

**GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY
OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT COLLECTOR-CUM-DISTRICT MAGISTRATE,
PUDUCHERRY**

No.2851/DM/RO/D2/2019

Puducherry, dt:22.08.2019

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 20.08.2019 AT 04.00PM IN THE
CONFERENCE HALL OF THE COLLECTORATE, PUDUCHERRY TO REVIEW
GENERAL ARRANGEMENTS REGARDING VINAYAGAR CHATHURTHI
FESTIVAL ON 02.09.2019.**

The District Collector, Puducherry, convened a meeting to discuss on the smooth and peaceful conduct of Vinayagar Chathurthi festival on 02.09.2019 followed by the immersion of idols. The list of officials attended the meeting is annexed.


2. At the outset, the District Collector-cum-District Magistrate, Puducherry welcomed all the participants and following issues are discussed and decision taken after deliberation.

Sl. No.	Subject	Action by
1	Vinayagar Idols should be made and painted with materials which does not cause pollution to the water bodies when immersed. Adequate awareness to be made and press release to be given. Monitoring mechanism shall be put in place.	The Puducherry Pollution Control Committee.
2	No Vinayagar Idols shall be installed in public places without permission. Therefore, whoever proposes to install Vinayagar Idols should get permission from the Local Bodies and Police. The permission shall be conditional with regard to the material used for shed, loud speaker, procession timing for immersion etc.	The Municipalities / Commune Panchayats and Police.
3	No illegal Electricity connection shall be allowed for the lighting and other arrangements to the idols installed in public places. The Electricity Department shall monitor and take action wherever required.	Electricity Department
4	In order to avoid any Law & Order issues and to conduct the procession of the idols before immersion at Sea on the fixed date, it is decided to conclude the entire process of immersion before 6.00pm itself. Also it is decided to close the liquor shops located enroute of the procession to be finalized by Police. The HRI Department shall also issue necessary advisory to the organizers to ensure completion of the immersion process before 6.00pm on the fixed date. Police shall decide the procession arrangement and provide copy to Excise Department.	Police, Excise and HRI.

5	No fire crackers to be bursted during the procession and on the site of immersion. The organizers to be instructed accordingly.	Police and Local Bodies
6	After the immersion, the site/location shall be cleared and the waste materials, shall be removed.	Local Bodies
7	The procession on the fixed date from the place fixed by the police till the immersion site to be videographed for future record and planning purpose. Copy of the CD be provided to Collector office.	Director of Information and Publicity
8	One volunteer person shall be posted by the organizers to guard the shed during right.	Police shall instruct the organisers
9	CCTV cameras shall be arranged by the organizers.	Police shall instruct the organisers
10	A Meeting shall be organized by Police Department with organisers and instructions issued to all concerned.	Police
11	No loud speaker shall be allowed after 10 PM.	Police
12	It shall be ensured that no drunken person participates in procession and create ruckus.	Police
13	Arrangements for safe passage of idols / route clearance is to be made by Electricity Department.	Electricity Department.

With thanks from the chair the meeting ended.

// BY ORDER//



P.S.Ravichandran
Revenue Officer

To

All the Participants.

Copy to:

- 1.The Director, Information and Publicity, Puducherry – for necessary action.
- 2.The Deputy Commissioner, (Excise), Puducherry – for necessary action.

Annexure

S.No.	Name of the representative/Official Tvl.
1.	Rahul Alwal, IPS, Senior Superintendent of Police (L&O), Puducherry.
2.	Shashvat Saurabh, IAS, Sub-Collector (South), Puducherry. Sudhakar, Deputy Collector Revenue (North), Puducherry.
3.	B.Ranganathan, Superintendent of Police (West), Puducherry.(Cell No.9843059100).
4.	Veera Balakrishnan, Superintendent of Police (South), Puducherry. (Cell No.9443481802).
5.	C.Maran, Superintendent of Police (East), Puducherry. (Cell No.9047922040).
6.	Chinta Kodhandaraman, SP(North), Puducherry. (Cell No.9443363739).
7.	Arjun Ramakrishnan, Commissioner, Puducherry Municipality. (Cell No.9443234073).
8.	G.Satchidanandam, Commissiener, HRI, Puducherry.
9.	P.S.Ravichandran, Revenue Officer, Puducherry. (Cell No.8778335504).
10.	A.Sureshraj, Tahsildar (L&O), Puducherry.
11.	R.Arun Ayavou, Revenue Officer, DCR(N), Puducherry. (Cell No.9488840480).
12.	S.Gunasekaran, Executive Engineer, Oulgaret Municipality, Puducherry. (Cell No.9443371672).
13.	P.Gnanasekaran, Executive Engineer/RN, Electricity Department, Puducherry. (Cell No.9489080340).
14.	A.Nowsath Ali, Municipal Health Officer (ic), Oulgaret Municipality. (Cell No.9487735910).
15.	A.Jayaraman, Inspector of Police, Traffic (East PS), Puducherry. (Cell No.7904131744).
16.	K.Eleumalai, Assistant Engineer (Roads), PWD, Puducherry. (Cell No.9790572162).
17.	S.Manikandan, Revenue Officer (ic), Oulgaret Municipality. (Cell No.9003963996).
18.	Youvaraj, Assistant Engineer, Ariyankuppam Commune Panchayat. (Cell No.9843091753).
19.	M.Balamurugan, JE, Villianur Commune Panchayat. (Cell No.9488820520).