

## Master Plan of Delhi-2041: A Blueprint for Delhi to Become Economic and Cultural Powerhouse

NIUA and Delhi Development Authority (DDA) collaborated to prepare the draft Master Plan of Delhi-2041 as an **enabling** and **strategic** planning framework to help realise Delhi's potential as a liveable city and an economic and cultural powerhouse. The vision for MPD-2041 is to *Foster a Sustainable, Liveable and Vibrant Delhi by 2041*, and the plan is based on the underlying principles of inclusiveness and equity.

The draft plan was released on 9 June and will be available in the public domain for 45 days. To read the draft Master Plan and give your suggestions, click [here](#).

### FIRSTS FOR MASTER PLAN OF DELHI

Baseline assessment

GIS master plan

Public engagement in plan preparation

People-friendly document

### SIX POINT TRANSFORMATIVE AGENDA

- 'Green-Blue Infrastructure'
- Reclaiming wastelands
- Rejuvenating Yamuna and Green-Blue Factor
- People-nature interface
- Mitigating pollution & CC impacts



#### 01. PUTTING ENVIRONMENT FIRST

- Clean, non-polluting
- 24-hour city
- Business Promotion Districts
- Regeneration of economic centres
- New work culture and informal sector
- Niche and Green economies

#### 02. GROWING A GOOD ECONOMY

- Vibrant public spaces
- Plazas and active frontage
- Privately owned public spaces
- Cultural precincts and heritage zones
- Adaptive reuse and Heritage TDR
- Shahjahanabad cultural enterprise zone



#### 03. CELEBRATING HERITAGE, CULTURE & PUBLIC LIFE

- Nuanced Regeneration
- Land pooling
- Non-ownership and small format housing
- Dense areas with facilities, open space
- Access-friendly built environment
- Simplified norms, mix of uses

#### 04. PROMOTING HIGH QUALITY LIVING

- Strategic inter & intra-city corridors
- Shift from private to shared modes
- Electric mobility
- PTAL based planning
- Walkable and cyclable Delhi
- Rationalised parking norms



#### 05. MOVING TOWARDS LOW CARBON MOBILITY

- Water security and conservation
- Circular Economy
- Minimum Waste Localities
- Renewable energy
- Digital Infrastructure
- Disaster preparedness & resilience



#### 06. GETTING INFRASTRUCTURE RIGHT



### MPD 2041 in the Media

MPD-2041 has featured in multiple print and social media platforms. Here are a few links: [The Hindu](#), [Mint](#), [First Post](#). Click [here](#) to read more news articles on MPD 2041.

### MPD 2041 Team at NIUA

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### Upcoming Events

#### Launch of Strategic Guidelines for River-Sensitive Master Plans



NIUA and the National Mission for Clean Ganga (NMCG) are jointly launching Strategic Guidelines for 'Making River-Sensitive Master Plans' on 20 June in the presence of Hon'ble Minister for Jal Shakti and Hon'ble Minister of State for Jal Shakti along with other dignitaries. The document will provide guidance to city planners across the Gangetic basin on how to integrate river-sensitive thinking into a Master Plan.

### NIUA's 45th Anniversary



NIUA, to mark its 45th Anniversary, has planned a series of events from 23 to 27 June including the launch of new knowledge products, and websites. For further information on the events, click [here](#).