Ottamassery Fishing Village

(Pattanakadu Grama Panchayat - Pattanakadu Block)

A Brief Profile of the Ottamassery Fishing Village

Ottamassery fisheries village is located in ward no 16 of Pattanakadu Gram Panchayat. The village has a total of 500 houses and 537 households are living there. Among them, 45 households are landless or presently living as a joint family. Regarding the housing situation in the village, it is noted that 50 percent houses are pucca, 40 percent are semi-pucca and 10 percent houses are kachha houses. About 90 percent of the existing houses in the village have sanitary toilets. Safe drinking water is available to 89.20 percent of the existing houses. Most of the houses in the village (95.60 %) are electrified. It is noted that 181 persons from the fisher folk community are insured with the Fisheries Board (Matsya Board). And 10 persons are covered under the old age pension scheme and 4 persons are covered under widow pension scheme during 2007-08 in this village.

Regarding the community specific facilities, this village has no hospital facilities. Two anganawadis are functioning in this village and all of them are functioning in rented buildings. This village has a network of 4 roads of length 1.40 Km and two culverts. The village has 15 street lights and all of them are functional. About the fisheries specific infrastructure and facilities, it is noted that 15 country fishing boats and 5 mechanized boats are available in this fisheries village. And a total of 8 kerosene permits are issued to the fisher folk in this. The village has one ice plant. The village has a protected coastal length of 3.50 Km. Consumption of liquor and narcotic drugs are acute in this village.

The results of situation analysis and needs and requirements are presented in Tables 66 and 67 while the financial requirements are given in Table 68.

Table. 66:Current Status & Requirements of Existing Infrastructure Facilities

SI.No	Name of the Existing road	Length of the road	Existing number of Culverts, Bridges	Existing drainage facilities	Requirements
•	Arattuvazhi Beach road	100 m			
•	Arattuvazhi pozhichal road	1000 m			
•	Beach approach road	200 m			
•	Ottmassery pathway	100 m			

Source: Office of the Pattanakkadu Gram Panchayath

Table. 67:Requirements of New Infrastructure Facilities

SI.No	Name of the new	Length	Number of	Drainage	Any other
	road	of the	Culverts	facilities	Requirements
		road			
1	Matruka –	2 km			
	Arattuvazhi bridge –				
	road (nearby				
	pozhichil)				

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Т	able 68: Re	equiren	nent, finan	cial allocation a	nd its so	urces Otta	amassery v	/illage
S. No.	Name of the scheme	No. of units	Unit cost(Rs. in Lakhs)	Project cost(Rs. in Lakhs)				
				Subsidy/Amount from other sources	Expected amount from separate project	Loan	Beneficiary Contribution	Total
1	Housing							
	1.New house	87	1.5	25.86	104.64	0	0	130.5
	2.Repair	200	0.5	0.44	99.56	0	0	100
	3.Purchase of							
	land	45	1	0	45	0	0	45
2	Sanitation			1.50	2.41	1		
	1.New toilet	50	0.1	1.59	3.41	0	0	5
	2.Repair	230	0.025	0	5.75	0	0	5.75
3	1 Improvement to the existing water supply scheme			17	0	0	0	17
4	Electrification							
	1.House Hold Electrification	22	0.05	0	1.1	0	0	1.1
5	Road and culver	rts						
	1.New Road	2	18	26.702	9.298	0	0	36
6	Street light	•	1		•			
	1.New	50	0.18	5.71	3.29	0	0	9
	2.Repair	0	0.05	0	0	0	0	0
7	Health sector	2. repair						
8	Education Education							
9	Anganwady 1. Land& building	2	5	2.65	7.35	0	0	10
	2.Drinking water	2	0.25	0.13	0.37	0	0	0.50
	3.Toys	2	0.05	0.03	0.07	0	0	0.10
10	Fisheries Infrast	tructure		1		ı		
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12	Fish processing storage and marketing Coastal area protection							
14	1.Renovation			27.5	0	0		37.5
12								
13	Livelihood Proposals							
	1.Fish packing	1	0.77	0.42	0.00	0.28	0.07	0.77
	2.Cage Culture	3	1.07	0.96	0.00	1.95	0.30	3.21
	3.Pappadom Unit	1	0.285	0.11	0	0.125	0.05	0.285
	4.Tea shop	1	0.27	0.081	0.00	0.135	0.054	0.27
	Total							406.265