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Changing Telangana's Urban Landscape Through Digital Transformation

Elets Technomedia Pvt Ltd along with the Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation, Government of Telangana organised National Urban Development Summit Hyderabad on 10th February.

The day-long Summit aimed at creating a platform for the key stakeholders to interact on important topics around Smart Cities, affordable housing, best and next practices in urban India in dealing with water shortage, waste management and sanitation and find solutions to enlarge the urban development ecosystem as well as explore maximum potential of the projects undertaken for Digital Telangana.

The Government officials, industry experts related to Smart Cities, and the concerned stakeholders shared a common platform and brainstormed on the best practices and way ahead in the Smart Cities Mission and the challenges and opportunities in the State, which can help the common man to become digital literate and avail the government services transparently and effectively. The conference was a unique forum for idea exchange, knowledge sharing, networking, exploring opportunities for collaboration, while setting the policy agenda to meet future challenges in urban development.

Inaugural Ceremony

KT RAMA RAO

Minister for Municipal Administration
and Urban Development
Government of Telangana

We *have launched
Telangana fibre
grid project.
Telangana is
the first state to provide clean
potable drinking water to each
and every household. It will
also be the first state in the
country to give broadband
internet connection to each
house. Internet connectivity
will benefit in transforming
health and education. Our
Chief Minister keeps on
emphasising on technology in
every field. Hyderabad can be
one of the power houses of
the country. Any technology
which does not bring about
social change is futile. Every
technology should positively
impact common man's life."*





Dr B Janardhan Reddy

Commissioner, Greater Hyderabad
Municipal Corporation (GHMC)

“ **WE** intend to be the best in terms of sanitation in the country. We intend to achieve this target by 2018. We have already completed the required framework to achieve this target. ”

Sameer Sharma

Additional Secretary (Smart Cities)
Ministry of Urban Development,
Government of India

“ **A** smart city has two main features. First one is core infrastructure. Second is IT-based smart solutions. Every city has to create its own pathway. The city residents have to show the willingness to reform, the resource base has to be developed. ”





Shweta Rajpal Kohli

Head of Public Policy, Uber

“ **EVERY** shared car has the ability to take nine to 13 cars off the road. In just first to seven months of 2016, we have managed to reduce the number of miles driven by 312 million that is greater than the distance between Earth and the Mars. 6.2 million gallons of fuel, which is enough to fill nine Olympic swimming pools, was saved due to car pooling. ”

S Ram Reddy

President, CREDAI, Hyderabad

“ **CREDAI** is doing a lot of developmental activities across the country. We are implementing various skill developmental programmes. In Kerala, our chapters are working in solid waste management. In Hyderabad, we are investing in the participation of various activities with the help of the State government. We have planted one lakh saplings in the University of Hyderabad. ”



BEST AND NEXT PRACTICES IN URBAN INDIA:

In dealing with Water Shortage, Waste Management and Sanitation

Dana Kishore

MD, Hyderabad Metropolitan
Water Supply & Sewerage
Board

“*Keeping in mind the water demand of Hyderabad for the next 50 years, we have developed two reservoirs which are 20 km from Hyderabad. The wastage of water is approx 150-170 million gallons of water per day. We need to develop custom made technology for India.*”



Shruthi Ojha

Commissioner
Greater Warangal Municipal
Corporation, Telangana

“*Any kind of technological solution should help us to use this bio-organic waste. We are ensuring proper disposal of the waste instead of plain dumping.*”



Naveen Mittal

Secretary
Municipal Administration and
Urban Development Department
Government of Telangana

“*We really don't have good solutions for waste disposal. Hyderabad has done a lot of work in rehabilitating ragpickers where they have been employed to segregate waste, thereby gaining adequate income through that.*”



Venkateshwara Rao

Commissioner ESD and MeeSeva,
Government of Telangana

“*The MeeSeva platform provides an opportunity through 4,500 branches across the State where a citizen can do transaction for the government services online. We stand number one in the country. We cater to 1-1.5 lakh citizens everyday and provide 500 government services online.*”



ICT IN HOLISTIC URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Governance & Safety- IoT Next Big thing?

Ulhas Chandra Ballur

Regional Sales Head – South India
Juniper Networks

“ **We** have largest data centre in Bengaluru. Our network is growing enormously. We predict that there will be more than seven billion internet users by the end of 2020. There will be more than 32 billion Internet of Things devices connected by the end of 2020. ”



Venkateshwara Rao

Commissioner ESD and MeeSeva
Government of Telangana

“ **Our** vision for e-governance in Telangana is to achieve a paperless, presence less, cashless, anywhere anytime services to the citizens. We stand number one in the country in providing e-governance services to the citizens, providing the services to 1-1.25 lakh citizens every day. We provide more than 500 services of various departments online. ”



George Kuruvilla

CMD, BECIL, New Delhi

“ **The** purpose of community radio is putting a small transmitter of 50 watt in an area which can cover a radius of five to seven kilometres. You can have a local station. Specific programmes relating to the community can be produced at the station. These are the programmes created by the people of that particular community for the community. It is a very powerful medium. ”



Harichandana Dasari

Commissioner
Central Zone, Greater Hyderabad Municipal
Corporation, Government of Telangana

“**At** GHMC we have an e-office. We don't have any kind of paper files. Once the files are uploaded on the GHMC website, common citizens can see it online and register their grievance on the portal. This also increases the accountability of the organisation in showcasing the status of the pending file.”



G Raghuma Reddy

Managing Director, Southern Power
Distribution Company Ltd

“**We**, at SPDCL, are committed to imbibe the latest technology to offer the best of infrastructure services. As the urbanisation increases, the infrastructure should cater to the need and aspirations of the people inhabiting across the cities. We look forward to all the state portals for enabling SPDCL in providing quality services to the citizens which is one of the best in the country.”



Dr Ashok

Secretary and Commissioner, Board of
Intermediate Education, Government of Telangana

“**We** have made skill oriented vocational courses. We are using technology to transform the education system here. Commitment to raise the bar and achieve new standards of excellence are being achieved through skill oriented IT. We have used it as a tool to bring about transparency and bring about the change. We are working on virtual classrooms and online examinations etc.”



URBAN AND INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT

Significance of CSR Across India



Ajitabh Sharma

Commissioner
Industry Department
and Secretary, CSR,
Government of
Rajasthan

“**Economic** development in the country should lead to social welfare. For example, we are trying to achieve a double digit growth in GDP, still problems of health care, infrastructure, education are there. Companies now have moved towards a legal, obligatory funds for that community.”



Ayesha Rubina

Corporator and NGO,
GHM

“**We** are going to start tourism autos in association with the tourism department. We want to rehabilitate poor people by creating opportunities for them. We have already collected information about 30-35 auto wallahs. So employment generation, skill development, infrastructural development, these are the areas we are working on.”



Sanjay Singh

MD, RDF Power
Projects Limited

“**The** dry waste also constitutes a major portion of the recycling process. Waste takes years to recycle if it is dumped in a landsite or a landfill. The best way is to derive the heat value of it. The government has also come out with many stringent norms. The heat is then used to generate power.”

POWER SCENARIO IN URBAN INDIA: Transformation, Challenges and Smart Solutions

Ajay Mishra

Special Chief Secretary
Energy Department,
Government of Telangana

“**This** state is fortunate to have coal as a reserve energy source. We are also focusing on renewable energy source, especially the solar energy. Three years back, our total capacity was 40-50 megawatts. Today, it is in tune of 1,080 megawatts.”





GLIMPSES OF THE SUMMIT



K Shashanka, Commissioner, Karimnagar Municipal Corporation spoke on 'Best and Next Practices in Urban India: In dealing with Water Shortage, Waste Management and Sanitation' session at the summit.



M Mahendar Reddy, Police Commissioner, Hyderabad City, spoke on 'ICT in Holistic Urban Development, Governance & Safety- IoT Next Big thing?' session at the summit.



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