

Maravukadu Fishing Village

(Chellanam GP-Palluruthy Block)

A Brief Profile of the Maravukadu Fishing Villages

Maruvakkadu fisheries village is located in ward 20 of Chellanam Gram Panchayat. The village has a total of 420 houses and 435 households are living there. Among them, 15 households are landless or presently living as a joint family. Regarding the housing situation in the village, it is noted that 12.38 percent houses are pucca, 71.43 percent are semi-pucca and 16.19 percent houses are kachha houses. About 83.33 percent of the existing houses in the village have sanitary toilets. Safe drinking water is available to 83.81 percent of the existing houses. Most of the houses in the village (97.62 %) are electrified. It is noted that 202 persons from the fisher folk community are insured with the Fisheries Board (Matsya Board). And 24 persons are covered under the old age pension scheme and 11 persons are covered under widow pension scheme during 2007-08 in this village.

Regarding the community specific facilities, this village has no hospital facilities and schools. Seven anganawadis are functioning in this village and six of them are functioning in its own buildings. This village has a network of 2 roads of length 4.00 Km, 4 Km drainage and 5 culverts. The village has 22 street lights and only six of them are functional. About the fisheries specific infrastructure and facilities, it is noted that 110 country fishing boats are available in this fisheries village. And a total of 46 kerosene permits are issued to the fisher folk in this. The village has one market. The village has a protected coastal length of 3.10 Km. Consumption of liquor and narcotic drugs are moderate in this village.

The results of situation analysis and needs and requirements including financial requirements are presented in Tables 4 and 5.

Table .4:Current status & requirements of Existing Infrastructure Facilities

Sl.No	Name of the Existing road	Length of the road	Existing number of Culverts, Bridges	Existing drainage facilities	Requirements
1.	Kandankadavu palam (North)-Puthenthodu	2.km	Culvert-3	2.km	Culvert-1
2.	Panchayath office (south)-West	2.km	Culvert-2	2.km	Maintenance – 2.km

Source: Office of the Chellanam Gram Panchayath

Table .5 : Requirement, financial allocation and its sources Maravukadu village

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	83	1.50	23.03	101.47	0	0	124.5
	2.Repair	300	0.50	0.66	149.34	0	0	150
	3.Purchase of land	15	1	0	15	0	0	15
2	Sanitation							
	1.New toilet	70	0.1	1.26	5.74	0	0	7
	2.Repair	100	0.025	0.44	2.06	0	0	2.5
3	Drinking water							
	1.Pipeline Extension	1	13	10.07	2.93	0	0	13
4	Electrification							
	1.House Hold Electrification	10	0.05	0	0.5	0	0	0.5
5	Road and culverts							
	1.Culvert	1	7					7.00
6	Street light							
	1.New	15	0.18	1.70	1	0	0	2.7
	2.Repair	16	0.05	0.51	0.29	0	0	0.8
7	Health sector							
8	Education							
9	Anganwady							
	1. Building	1	3.50	1.4	2.1	0	0	3.50
	2. Toilet	3	0.10	0.12	0.18	0	0	0.30
	3. Compound wall	3	1.00	1.2	1.8	0	0	3.00
	4. Drinking water	3	0.25	0.3	0.45	0	0	0.75
	5. Toys	7	0.05	0.15	0.2	0	0	0.35
10	Fisheries Infrastructure							
	1.Landing Centre	1	75	70.29	4.71	0	0	75
11	Fish processing storage and marketing							
	1. Market Repair	1	2	1	1	0	0	2
12	Coastal area protection							
	1.Seawall Renovation			112.5	0	0	0	112.5
	Livelihood Proposals							
	1.Fish Cultivation	1	2.47	0.67	0.00	1.560	0.24	2.47
	2. Ornamental fish	1	1.745	0.9075	0	0.67	0.1675	1.745
	3.Prawn cultivation	2	2.54	1.375	0.00	3.211	0.494	5.08

