

# Ramajogihalli Gram Panchayat - Chitradurga Taluka

## Gram Panchayat Progress Report, 2023 to 2025

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Ramajogihalli Gram Panchayat signed an MoU with Anode Governance Foundation on 5th December 2022, embarking on a journey to strengthen its institution. All Ward members jointly took this decision and are signatories to this MoU.

This Progress Report provides an overview of the status of Ramajogihalli Gram Panchayat across 9 key components of an effective GP, facilitated through Anode's Organisation Mapping tool. The report is based on a self assessment exercise conducted individually with each ward member, followed by a workshop with all members to collectively rate their GP. Each component is rated on a 4-point scale. The report includes actions and achievements during 2023 and 2024, as well as potential areas for improvement.

Out of 9 components, the GP has prioritised and actively focussed on 4 foundational components, viz. Identity and Vision, GP Structures, Service Delivery and Coordination between GP and Gram Sabhas. Enabled with higher participation of its members and achievements across the 4 components, the GP plans to work on other components.

The report also highlights some key actions and achievements of the Ramajogihalli GP in areas like Education, Health, Sanitation and Social Forestry, Infrastructure, Water, and Social Security.

Overall, the report provides a comprehensive overview of the Ramajogihalli Gram Panchayat's progress and areas for further development. The document contains two annexures: 1) Ward-wise service delivery ratings and 2) Thematic areas and goals prioritised by the GP, Education and Sanitation.

Ramajogihalli GP has entered into a revised MoU with Anode Governance Foundation with effect from 1st February to 30th November 2025, to collaborate on improvements in institutional functioning and achievement of thematic goals.

### **Vision Statement of the GP**

**“To ensure access to clean drinking water and provide quality education to all citizens within our Gram Panchayat over the next two years, aiming for sustainable and inclusive development.”**

### **Section A: Basic information**

Population	No. of Villages	No. of Wards	No. of SHGs
9672	7	9	59

### **GP Finances, FY 2024-25**

Budget Heads	Proposed	Utilization - April December 2024
MGNREGA	₹69,12,230	₹34,46,000
15th Finance Commission	₹52,12,230	₹29,26,839
State Finance Commission		

\*Source: Gram Panchayat

### **Own source of Revenue - Collection**

Total Demand (Including arrears)	Target for 2024-25	Collection as of December 2024
₹60,49,689 (including arrears from previous years)	₹14,53,896	₹9,27,874

\*Source: Panchatantra 2.0

### **Elected Ward Members**

Designations: PF: Panchayat Facilitator; PH: Portfolio Head; FAPSC: Finance, Audit and Planning Standing Committee; GSC: General Standing Committee; SJSC: Social Justice Standing Committee

	Name Of Member	Village /Wards	Designation, if any
1	Thippamma	Ramajoghally	Adhyaksha, Member SJSC
2	L Beby Bai	Kurudihally Lambanihatty	Upadhyaksha, President, SJSC
3	P Ramaswamy	Kurudihally Lambanihatty	Member, FAPSC
4	Geetha S	Jannenahally	Member, FAPSC

5	P E Suresha Babu	Ramajogihally	Member,GSC, Portfolio Head - Education
6	Umesha Babu P B	Ramajogihally	Member, SJSC
7	N Rangaswamy	Jannenahally Lambanihatty	Member,GSC, Portfolio Head - Sanitation
8	Gangadhara B	Ramajogihally	Member,GSC,
9	Sudhamma	Hosamuchchagunte	President,GSC
10	Rajesha O T	Balenahally	Member,GSC
11	Vrishabendramma	Ramajogihally	Member,GSC Panchayat Facilitator (PF)
12	D P Suresh	Kurudihally	Member, FAPSC, Panchayat Facilitator (PF)
13	B Jyothi	Balenahally	Member, SJSC
14	R A Thippeswamy	Ramajogihally	Member, FAPSC
15	Shivanna H K	Kurudihally	Member, FAPSC
16	Radha G R	Kurudihally	President, FAPSC
17	T Ambhika	Kurudihally	Member, SJSC
18	Shilpa M	Balenahally	Member, SJSC

#### List of GP Staff

Sl.No	Name	Designation
1	Gouthami E	Panchayath Development Officer
2	Chandrika P	Secretary Grade 2
3	Palaiah B	Second Division To Assistant
4	Rajeshwari S	Clerk Cum Data Entry Operator
5	D O Obaiah	Water Operator
6	Onkaramma	Water Operator
7	Boraiah	Water Operator
8	Purya Naik H	Water Operator

10	Ramesha	Cleaners
11	Rajesh P	Water Operator
12	P.Suresha	Attendant
13	Ragala Papaiah	Water Operator
14	Sevyanaik S	Water Operator

## **Section B: Process Slide**

<b>GPOD Stages</b>	<b>Project Activity</b>	<b>Actions and Achievements across 15 GPs</b>
Stage 1: Context setting and enrolment	MoU with GP	15 GPs
	Anode Time in GBMs	176 GBMs attended
	GP Profiling	275 persons
	Panchayat Facilitators	30 PFs; 21 meetings
	MoU with RDPR	2 State and 2 District meetings
Stage 2: Diagnosis and reflection	GP Organisation Mapping	249 individual ratings, 13 group ratings
Stage 3: Design, Planning & Operationalization	Vision and Goal setting	15 GPs
	GP Standing Committees	GSC activated across 15 GPs
	Portfolio heads	30 PHs; 6 meetings
	Process Mapping	2 workshops with 16 PFs and 15 PHs; 4 Processes mapped
	Calendar for Goals	15 GPs, Calendars for 2 Goals each
	Citizen Engagement Process	133 CEPs across 30 PF wards
	Civic Action Groups	189 CAGs met across 30 PF wards
Stage 4: Handholing Implementation	Petitions	154 petitions raised, 49 resolved
	Ward wise Actions	475 Ward wise actions, across 8 themes
	Theme 1: Education	26 Schools, 11 GP - SDMC meetings
	Theme 2: Health	4 Health Camps, 7 VHSNCs
	Theme 3: Sanitation	63 villages covered, 5 SWM units functional
	Theme 4: Drinking Water	45 RO Water Filters repaired

## **Section D. Some Actions and Achievements of Ramajogihalli GP**

Issues relating to disrepair of school buildings, Mid-Day Meals, compound walls, drains, streetlights etc were discussed and identified during different project steps and forums: GP Profiling, CEP and CAG meetings, PF meetings, Exposure visits, SDMC meetings and during discussions in GBMs etc.

While ensuring ownership of action was with the GP, Anode field staff provided hand holding support to ward members through a) providing nudges and reminders, 2) negotiating with key stakeholders, especially the community, 3) ensuring petitions are placed in GBMs, d) access to functionaries in department/block offices, and e) providing information of programmes and schemes, etc.

### **Education [LSDG: Child friendly village]**

1. The lack of fencing around Ramajogihalli GLPS caused disturbance since the villagers would travel to the neighbouring village through the school premises. After this issue was taken up in the CEP, the issue was raised in the GBM and a compound wall was constructed using MGNREGA funds.
2. The Portfolio Heads along with the respective ward members have been inspecting the quality of Mid-Meals served in the schools in their respective wards.
3. The anganwadi building in Ramajogihalli was an old building. This issue was raised in the CEP and taken forward to the GBM where it was decided to pain the walls using Own Source of Revenue.

### **Health [LSDG: Healthy village]**

4. In collaboration with the department of Animal Husbandry, a vaccination drive was conducted for the cattle in all the villages of the GP in October 2024.
5. Since there is a rise in communicable diseases during monsoon season, there was demand from the community to fog the drains to avoid mosquito breeding. Fogging was done by the GP in all wards of the GP.

### **Sanitation and Social Forestry [LSDG: Clean and Green village]**

6. The SWM vehicle was repaired using ₹40,000 from the own source of revenue. However, the vehicle needs further repair.
7. The citizens demanded dustbins to collect solid waste at the household level. The Panchayat Facilitators Vrushbendramma and Suresh took this issue forward at the GBM and finally all households were provided with one one dustbin each.
8. The cemetery at Ramajogihalli had too much jungle growth leading to difficulty for people to access it. The issue was raised in CEP and the jungle was cleared using MGNREGA Funds in September 2023.
9. A pipeline supplying drinking water to Ramajogihalli village was damaged. The issue was raised in CEP Meetings and was repaired using 15th FC Funds.
10. Drainage in Kurudihalli village was cleaned using 15th FC funds.

### **Infrastructure [LSDG: Self Sufficient infrastructure]**

11. Street Lights were installed in Kurudihallia and Ramajogihalli villages in July 2024 using 15th FC funds to ensure safety for villagers at night.
12. The electricity line was hanging low over anganwadi B centre of Ramajogihalli village causing a safety hazard for children especially during monsoon. This problem was resolved by the Electricity Department, by increasing the height of the line.

### **Water [LSDG: Water sufficient village]**

13. Ro Water filters have been repaired in Ramajogihalli and Kurudihalli villages on demand from CEP.
14. The issue of mini tanks cleaning was raised in GBM in October 2024. To ensure that all the tanks in the GP are cleaned regularly and similar issues are addressed promptly, the General Standing Committee took a decision to conduct regular meetings with the watermen.

### **Photos from the GP**



**Action 7:** Distribution of dustbins to all households in the GP.





**Action 9** : Repairing of drinking water pipeline at Ramajogihalli



**Action 10** : Drainage cleaned in Kurudihalli village.

## ANNEXURES

### Annexure II: Prioritised Themes and Goals

#### Education

Goals	Key activities planned
Institutional strengthening	SDMC and GP Coordination 1.Portfolio Head to organise meetings of SDMC Presidents and HMs from each school in the GP and General Standing committees (Quarterly). 2. Issues raised in the meeting to be tabled in the GBM and actions to be taken by the GSC accordingly
Drinking Water	All schools in the GP to have clean drinking water
Toilets	All schools to have separate functional toilets for boys and girls

#### 2. Sanitation

Goals	Key activities
Institutional strengthening	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. GPLF and GP Collaboration</li><li>2. GPLF strengthening for SWM</li><li>3. Fees for SWM Collection: Commercial places and Households Fee rates to be decided and collection to ensured</li></ol>
SWM Vehicle	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. SWM Vehicle to be made available in the GP</li><li>2. Calendar for SWM Vehicle Operation<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ To be prepared</li><li>▪ Published in the GP Office and public places</li></ul></li></ol>
SWM centre	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. SWM segregation Centre to be Set-up</li><li>2. Land for SWM centre to be identified/formalised</li><li>3. Construction of the building</li><li>4. Basic Facilities like toilets and water connection in SWM centre for the SWM Workers</li><li>5. Safety equipments for SWM Workers</li><li>6. Registers for record keeping (3 registers- Attendance of Workers, Log book, Fees collection, stock of Solid Waste)</li></ol>
Identity and empowerment of SWM Workers	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. ID Cards</li><li>2. Timely payments of Honorariums</li><li>3. Training for running the SWN centre, record keeping etc.</li></ol>
Water Testing	Water testing in all water sources in the GP to be done quarterly and reports to be presented in the GBM



Tank Cleaning	Tank cleaning of all tanks in the GP to be done quarterly and reports to be presented in the GBM
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