

# **SCHEME FOR WASTE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM**

## **1. Title of the Scheme**

**Community Waste Management and Clean Environment Promotion Scheme**

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## **2. Background and Rationale**

Improper waste disposal has become a major environmental and health issue in many communities. Unmanaged waste leads to pollution, spread of diseases, and environmental degradation. Effective waste management through proper segregation, recycling, and safe disposal is essential for maintaining a clean and healthy environment. This scheme aims to promote community awareness and establish sustainable waste management practices.

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## **3. Vision**

To create clean and healthy communities through responsible waste management practices

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## **4. Mission**

To promote proper waste management, reduce pollution, and encourage environmentally responsible behaviour.

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## **5. Objectives**

### **General Objective**

To improve waste management practices in communities and institutions.

### **Specific Objectives**

- Promote waste segregation at source
- Reduce environmental pollution
- Encourage recycling and composting
- Improve public health and sanitation

- Create awareness about responsible waste disposal
  - Promote community participation in cleanliness activities
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## **6. Target Beneficiaries**

- Village households
  - Students and schools
  - Community members
  - Women and youth groups
  - Local institutions
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## **7. Key Program Components**

### **A. Waste Segregation Awareness**

- Awareness campaigns on waste segregation
  - Training on separating biodegradable and non-biodegradable waste
  - Household waste management education
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### **B. Composting Programs**

- Promotion of compost pits
  - Training on organic waste composting
  - Use of compost in agriculture and gardens
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### **C. Recycling Promotion**

- Collection of recyclable waste
  - Collaboration with recycling agencies
  - Awareness on reuse of materials
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### **D. Community Cleanliness Drives**

- Village cleaning campaigns
  - Clean public spaces and streets
  - Community participation programs
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## **E. Plastic Waste Reduction**

- Awareness campaigns on plastic pollution
  - Promotion of reusable bags
  - Encouraging eco-friendly alternatives
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## **F. School Waste Management Programs**

- Waste segregation in schools
  - Environmental education for students
  - School recycling initiatives
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## **8. Implementation Strategy**

Step 1: Identify waste management issues in the community

Step 2: Conduct awareness and training programs

Step 3: Establish waste segregation systems

Step 4: Organize cleanliness drives

Step 5: Monitor and improve waste management practices

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## **9. Organizational Structure**

Waste Management Committee includes:

- Program Coordinator
  - Environmental volunteers
  - Community leaders
  - Youth representatives
  - Local institution representatives
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## **10. Frequency of Activities**

- Monthly awareness programs
  - Weekly cleaning drives
  - Quarterly environmental review
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## 11. Budget (Estimated)

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1	Baseline survey and planning	1,000
2	Awareness programs and training	1,000
3	Purchase and installation of waste bins	2,000
4	Construction of compost pits	1,000

**Total Estimated Budget: ₹5,000**

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## 12. Funding Sources

- Parish or NGO funds
  - Government sanitation schemes
  - Donor agencies
  - CSR support
  - Community contributions
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## 13. Monitoring and Evaluation

Indicators include:

- Reduction in unmanaged waste
- Number of households practicing waste segregation
- Number of composting units established
- Community participation in cleaning activities

Methods include:

- Field visits
  - Waste management reports
  - Community feedback
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## 14. Expected Outcomes

- Cleaner and healthier environment
- Improved waste management practices
- Increased recycling and composting

- Reduced pollution and health risks
  - Greater environmental awareness
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## **15. Sustainability Plan**

- Formation of local waste management committees
- Community ownership of waste management systems
- Continuous environmental education
- Partnerships with recycling organizations

## **16. Conclusion**

The Waste Management Program will promote responsible waste disposal practices and community participation in maintaining a clean and healthy environment. With proper awareness and management, the program will contribute to sustainable environmental development.