok Nath Praharaj, ADF, Jhargram
7. Dr. S. Khan, DHO, Jhargram
8. Mr. Mihir Kumar Mondal, PD ATMA, Jhargram
9. Dr. Chanchal Datta, AD. ARD, Jhargram
10. Mr. Akash Sharma, DDM, NABARD, Jhargram
11. Mr. Ranjit Kumar Dutta, LDM, Jhargram
12. Mr. Prasenjit Hazra, SAE, Jhargram
13. Mr. Tarapada Sur, Manager, DIC, Jhargram
14. Mr. Pradip Sengupta, FRO, Jhargram
15. Mr. Subal Chandra Soren, ADA (Admin.), SC, DPAP, Jhargram
16. Mr. Prasun Kumar Ghosh, IDO, DIC, Jhargram
17. Mr. Sarjen Hansda, Chhandpara, Farmers Representative, Sidsare FC, Jhargram
18. Mr. Sandip Ghosh, Bansajuri, Farmers Representative, FC, Jhargram
19. SK. Farad Hussain Khan, Beragari, Kapgari, Farmers Representative
20. Mrs. Parbati Murmu, Kenduasuli, Kapgari, Farmers Representative
21. Mrs. Rehana Parvin, Beragari, Kapgari, Farmers Representative
22. Dr. Satyaendra Nath Singh, SMS (Agril. Engg.), Jhargram KVK
23. Dr. Srabani Das, SMS (Horticulture), Jhargram KVK
24. Mr. Sourav Halder, SMS (Agril. Extn.), Jhargram KVK
25. Dr. Tonmoy Sengupta, PA (Lab. Technician), Jhargram KVK
26. Mr. Susanta Kumar Nayak, PA (Computer), Jhargram KVK

**Agenda:**

1. Presentation of Annual Progress Report 2021
2. Approval of Action Plan 2022
3. Miscellaneous with kind approval of the Chairman

**Proceeding:**

Dr. Umesh Thapa, Director of Extension Education, BCKV, on behalf of the Chairman of the SAC, Jhargram KVK presided over the meeting. He welcomes all the members of the SAC for attending the same meeting and invites their active participation with fruitful suggestions.

Dr. Subrata Kumar Roy, Director, ICAR-ATARI, Kolkata explained about the ICAR mandates and mode of convergence of different programmes with line departments to strengthen the KVK activities

throughout the districts. He informed the house that nearly 1.62 crores have been earmarked for creation of New Administrative Building of this KVK. Besides the success story be earmarked for presentation in *Man-Ki-Baat* by our Hon'ble Prime Minister. The prioritized KVK be bestowed with drone facilities with financial allocation of Rs. 10 lakh in the KVK form better monitoring and implementation of the KVK mandatory works. The host organization is being requested to facilitate all need – based infrastructure as early as possible. At last, he requested all the line departments to harness the KVK as a resource centre of the district for real cause of the farming concern. He opined that the SAC must be conducted within December of each year.


With permission to the Chairman, Dr. Asim Kumar Maiti, Senior Scientist & Head, Jhargram KVK, Member Secretary of the SAC presented the progress report of this KVK from April to December 2021 which has been appreciated by the house. Further, the action plan for the period from January to December 2022 was presented before the house and the followings are the salient recommendations by the house were resolved.

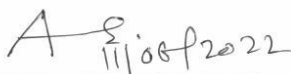
- A. Prior to adaptation of the village agro-eco system analysis be conducted through PRA.
- B. Introduction & popularization of the new improve Variety of the custard apple and value addition programme on vegetable and fruits be promoted through SHG & Farmers Club.
- C. The need of livestock development infrastructure viz. instructional farm on goatery, duckery, piggery, poultry and cattle farming be initialized.
- D. Front Line Demonstration on Sunflower, Millets and Dragon fruits be popularized.
- E. In the proposed OFT on control of Stem Rot of Ground nut, Biological control may also be included with chemical control measures.
- F. In the Action Plan of 2022, the OFT on assessment of different planting time for better market price of cauliflower, not to be entertained.
- G. The Senior Scientist & Head of Jhargram KVK raised the issue of vacant position of Jhargram KVK. He told that total 06 posts are lying vacant and Kendra has been presently functioning with three SMS's. But as per requirement is concerned still three SMS posts are lying vacant in which Agronomy is the prime need for executing all sorts of Agronomical activities for the farming community of the district. He requested to the concerned authority to fill the vacant posts as early as possible so that mandated activities of KVK could be conducted smoothly.

He informed to the house that the allocated KVK's farm land are in scattered position and unfenced, in this respect the house suggested that the appropriate authority be looked into the matter and necessary step may be taken. Besides, the emphasis was given to construct farmers hostel, farm infrastructure and farm approach Road.

Jhargram KVK being in its initial stage and located far away from the host organizations head quarter, faces problems to mobilize fund in due time. The house is proposed about the need of recoupment advance for smooth functioning of the KVK's day to day activities.

Lastly the meeting was ended with Vote-of-Thanks to the Chairman and the participants and all the participants and dignitaries were honoured with the memento.

  
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