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ABBREVIATION

AE: Agri-Entrepreneur
AGM: Annual General Meeting
APICOL: Agriculture Promotion & Investment Corporation of Odisha Limited
APPI: Azim Premji Philanthropic Initiatives
BLCC: Block Level Coordination Committee
BRLF: Bharat Rural Livelihoods Foundation
BLRC: Block Level Resource Center
BT: Business Transaction
BTT: Block Technical Team
BYP: Back Yard Poultry
CBO: Community Based Organization
CSO: Civil Society Organization
GO: Government Organization
GP: Gram Panchayat
GDP: Gram Panchayat Development Plan
INRM: Integrated Natural Resource Management
JMA: Janamukti Anusthan
MGNREGA: Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee t
NGO: Non Government Organization
NPM: Non-Pesticide Management
NRLM: National Rural Livelihood Mission
OAIC: Odisha Agro Industries Corporation Ltd.
OLIC: Odisha Lift Irrigation Corporation
OLM: Odisha Livelihood Mission
PC: Producer Company
PG: Producer Group
PR: Panchayati Raj
RMC: Rural Market Corporation
RTE: Right to Education
SHG: Self Help Group
WC: Working Capital
WHS: Water Harvesting Structure

Desk message of the Secretary, Janamukti Anusthan

Practicing Climate Resilience Works and Enhancing Sustainable Livelihoods of the marginalized Community.



First of all, I would like to express my sincere gratitude to the targeted community, colleagues, Board members, Funding partners, Supporting agencies, State and Central Government and all the stake holders for their gracious support. The year 2023-24 has passed with a remarkable progress. Some innovations, applications and new intervention accelerated to the progress of Janamukti Anusthan as well as the Targeted community. To respond to the climate change issue and to ensure livelihood of small and marginal farmers, JMA has planted more than 60,000 fruit bearing trees with the support of Reliance Foundation, Horticulture department, Sustainable Green Initiative Foundation and Basudev Panda Foundation .Apart from this for the soil health management and controlling pests by the natural process established Bio resource Centre BRC units with the support of N+3F & Pradan . SHG and Producers Groups were engaged in the making of vermin wash,vermin compost,Jeebamruta,Handikhata,Agneyastra,Neemastraetc and even applied the products in their fields and simultaneously sold to the other farmers through the JMA-APC promoted WFPC. In some villages the SHG and PG members got good prices by selling the vermin compost to the forest department. Besides this with the support of Azim Premji Foundation, JMA has promoted to the indigenous agriculture practices in different project villages. Indigenous seeds conservation, encouraging for preparation and application of natural manure and pesticides was undertaken in a mission mode.

By the Agriculture Production Cluster, BRLF supported project, JMA has expanded the cultivation of Desi Kabri Brinjal (indigenous variety) up to 200 Acres. Small and Marginal farmers have got sound income from the crop. By the guidance of eminent Retd professor of OUAT Dr.Gouri Shankar Sahu the certification process of Deshi Kabri Brinjal is still going on. In this year JMA has collected (premium quality, pear shaped) 9 KG Brinjal Seeds directly from farmers and conserved for the expansion of the crops. It has also promoted Onion clusters and by the WFPC purchased onion directly from the farmers and stored that in RMC to get good income. Through the process farmers got good price and become encouraged. The Farm Mechanization intervention was a fruitful step for the project. Many farmers adopted the process. In some villages drip irrigation was installed and functioned in a saturation mode. Two women farmer from the project area have felicitated by the 'KrutiKrushak samman' by the Agriculture department

Government of Odisha towards farm mechanization and integrated agriculture practices. Before some year they were practicing migration in search of job. Besides this timely crop planning, input supply, following up of the POP, synchronization of production, yield projection, market exploration, vendor selection, sorting and grading, collective marketing by the involvement of PG and PC helped to the farmers to get a blissful income. In spite of this JMA promoted for building livestock cluster, collective marketing of country birds (Poultry) and goats in village points during the Nuakhai ,Dushera ,New year ,Poush Purnima and Chaitra Yatra festival.

With the support of Azim Premji foundation ensuring sustainable livelihood and nutrition of migrant and tribal community project has been launched in Muribahal Block. No. of 100 ultra poor families were selected through the PRA process and supported 2 she- goats (indigenous variety) for each families to ensure their livelihoods through the livestock rearing. No. of 500 small and marginal families were selected for the promotion of livelihood through the indigenous agriculture practices. Along with this supported seeds and trellis for Multi-layer farming and Nutrition garden for small holders and high risked families. Also established a Block Level Resource Centre BLRC at the centre point of the block head quarter Muribahal and through the centre, grievances are collected and redressed by the competent government authorities. Including these 1400 families got selected and by the project government welfare schemes have been integrated. For safe migration process the BLRC has distributed identity cards, organizing frequent Shramik Sangathan meetings and awareness programs. Many needy families of the project area demanded job under MGNREGA and some families have completed 300 days in current financial year. As a result more than 322 families have given pause to migration process this year. A proper coordination and convergence has been found with Government departments and PRIs to reduce distress migration in migration prone area.

In 50 project villages climate resilient activities have been initiated with the support of Reliance Foundation giving emphasis on Soil health ,NPM ,line showing ,plantation, catchment area treatment, LBCD, Renovation of WHS Safe drinking water , Grey water management, food diversification, Nutrition garden, value chain development , livelihoods enhancement through Goat and poultry rearing, mushroom cultivation and digital literacy. Capacity building and strengthening of BODs , staffs and FPO as well as village development committees was another important area to manage the company and institutions.

By the Odisha State Disaster Management committee (Emergency section collect orate Balangir) JMA is selected for the Village Disaster Management Plan (VDMP-II) preparation for 30 villages of 3 blocks under the Bolangir district. It has very successfully prepared the plan in 15 villages in Year 2023 -24. Due to the model code of conduct for the Indian General election, rest of the village will get completed just after the ending of the MCC.

To make JMA a vibrant and professional organization it has been taking training and guidance from Dhvani Foundation through the Niranthara Classic OD programme from August 2023. It is a whole 29 months programme. There are 205 parameters both for governance and finance to make update for an organization. In cohort: 1 of the 32 CSOs has been selected. In Fy 2023-24 JMA has got training on Governance, Finance and statutory compliances. Leaders, Board members and compliance and Finance Manager were taken training in the 1st year. HR, Fund raising and other parts of the training will be imparted by 2024-25. The programme was very meaningful and useful for our organization.

Such were very encouraging and motivating sessions for our organization to get opportunities to get involved in several trainings, meetings, learning exposures which were conducted by the different agencies. It has not only improved in finance but also capacitated on HR management and Governance. With the support of BRLF-PRADAN under the OCEAN project JMA has got opportunity to learn to make the organization more vibrant and sustainable. As a Partner organization of Coalition for change in Odisha it has got opportunities to present good practices and models in different forums. As a partner organization of the indigenous agriculture practices forum, there is exchanging the ideas and innovations. Besides this, JMA has represented in many networks and Universities to share the experiences to address the local issues in favour of deprived and marginalized section. JMA has 3 best models like regulating and reduction of distress migration through the MGNREGA and convergence with various line departments, NPM and replication of Desi Kabri Brinjal. To have a sight of the model many experts, researchers and scholars from different sectors, Academicians, funding partners, students and Government officials visited time to time to the organization.

Overall, the year 2023-24 was very successful and remarkable for our organization. As per my belief the FY 2024-25 and upcoming years will bring great peaks of accomplishments for us.

Thanks with sincere gratitude

From: Bhajaram Sahu

Secretary, Janamukti Anusthan

ORGANISATIONAL PROFILE

I. Introduction and Brief History of the organization:

Janamukti Anusthan(JMA) is a non-Governmental Organization established in 1996-97.Its works in Socio-economically vulnerable blocks of Bolangir district. The mission of the organization is integrated development of the poor and marginalized section of the society. To overcome the emerging issues like poverty, drought and chronic hunger of the district some youths and victimized group came to the front and formed an organization i.e., Janamukti Anusthan. It's a membership-based organization. More than 10000 members directly associated with the organization. The core focus of JMA has been checking distress migration in socio economically vulnerable blocks under Bolangir district. Some of the key strategies adopted by the organization are Employment Generation for reducing distress migration, Intervening to check food crisis hunger and related problems, Checking distress selling of agriculture produce and to develop proper marketing system, Protection, collection, processing and marketing of the forest produce, Organizing the unorganized laborers through the labour society and to ensure employment for them, Creating irrigation infrastructures and renovating the traditional water bodies for agriculture purpose, Facilitating at grassroots level to create Climate Resilient Infrastructures(CRIs) and livelihoods practices in climatic vulnerable blocks through government programmes and schemes. Mitigating disaster through the collaborative approach.JMA has partnered with Govt projects, projects by donors and established linkages with Govt departments and PRIs to reduce distress migration in Muribahal and adjoining migration prone and drought prone blocks by linking migrant families with govt programmes and schemes, land development and creation of irrigation infrastructures under MGNREGS for migrant families and assisting them to improve farm productivity and market linkages.

II. Contact Details of the Organization:

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Year of establishment:	1996 – 97

III. Legal Status of the Organization

- Registered under society Registration Act 1860 of XXI, Reg. No. - **5031-318 dated 9th March, 1999-2000.**
- **12A (Form No.10AC)** Unique Registration Number: **AABAJ4834FE201481**, 1-Sub clause (i) of clause (ac) of sub-section (1) of section 12A, Date of approval 24-09-2021.
- **80G (Form No.10AC)** Unique Registration Number: **AABAJ4834FF20211**, 11-Clause (i) of first proviso to sub-section (5) of section 80G, Date of approval 24-09-2021
- FCRA registration No.**104840103** dated 17th February, 2014, Dated of Renewal: 18-01-2019
- PAN NO. **AABAJ4834F**
- TAN No.:**BBNJ02014F**
- **Form-IA** PT Identification **No.:21254602317**, under Section 6(1) of the Act, Date of effect: 28th Nov 2022
- EPF code no.: **ORBBS2799134000**
- Unique ID No. (NGO Partnership System Government of India: **OR/2017/0118289**
- **CSR** MCA, Government of India, Registration No- **CSR000/3018**, dated 11th August 2021

IV. Mission and Vision: “Integrated development of the poor and marginalized section of the society”.

V. Objectives:

- To assist the people of this area particularly to the weaker section for their socio, political and economic upliftment.
- To enable the people to be aware of the various Govt. schemes meant for them and assist the people and government for their effective implementation.
- To organize the people for the development of this area through meetings, conference and cultural activities.
- To build awareness among the people about the exploitation and operation prevailing in the society and take necessary action for its eradication.
- To build awareness among the people reforms the social evils.
- To build awareness among the peoples for protection and growth of the forest and to assist the government for this and to take necessary steps for harvesting water for irrigation by arranging small steams and other water resources in the area.

VI. Adopted strategies:

- Employment Generation for reducing distress migration.
- Intervening to check food crisis hunger and related problems.
- Checking distress selling of agriculture productions and to develop proper marketing system.
- Protection, collection, processing and marketing of the forest products.

- Organizing the unorganized labourers through the labour society and to ensure employment for them.
- Developing agricultural land for better production of crops.
- Creating irrigation infrastructures and renovating the traditional water bodies for agriculture purpose.
- Eradicating poverty and enhancing sustainable livelihoods of the marginalized sections.
- Facilitating at grassroots level to create Climate Resilient Infrastructures and livelihoods practices in climatic vulnerable blocks through the different government schemes and programmes.
- Mitigating disaster through the collaborative approach.

VII. Target groups: Small and marginal farmers, landless, Homeless, widow headed disabled, agriculture labor and unorganized labor, Migrant, bonded and child labor.

VIII. Some core Issues of the area

- Frequent Drought
(1899,1965,1996,2000,2001,2003,2006,2011,2015,2016,2017,2018,2019,2020,)
- Annual rainfall 1200 – 1300 mm; but happens erratic rainfall
- Under spotlight many times for starvation cases
- Hilly sloppy and upland with low ground level water potential
- Large scale distress Migration to other state a regular phenomenon, majority, small, marginal farmers and landless labourers
- Indebtedness, Migrant bonded labour and child labour
- Covid-19 Pandemic
- Lack of access of collective services and profitable markets by small and marginal farmers.

IX. Major activities undertaken

- Integrated Natural Resource Management (INRM).
- Migrant Labour's Right.
- Forest Right and forest protection.
- Women Empowerment.
- Education for Migrant and Bonded Labour Children.
- Promotion of Producer Groups and Producer Company
- Collective farming and marketing through Producer Groups and Producer Company
- Creation of irrigation infrastructure
- Organic farming
- Promotion of improved livestock rearing
- Rescue and rehabilitation of migrant Labour
- Facilitating for better implementation of MGNREGA-NRLM convergence strategies through Cluster Facilitation team(CFT)
- Convergence initiatives towards enhancement of livelihood of most marginalized sections under the People Action in Development (PAID) programme.

- “Quick –Win” intervention/Climate change
- Sustainable Livelihoods and MGNREGA
- Infrastructure for Climate Resilient Growth(ICRG)
- GO-NGO Partnership Programme to arrest distress migrations
- Responding Covid-19 pandemic through relief activities and supporting in vaccination drive programme.
- Restoration of livelihood of migrant families.
- Ensuring sustainable livelihoods through entrepreneurship development and protection of climate.

X. Major Achievements of the Organization:

Janamukti Anusthan has been working on poverty eradication and livelihood enhancement of most marginalized section of the society since last 2 decades in Titilagarh subdivision as well as different socio-economically vulnerable area of Balangir district. During the journey the organization has been worked for the development of most marginalized section building relation with Govt. and non-Govt. agencies. In the juncture, the organization reached to the unreached remote tribal village area and started work on managing and arresting distress migration and bonded labour through the employment generation programme. Checking dropout rate in elementary level of school children of migrant families, the organization ran 25 no’s of Residential Care Centre (RCC) in year 2005-2006 and 2006-2007 in highly migration prone area of Muribahal block getting financial support from Sarva Shikshya Abhiyan under OPEPA, Government of Odisha. Besides these building capacities of School Management Committee (SMCs), reintegration of migrant and bonded labours children, monitoring of Residential Care Centres /Seasonal Hostels, building awareness among the SMC members, parents and stake holders on Right to Education (RTE) activities are being undertaken as the focused activities of the organization. To expedite the initiative, the agency namely, Aide et Action through the Migrant and Bonded Labour Initiative (MBLI) supported the organization from year 2010-2013. Creation of water structures and responding drought became the most priority area of the organization because peoples of the area have been facing crop loss every year and they used to migrate due to the frequent drought. To overcome the situation the organization created durable asserts using technical team by the support of CARE- DFID and Gov of Odisha. Apart from this the organization positively thought about the implementation of the NREGA and in the initial phase (in Aug, 2006) the organization sent the representative to Samaj Pragati Sahayog, Dewas, MP. For the NREGA-Water shade training and after that the organization facilitated to the process at village/GP and blocks level and got positive result. To accelerate to the initiative of the organization Western Odisha NREGA Consortium (WONC) becomes assisted (in June, 2007 onwards) and in a collaborative approach the organization facilitated the GP level NREGA implementation process. Empowering to the GP level functionaries, SHGs, Cadres, formation and strengthening the Village level Job seekers committee, GP level and block level Jobseekers unions are the main focus activities of the project. Greening MGNREGA (UNDP –MoRD supported programme was also very effective programme to create WHS though the water shade principles. Gram Sabha Sha- shakti Karan Karyakram (GSSK) was also the very innovative programme of PR department Gov. of Odisha.

Our organization worked tremendously with the OMEGA-DFID team in Bangomunda block. At present the organization is working as a resource organization at block level to empower the different primary stake holders and institutions involving with the Block Public hearing committee and social audit process under MGNREGA

In addition to that the organization has worked as a block level resource organization to expedite the MGNREGA through the Cluster facilitation team (CFT) MoRD and PR department of Gov. of Odisha supported programme. Along with, the organization has worked with the various line departments in a convergence approach for protecting Natural resources through the “Quick Win intervention” (DFID-SPS supported programme). The Intensive participatory Planning Exercise IPPE-I and IPPE-II is completed successfully by the facilitation of the Organization. The organization has lots of experiences on employment generation and reducing distress migration through the convergence programmes.

In November, 2015 onwards another valuable program i.e. People Action In Development (PAID) Supported by Bharat Rural Livelihoods (BRLF) had been started for enhancing livelihoods of 3000 poor and marginalized families under 04 Gram Panchayat of Muribahal block of Bolangir district. The program is meant for secure the livelihoods of unprivileged sections through the sustainable agriculture, building strong self-help structures and convergence with different schemes and program of State & Central Govt. The project aims to reduce vulnerabilities associated with poverty and food and nutrition insecurity of poor people by adopting natural resource management and sustainable agricultural practices and involve in off farm income generation activities through convergence of MGNREGS & NRLM (through creation of NRM based durable assets at community and individual level will be created and provide sustainable income for the community. At the same time Self-help structures like women SHGs and its Federation, Farmer’s clubs, Forest Management Committee and Job Seekers Committee is involved in their sustainable development. The planned measures will ensure minimum of 150 days employment, promote sustainable agriculture, improve the agriculture production, availability of food and reduces food and nutrition insecurity, malnutrition among women and children, indebtedness and migration of people.

Apart from this, to cope up the climate change issue, establish the climate resilient structures, adaptation and climate resilient livelihoods practices in bio-physically and socio-economically vulnerable area, the Infrastructure for Climate Resilient Growth (ICRG) intervention has been launched on 1st August, 2017 in no. of 4 most climatic vulnerable blocks of Balangir districts like: Gudvela, Saintala, Deogaon and Titilagarh with the supports of DFID- IPE Global Ltd & GOVERNMENT of ODISHA. As an ICRG partner organization, Janamukti Anusthan is facilitating to the process by deploying Block level facilitators in above mentioned blocks. The broader objective behind the intervention is to expedite the Mahatma Gandhi NREGA and creating Climate Resilient asserts for this area through convergence with different schemes and program

of government departments. On November 6th 2018, Agriculture Production Cluster (APC) project was launched by Honorable Chief Minister of Odisha, Shri Nabin Pattanaik. This is a project of Department of Agriculture and Farmer Empowerment, Govt. of Odisha in high land region of Odisha funded by Odisha Livelihood Mission of Panchayati Raj and Drinking water department, and APICOL in partnership with Bharat Rural Livelihoods Foundation (BRLF) and PRADAN with the objective of doubling the income of 3000 small and marginal farmers in the backward highland of Muribahal block of Odisha. The schemes available with directorate of Horticulture, OAIC, OLIC and relevant departments will be converged for creation of livelihood infrastructure required farmer in region.

In the month of December 2019, the project titled “Arresting Distress Migration” initiated in 11 GPs of Muribahal block with the support district administration. Strengthening Job Seeker committees, creating awareness among the migrant families, Preparation of village level INRM plan, demanding jobs, capacity building of Job seeker leaders, monitoring for ensuring timely wages payment under MGNREGA are the focus activities of the program.

JMA also has responded to Covid-19 by implementing relief works supported by BRLF, ICRG project supported by UNDP and restoration of livelihood program supported by Individual donor namely, Mr. Trilok Chand Ghai and Family. Later on, with the support of Azim Premji Foundation (Philanthropic Initiatives), the Organization supported block administration in vaccination drive program with the objective of ensuring cent percent vaccination coverage in Muribahal block. JMA also implemented livelihood support program for migrant and vulnerable Households in Muribahal block with the support of Bengal Finance & Investment Pvt Ltd. During the reporting period, the organization worked on doubling the farmers income of 3000 Households under Agriculture Production Cluster (APC) in 30 villages under 6 GPs of Muribahal block with the Support of BRLF and Government of Odisha, and have been working in 101 village of 4 blocks such as Muribahal, Saintala, Deogaon and Gudvela under the project “The self reliance and resilience of rural communities in Balangir district with the support of Reliance foundation. Ensuring sustainable livelihoods of marginalized community through entrepreneurship development, integrated value chain development and climate protection are the main objectives of the project. JMA also implementing “Ensuring Sustainable livelihood and Nutrition of 2000 Migrant and Tribal Families in Muribahal block.” With the support of Azim Premji Foundation, since May 2023 in 30 Villages of 6 GP of Muribahal Block. With the collaboration of District Administration (District Disaster Management Cell) JMA is facilitating village disaster management plan to bring sense of preparedness of the community for disaster. The organization has also partnered with Dhvani Foundation that facilitating NGO transformation by working closely with the board, leadership and programme staffs. JMA provided 50000 fruit bearing plants to the community members with the support of Basudev Foundation during the reporting year.

XI. Qualitative and quantitative achievements:

- **Formation of CBO:** JMA has formed **165 Women Self Help Groups (SHG)** and these are working for the development of the village economy as well as women empowerment. Formed no. of **30 Farmer's clubs in 30 villages** and they are practicing organic farming. Formed **52 no. of village level labour committees**, 7 GP level labour committees and block level labour committee in Muribahal Block to success the MGNREGA.
- **Irrigation:** Created no. of **127 water bodies** in different drought prone villages. Such are being used for irrigation as well as multipurpose.
- No. of 17 water bodies have been taken lease by the SHGs from different Gram Panchayats and these are using for fisheries.
- **Plantation:** Created no. of 5 patches plantation and these are protecting by the village comities. No. of **297 households have been provided fruit tree plantation in 314 acres** through the Directorate of Horticulture and Basudev Foundation.
- Declared Ganrei GP as a Zero migration prone GP in 2004 for checking distress migration through the Onion cultivation and convergence with other livelihoods programme.
- By the continuous follow-up, there is no. of 125 families of 9 hamlet forest villages of Muribahal block who got land patta under FRA, 2006 and they have been able to establish there.
- No. of 273 bonded labours have been rescued with the support of Aide-et Action, Action Aid and International Justice Mission (IJM) from different brick kilns area. JMA had taken post release initiatives for complete rehabilitation, and through the process till January, 2015, no. of 227 persons of Muribahal, Bangomunda and Titilagarh block have received Rs.4508000 rehabilitation support from the Government. No. of 72 Micro Level Plan has been prepared and these are being used in concern villages as the development tools.
- No. of 27 MGNREGA and livelihood-based plan have been prepared 2 GPs of Muribahal Block and these are being used for the success of MGNREGA under the Greening MGNREGA Program.
- By the collaboration of Block administration of Muribahal, utilized near about Rs.5.26 lakhs (five Corers twenty-six lakhs) and provided 100 days of work for 1475 HHs. The block declared as best for 100 days work provider block under MGNREGA in Odisha for the financial year 2012-2013 and in the FY 2013-14 the block utilised 6.48 lakhs by providing 100 days work for 1875 HHs and 150 days work for 707 HHs. In the financial year 2015-16 the block generated 4,65000 person days by utilizing 12.56 corers rupees and achieved highest position in Bolangir District.
- Reduced 15 percent seasonal distress migration in highly migration GPs like Ichhapada and Gudighat where we closely facilitated the entire MGNREGA process. Due to the continuous efforts of block administration and our organisation, some village of Muribahal block declared as "zero" migration village such as kantadunguri, Hadhada, Kandakhal, podhmundi and kherat.
- No. of **20 Grain banks** have been created to meet immediate need during starvation.
- Under the Gram Sabha Shaktikaran Kram (GSSKK) no. of 33 MGNREGA Based Micro Level Plan has been prepared in Bangomunda Block.

- The MGNREGA-NRLM convergence programme through the Cluster facilitation (CFT) has been started in 61 villages under the 6 GPs of Muribahal block from 23rd July 2014.
- Through the Integrated Participatory Planning Exercise (IPPE-I and IPPE-II) No. of 61 MLPs have been prepared by the Cluster Facilitation Team in Muribahal block and these are presented in Pallisabha and Gram Sabha of Jan/Feb, 2015 and 2016 for the labour budget, 2015-16 and 2016-17.
- Replicated the Mahabandha (Rain water harvesting structure) project in Bijamal and Sukunipadar (Barbandh) village under the Quick-Win/Climate change intervention in year, 2016-17.
- Supported to no. of 40 marginal famers (ST category) for making Ring well under the BRLF/PAID project in year 2016-17 and 2017-18.
- The agriculture Production cluster (APC) is a joint initiative of OLM, Agriculture dept, Horticulture Dept. APICOL, OLIC, OAIC, PRADAN, Bharat Rural Livelihoods Foundation and Janamukti Anusthan. It has taken 3100 HHs of 6 GPs under Muribahal Block. 23 PG and 1 PC have been formed in Muribahal block as per APC guidelines.
- The PC has been able to mobilize 2702 shares with share with an amount of Rs. 6.6433 lakhs. Total turnover of the PC Rs. 55.08 lakhs during the FY 2023-24.
- Under NPM, constructed 407 Bhu-NADEP through community contribution to prepare compost, selected 3 NPM AEs with start-up support who are preparing NPM products, 4 NPM cluster has been formed. As result 1024 families have prepared Jevamruta, Ghanajeevamrita, Bijamruta, Agniastra, Neemastra, Mathstraand used in 878.5 acres of land.
- Completed 354 irrigation structures (Bore well, CRLP, MRLP, Farm pond, Dug well and Check Dam etc), through all complete structures 1099 acres of irrigation potential has been created covering 1025 households and 59 households have installed Micro Irrigation in 161.1 acres.
- 11 GPs of Muribahal Block have been under taken to arrest distress migrations in partnership with district administration, 85 no's of village level INRM plan has been prepared and incorporate in the MGNREGA labour budget.
- Promoted 13 intensive livestock PGs, 1457 household are under livestock rearing.
- **Leverage:** Government fund as leverage amount mobilised up to **Rs. 2048.24 lakhs.**
- **Sabjee Cooler:** Installation of **8 numbers of zero energy Sabjee Cooler** with 1 quintal storage capacity.
- **Seed Bank:** Promotion of seed bank of Desi Kabri Brinjal followed by its certification process.
- **Multi-layer farming:** Practiced with 97 families.
- Provided support to 6 reverse migration families during covid-19 wave 1 under restoration of livelihood programme. No. of 4 Low-cost Goat sheds, 1 central Nursery and 1 Poultry Mother Unit constructed.
- 93 community as well as individual projected executed under Arrest Distress Migration during the FY 2021-22.
- **Covid 19 support:** Relief packets distributed 984 deprived, disabled person, migrant, landless, diseased, women headed, old age, widow, helpless and PDS excluded families

with the support of APPI. No. of 380 families supported with input support in terms of vegetable seeds and chick.

- **Health awareness camp:** 11 health awareness camps conducted in collaboration with vaccination team of health department, where 782 people were distributed mask and sanitation kits.
- **Mask distribution:** 2850 MGNREGA workers were provided 3200 mask at the work place.
- **Covid vaccination camp:** Supported health department through additional vaccination team to increase the vaccination coverage. As result, 81 and 76 percent vaccination rate achieved among 18 years and above population group.
- **216 disabled and elderly** people reached to the vaccination camp through vehicle facility.
- **Under Bengal Finance and Investment Pvt. Ltd supported project,** installed 1 Butcher Unit, 2 onion storage structure supported to 2 beneficiary and 11 goat shed supported to 11 livestock beneficiaries, 4 BYP shed supported to 4 beneficiaries, supported 1 beneficiary with tailor machine, supported 1 beneficiary with mobile grocery petty business, supported 1 beneficiary with grocery petty business, supported 1 SHG with oil processing unit, established 1 vegetable market outlet.
- **Under Reliance Foundation supported project,** 33 safe drinking water structures constructed, 850 families covered under nutrition initiatives, 290 hector area captured under improved production practice, 185 SHGs trained on diversified livelihood option, 152 SHGs facilitated with access to finance and 2310 individuals impacted with financial inclusion.
- **Under Azim Premji Foundation supported project,** 580 community members were trained on important Govt schemes and their convergence modalities, supported 200 she goats (Indigenous variety) to 100 migrant and poor families for alternatives livelihood, supported multi-layer farming to 55 families for promotion of high value crop production, promoted 250 families to initiate nutrition garden, 349 migrant families registered in BLRC and received Identity Cards, 532 no. of grievances collected through village level camps and BLRC, of which 95 no. of grievance were recorded and redressed.
- 14 no. of village Disaster Management Plan has been prepared at 14 different villages of 3 blocks of Balangir district.

XII. Approach of the organization: Constructive, membership & Issue based.

XIII. Infrastructure Facilities: Having its own office building with necessary furniture, Computer systems, Inverter, PG & PC office at community level.

XIV. Members of the Organization: Total Members with money receipt: 1074, General body members: 64, Total Executive members: 07

XV. Detail of the Executive members:

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1	Sri. Baikuntha Banchhor	President	At: Gambharikhola, Po/Via Muribahal, Dist: Balangir, Odisha, 767037
2	Smt. Tebha Sagria	Vice-President	At: Siletpada, Po: Ganrei, Via: Muribahal Dist: Balangir, Odisha, India, 767037
3	Sri. Bhajaram Sahu	Secretary	At/Po: Bangomunda (Jhankarpada), Dist: Balangir, Odisha, India, 767040
4	Sri. Kapilash Bhoi	Joint Secretary	At: Dangarpada, Po. Patrapali, Via: Muribahal, Dist. Balangir, Odisha, 767037
5	Smt. Subarni Bag	Treasurer	At/Po: Goimund, Via: Bangomunda, Dist: Balangir, Odisha, 767040
6	Sri. Jadab Banchhor	Member	At: Salepada, Po/Via: Muribahal, Dist: Balangir, Odisha, 767037
7	Sri. Tankadhar Putel	Member	At/Po: Malisira, Via: Muribahal, Dist: Balangir, Odisha 767037

XVI. Area of operation: 3 blocks of Balangir district.

1. Belpada
2. Muribahal
3. Titlagarh



XVII. Our Partners

SL No	Name of the donor	Financial year	Total Grant (in Rs)
1	Reliance Foundation	2023-24	3891965
2	Azim Premji Foundation (Philanthropic Initiatives)	2023-24	3344000
3	Bharat Rural Livelihood Foundation	2023-24	1679678
4	Dhwani Foundation	2023-24	108000
5	Sustainable Green Initiative Foundation	2023-24	49970
6	VDMP-II(Village Disaster Management Plan)	2023-24	15000
7	Azim Premji Foundation (Philanthropic Initiatives)	2021-22	3872000
8	Azim Premji Foundation (Philanthropic Initiatives)	2022-23	129940
9	Reliance Foundation	2022-23	3346415
10	Bengal Finance and Investment Pvt. Ltd.	2022-23	1000000
11	Bharat Rural Livelihoods Foundation	2018-19	214086
		2019-20	1569871
		2020-21	1679650
		2021-22	1767463
		2022-23	484000

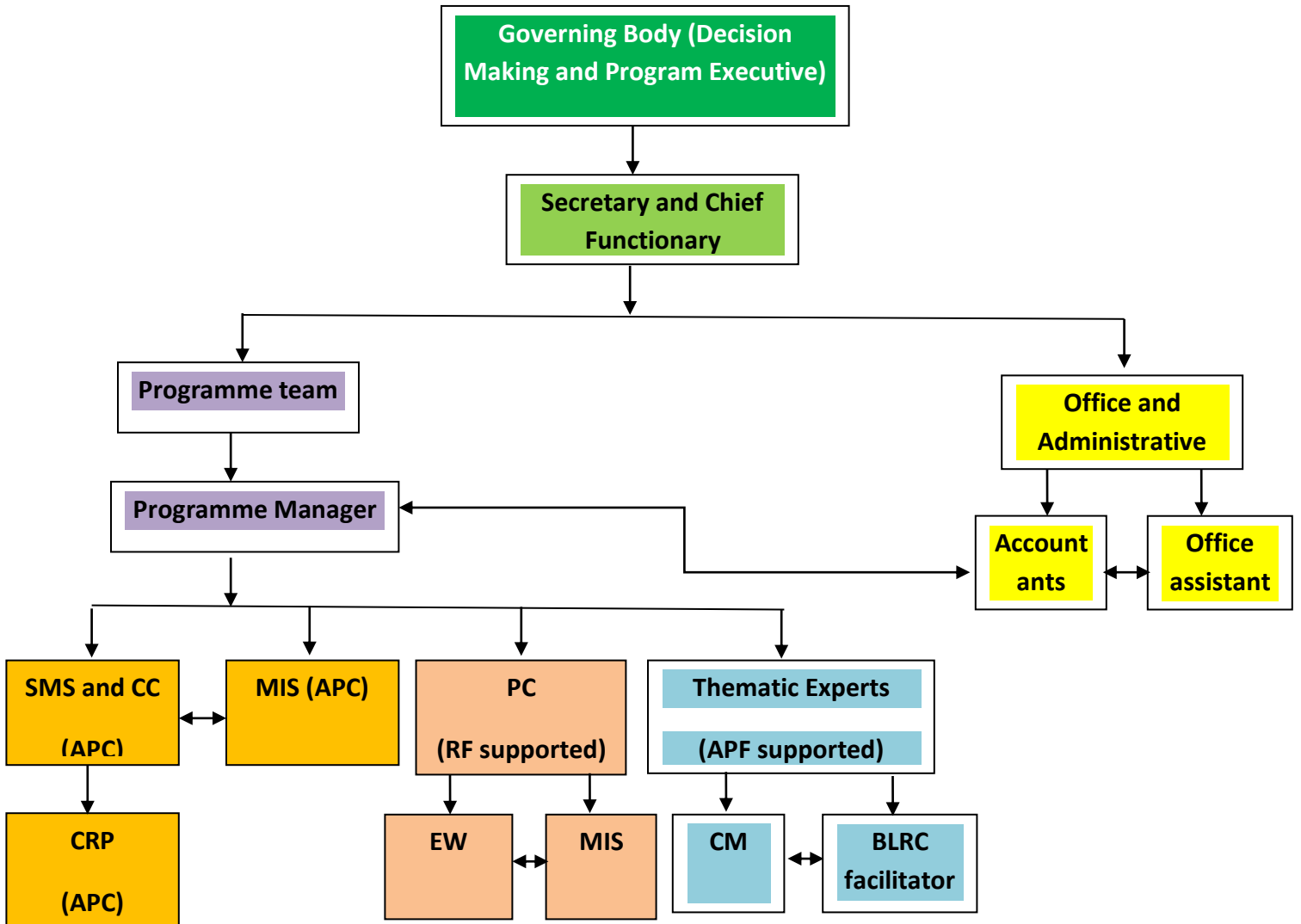
12	Bharat Rural Livelihoods Foundation (FC Fund)	2020-21	669900
13	Ford Foundation	2018-19	245500
14	IPE Global	2017-18	307856
		2018-19	635370
		2019-20	441045
15	Panchayat Samiti Muribahal	2020-21	1262733
		2021-22	805090
16	UNDP	2020-21	542600
17	MORD/PR Dept. Govt. of Odisha	2015-16	466666
		2016-17	233333
18	Lokadrusti (FC Fund)	2015-16	423050
		2016-17	1593300
		2017-18	2195746
19	Samaj Pragati Sahayog (SPS)	2016-17	133000
		2017-18	355450

XVIII. Year wise financial particulars (Turnover) of the Organization:

Sl. No	Financial Year	Total Turnover (in Rs.)
1	2019-20	26,82,403.00
2	2020-21	48,51,454.00
3	2021-22	76,95,542.99
4	2022-23	7672064.33
5	2023-24	9629443.01
Total		17301507.34

XIX. Staff Competency: Total staffs 30 (Full time staffs 19 and part time staffs 11)

XX. Organugram of Janamukti Anusthan:



AGRICULTURE PRODUCTION CLUSTER (APC) SUPPORTED BY BRLF

About the Project:

Agriculture Production Cluster (APC) is a project of Department of Agriculture and Farmer Empowerment, Govt. of Odisha in high land region of Odisha funded by Odisha Livelihood Mission (OLM) of Panchayati Raj and Drinking water department, APICOL in partnership with Bharat Rural Livelihoods Foundation (BRLF) and PRADAN. The schemes available with Directorate of Horticulture, ATMA, Mission Shakti, OAIC, OLIC, Veterinary and other relevant departments are converged for creation of livelihood infrastructure required for the farmer. Hence, it is a collaborative effort by Director of Horticulture and Odisha Livelihood Mission with support of BRLF and 17 NGOs.

Objectives of the Project:

1. Trigger growth in farm sector with the objective of sustainable double the income of 3000 small and marginal farmers in the backward highland Muribahal block of Odisha.
2. To establish the model of Agriculture Production Cluster in 40 backward blocks of the state, as an effective method to organize production system and service of market.

Project location:

APC project was initiated in the month of November 2018. Janamukti Anusthan is **implementing the Project in 30 villages under 6 Gram Panchayats** (Dangarpada, Lakhana, Ganrei, Gadgadbahal, Haldi and Patrapali-A) of Muribahal block covering a total of **3100 households**. The first phase of the project ended in the month of November 2023 and second phase started for January 2024.

Progress during the year 2023-24:

1. Promotion of PGs: JMA team has formed 23 PGs where a total of 3100 members are involved. All PGs has opened/ received IBCB, WC and BT account. A total of 16 and 7 PGs have received IB-CB grant from OLM and Mission Shakti respectively, whereas 13 and 7 PGs have received working capital from OLM and Mission Shakti respectively. 137% women have received institutional credit through SHG and bank.

2. Agriculture and Horticulture: All 21 PGs followed synchronized production, collective farming as per APC principles. As per the target, 97.95% HHs covered in high value crops during the reporting year, of which 44.83% HH received agri inputs through AE/ PC. During the reporting year additional 128.25 acres increased in high value crop production in comparison to last FY. 20 PG are involved in sorting and grading and 64.26% farmers collectively sold their agricultural products either through the PC or PG. Apart from this, 111 families were linked with fruit plantation in 75.77 acres with the support of MGNREGA, Horticulture and JMA. Desi Kabri Brinjal seed promoted by JMA has been sold to different blocks and districts through the PC.

With the support of Horticulture, JMA has provided onion seed and vegetable seeds to PG members and linked them with subsidy schemes.

3. Setting up of aggregation centers and storage structures: During the reporting period, only one structure has been installed. Though the team submitted another 3 proposal to the Horticulture department, but the farmers disagreed to construct structure.

4. Setting up of PCs: One PC named “Milit Uthhan Farmers Producer Company Limited” has been registered. During the reporting period, the PC has worked on share mobilization, input & output business during Kharif. PC has received GST, Agriculture and Horticulture seed licenses and has completed the application process for fertilizer license. Total turnover of the PC during the financial year 2023-24 is Rs. 55.08 lakhs. The PC received grant support of Rs. 25 lakhs from Mission Shakti during the reporting period.

5. Adoption of NPM based practices: During the reporting period, 1024 families have used Jevamruta, Ghanajeevamrita, Bijamruta, Agniastra, Neemastra, Mathstra in 878.5 acres of land. With the support of NPM network, farmers are being trained by the JMA staff about NPM through Farmer Field School (FFS). NPM products are being prepared by the PG in 4 BRC supported by N+3F and 1 Vermi Wash unit supported by Pradan.

6. Developing irrigation and other infrastructures: During the reporting period, 47 CBW, 5 farm ponds and 15 dug wells structures have been completed. Through all completed structures, 149.5 acres of additional irrigation potential created covering 166 households.

7. Livestock development: JMA has been working with 7 livestock PGs intensively and carried out de-worming and vaccination activities through livestock coordinator and existing Prani Mitras in collaboration with veterinary department. Those 7 PGs have followed livestock calendar that enlisted key activities to be adopted. 97% livestock HH are covered through de-worming and vaccination. JMA has also conducted trainings for livestock beneficiaries and Prani Mitras on “diseases and infertility” through organization staff as well as external resource person. All BYP and goat sheds have been constructed through community contribution. Facilitated livestock marketing of BYP and goat through Producer Company.

8. Capacity Building of staff, community, cadres, PRIs: JMA has conducted different trainings to enhance the capacity of PG, Prani Mitra, Udyog Mitra and Krusi Mitra. Trainings on NPM, livestock rearing, PC share generation and crop PoP has been provided at the community level. For CSO staffs, the Programme Secretariat and N+3F provided trainings on NPM, value chain & market strategy, integrated livestock rearing and PC share generation. 25 AEs have under gone trainings through the support of APPICOL.

9. Interaction with Stakeholders: For better coordination with line departments, regular planning and review meetings has been organized at the block as well as district level. During the reporting period, 12 meetings with block line departments, 9 BTT meetings and 2 DLCC have been organised and discussed on project’s progress time to time.

10. Key learning:

- Exploration of distance markets, onion storage process and engagement of PC through exposure visits.
- Reorganization and appreciation to best PGs with highest shares in AGM reflected positively in other PGs.
- PC share increased as the team started meeting in small group rather than large group and mobilized share at SHG level.
- Possibility of PC share collection depends on the density of our engagement with members.
- Beforehand plan are required for proper PC business.

11. Key Innovations:

- Onion storage structure of RMC being used by the Producer Company.
- Promotion of Bhadi (goat shed) in cluster.
- Distribution of share certificate in group in the presence of any BLCC members.
- PG members are using multi line sprayer which is helping them to reduce cost of production.
- Replications of vermin wash structure through AE model.

Glimpse of the Year



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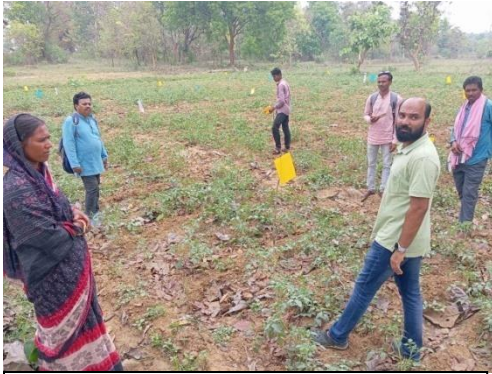
The real transformation of Baidehi Pattnaik, Maa Ghantasoni PG, Tentulikhunti



Desi Kabri seed certification process, Field visited by Dr. Gouri Sankar Sahu



Installation of solar trap



Use of yellow sticky trap in demo



NPM production at BRC unit



Seed processing of Desi Kabri Brinjal



Supply of plastic crate through Horticulture



Supply of Compost pit vegetable



Plantation field with intercropping



Output business by Milit Utthan PC



Visit of Smt. Anu Garg, IAS, to onion storage structure vegetable plot



Input business by Milit Utthan PC

“Improving the Self Reliance and Resilience of Rural Communities”, Supported by Reliance Foundation

With the support of Reliance Foundation, Janamukti Anusthan has implemented the project in Muribahal block of Balangir district covering a total of 50 villages under 10 GPs and 9672 households. First During the reporting period, major activities were carried out under 3 specific themes as mentioned below.

Theme wise activities and outcomes:

1. Climate Resilience and sustainable development (CR4SD):

- **Climate adoption:** Mass awareness generation events on GPDP and climate resilience as well as campaign on national priority programs were conducted. 13 villages integrated climate adaptations measures in Gram Panchayat Development Plan (GPDP).
- **Water resource development:** Community level trainings and participatory exercises as well as functionaries training were conducted to develop village level water resource development plan. 20 villages’ prepared participatory water resources development and management plan and created 1.18 lakhs Cum additional water harvesting capacity. Through gap funding, 8 villages improved access to safe drinking water. Different type of works such as drinking water supply to school and AWW center, water supply to village, Pipe repairing work, motor fitting and construction of Tube well chandini etc were done through gap supports. Apart from that 72 hectors of area promoted under efficient management of water and 348 families were engaged in gray water management.
- **Climate smart agriculture:** 101.5 hector area brought under climate adaptive farming practices (soil fertility improvement, resistant seed, intercrop, trap crops and INM).
- **Nutrition:** Village level awareness generated on balance nutrition. 541 households were covered under diversified food production and consumption. Whereas 50.68 hector area covered under nutrition rich and bio fortified crops Families grown vegetables in Nutri-garden through NPM practice.

2. Integrated Value Chain Development (IVCD):

- **Improved production Practice:** Farmers adopted improved production practices by using Neem oil, Trichoderma, Sagarika, Nano uria, vermin wash, mulching and drip irrigation etc. Vermin composts have been prepared in convergence with forest department. A total of 15.46 hectors area covered under improved production practices and new agriculture technologies. During the reporting period, 383 producers have accessed services from Farmer Producer Company.

3. Diversifying Rural Incomes via Employment (DRIVE):

- **Livelihood training and entrepreneurship:** A total of 116 SHGs have been trained on diversified livelihood options. A total of 316 individuals have taken up different Income Generation Activities (IGA).
- **Financial Inclusion:** Conducted awareness meetings on financial inclusion at community level. A total of 872 individuals impacted with financial inclusion.
- **Digital Literacy:** 684 no. of women were trained on digital and financial literacy.

Glimpses of the year



Awareness on financial inclusion



Installation of vermi compost pit



Awareness on farmer collectives



Awareness on good agriculture practice



Collection of soil sample for testing



Observation of World Environment Day



Construction of soak pit under grey water management



Support of sonali chick



Construction of LBS



Crop Cutting Experiment



Participation in village development plan



Safe drinking water structure

ENSURING SUSTAINABLE LIVELIHOOD AND NUTRITION OF MIGRANT AND TRIBAL FAMILIES IN MURIBAHAL BLOCK, SUPPORTED BY AZIM PREMJI FOUNDATION

Foundation Introduction & Over view of the Project: “Ensuring Sustainable livelihood and Nutrition of 2000 Migrant and Tribal Families in Muribahal block.”With the support of Azim Premji Foundation, Janamukti Anusthan has been working since May 2023 in 30 Villages of 6GP of Muribahal Block.

Demographic Information

- Total Coverage Village -30
- Total Target Families: 2000 ST Families
- No’s of Ultra poor families-100
- No’s of Migrant Families(as per the baseline record,2023) –749
- No’s of Migrated Families recorded (in current year,2024)-417
- Male population -4152
- Female population-3966
- Landless- 737 HH
- Marginal Farmers- 956 HH
- Small Farmers- 312 HH

Target vs Achievement:

1. Baseline survey:- Initially after initiation of the project, 2000 Nos of ST Families have surveyed in 30 villages of 6 Gram panchayats of Muribahal Block. All the staff of the project staff done baseline survey and within 2 months survey was completed.

2. Training of CSO staff:-3 Nos of CSO Staff Training on project functioning , important government scheme and their convergence modalities, High value crop production, NPM measure, value chain and market strategies and integrated livestock rearing. 12. Nos of CSO staff learned about the above topics. In the training Resources persons of government department covered all the topic of the training.

3. Capacity Building of community leaders:- 1 Nos of community leaders Training has been completed. In this training 64 nos of community leaders attended. After the training, 64 no. of leaders are leading the activities at the community level.

4. Sensitization of Village /local institutions:-32 nos of sensitization of village /local institution were organized in 32 villages. In this meeting, discussed on the problem of locality and unity of the local institution.

5. Training on high value crop production , NPM and other IGA marketing:-Training on high value crop production ,Non pesticide management, Income Generate Activities and Marketing programme was held in 6 GP of Muribahal Block. In this training programme , discussed on various types of natural predators, use of naturally occurring insecticides, such as neem products, margosa, tulsi/basil leaf ,citrus oil, eucalyptus oil, onion, garlic, spray, essential oils.

6. Capacity building on important Govt schemes and their convergence modalities:- 16 nos of capacity building events on important govt. scheme has been organized where a total of 580 community members participated. Resource person from govt .department were facilitating the capacity building, discussed on all the govt. scheme and how will the eligible beneficiary be able to avail govt scheme .

7. Capacity building on improved Goat & BYP rearing: Capacity building on Goat and BYP rearing training was held in this financial year. Discussed the types of goat and benefits in Livelihood of very low income HHs. Goat plays very important role in the growth of economy of the small, marginal farmers and land less to sustain their livelihood. Now a day Goat farming becomes a key portion of the rural development programme in the lives stock training programme. Resource Person LI and VSAS from govt. department share the useful information and rearing process. They shared the various viral diseases like ppr, goat pox , pneumonia and bacterial diseases like enterotoxaemia, tenatus, brucellosis, mastitis and metritis,mycotic disease such as dermatophytosis and rickettsial infections like: conjunctivitis are common cause in goat mortality in rural areas and also discussed about the goat shed ,how to make goat shed , how much space needed for a goat and prevention from disease and taking care of goats. All the participants got information and capacitate through the training programme.

8. Exposure visits: Organized 2 exposure visits for 28 project beneficiaries and 7 project staffs. Participants learnt about preservation of indigenous seeds, mulching technology, Plantation and high value crops production process. After the exposure visit around 45 % beneficiary adopted the use of indigenous seeds.

9. Block level sensitization workshop on MGNREGA and convergence: A total of 209 participants attended the Block level sensitization work shop on MGNREGA and convergence. All the block level govt. officials attended the work shop. This was a good plotform for the beneficiary to raise voice against their rights.

10. Inputs supports to migrant and poor families for alternatives livelihood – livestock(goat/sheep /BYP): As per the objective of project, we have provided total no. of 200 she goats (Indigenous variety) to 100 beneficiaries of different village of the project area. It has been helping to give confidence to the ultra- poor families to sustain their livelihood through

the goat rearing activities. Total of 35 new kids were born from the mother goats supported to different families.

11. Input support to small marginal farmers for promotion of high value crop production through multilayer farming and trellis: Support provided to 55 Families out of 250 small and marginal farmers for multilayer farming. Total 13 varieties of indigenous seeds and creepers vegetable roots were supplied from the project.

12. Inputs support for Nutrition Garden: 250 no. of project beneficiaries were supported for nutrition garden for increasing their nutrition intake. The objective is to assisting women and children to consume at least 150 to 200 gram of green vegetable and fresh fruits per person daily throughout year.

13. I card for 2000 Families: To minimize the challenges and tracking the migrant population, JMA has printed 2000 I card for the Tribal migrants HHs and started the registration process before the labour migration. A total of 349 Tribal families from 30 villages are registered and obtained Identity Cards. The I CARD would help the migrant families to travel safely and return from migration safely. It is very useful for them as there mentioned the contact number of important government officials, PRIs, relatives of source area. Apart from that, JMA team is interacting with PRIs, block administrations, various line departments and stake holders to provide possible supports to the migration families in a priority basis and dialoguing to involve the migration sensitive HHs to work under MGNREGA in both individual and community works.

Role of BLRC: The Block level resource centre (BLRC) has been established in Muribahal to resolve the issues of the people and to bridge the gap between the people and the government department. The poor and the needy are being assisted by the facilitators and they got information and knowledge about the government schemes. During the meetings and at the workplaces, the field staffs inform the people about the BLRC and they also appeal to take help from the of centre. During the reporting year, a total of 532 grievances collected through the village level camps and BLRC and 95 no. of grievance recorded and redressed.

Glimpses of the year



Training of CSO staff



Capacity building of community leaders



Village level training on Agriculture



Training on govt. schemes



Training on goat and BYP rearing



Exposure visit



Block level sensitization on MGNREGA



She goat support to migrant and poor families



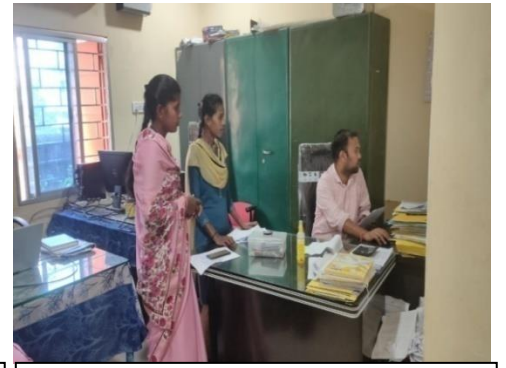
Input support for Nutrition Garden vegetable plot



Issue of migrant labour identity card



Grievance collection by BLRC facilitator .



Document submit at block office to BSSO sir

VILLAGE DISASTER MANAGEMENT PLAN II

Village Disaster Management Plan (VDMP) is a document prepared by the village community themselves based on their own hazard, vulnerability, risk, resource and capacity analysis, containing village profile supported by maps, emergency response and disaster risk reduction plans, listing out activities and pin-pointing. The District Disaster Management Cell supported Janamukti Anusthan to carry out the VDMP activity. A total of 14 VDMP prepared during the reporting year, the details of which was mentioned below.

Status of Village Disaster Management Plan(VDMP-II) in Balangir District.						
Sl.No	Name Of the Block	Name of the Gram Panchayat	Name of the Village	Village Meeting Date	VDMP Formation (Yes/No)	Separate Register Maintain (Yes/Not)
1	Muribahal	Bankel	Bankel	05.02.2024	yes	yes
2	Muribahal	Sirol	Rohenbhata	08.02.2024	yes	yes
3	Muribahal	Sirol	Dunguriguda	09.02.2024	yes	yes
4	Titilagarh	Banjipadar	Sisakani	10.02.2024	yes	yes
5	Titilagarh	Banjipadar	Pipaldani	13.02.2024	yes	yes
6	Titilagarh	Banjipadar	Sinapali	22.02.2024	yes	yes
7	Titilagarh	Banjipadar	Karlapada	22.02.2024	yes	yes
8	Titilagarh	Banjipadar	Mathanpala	22.02.2024	yes	yes
9	Titilagarh	Banjipadar	Belpada	21.02.2024	yes	yes
10	Titilagarh	Banjipadar	Malijhar	21.02.2024	yes	yes
11	Titilagarh	Banjipadar	Ranbahali	24.02.2024	yes	yes
12	Belpada	Dhumabhata	Raikhal	04.03.2024	yes	yes
13	Belpada	Dhumabhata	Ainlapali	05.03.2024	yes	yes
14	Belpada	Dhumabhata	Khalkhali	05.03.2024	yes	yes



NIRANTHARA CLASSIC CB PROGRAMME

(SUPPORTED BY DHWANI FOUNDATION)

Niranthara is a 29-months comprehensive Organizational Development programme specifically designed for small and Grassroots organizations, complete with Capacity building, Technology and management solutions, Implementation support, Grant support, Assessments and Certification of completion. Through this programme the Dhvani Foundation team works closely with the Leadership, Board, senior management and the programme teams to build and strengthen institutional capacities.

The programme in the name of **Niranthara Classic Cohort-1** was started for the first time in Odisha. Out of total 32 Non Government Organizations involved in the programme, Janamukti Anusthan is one that signed MoU with Dhvani Foundation in the month of August 2023. During the reporting period (till March 2024), the following activities have been initiated.

1. Promotion of Organization's accountant to Compliance Finance Manager (CFM): Mr. Ashis Sa who is appointed as Accountant of Janamukti Anusthan has been promoted as CFM with the support of Dhvani Foundation.

2. Training and Capacity Building: Details of training attended by Board members and CFM are mentioned below.

SI No	Name of the training	Name of participants	Designation	No. of training attended
1	Leader's Training	Baikuntha Banchhor	President	2
2		Bhajaram Sahu	Secretary	7
3		Kapilash Bhoi	Joint Secretary	1
4		Lalit Rana	Member	1
5	CFM Training	Ashis Sa	CFM	7

3. 205 parameters: There are 205 parameters Janamukti Anusthan that Niranthara Classic CB Programme aims to strengthen.

SI No	Category	No. of parameters
1	Compliances	42
2	Finance	29
3	Governance	30
4	Human resources	25
5	Leadership and strategy	14
6	Marketing, fund raising and donor management	30
7	MIS and Technology	13
8	Programme Management	22

3. Visit of Senior Management Team (SMT): The first SMT visit to Janamukti Anusthan held on 18th December 2023. Mr. Krishna Kumar along with Mr. Suresh Pradhan visited from Dhvani foundation.

a. Observations on NGO: Shared the background of the 96-97 acute drought and the rampant trafficking and the 'Pathuria' system of moving a group of 3 persons [parents + child] to work in brick kilns in Andhra and Maharashtra]. This is a vicious cycle and people used to take loan as advance during the time of Nuakhai and spend all the money and went to destination site to work in a very precarious situation to repay back the money. Focusing on arresting the distress migration, livelihood as well as agricultural production in the area. Been supported by many donor organizations over time with a consistent track record of service delivery.

b. Observations on Leader: Leader is committed to the cause of social impact and is well networked and has built a team that is supportive and participative.

c. Observation on Board: JMA has a policy of 5-year tenure for board members. They also have norms for qualification to be a board member that include time availability, no cases, no govt. official and no politics. Most board members are from the community.



Interaction with the Secretary during SMT visit



Interaction with the Staff during SMT visit



CFM training

CREATING CLIMATE RESILIENT ENVIRONMENT AND LIVELIHOODS PROMOTION OF RURAL FAMILIES THROUGH THE FRUIT BEARING TREE PLANTATION

(Supported by Basudev Panda Foundation and SGIF)

Responding to the climate change issue, creating climate resilient environment and livelihoods promotion of rural families through the Fruit bearing tree plantation; a mega plantation programme has been initiated in western Odisha by Basudev Panda Foundation and Sustainable Green Initiative Foundation.

As a partner organization of the initiative Janamukti Anusthan has distributed 50000 Fruits Plants in Muribahal block area. We express our gratitude and thanks to Both the foundation (Basudev Panda Foundation and SGIF) for the support and guidance.



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ମୁର୍ଦ୍ଦି ବାହାଲ, (ସବୁଧ): ଶୁଷ୍କାଞ୍ଚକରେ ଜଳବାୟୁ କର୍ମକର୍ତ୍ତା ସୁବର୍ଣ୍ଣ ବାଗ, ସଂକିଦ ମୁରିବାହାଲ ଆରମ୍ଭରେ ଜନମୁକ୍ତି ଅନୁଷ୍ଠାନ ପକ୍ଷରୁ ବାସୁଦେବ ପଣ୍ଡା ଫାଉଣ୍ଡେସନ ଓ ସଷ୍ଟେନେବଲ ଇନିସିଏଟିଭ ପ୍ରୋଜେକ୍ଟର ତରଫରୁ ପ୍ରଦତ୍ତ। ବଣ୍ଟନ କାର୍ଯ୍ୟକ୍ରମର ଶୁଭାରମ୍ଭ ଏପିଓ ବସନ୍ତ ବଳିୟାର ସିଂହଙ୍କ ଉପସ୍ଥିତିରେ ହୋଇଯାଇଛି । ଜନମୁକ୍ତି ଅନୁଷ୍ଠାନର ସମ୍ପାଦକ ଉତ୍ତରାମ ସାହୁଙ୍କ ପ୍ରତ୍ୟକ୍ଷ ତତ୍ତ୍ୱାବଧାନରେ କାର୍ଯ୍ୟକ୍ରମଟି ସମ୍ପନ୍ନ ହେଇଛି । ଏହାପାଇଁ ଶୁଷ୍କାଞ୍ଚକରେ ଜଳବାୟୁ ପରିବର୍ତ୍ତନର ପ୍ରଭାବକୁ ରୋକିବା ସହିତ ପ୍ରତ୍ୟେକ ଗ୍ରାମରେ ପୁଷିକର ଫଳ ପାଇବା ସହିତ ଗ୍ରାମୀଣ ପରିବାର ମାନବଜ୍ଞ ଜୀବନ ଜୀବିକା ବିକାଶରେ ମଧ୍ୟ ସହାୟତା ହୋଇ ପାରିବ। ସେହି ଉଦ୍ଦେଶ୍ୟରେ ଆୟ, ପଣ୍ୟ, ଭେସ୍ଟ, ପିକ୍ଚୁର୍, ଡାକିସ, ସାତାପକ, ପିକ୍ଚୁର୍ ଆଦି ୪୮୨୫୦ ଟଙ୍କା ମୂର୍ଦ୍ଦି ବାହାଲ ବୁକ୍ ପକ୍ତଦାରା ମୁର୍ଦ୍ଦି ବାହାଲ ବୁକ୍ ଅଞ୍ଚଳରେ ବଣ୍ଟନ କରାଯାଇଛି । କାର୍ଯ୍ୟକ୍ରମରେ ଜନମୁକ୍ତି ଅନୁଷ୍ଠାନର କର୍ମକର୍ତ୍ତା ସୁବର୍ଣ୍ଣ ବାଗ, ସଂକିଦ କୁମାର ବାରିକ, ବିନୟ ନାଗ, ଜୟସିଂ ବନକୋର, ଲକ୍ଷ୍ମିତ ରଣା, ମାନସ ରଞ୍ଜନ ସିଂଲୋହାର, ମନିଷା ନାୟକ, ଧରମ ସାହୁ, ସୁଗେଶ୍ୱର ବାଗ, ରଘୁ ହରପାଲ, ନବୀନ ସାହୁ, ଶୁଣିଲ ସାହୁ, ସୁଜାତା ସାହୁ, ଅଶିଷ୍ଠ ସା, ରଞ୍ଜିତା ହରପାଲ, ବିଧୁବାଗ, ମରଣିର ସାହୁ, ଲୋଚନ ବାଗ, ବୈଷ୍ଣବ ମହାନନ୍ଦ, ଶୁଣିଲ ସାହୁ, ଜାନକା ଗୋର ପ୍ରମୁଖ ଉପସ୍ଥିତ ରହି ସହଯୋଗ କରିଥିଲେ ।

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Annual General Body Meeting

General Body Meeting of Janamukti Anusthan for the Financial Year 2023-24 was held on dated 12.03.2023 at Dungriguda village of Muribahal block. A total no. of 78 general body members participated in the programme. Shri. Baikuntha Banchhor, president of Janamukti Anusthan, presided the meeting. Whereas Shri. Bhajaram Sahu, Secretary, presented the annual progress report of FY: 2023-24 and Smt. Subarni Bag, Treasurer, presented the Annual Financial report (2023-24). Apart from this following are some important decisions that resolved unanimously.

1. Appointment of Statutory Auditor for Financial Audit of the organization for FY 2024-25.
2. Preparation and approval of Plan and Budget of the organization for FY 2024-25.
3. Mr. Sanjeeb Kumakr Barik and Mr. Lalit Rana were selected as new Executive Members of JMA.



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ଜନମୁକ୍ତି ଅନୁଷ୍ଠାନର ବାର୍ଷିକ ସାଧାରଣ ବୈଠକ

ପୁରିବାହାଳ, (ସବୁ): ବଳାଙ୍ଗିର ଜିଲ୍ଲା ପୁରିବାହାଳ ବ୍ଲକ ରୂପାଭଡ଼ା ପଞ୍ଚାୟତ ରୁଙ୍ଗୁରିଗୁଡ଼ା ଗ୍ରାମରେ ୨୦୨୩-୨୪ବର୍ଷ ପାଇଁ ଜନମୁକ୍ତି ଅନୁଷ୍ଠାନର ୨୮ତମ ବାର୍ଷିକ ସାଧାରଣ ବୈଠକ ଅନୁଷ୍ଠିତ ହୋଇଯାଇଛି। ଅନୁଷ୍ଠାନର ସମ୍ପାଦକ ଭବନୀମା ସାହୁଙ୍କ ପ୍ରତ୍ୟକ୍ଷ ତତ୍ପର୍ୟାୟରେ ଆୟୋଜିତ ବୈଠକକୁ ପି ସି ପ୍ରକାଶ୍ୱର ପ୍ରୋଗ୍ରାମ ମ୍ୟାନେଜର ସଂଜୀବ କୁମାର ବାରିକ ପରିଚାଳନା କରିଥିଲେ। ଅନୁଷ୍ଠାନର ସଭାପତି ବୈକୁଣ୍ଠ ବନଘୋର, ଉପସଭାପତି ଚେରା ସରବିଆ, କୋଷାଧ୍ୟକ୍ଷ ସୁବର୍ଣ୍ଣ ବାଗ ଓ ଅନ୍ୟ



ମାନେ ଉପସ୍ଥିତ ଥିଲେ । ସାଧାରଣ ସଭାରେ ଯୋଗ୍ୟ ବର୍ଷ ପାଇଁ ବ୍ୟୟ ଆକଳନ, ଅତିରନ ନିୟୁକ୍ତି, ପ୍ରକଳ୍ପ ଅନୁଯାୟୀ ସବୁ ବିବରଣୀ ପଠନ କରାଯାଇଥିଲା । ମୁଖ୍ୟତଃ ଏପିସି, ଅଂଶଗ୍ରହଣକାରୀମାନଙ୍କୁ ଧନ୍ୟବାଦ ଦିବାସକୁ ପାଠଭେଦନ ଓ ଅଭିନ ପ୍ରେମକା ପାଠଭେଦନ ବାର୍ଷିକ ବିବରଣୀ ପଠନ କରାଯାଇଥିଲା । ଅନୁଷ୍ଠାନର ବରିଷ୍ଠ ସଦସ୍ୟ ଚନ୍ଦସିଂ ବନଘୋର ସମସ୍ତ ଅଂଶଗ୍ରହଣକାରୀମାନଙ୍କୁ ଧନ୍ୟବାଦ ଅର୍ପଣ କରିଥିଲେ ।

Case Studies / Impact Stories

1. Visit of the Development Commissioner to Onion Storage structure of RMC hired by Milit Utthan Producer Company



Smt. Anu Garg, IAS, interacting with BOD

Introduction and back ground of Onion cultivation in Muribahal Block:

Among vegetables, onion plays a unique role as vegetable as well as spice with its unique characteristics of pungency. In horticultural practices onion cultivation is major crops practiced all over India and a major source of livelihood enhancement of both small and marginal farmers. Onion cultivation is one of the major sources of

livelihood of farmers in Muribahal Block of Balangir District. Under APC, Janamukti Anusthan promoted 23 producer Groups of which 11 groups have adopted onion as winner crops. Earlier farmers were not cultivating onion in kharif season. But gradually it was promoted in some of the PGs. In the year 2021, 6 households cultivated kharif onion in 2 acres and 320 HH cultivated in 79.8 acres during Rabi, whereas in 2022, 104 households cultivated kharif onion in 24.25 acres and 243 HH cultivated in 96.9 acres during Rabi. Under post harvest management scheme of Horticulture, 16 APC farmers were provided onion storage structure in subsidy price. Farmers also received seed support and subsidies for kharif onion cultivation from horticulture.

Need of storage structure and collaboration with RMC: Onion cultivation has been scaled up among the PG members with proper guidance of Horticulture and APC team. Since the yielding is high as compare to previous years, proper storage facility is needed to store the onion to get rid of distress sell and to sell the same with higher price later on. Thus, the concern was shared with district officials, sub-collector and RMC team, and insisted the requirement of onion storage structure that to be managed by producer company in collaboration with RMC. Consequently, Milit Utthan Producer Company (MUPC), promoted under APC, signed an agreement with RMC to respond distress selling of onion. The capacity of RMC storage structure of Muribahal is 250 MT.

During first production, the price of onion in the midst of April 2023 was around Rs. 600 per quintal. Due to bad weather condition, some farmers sold their produce to local vendors in distress price. But the company procured onion from the farmers at a rate of Rs 750 per quintal. As a result, the farmers got a profit of Rs 150 per quintal. Though the company properly managed the storage with regular sorting and grading, due to high temperature and storage of pre mature harvest, 35 percent of products got spoil. Yet the company sold rest of the product in higher price of Rs. 1350 on an average after 3 months. It was a great experience and learning for the PC to prepare business strategy accordingly for next year. **The Development Commissioner, Smt. Anu Garg, IAS, visited the structure, interacted with BODs and appreciated the initiatives taken by PC.**



Procurement of onion from PG for storage



Sorting and grading at storage structure



Visit of district officials and Pradan team

2. Journey of a migrant labour to successful Farmer



This is the story of Ms. Hastini Bhoi, 28, who got married in the year 2017, to a man from Dangarpada village and got settled in Raipur as her husband was working as daily wage labour in Raipur, Chattisgarh. In the year 2020, during the festival season they came back to their home land for a month. At that period of time she attended a PG meeting and gained knowledge for reviving their farmland of 4 acres for agriculture. The main reason for their lack of cultivation were to live a city life and to adapt the modern life style culture, but the real gem was their own land where they can live a healthy and beautiful lifestyle with proper time management.

After being the member of Producer Group, Ms. Hastini started cultivation by getting motivated from APC and PG. She got different benefits through APC Project and subsidiary linkages with various departments like agriculture and horticulture. She also got the PoP training given at PG level. Along with her mother-in-law and sister-in-law, she started a new approach of life. Whereas her husband still used to migrate to other cities for livelihood. After being the member of PG, she also became share holder of Producer Company.

On last year, she got onion seed at a price of 330/- per kg whose actual price was 2800/- and received an amount of Rs. 4800/- from Horticulture department as subsidy of high value crop. In 1 acre of land she started the onion cultivation in the month of November 2022. With the training and guidance support of APC and PC staffs she succeeded to get the complete production of 50 quintal onion from 1 acre of land and sold around 40 quintal to Milit Utthan Producer Company at the price of Rs. 750 per quintal. Whereas, the local vendors would take it at Rs. 600 per quintal. Hence Ms. Hastini instantly benefited with Rs. 150 per quintal and protected herself from distress selling that inspired her to do more cultivation. The Producer

Company paid the transportation charges too and stored the onion at RMC Muribahal, which Millit Uthhan Producer company has made an agreement with RMC.

Now Hastini Bhoi is attending regular PG meetings and training given by APC and PC's staffs regularly in their village. She uses to purchase inputs from PC always. "I am very happy and thankful to Janamukti Anusthan and Produder Company and the concerned governmental departments who supported and guided me and converted me from a migrant labour to a successful farmer. I am living a happy life with my family. My children also continued their studies by staying in the village."Said by Ms. Hastini Bhoi.

3. Story of "Kalyani"- personification of beauty with auspiciousness.

Success story of vegetable farmer:



A woman named Kalyani lives in a small village Ganrei, Muribhal Block, district Bolangir and married to a man named Hajar Ketaki whose main occupation is farming, they have a son and a daughter. The total land she owns is 2 acres comprised of (Bahal, Aath & Belna). Sticking to her tradition she is a cowherd, she also looks after a cow which resides with their family she takes care of it as family member in spite of their struggle to fulfill their family basic needs. To fulfill their family's needs she does vegetable cultivation in mainly 3 season, i.e Kharif, Rabi, & Zaid. From the year 2010 to 2018 her major crops were cotton and paddy cultivation in wider area along with vegetables in a small area. Currently in an area of 1.25 acre she is cultivating the crops namely, Desi-Kabri brinjal, cauliflower, desi chilly and onion.



Coming to the main theme of the story, earlier she was using the chemical (inorganic) fertilizers which were damaging the land as well as creating health hazards. But now after being the share member of MUPC and Active Member of APC-JMA, she got the training from the staff of APC and MUPC and got proper guidance to use NPM methods using fertilizes like, Handi Kata, Jibamruta, Bhrashtra, Agniyastra, she makes the proper application of it in the crops and also does self-production without buying it from market. This is one of her biggest achievement with very minimal cost and giving a high yield of production.

In Kharif season she does mainly she cultivates, tomato, brinjal, bitter gourd. In rabi- Cauliflower, Brinjal and Chilly, and in Zaid season- Onion is her major crop which will get yield within April 2024 end. After becoming a member of Subhadra PG & MUPC she is facilitated with government schemes and subsidies. Last year she could avail subsidy amount of 28000/- in cultivation of vegetables for 3 seasons. Apart from this she could also avail subsidiary amount from mango tree plantation for 160 plants which was

supplied by us. Earlier without being a member of PG and PC she could make a revenue of 50k to 70k in a year but now she earns 2.50 lakhs to 3 lakhs in a years.

Hence, now after participating in the training programs organized by APC and PC staff on cultivation she got a proper guidance for making great yield of production, the produced are being marketed by MUPC and the seeds are also being supplied via company that saves her time as well as money, which gives her a good profit, so she is very grateful towards JMA –APC-MUPC for their support for bringing a great change in her life and making her income a higher scale which she never dreamt off.

4. Empowering Rural Communities: The Success Story of Maa Ghantasoni Producer Group



Introduction and Background:

Tentulikhunti village, nestled in the heart of Balangir district, has emerged as a beacon of rural empowerment through the collaborative efforts of the Janamukti Anusthan and local stakeholders. The formation of the Maa Ghantasoni Producer Group under the APC project has paved the way for sustainable development and prosperity in this indigenous community. Located in Haldi



GP within the Muribahal block, Tentulikhunti village has historically relied on traditional farming practices for livelihood. However, with the advent of the APC project led by the Janamukti Anusthan, a paradigm shift towards modern agricultural techniques and community collaboration has taken place.

Formation of Maa Ghantasoni Producer Group:

Maa Ghantasoni Producer Group serves as a catalyst for change in Tentulikhunti village. Through strategic alliances with various government departments such as horticulture, agriculture, animal husbandry, and forestry, facilitated by Janamukti Anusthan (JMA), the group has gained access to essential resources and expertise.

Empowering Model Farmers:

A pivotal aspect of the group's success lies in the training and empowerment of model farmers. These farmers have been equipped with the knowledge and skills necessary to implement modern farming techniques, leading to the successful cultivation of crops like broccoli and ivy-gourd.

Innovation in Organic Farming: The introduction of bio units for the production of organic inputs has revolutionized farming practices in Tentulikhunti village. By harnessing resources like Jibamrit, Handikhat, Nimastra, and Jiyajal, farmers have not only improved soil health but also ventured into

commercial activities, selling these products to fellow farmers with the support of PRADAN and N+3F Team.

Commercialization and Market Access: Janamukti Anusthan and Milit Utthan Producer Company have provided a platform to the PG members for commercialization and market access. Organic products like Bijmrit, Handikhat, Nimastra, and Jiya water have garnered attention for their quality, leading to lucrative opportunities for the producer group. After production, the group members applying the products in their own field as well as selling to other PGs and projects through the Producer Company.

Inspired by the success of the producer group, members of the community have taken the initiative to establish a vermin composting pit, further promoting sustainable farming practices and environmental conservation.

Conclusion: The journey of the Maa Ghantasoni Producer Group in Tentulikhunti village is a testament to the transformative power of community collaboration and sustainable development initiatives. Through innovation, empowerment, and strategic partnerships, the village has charted a path towards prosperity and resilience, serving as a model for rural communities.