

NIUA Organises Workshop on River Centric Urban Planning

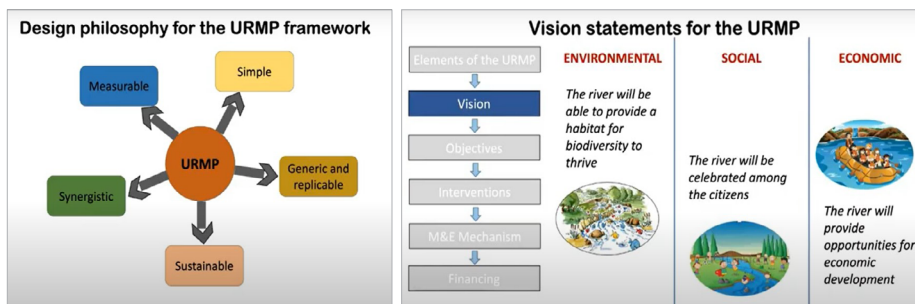


Shri. Rajiv Ranjan Mishra, Director General, National Mission for Clean Ganga addressing the Committee Members in the workshop.

NIUA and the National Mission for Clean Ganga in collaboration with Town and Country Planning Organisation (TCPO) organised a workshop-**Mainstreaming River Thinking into a Master Plan** on 3 August. The purpose of the workshop was to deliberate on the notion of integrating river centric planning into the urban planning process. It was attended by Chief Town Planners and representatives from the states of Uttarakhand, Jharkhand, Bihar, Uttar Pradesh, and Kerala. The workshop also included a presentation on *River Centric Urban Planning Guidelines* by TCPO. For more information on National Mission for Clean Ganga, click [here](#).

Urban River Management Plan Provides an Integrated Approach to Manage the River and its Associated Elements in a City Sustainably: NIUA Expert

Dr. Victor Shinde, Team Lead-Water and Environment, NIUA delivered a lecture in a two day national seminar-**Restoration of Riverine Ecosystem and Urban Planning**. He highlighted that the water bodies in a city are important part of urban management and planning. There is a need to enhance the social and environmental value of rivers and associated water bodies. The seminar was organised by the South Asian Institute for Advanced Research and Development (SAIARD) on 7 and 8 August. To watch the complete lecture, click [here](#).



Design Philosophy and Vision Statement for Urban River Management Plan (URMP)

Draft Harmonised Guidelines for Universal Accessibility in India, 2021 submitted to MoHUA

The Building Accessible Safe Inclusive Indian Cities (BASIIIC) programme along with its strategic partner Indian Institute of Technology, Roorkee submitted the draft, **Harmonised Guidelines for Universal Accessibility in India, 2021** to the Secretary, MoHUA for the Ministry's approval to launch the guidelines. The harmonised guidelines are being revised as part of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (RPwD) Act, 2016 through the lens of universal access and inclusive design. For more information on BASIIIC programme, click [here](#).



CITIIS Project Signs Contract for Technical Expertise with Ernst & Young, AECOM and TERI

The City Investments To Innovate, Integrate and Sustain (CITIIS) project at NIUA has signed a contract with Ernst & Young, AECOM, and TERI for providing demand-based technical assistance to Smart City SPVs under the CITIIS project on issues ranging from institutional integration, innovation to sustainability. For more information on the CITIIS project, click [here](#).



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