



# A Transformative Learning Expedition to KP



Local Government & Community Development Department  
Government of The Punjab

Clicked by Syed Zahid Aziz at White Palace Marghzar Valley, Swat on 06 March 2024 during visit.

# Knowledge Sharing and Exchange Visit of LG&CD Delegation from Punjab to Khyber Pakhtunkhwa

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## Executive Summary

The exchange visit to Khyber Pakhtunkhwa's (KP) local governance institutions aimed to facilitate collaboration and knowledge exchange with counterparts from Punjab, focusing on water, sanitation, and solid waste management initiatives. The visit was part of the GIZ funded initiative “Support to strengthen the local services by local governments “. Delegates were greeted with insights into ongoing projects during a meeting with the Secretary of Local Government, Elections, and Rural Development Department (LGE&RD) KP. The visit to Water and Sanitation Services Companies (WSSCs) in Mardan and Swat (Mingora) provided firsthand experiences of efficient sanitation services and innovative practices, including the integration of SCADA systems and waste segregation facilities. The delegates also visited the under-construction water supply tanks of WSSC Mingora, Swat and Water Treatment Plant at Khawazakhela, Swat.

In the dynamic landscape of municipal administration, Mr. Shahid Ali Khan, the esteemed Mayor of Swat, emerges as a beacon of proactive leadership. Under his stewardship, WSSC Mingora, Swat has witnessed remarkable strides towards sustainability and resilience. Anticipating the challenges that lie ahead, he proactively engages in strategic planning, laying the groundwork for a prosperous future. His keen insight and foresight enable him to identify emerging trends and adapt proactively, ensuring that Swat remains at the forefront of progress. His proactive leadership not only propels WSSC Mingora, Swat towards greater heights but also sets a shining example for municipal administrators nationwide.

Discussions with key stakeholders underscored the crucial role of elected local representatives in sustainable governance and decision-making processes, emphasizing the need for inclusive participation in line with constitutional mandates. PMDFC's e-governance tools emerged as potential solutions to operational challenges, with recommendations for their adaptation and integration into KP's governance framework to enhance efficiency and service delivery. The visit also highlighted successful models, such as District Administration’s proactive engagement with local

bodies and disaster risk reduction efforts, offering valuable insights for replication in Punjab's municipalities to improve resilience and service quality.

Delegates exchanged views on common challenges and proposed strategies for cooperation and knowledge transfer, emphasizing the importance of documenting success stories and its replication in other potentially vulnerable areas. Recommendations included revising tariffs, improving networking through platforms like Pakistan Water Operators Network (PWON), International Benchmarking Networking (IBNET), and adopting fixed-based operational contracts to enhance service standards and financial sustainability. Overall, the visit facilitated meaningful dialogue and identified actionable steps to address shared challenges, laying the groundwork for continued collaboration and improvement in water, sanitation, and solid waste management practices across KP and Punjab.



## Activity Plan

Date	Activities		
3 March 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Travelled from Lahore to Peshawar</li> </ul>		
4 March 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Group photo at Serena Hotel Peshawar</li> <li>Meeting with Secretary LGE &amp; RD KP Office, SS LG, DGLG, Sec Local Council Board</li> <li>Presentation by Syed Zahid Aziz on PMDFC initiatives</li> <li>Insights shared by Mahmood Masood Tamana on GIZ-funded initiative</li> <li>Briefing on e-governance initiatives by various officials</li> <li>Travel to Mardan to visit WSSC office</li> <li>Briefing on WSSCM operations and organic waste conversion by Imran Zaman</li> <li>Discussion on collaboration between PMDFC and WSSCM</li> <li>Visit to Integrated Resource Recovery Centre (IRRC)</li> </ul>		
	5 March 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Group photo at Rock City Hotel</li> <li>Meeting with DC Swat</li> <li>Insights shared on disaster risk reduction by Mr. Abrar Wazir, ADC Relief</li> <li>Visit to waste segregation facility and water treatment plant KhawzaKhela</li> </ul>	
		6 March 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Visit to WSSC Swat office</li> <li>Discussion on water supply systems and revenue enhancement strategies</li> <li>Appreciation for billing procedure of WSSC Swat and commitment for replication</li> </ul>
			7 March 2024

## Delegates:

Sr	Name	Designation	Department/ Organization
1	Syed Zahid Aziz	MD	PMDFC
2	Mr. Mahmood Tamana	GM ID	PMDFC
2	Mr. Amjad Ali	Dy. Secretary (LGF)	LG&CDD
4	Mr. Arslan Ali	Dy. Secretary (LG.)	LG&CDD
5	Mr. Faisal Nazir Butt	PSO to Sec	LG&CDD

Sr	Name	Designation	Department/ Organization
6	Malik Mansha	Chief Officer	MC SKP
7	Rana Asif	MO (Services)	MC SKP
8	Mr. Mohsin Mazhar	Chief Officer	MC TT Singh
9	Mr. Mubarak Ali Khan	Chief Officer	MC Jehlum
10	Hafiz Zeeshan Zia	MO (I&S)	MC Jehlum
11	Mr. Rehan Shahid	Director, MCL	MC Lahore
12	Ms. Fatima Aslam	MO (Fin.)	MC Lahore
13	Mr. Sohaib Rafique	DM ID	PMDFC
14	Mr. Idrees Haider	PO Comm.	PMDFC
15	Mr. Mubashir Ahmed	IT Assistant	PMDFC
<b>GIZ</b>			
1	Mr. Asim Shafi	PCM PLG	GIZ
2	Ms. Sanam Irshad	Advisor Local Governance PLG	GIZ
3	Mr. Adeel Bhadur	Advisor Local Governance PLG	GIZ

## Meeting & Participants Details

Date	Meeting/Visit	Participants from KP
04 March 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Meeting with Secretary LGE&amp;RD, Peshawar</li> <li>Visit to Water &amp; Sanitation Services Company (WSSC) Mardan</li> <li>Visit to Integrated Resource Recovery Centre (IRRC) Mardan</li> </ul>	Mr. Daud Khan, Secretary LGE&RDD Mr. Mohammad Asif, Special Secretary Development Mr. Sleem Khan Secretary Local Council Board, Mr. Iftikhar Alam - Director General Local Govt. Mr. Hassan Nisar - CEO WSSP <b>WSSC Mardan</b> Mr. Imran Zaman, Manager Planning and Projects Mr. Rahatullah, Manager HR & Admin Mr. Muhammad Ishaq, Deputy Manager Solid Waste Management

Date	Meeting/Visit	Participants from KP
05 March 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meeting with DC Swat</li> <li>• Visit to Solid Waste Segregation Model</li> <li>• water treatment plant site, Khawzakhela</li> </ul>	Dr. Qasim Ali Khan, DC Swat Mr. Abrar Wazir, ADC Relief Mr. Umar Abdul Aziz, District Team Leader SNG Mr. Shahid Farooq, Advisor SNG
06March 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Visit to Water &amp; Sanitation Services Company Swat (WSSC)</li> <li>• Visit to Water Tanks Construction Site</li> <li>• Lunch Hosted By Mr. Shahid Ali Khan, Mayor Swat</li> </ul>	Mr. Shahid Ali Khan, Mayor Swat Mr. Zeeshan Parvez, CEO WSSC, Mingora Swat Mr. Inamaullah, Manager Operations

## Support To Strengthen the Local Services by Local Governments

Punjab Municipal Development Fund Company (PMDFC) is currently implementing a project titled “Support to strengthen the local services by local governments “. The project's primary objective is to provide vital support to local governments in select districts of Punjab, Sheikhpura, Toba Tek Singh, Jhelum, and Lahore. It aims to strengthen local government services by focusing on three key objectives: first, the development of a regulatory framework, which includes the creation of bylaws, standard operating procedures, guidelines, and a compendium of laws to enhance the local government's service delivery. Second, the project emphasizes capacity building, targeting local government officials, officers, and prospective elected representatives. Third, the project seeks to fortify and institutionalize the Punjab Local Government Academy (PLGA) in Lalamusa.

The expected output of this project is a significant improvement in the capacities of local government administration and elected representatives. It underscores the importance of delivering municipal services while addressing the specific needs of vulnerable groups. To measure success, the project sets specific output indicators, including the demonstration of expertise in implementing standard operating procedures and bylaws by 70% of the 600 local government officials who participated in training. Additionally, knowledge tests post-training are expected to yield an 80% accuracy rate in responses. Notably, the project also places an emphasis on gender inclusion, aiming for 15% of the trained officials to be female representatives, thus promoting diversity and empowerment within local government structures.

## 4 March 2024 - Day 1

- Meeting with Secretary LGE&RD, Peshawar
- Visit to Water & Sanitation Services Company (WSSC) Mardan
- Visit to Integrated Resource Recovery Centre (IRRC) Mardan

The Day started with a group photo followed by the visit to Secretary LGE & RD KP Office. Senior Officers from LGE&RD KP received the delegates. Syed Zahid Aziz, MD PMDFC, delivered a presentation to Mr. Daud Khan, Secretary LGE&RDD, and other senior officers of LGE&RDD, shedding light on LG&CDD's ongoing initiatives in Punjab. Currently PMDFC is also implementing various projects. Mr. Mahmood Masood Tamana, GM ID PMDFC, shared valuable insights from the GIZ-funded initiative "Support to Strengthen the Local Services by Local Governments." He also presented the insights of various e governance initiatives like Performance Management System (PMS), Local Government Financial Management System (LGFMS) and Grievance



Redress Mechanism (GRM). Mr. Mohammad Asif, Special Secretary Development, also presented the initiatives taken by LGE&RD KP and functioning of local governments in KP. Mr. Sleem Khan Secretary Local Council Board, Mr. Iftikhar Alam - Director General Local Govt. Mr. Hassan Nisar - CEO WSSP also attended the meeting.



After meeting with Sec LGE&RDD the delegation travelled to Mardan to visit the office of Water and Sanitation Services Company Mardan (WSSCM).

Where Manager Planning and Projects Imran Zaman, Manager HR & Admin Rahatullah and Deputy Manager Solid Waste Management Muhammad Ishaq briefed the delegates on WSSCM operations and conversion of organic waste into organic fertilizers. While speaking to the delegates Imran Zaman said that beside the limited resources WSSCM is providing efficient and phenomenal sanitation services to the citizens of Mardan. Our mission is to make Mardan a model city in terms of cleanliness and safe drinking water. He highlighted that the company has formulated comprehensive strategy to make Mardan city clean. The delegation was informed that WSSCM has installed SCADA system in six tube wells and fuel sensors in ten vehicles for the efficient use of energy with the support of GIZ. As part of the visit, the delegation also had the opportunity to explore the Integrated Resource Recovery Centre-IRRC. It was a state-



of-the-art facility dedicated to the efficient management of municipal solid waste. Through a meticulous process of waste collection, segregation, treatment, and resource recovery, the IRRC strives to minimize environmental impact while maximizing the reuse and recycling of materials. By composting organic waste, recycling plastics, paper, glass, and metals, and responsibly disposing of residual waste, the center ensures a sustainable approach to waste management. Additionally, the IRRC actively engages in public awareness campaigns to promote waste reduction and community participation in waste management initiatives, fostering a culture of environmental responsibility in the region.



Representatives from Punjab, emphasized the paramount importance of fostering stronger ties with Local Government Institutions in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa. Commending the performance of WSSCM and IRRC, they expressed their commitment to closely collaborating for knowledge exchange. The delegates opined that awareness campaigns should be initiated across the nation to decrease plastic usage so that environmental pollution could be mitigated. Furthermore, they commended the efforts of GIZ in facilitating collaboration between Local Government Institutions in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and Punjab.

## 05 March 2024 - Day 2

- Meeting with DC Swat
- Visit to Solid Waste Segregation Model
- Water Treatment Plant Site

The day started with a group photo followed by the visit to DC Office Swat, District Team Leader SNG Umar Abdul Aziz, Advisor SNG Shahid Farooq also accompanied the delegation to DC office Swat. Mr. Abrar Wazir, ADCR Swat welcomed the participants while Mr. Sahid Farooq, briefed about the Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR) work being done in KP and also shared that a pilot DRR unit at Tehsil level is being established at Bahrain and will start working by August 2024. Mr. Abrar Wazir, ADCR Swat shared the details of the relief work done by the Swat administration in coordination with Local Government Department during recent floods. He shared that conservative social practices and stereotypes are making it hard to build a DRR resilience structure and to put in place an effective early warning system. As there are constructions in the river bed and people are not willing to give the nature its due space, care and respect. While talking to the delegates at this occasion Dr. Qasim Ali Khan, Deputy Commissioner Swat welcomed the delegates and admired the initiative to learn from each other's successful models. He also said that due to the climate change these areas are being severely affected as in the same year within few months' timeline we transited from drought effected to flood





## 06 March 2024 - Day 3

- Visit to Water & Sanitation Services Company Swat (WSSC)
- Visit to Water Tanks Construction Site
- Lunch Hosted by Mr. Shahid Ali Khan, Mayor Swat

On the last day of visit the delegation visited WSSC Swat office. Shahid Khan, Mayor Swat; Mr Zeeshan, District Team Lead SNG; Umar Abdul Aziz, Advisor Local Governance hosted the meeting. The participants of the delegation visited various departments of the company and observed their working.



Mr. Zeeshan Parvez, GM Operations WSSC Swat shared briefed about the working of various department/sections of the company. Afterwards a meeting was conducted where Mr. Zeeshan shared insights of the working of WSSC Swat in the presence of Mr. Shahid Khan, Mayor

Swat. During meeting very fruitful and productive discussions were made where participants exchanged thoughts on the challenges, learned lessons from their peers and developed mitigation strategies. Members of the delegation proposed answers to the various queries on the water tariff, increase in revenue, and exchange of various e governance tools/software's developed by PMDFC. The participants of the delegation also visited



the water tanks managed by WSSC Swat. On this occasion, the company also gave a detailed briefing on the water supply system to the participants of the delegation.





*My recent exposure visit to KP left an indelible mark on my understanding of effective governance and service delivery, particularly in the realm of water and sanitation. Witnessing firsthand the operations of Water & Sanitation Services Companies (WSSCs) in Mardan and Mingora Swat was truly enlightening. From efficient waste management systems to innovative strategies for water conservation, it was evident that these companies are at the forefront of providing essential services to the people of KP.*

*Moreover, the opportunity to interact with esteemed personalities such as Mr. Dawood Khan, Secretary LGE&RD KP Mr. Shahid Ali Khan, Mayor Swat and, Dr. Qasim Ali Khan, DC Swat provided valuable insights into the collaborative efforts required for sustainable development. Their visionary leadership and unwavering commitment to improving the quality of life for citizens were truly inspiring.*

**Malik Mansha,**  
**Chief Officer, MC Sheikhpura**



*I recently had the privilege of participating in an exposure visit to KP, an experience that profoundly shaped my understanding of effective governance and service delivery. One aspect that particularly resonated with me was the financial management prowess of the WSSCs. Witnessing how these companies efficiently collect bills from their customers and manage their finances highlighted their robust revenue generation strategies. It was evident that sound financial practices underpin their ability to deliver essential services effectively. Meetings with distinguished figures such as Mr. Dawood Khan, Secretary of Local Government Elections & Rural Development KP, Mr. Shahid Ali Khan, Mayor of Swat, and Dr. Qasim Ali Khan, Deputy Commissioner of Swat, provided invaluable insights which served as a powerful inspiration.*

**Ms. Fatima Aslam**  
**AMO (Est.) Metropolitan Corporation Lahore**

## Lessons learned and viable models for replication

- During meetings very fruitful and productive discussion were made on topics ranging from legal framework, legislation, organizational structures and governance.
- It was observed that one of the major differences between both provinces is the presence of elected local representatives. Both sides agreed to the fact that for sustainable growth and inclusive decision-making local leaders plays a crucial role. It becomes a lot easier for municipal service providing agencies to act effectively under the umbrella of elected local representatives as it is enshrined in the article 140 of Constitution of Islamic Republic Of Pakistan.
- The meticulous process of waste collection, segregation, treatment, and resource recovery and by composting organic waste, recycling plastics, paper, glass, and metals, and responsibly disposing of residual waste IRRC model has great potential to be replicated in Punjab for efficient management of solid waste in sustainable manner.
- During the IRRC visit it was also agreed that the KP team may visit Punjab to witness the Solid Waste segregation center working at Sahiwal under LG & CD Department Punjab.
- Delegates learned a lot from the working model of WSSC Swat and the active participation and coordination of Local Government Bodies with the other line departments for the relief activities. The replication of this model in Punjab may also benefit and improve the capacity of the LG bodies to mitigate challenging situations.
- The delegates admired the billing procedure of the company and vowed to take practical steps for their replication in various MCs of Punjab.
- Both sides agreed on the replication of good practices in provinces and for the purpose Syed Zahid Aziz, MD PMDFC also invited the KP Local Government officers for an exchange visit to Punjab. They were offered to visit the WASA Faisalabad and other initiatives like Waste Water Treatment Plants under construction under Punjab Cities Program (PCP).

- Delegates opined there is need to replicate the initiative like segregation of municipal solid waste in smaller cities of Punjab to fight the challenge of solid waste management.
- PMDFC has developed various e governance tools like Local Government Financial Management Information System (LGFMS) and Grievance Redress Mechanism (GRM) for local governments of the Punjab, which could be replicated in KP if required. Although LGFMS is already being used in KP but its old version.
- A robust IT & GIS section is in place at PMDFC so the coordination was also extended in these areas. As the WSSCs are facing difficulties because there are no house no or street no in Swat.
- The delegates admired the efforts of Swat's District Administration and opined the need to document their success stories for learning of the other department including the LG&CD Department Punjab and other departments.
- The participants agreed to enhance mutual cooperation and implement best working models in their respective jurisdictions.
- The officers from the delegation suggested that the Companies to follow the fixed based (Agreed Sum) O&M Contracts for the Pumps, Vehicles, Machinery etc. rather than framework contracts. This will not only help the companies to improve their delivery standards but will also helpful in saving valuable financial resources.
- The officers also opined the WSSCs to improve their networking and to join networks like International Benchmarking Networking (IBNET). Syed Zahid Aziz offered his assistance in this regard as being the incumbent chairman of PWON.
- Officers from PMDFC and LG&CDD also assured to provide assistance in revision of Water & Sanitation Tariffs in WSSC, Swat & Mardan as PMDFC has already done this in Punjab under Punjab Cities Program (PCP).
- During meeting various organizational and operations issues were discussed and solutions were proposed to improve the coordination and service delivery standards from both sides.

## Conclusion

In the crucible of experiential learning, this exchange visit has transcended mere geographical boundaries, forging enduring bonds of collaboration and mutual enrichment. The journey, spanning three enriching days, has served as a beacon of inspiration, igniting a fervent commitment to transformative change in local governance practices. As the delegation bids farewell to the verdant landscapes of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, they carry with them a treasure trove of insights, aspirations, and aspirations, poised to catalyze profound shifts in municipal governance dynamics. In the spirit of shared learning and collective action, the seeds of collaboration sown during this visit are destined to blossom into a vibrant tapestry of progress and prosperity, enriching the lives of communities across Punjab and Khyber Pakhtunkhwa alike.

# Picture Gallery

04 March, 2024 -Peshawar - Mardan







05<sup>th</sup> March, 2024 -Sawat - Mingora





**Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa**  
**Project Management Unit (PMU)**  
**WATER TREATMENT PLANT**

**Legend:**

- 1. Main Building
- 2. Raw Water Intake
- 3. Raw Water Storage Tank
- 4. Raw Water Pumping Station
- 5. Raw Water Pipeline
- 6. Raw Water Treatment Plant
- 7. Raw Water Distribution System
- 8. Raw Water Distribution Network
- 9. Raw Water Distribution Pipes
- 10. Raw Water Distribution Pumps
- 11. Raw Water Distribution Tanks
- 12. Raw Water Distribution Valves
- 13. Raw Water Distribution Meters
- 14. Raw Water Distribution Control System
- 15. Raw Water Distribution Monitoring System
- 16. Raw Water Distribution Maintenance System
- 17. Raw Water Distribution Safety System
- 18. Raw Water Distribution Security System
- 19. Raw Water Distribution Environmental Protection System
- 20. Raw Water Distribution Social Responsibility System

**SALIENT FEATURES**

**Project Name:** Water Treatment Plant

**Location:** Raw Water Treatment Plant

**Contractor:** M/s. [Name]

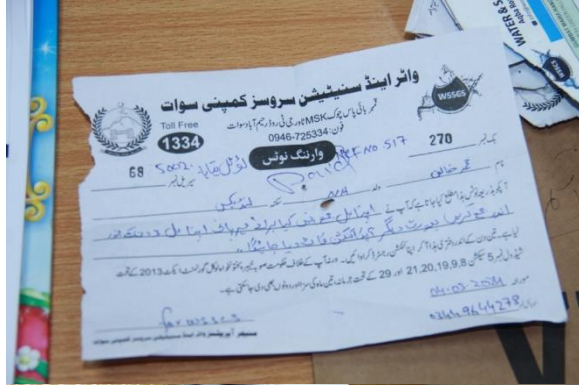
**Project Value:** PKR 1,501,812,226

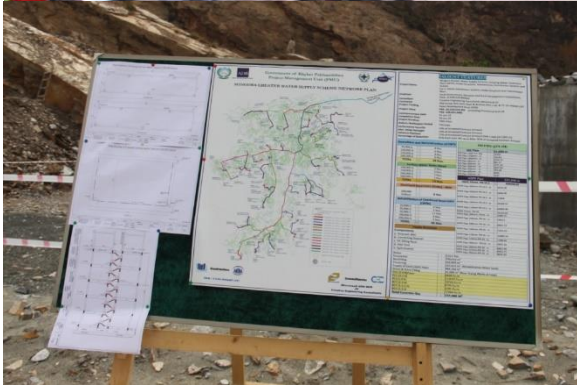
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Raw Water Intake	22,811.00
Raw Water Storage Tank	80,719.00
Raw Water Pumping Station	1,000,000.00
Raw Water Pipeline	1,200,000.00
Raw Water Treatment Plant	1,000,000.00
Raw Water Distribution System	1,000,000.00
Raw Water Distribution Network	1,000,000.00
Raw Water Distribution Pipes	1,000,000.00
Raw Water Distribution Pumps	1,000,000.00
Raw Water Distribution Tanks	1,000,000.00
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Raw Water Distribution Maintenance System	1,000,000.00
Raw Water Distribution Safety System	1,000,000.00
Raw Water Distribution Security System	1,000,000.00
Raw Water Distribution Environmental Protection System	1,000,000.00
Raw Water Distribution Social Responsibility System	1,000,000.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>15,018,122,226</b>

**Total Contract Value: PKR 15,018,122,226**

# 06th March, 2024 -Sawat - Mingora





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## PMDFC & PLG delegation visited WSSC Mardan

■ FALAK SHER  
MARDAN

A delegation of Punjab Municipal Development Fund Company (PMDFC) and Punjab Local Government (PLG) Officers visited Water and Sanitation Services Company Mardan (WSSCM) and its Integrated Resource Recovery Center (IRRC) in Mardan. The delegation led by Syed Zahid Aziz Managing Director PMDFC while General Manager Mahmood Masood Tamana, Deputy Manager Suhaib Raafiq, Sanam Irshad Advisor (GIZ) and others were included. Manager Planning and Projects Imran Zaman, Manager HR & Admin Rahatullah and Deputy Manager Solid Waste Management Muhammad

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مردان: پنجاب ڈیولپمنٹ فنڈ کمپنی کے چیف ڈائریکٹر زاہد عزیز کو سوہتر چش کیا جا رہا ہے

## خیبر پختونخوا میں کچرے سے نامیاتی کھاد بنانے والا سنٹر قائم

سنٹر میں روزانہ پانچ ٹن کچرے کو نامیاتی کھاد میں تبدیل کیا جاتا ہے: راحت اللہ  
مردان (تمناہ نئی بات) پنجاب میونسپل ڈیولپمنٹ فنڈ کمپنی اور پنجاب لوکل گورنمنٹ آفیسرز پر مشتمل وفد نے ڈیپو ایس ایس سی ایم کے ہیڈ آفس اور ایگزیکٹو ڈائریکٹر ریگوری سنٹر کا دورہ کیا۔ دورے کی قیادت پنجاب میونسپل ڈیولپمنٹ فنڈ کمپنی کے چیف ڈائریکٹر زاہد عزیز نے کی جبکہ اس موقع پر جرنل کوآپریٹیشن جی آئی زی کی ایڈوائزر صنم ارشاد بھی موجود تھی۔ دورے کے موقع پر انہوں نے مردان میں شہریوں کو صاف پانی کی فراہمی، صفائی کے جدید نظام اور نامیاتی کچرے سے کھاد بنانے والے پراجیکٹ کا معائنہ کیا۔ وفد میں میٹرو پولیٹن کارپوریشن لاہور، ایم سی جی، ٹوبہ ٹیک سنگھ اور دیگر شہروں کے بلدیاتی اداروں کے افسران شامل تھے۔ ڈیپو ایس ایس سی ایم دورے کے موقع سے لکھنے لگا جاتا ہے۔



مردان، پنجاب میونسپل ڈویلپمنٹ فنڈ کمپنی اور لوکل گورنمنٹ کے افسران کا ڈبلیو ایس ایس سی ایم کے دورے کے موقع پر گروپ فوٹو



## پنجاب میونسپل کمپنی، لوکل گورنمنٹ آفیسرز وفد کا دورہ مردان

شہریوں کو صاف پانی کی فراہمی، صفائی کے جدید نظام اور نامیاتی کچرے سے کھاد بنانے والے پراجیکٹ کا معائنہ

ڈبلیو ایس ایس سی ایم کے مینجراچ آر راحت اللہ، مینجر پلاننگ عمران زمان، ڈپٹی مینجر محمد اسحاق نے بریفنگ دی

مردان (بیورو نیوز) پنجاب میونسپل ڈویلپمنٹ فنڈ کمپنی اور پنجاب لوکل گورنمنٹ آفیسرز پر مشتمل وفد نے ڈبلیو ایس ایس سی ایم کے ہیڈ آفس اور انٹی گریٹڈ ریسورس ریکوری سنٹر کا دورہ کیا۔ دورے کی قیادت پنجاب میونسپل ڈویلپمنٹ فنڈ کمپنی کے مینجنگ ڈائریکٹر سید زاہد عزیز نے کی۔ دورے کے موقع پر انہوں نے مردان میں شہریوں کو صاف پانی کی فراہمی، صفائی کے جدید نظام اور نامیاتی کچرے سے کھاد بنانے والے پراجیکٹ کا معائنہ کیا۔ وفد میں میٹرو پولیٹن کارپوریشن لاہور، ایم سی جہلم، ٹوبہ ٹیک سنگھ اور دیگر شہروں کے بلدیاتی اداروں کے افسران شامل تھے۔ ڈبلیو ایس ایس سی ایم دورے کے موقع پر کمپنی کے مینجراچ آر اینڈ ایڈمنسٹریٹو مینجر پلاننگ عمران زمان، ڈپٹی مینجر سائلڈ ویسٹ مینجمنٹ محمد اسحاق نے پنجاب لوکل گورنمنٹ کے افسران کو خوش آمدید کہا اور انہیں کمپنی کی کارکردگی اور آپریشنل سرگرمیوں پر بریفنگ دی۔ انہیں بتایا گیا کہ خیبر پختونخوا میں واٹر اینڈ سینیٹیشن سروسز کمپنی مردان نے پہلی مرتبہ کچرے سے نامیاتی کھاد بنانے والا سٹرکٹم کیا ہے جس میں روزانہ پانچ ٹن کچرے کو نامیاتی کھاد میں تبدیل کیا جاتا ہے۔ وفد کو بتایا گیا کہ ڈبلیو ایس ایس سی ایم نے توانائی کے باکفائیت استعمال کیلئے جرمز

کوآپریشن (جی آئی زی) کے تعاون سے شہر کے چھ ٹیوب ویلوں میں جدید کاڈاسٹم نصب کیا ہے جبکہ دس گاڑیوں میں فیول سنر لگائے ہیں۔ اس موقع پر خطاب کرتے ہوئے پنجاب میونسپل ڈویلپمنٹ فنڈ کمپنی کے مینجنگ ڈائریکٹر سید زاہد عزیز نے خیبر پختونخوا دورے کو انتہائی اہم قرار دیتے ہوئے کہا کہ پنجاب اور خیبر پختونخوا کے لوکل گورنمنٹ کے زیر انتظام سینیٹیشن کمپنیوں کے ساتھ بہتر روابط رکھنا ہماری اولین ترجیح ہے۔



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## Punjab Municipal Development Fund Company delegation applauds WSSCM's sanitation efforts

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MARDAN: A delegation from the Punjab Municipal Development Fund Company (PMDFC) and Punjab Local Government (PLG) Officers paid a visit to the Water and Sanitation Services Company Mardan (WSSCM) and its Integrated Resource Recovery Center (IRRC) in Mardan on Tuesday. The delegation, led by Syed Zahid Aziz, Managing Director of PMDFC, included General Manager Mahmood Masood Tamana, Deputy Manager Suhail Rasheed, and others.

During the visit, Manager Planning and Projects Imran Zaman, Manager HR & Admin

Rahatullah, and Deputy Manager Solid Waste Management Muhammad Ishaq provided a briefing on WSSCM operations and the conversion of organic waste into organic fertilizers. Imran Zaman emphasized that despite limited resources, WSSCM is committed to delivering efficient sanitation services to the citizens of Mardan. He outlined the company's mission to transform Mardan into a model city for cleanliness and safe drinking water.

The delegation learned that, with support from the German International Cooperation (Giz), WSSCM has implemented a SCADA system in six tube wells and



installed fuel sensors in ten vehicles to optimize energy usage. Syed Zahid Aziz, Managing Director of PMDFC, expressed the priority of establishing better relations with local government institutions in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa. He praised the perfor-

mance of WSSCM and pledged close collaboration between the two institutions for knowledge sharing.

Aziz also urged citizens across the country to reduce plastic usage to mitigate environmental pollution.

## Attendance Sheet

Exposure Visit of LG&CD Delegation to KP (Peshawar, Mardan & Swat)													
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Sr	Name	Designation	Department/ Organization	Day 1 – Sunday, Mar 03, 2024		Day 2 – Monday, Mar 04, 2024		Day 3 – Tuesday, Mar 05, 2024		Day 4 – Wednesday, Mar 06, 2024		Day 5 – Thursday, Mar 07, 2024	
				Morning	Evening	Morning	Evening	Morning	Evening	Morning	Evening	Morning	Evening
1	Syed Zahid Aziz	Managing Director	PMDFC	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
2	Mr. Mahmood Tamana	General Manager	PMDFC	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
3	Mr. Amjad Ali	Dy. Secretary (LGF)	LG&CDD	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
4	Mr. Arslan Ali	Dy. Secretary (LG.)	LG&CDD	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
5	Mr. Faisal Nazir Butt	PSO to Sec	LG&CDD	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
6	Malik Mansha	Chief Officer	MC SKP	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
7	Rana Asif	MO (Services)	MC SKP	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
8	Mr. Mohsin Mazhar	Chief Officer	MC TT Singh	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
9	Mr. Mubarak Ali Khan	Chief Officer	MC Jehlum	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
10	Hafiz Zeeshan Zia	MO (I&S)	MC Jehlum	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
11	Mr. Rehan Shahid	Director, MCL	MC Lahore	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
12	Ms. Fatima Aslam	MO (Fin.)	MC Lahore	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
13	Mr. Sohaib Rafique	DM ID	PMDFC	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
14	Mr. Idrees Haider	PO Comm.	PMDFC	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
15	Mr. Mubashir Ahmed	IT Assistant	PMDFC	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
16	Mr. Asim Shafi	Program Manager	GIZ	-	-	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS
17	Ms Sanam Irshad	Advisor LG	GIZ	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
18	Mr. Adeel Bahar	Advisor LG	GIZ	-	-	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	-