

## **Virunnukandy Fishing Village**

### **(Quilandy Municipality)**

#### ***A Brief Profile of the Virnnukandy Fishing Village***

Virunnukandy fisheries village is spread over two wards of Quilandy Municipality. The coastal wards of this village are 30 and 31. The village has a total of 570 houses and 613 households are living there. Among them, 49 households are landless or presently living as a joint family. Regarding the housing situation in the village, it is noted that 32.98 percent houses are pucca, 50.18 percent are semi-pucca and 16.84 percent houses are kachha houses. About 93.86 percent of the existing houses in the village have sanitary toilets. Safe drinking water is available to 83.16 percent of the existing houses. Most of the houses in the village (87.72 %) are electrified. It is noted that 242 persons from the fisher folk community are insured with the Fisheries Board (Matsya Board). And 11 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 one of them is functioning in own building. This village has a network of 1 roads of length 1.50 Km, 0.20 Km drainage and two culverts. The village has 26 street lights and 18 of them are functional. About the fisheries specific infrastructure and facilities, it is noted that 59 country fishing boats are available in this fisheries village. And a total of 28 kerosene permits are issued to the fisher folk in this. The village has three ice plants. The village has a protected coastal length of 1.75 Km. Consumption of liquor and narcotic drugs are moderate in this village.

The results of situation analysis and needs and financial requirements are presented in Tables 62 and 63.

**Table .62: 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.	Virunnukandi ice plant road	1.5.km	Culvert-2	200mtr	Drainage-300mtr

Source: Office of the Quilandy Municipality

**Table .63: Requirement, financial allocation and its sources  
Virunnukandy 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
<b>1</b>	<b>Housing</b>							
	1.New house	139	1.5	41.33	167.17	0	0	208.5
	2.Repair	286	0.5	0.62	142.38	0	0	143
	3.Purchase of land	49	1	0	49	0	0	49
<b>2</b>	<b>Sanitation</b>							
	1.New toilet	35	0.1	0.87	2.64	0	0	3.5
	2.Repair	105	0.025	0	2.63	0	0	2.63
<b>3</b>	<b>Drinking water</b>							
	1Pipeline extension	1	13	10.81	2.19	0	0	13
<b>4</b>	<b>Electrification</b>							
	1.House Hold Electrification	70	.05	0	3.5	0	0	3.5
<b>5</b>	<b>Road and culverts</b>							
	1.Drainage	0.30	13	2.93	0.97	0	0	3.90
<b>6</b>	<b>Street light</b>							
	1.New	16	0.18	1.81	1.07	0	0	2.88
	2.Repair	8	0.05	0.27	0.13	0	0	0.4
<b>7</b>	<b>Health sector</b>							
<b>8</b>	<b>Education</b>							
<b>9</b>	<b>Anganwady</b>							
	1.Building only	1	3.50	1.28	2.22	0	0	3.50
	2.Toys	2	0.05	0.05	0.05	0	0	0.10
	3.Drinking water	1	0.25	0.09	0.16	0	0	0.25
	4.Eletricity	1	0.25	0.09	0.16	0	0	0.25
<b>10</b>	<b>Fisheries Infrastructure</b>							
<b>11</b>	<b>Fish processing storage and marketing</b>							
<b>12</b>	<b>Coastal area protection</b>							
	1.Sea wall renovation	0.75	75	56.25	0	0	0	56.25

