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PREFACE

Bangladesh has been experiencing rapid urbanization in the last four decades where level of urbanization has reached from 7.60% to nearly 29% between 1970 and 2011. Multidimensional complex factors like; socio-economic, political, demographic and climatic are responsible for this higher growth of spatial transformation. The fast urbanization is putting pressure on the small towns' limited land, urban services and environment along with countries big cities. Whereas urbanization is also considered as an opportunity and an integral part of the development process. Proper development plans and guidelines with necessary legislative measures and appropriate institutional arrangement can help to achieve sustainable urban as well as rural development.

However, presently, the Paurashavas has the legal mandate to take initiatives of formulating development plans, providing infrastructure and other services and creating opportunities for people to initiate developments with sustainable and harmonic approach. In this regards, Kotchandpur Paurashava had initiated steps to frame its' Master Plan (*Physical Development Plan*) by taking technical assistance from the Local Government Engineering Department (LGED). LGED under the Local Government Division of the Ministry of Local Government, Rural Development and Cooperatives initiated a project titled 'Upazila Towns Infrastructure Development Project (UTIDP)' providing all sorts of technical assistances to prepare long term physical development plan titled 'Master Plan' for Kotchandpur Paurashava.

Master Plan of Kotchandpur Paurashava has been prepared following the pre-requisite of the Local Government (Paurashava) Act, 2009. To prepare the Master Plan, LGED engaged consulting firm named Development Design Consultant Ltd. and set up a Project Management Office (PMO) deploying a Project Director, Deputy Project Director, experienced Urban Planners as Individual Consultant and support staffs. Regular monitoring, evaluation and feedback from PMO had also accelerate the pace and quality of the Master Plan preparation tasks. During formulation of the Master Plan, the Paurashava authority along with the project and the Consultant ensure people's opinion, observation and expectation in various ways: conducting sharing meetings, Public Hearing etc. At the end of the formulation process, the Paurashava completed all procedures necessary for its approval as per the related clauses and sub-clauses of the Local Government (Paurashava) Act, 2009. Paurashava Authority has submitted this Plan to the Local Government Division of the Ministry of Local Government, Rural Development and Cooperatives for final approval and gazette notification.

This Master Plan comprises of three tier of Plan in a hierarchical order, these are: Structure Plan for 20 years, Urban Area Plan for 10 years and Ward Action Plan for 5 years. Urban Area Plan also comprises of three components namely; Land Use Plan, Traffic & Transportation Management Plan and Drainage & Environmental Management Plan. This Master plan will serve as guidelines for the future infrastructure development of Kotchandpur Paurashava together with land use control and effective management of service facilities.

The Paurashava Authority acknowledges the full support and all out cooperation from the consultant team, the Project Management office of UTIDP, LGED, Local Government Division of the Local Government, Rural Development and Cooperatives Ministry, public representatives, other stakeholders and civil society with deepest gratitude for accomplishing this remarkable assignment.

Cooperation and participation from national to local authorities, all government institutions, private entities and people of Kotchandpur Paurashava will be necessary to implement this Master Plan successfully and make this Paurashava developed and livable. I hope Kotchandpur Paurashava will be a model Paurashava in Bangladesh through building itself green and sustainable by successful implementation of this Master Plan.

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The term “Master Plan” is a guideline for future development. This guideline is being resulted on specific issues. The Government of Bangladesh has committed to prepare the Paurashava master Plan for ensuring the Paurashava environment livable. At present, development scenery of the Paurashava shows a very grave situation. Primary and secondary drains and natural streams are not functioning as an integrated drainage system due partly to silting up and unplanned and deficient construction and lack of maintenance. Encroachment on drainage reservations causes inundation to many areas, including houses and roads, during heavy storms. There is hardly any roadside drain and if any, the roadside drains are inadequate due to insufficient capacities and incorrect gradients.

Equally, traffic and transportation problems in the Paurashavas in Bangladesh are continuously increasing as the development and management of road network has not been commensurate with the increasing demand for its usage. Traffic congestion, delay, accidents, pedestrian and parking difficulties, air and noise pollution are among the problems. Traffic congestion is one of the most important and critical problems now being identified in the Paurashavas. The situation has been steadily deteriorating over time, over large areas and for longer periods of the day. If this unplanned construction goes on unabated it will make the environment of the Paurashava unsuitable and inhabitable. At present, there is no proper Master Plan for development of Paurashava to overcome those problems. In the absence of proper Master Plan construction of all types of infrastructure like houses, roads, drains, markets are going on unabated in an unplanned manner. This situation is creating an adverse milieu in the original landscape thereby creating environmental hazards.

It appears that planned development of Paurashava is very important. In view of this grave situation it has, therefore, been contemplated that preparation of Master Plan is being made with projection for a period of 20 years. Further, in support of the Master Plan there are separate plans named Landuse Plan, Drainage and Environmental Plan, Traffic Management Plan, Community Services Plan and Ward Action Plan to ensure operation and maintenance of the existing infrastructure along with those facilities proposed to be built up under the future investment program and above all, to suggest improvement of the management ability of the Paurashava Authority so that their revenue earning capability will be enhanced with a view to building up the Paurashava Authority as self-sustaining local government institution. The Master Plan will also suggest construction of roads and bridges / culverts, drainage facilities, streetlights, markets, bus stands, solid waste management, sanitation, water supply and other such infrastructure facilities.

This is the primary effort of planned development for the Kotchandpur Paurashava, guided by the LGED under Package-12 of the Upazila Towns Infrastructure Development Project (UTIDP). It is expected that the implementation of the plan will induce higher level of development, ensure planned life, good community and better future of the Paurashava inhabitants.

Kotchandpur Paurashava lies at a distance of 18 miles from Zila Headquarters, 26 miles from Jhenaidah Headquarters, and 135 miles from Dhaka. The entire study area defined for preparation of Master Plan includes 9 wards and 6 Mouzas namely Bajebamondaho, Bhabanipur, Boro Bamondaho, Dudhsora, Kotchandpur, Solemanpur, Kotchandpur. The Paurashava is located approximately on 23° 25' north latitude and 89° 01' east longitude. According to Ek-nagar-e-Paurashava the Paurashava is spread over 26.47sq. km area divided into 9 Wards and consisting of 6 Mouzas namely Bajebamondaho, Bhabanipur,

Boro Bamondaho, Dudhsora, Kotchandpur and Solemanpur. But according to physical feature survey it is 17.46 sq. km. It is bounded by Elangi Union by the east and Baluhar Union by the east; the north is bounded by Elangi and Baluhar Unions and the south, by Maheshpur Upazila and Hakimpur Union. According to the population census 2011 total population of the Paurashava is 33094. The major problems of the Paurashava are lack of community facilities, lack of infrastructure facilities, unplanned drainage system, unplanned residential development, poor capacity of the Paurashava administration etc.

The Paurashava is a naturally developed area. Planning effort yet not been taken by the public authority. Therefore, a mixed landuse scenario is viewed all over the Paurashava. Almost all the Wards have no sewerage system and toilets are mostly consists of sock pits. Overall garbage disposal system is poor. Garbage Dumping Ground is not available and mostly disposes on open streets. Wastes collect by the NGOs but not well organized all over the planning area. Kotchandpur Paurashava bears rural influences and agriculture is the major source of income. Most of the households (66.23%) monthly is about 3000-8000. No substantial saving of the income is found.

The Upazila Towns Infrastructure Development Project (UTIDP) of LGED requires that one of its outputs is a comprehensive set of plans for Kotchandpur Paurashava. The proposed set of plans consists of Structure Plan, Urban Area Plan and Ward Action Plan.

The Structure Plan sets out a long-term strategy – covering the twenty years from 2011 to 2031 for urban development and the use of land in the Paurashava Town as a whole. It extends to the entire area demarcated by the Consultant. The document sets out a series of policies to be pursued, if the broad objectives set for development of the Paurashava to be achieved.

The Urban Area Plan elaborates policies of the Structure Plan as far as they affect the area where urban development activity will be concentrated. The plan, therefore, is limited to the existing urban area and its immediate surroundings. It is for a period of ten years, covering the period from 2011 to 2021. In providing more detailed guidance available in the Structure Plan, it gives greater precision to the spatial dimension of the Structure Plan policies. The Urban Area Plan includes landuse Plan, Traffic and Transportation Plan, Drainage and Environmental Management Plan and Plan for Urban Services.

The Paurashava is mainly agricultural dominant around 69.69% land are under agricultural use. Considering the development pattern and for effective development control 23.10% land has proposed as residential, 3.32% industrial, 0.89% commercial use.

Within the Paurashava area there is 92.82 km of roads of which Pucca road is 55.68 km, Semi-pucca road is 30.27 km and Katcha Road is 6.87 km. For efficient accessibility total, 86.19 km roads have been proposed for improvement within the Paurashava of which some are fully new road and others are road widening.

There is 14.89 km drain within the Paurashava which is not sufficient to solve the drainage problem of the Paurashava. For effective drainage system, a planned drainage network has been proposed. About 84.90 km drain is being added as a proposal of which 13.52 Km are primary drain, 42.88 Km are secondary drain and 28.49 Km are tertiary drain.

The Ward Action Plan provides guidance for areas where major change or action is expected in the short-term (5 years). According to the individual Ward of the Paurashava, this plan provide further the policies and proposals of both the Structure Plan and Urban Area Plan in more detailed and guidance for the control, promotion and coordination of development.

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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

BBS	: Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics
BDT	: Bangladeshi Taka (Currency)
BM	: Bench Mark
BTCL	: Bangladesh Telecommunication Company Limited
BWDB	: Bangladesh Water Development Board
CBO	: Community Based organization
CS	: Cadastral Survey
DGPS	: Differential Global Positioning System
EMP	: Environmental Management Plan
EPA	: Environment Protection Authority
GCP	: Ground Control Points
GIS	: Geographic information System
Govt.	: Government
GPS	: Global Positioning System
H.Q.	: Head Quarter
H/hold	: Household
JICA	: Japan International Cooperative Agency
KM/ km	: Kilometer
LAN	: Local Area Network
LCC	: Lambert Conformal Conic
LGED	: Local Government Engineering Department
LPG	: Liquid Petroleum Gas
MV	: Motorized Vehicle
NGO	: Non-Government Organizations
NMV	: Non Motorized Vehicle
O-D	: Origin – Destination
Orgs.	: Organizations
PCU	: Passenger Car Unit
PD	: Project Director
PMO	: Project Management Office
R.F.	: Representative Fraction
RHD	: Roads and Highways Department
RoW	: Right of Way
RS	: Revenue Survey
RTK-GPS	: Real Time Kinematics Global Positioning System
SoB	: Survey of Bangladesh
SPSS	: Statistical Package for Social Science
TCP	: Temporary Control Point
TIN	: Triangulated Irregular Network
ToR	: Terms of Reference

CHAPTER-1

INTRODUCTION

1.1 Introduction

At present the rate of urbanization in Bangladesh is very high. Between 1961 to 1981, the average urban growth rate was 8%. The present average growth rate is about 4.5%. According to the population census of 2001, the share of urban population was about 23.29% and at present it is approximately 25%. By the year 2015, the share of urban population will be about 37% of the national population. The importance of urban development is emphasized in terms of its role in the national economy. More than 60% of the national GDP is derived from the non-agricultural sectors that are mainly based in urban areas. Again, the most foreign exchange earning sectors, like, garment and knitwear enterprises are agglomerated in urban areas. These sectors earn over 70% of the foreign exchange. Remittance is also a major sector of foreign exchange earning and a large share of the remittance goes into the purchase of urban land. Surplus remittance is invested in business and manufacturing located in urban areas. These phenomena indicate the increasing role of urban areas being played in the national economy. The expansion of urban economy leads to the growth of urban population and concomitant haphazard urban spatial growth without planning. The rapid urbanization is marked by the creation of Paurashavas, whose number at present stands at 319. Paurashavas are created not only to provide urban services to their citizens, but also to create a livable environment through development of planned and environmentally sound living space.

The present infrastructure provisions in the Paurashavas are in a precarious state. Drains are mostly clogged that can not drain out water during heavy rains and natural drainage systems have either been filled up or occupied by land grabbers creating water logging during monsoon. Traffic in Paurashavas is increasing day by day with the increase in population and demand. But the substandard road network can not keep pace with the growing demand for movement. As a result, congestion becomes a common problem. Road networks are not developed in planned and systematic way leaving room for traffic congestion that increases economic loss to the people due to travel delay. The land use development in the Paurashavas is unorganized and unplanned, which is a major source of environmental deterioration. Building Construction Rules are not effectively enforced in the Paurashavas mainly for want of a well formulated Master Plan and qualified planning professional.

Under the above circumstances, it is high time to think about solving the problems of the Paurashavas that might otherwise be emerged critically in the future. To overcome all likely problems to come in future, the Paurashavas should go for planned development through preparation and implementation of a Master Plan. The Master Plan can be prepared exercising the power conferred to them by the Paurashava Ordinance 2009. The Upazila Town Infrastructure Development Project (UTIDP) aims to prepare Master Plan for 223 Upazila level Paurashavas and Kuakata Tourism center for a period of next 20 years. The project has provisions for separate plans for land use control, drainage and environment, traffic and transportation management and improvement. The project also aims to prepare a Ward Action Plan (WAP) to ensure systematic execution of future

infrastructure development projects. There is also aim to prepare proposals to enhance Paurashava revenue so that it becomes more capable to meet its own capital needs. Of the total 223 Paurashavas Kotchandpur is one of 19 Paurashavas within Dhaka Region under Package01.

Thus the Master Plan of KotchandpurPaurashava suggests for the development of urban infrastructure, such as new roads and bridges/culverts, drainage facilities, street lights, markets, bus stands, solid waste management, sanitation, water supply, community facilities and other such infrastructure in order to equip the Paurashava to face future challenges of urbanization and economic regeneration. The Master Plan will initially focus on growth and development, social integration and environmental improvement following principles of sustainable development.

1.2 Philosophy of the Preparation of Master Plan

The philosophy behind preparation of Master Plan of the Upazila level Paurashava lies in the very motive of providing community welfare through a process of spatial organization, socio-economic rejuvenation, environmental improvement and provision of amenities to the present and future generations. The Master Plan aims for rational use of scarce land resources for concentrated development at urban scale following the principles of sustainable development.

1.3 Objectives of the Master Plan

As per the Terms of Reference (TOR), the objectives of the preparation of Master Plan of KotchandpurPaurashava are to:

- a. Find out development issues and potentials of the KotchandpurPaurashava and make a 20-year development vision for the Paurashava and prepare a Master Plan in line with the vision for the development;
- b. Plan for the people of KotchandpurPaurashava to develop and update provisions for better transport and communication network, housing, roads, markets, bus terminals, sanitation, water supply, drainage, solid waste management, electricity, education, leisure and such other infrastructure facilities for meeting the social and community needs of the poor and the disadvantaged groups for better quality of life;
- c. Prepare a multi-sector short and long term investment plan through participatory process for better living standards by identifying area based priority-drainage master plan, transportation and traffic management plan, other need specific plan as per requirement in accordance with the principle of sustainability;
- d. Provide controls for private sector development, with clarity and security in regard to future development;
- e. Provide guideline for development considering the opportunity and constraints of future development of the Upazila Town; and. Prepare a 20-year Master Plan to be used as a tool to ensure and promote growth of the

KotchandpurPaurashava in line with the guiding principles of the Master Plan and control any unplanned growth by any private and public organization.

1.4 Approach and Methodology

The UTIDP Project is aimed for substantial development of infrastructure and services for the Paurashava with optimum provision of opportunities for Paurashava dwellers and making scope for extending services to surrounding areas. The current project is preparing a Master plan of the Paurashava, where the existing condition and different problems are identified, studied and analyzed and the probable solutions are to be sought to ameliorate the same. The study moves through a process of data collection-analysis and fixation of objectives for planning. The approach is based on field survey for data collection and collection of information from secondary sources. The data is presented through maps, text and tabular form. Then the survey report and maps are prepared and submitted. Analysis of collected data is carried out to identify the nature and extent of problems prevailing in the Paurashava in order to fix the objectives of the actions to be undertaken in the form of planning and the interim report prepared and submitted. Through the process, involvement of the stakeholders has been ensured to make the planning as much sustainable as possible. For this purpose, continuous formal and informal discussions and meetings have been carried out throughout the project period using participatory approach. The discussions serve two purposes, first, a sense of belongingness develops within the minds of the stakeholders, particularly among the citizens, about the master plan to be prepared, and secondly, identification of problems and finding their solutions become easier with the participation of stakeholders, as the local stakeholders are more knowledgeable about local problems and possible solutions of those problems.

Figure 1-1: Flow Chart of Planning Process



After doing all these jobs thoroughly the Draft Master Plan had been done based on a prepared planning standard for Paurashava level town and formulating future strategies for the corresponding area. Again after final consultation with the stakeholders on the prepared plan the Final Master Plan has to be completed.

Map 1.1: The location of KotchandpurPaurashavawithin Bangladesh

1.5 Scope of Work

The scope of work under this consultancy services covers all aspects related to the preparation of Master Plan, which includes Land Use Plan, Transportation and Traffic Management Plan, Drainage and Environmental Management Plan and Ward Action Plan for the proposed Paurashava. In order to prepare these plans, the activities contain but not limited to the following:

1. Visits have been made to the Paurashava at different stages of work of the preparation of Master Plan of Kotchandpur Paurashava.
2. Feasibility for preparation of Master Plan has been submitted to the office of the PD, UTIDP.
3. An Inception Seminar has been organized at the Paurashava level to inform the Paurashava about the scope and Terms of Reference for the preparation of Master Plan. A thorough investigation has been made based on potential scope and opportunities available in the Paurashava to develop a 20 year development vision for it linking the ideas and view of the Paurashava people.
4. Determination of the study area and planning area has been done based on existing condition, demand of the Paurashava and potential scope for future development. A detailed survey has been conducted on the existing conditions of socio-economic, demographic, transportation and traffic, physical features, topographic, and land use of the Paurashava area following the approved format and data have been collected from primary and secondary sources. Analysis of such data and information has been carried out to find out the possible area of intervention to forecast future population of the Paurashava (15-20 years), vis-a-vis assess their requirement for different services, such as physical infrastructure facilities, employment generation, housing, right of way and land requirement for the existing and proposed roads, drains, playgrounds, recreation centres and other environmental and social infrastructure. The following major tasks have been accomplished:
 - Identification and investigation of the existing natural and man-made drains, natural river system, the extent and frequency of floods, area of planning intervention have been done. Other works include study of the contour and topographic maps produced by the relevant agencies and review of any previous drainage Master Plan available for the Paurashava.
 - A comprehensive (storm water) Drainage Master Plan for a plan period of 20 years has been prepared considering all relevant issues including discharge calculation, catchments areas, design of main and secondary drains along with their sizes, types and gradients and retention areas with preliminary cost estimates for the proposed drainage system.
 - Recommendations have been made on planning, institutional and legal mechanisms to ensure provision of adequate land for the establishment of proper rights of way for (storm water) drainage system in the Paurashava.
 - Collection and assessment of the essential data relating to existing transport Land Use Plan, relevant regional and national highway development plans, accident statistics, number and type of vehicles registered for each Paurashava have been made.
 - Assessment has been made on the requirements of critical data and data have been collected through reconnaissance and traffic surveys, which should estimate

present traffic volume, forecast the future traffic growth, identification of travel patterns, areas of traffic conflicts and their underlying causes.

- Study has been conducted on the viability of different solutions for traffic management and development of a practical short term traffic management plan has been accomplished, including one way systems, restricted access for large vehicles, improved signal system, traffic islands, roundabouts, pedestrian crossings, deceleration lanes for turning traffic, suitable turning radius, parking policies and separation of pedestrians and rickshaws etc.
- Assessment has been done on the non-pedestrian traffic movements that are dominated bicycle rickshaw. Special recommendations should be made as to how best to utilize this form of transport without causing unnecessary delays to other vehicles. Proposals should also consider pedestrians and their safety, with special attention for the children.
- Assessment has been made on the current land use with regard to road transportation, bus & truck stations, railway stations etc, and recommendations to be provided on actions to optimize this land use.
- Preparation of a Road Network Plan based on topographic and base Map prepared under the project. Recommendation has been made on the road development standards, which serve as a guide for the long and short term implementation of road. Also Traffic and Transportation Management Plan and traffic enforcement measure have been suggested.
- Preparation of the Master Plan with all suitable intervention, supported by appropriate strategic policy, outline framework, institutional arrangement and possible source of fund for effective implementation of the plan.
- Preparation of a plan has been set out proposed Master Plan at 3-levels namely Structural Plan, Urban Area Plan and Ward Action Plan.
- At the first level, policies and strategies have been worked out for the preparation of a Structure Plan for each Paurashava under the package. The Master Plan has been prepared consisting of Structural Plan, Land Use Plan, Transportation and Traffic Management Plan, Drainage and Environmental Management Plan and Ward Action Plan.
- A total list of primary and secondary roads, drains and other social infrastructures for each Paurashava for a plan period of next 20 years has been made. Examining and classifying according to the existing condition, long, medium and short term plans have been proposed and estimated cost for improvement of drain and road alignment and other infrastructures have been prepared.
- In line with the proposed Master Plan, a Ward Action Plan has been proposed with list of priority schemes for the development of roads, drains, traffic management and other social infrastructures for implementation during the first five years of plan period.
- With the help of concerned Paurashava, at least 2 public consultation meetings or seminars have been organized, one for discussion on Interim Report and the other on draft Final Report on the proposed Master Plan. Beneficiary's point of view has been integrated in the plan with utmost careful consideration.
- Preparation and submission of Master Plan and Report with required standards as per the TOR.

1.6 Organization of the Master Plan Report

The Master Plan Report is organized in three major parts with an introduction at the beginning. The three major parts contain various components of work under the UTIDP of LGED. The three major parts of the Master Plan of Kotchandpur Paurashava are as follows:

INTRODUCTION: It describes the ToR of the UTIDP, philosophy and objectives of the Master Plan, methodology and scope of the work and organization of the Master Plan Report.

PART–A: The Structure Plan sets the conceptual framework and strategies for planned development of the Paurashava based on its potentials for next 20 years up to 2031.

PART–B: Urban Area Plan includes i) Land Use Plan; ii) Transportation and Traffic Management Plan; iii) Drainage and Environmental Management Plan; and iv) Proposals for Urban Services.

PART–C: Ward Action Plan presents ward wise detailed proposals for implementation within first five years of the Master Plan period of 20 years.

CHAPTER-2

INTRODUCTION TO STRUCTURE PLAN

The Draft Master Plan Report is the fourth of the series of the reports to be submitted as per the ToR of the project “Upazila Town Infrastructure Development Project - Preparation of KotchandpurPaurashava Master Plan (Structure Plan, Urban Area Plan and Ward Action Plan)”. Part A of this report describes the Structure Plan

ofKotchandpurPaurashava and Chapter 2 describes the conceptual issues related to the preparation of Structure Plan for KotchandpurPaurashava.

2.1 Background of the Paurashava

As per the Local Government (Paurashava) Act 2009, the Paurashavas in Bangladesh arecategorized mainly into A, B, and C classes based mainly on annual income of the Paurashava. There is also a separate category called “Special Class”, basically for industrial and commercial hubsof Narayanganj and Tongi within the Dhaka Metropolitan Development Area (DMDA) which has already declared as City Corporation. Kotchandpur is one of the oldest Paurashava in our country it is established at 1883 and an “A” class Paurashava. Kotchandpur Paurashava lies at a distance of 18 miles from Zila Headquarters, 26 miles from Jhenaidah Headquarters, and 135 miles from Dhaka. The entire study area defined for preparation of Master Plan includes 9 wards and 6 Mouzas namely Bajebamondaho, Bhabanipur, Boro Bamondaho, Dudhsora, Kotchandpur, Solemanpur, Kotchandpur. The Paurashava is located approximately on 23° 25’ north latitude and 89° 01’ east longitude. It is bounded by Elangi Union by the east and Baluhar Union by the east; the north is bounded by Elangi and Baluhar Unions and the south, by Maheshpur Upazila and Hakimpur Union. According to Ek-nagar-e-Paurashava the Paurashava is spread over 26.47sq. km. area divided into 9 Wards and consisting of 6 Mouzas namely Bajebamondaho, Bhabanipur, Boro Bamondaho, Dudhsora, Kotchandpur and Solemanpur. But according to physical feature survey it is 17.46 sq. km. According to the population census 2011 total population of the Paurashava is 33094. Total household of the Paurashava is 7921. KotchandpurPaurashava is established in 1883 as C class Paurashava and it became A class Paurashava in September 2004.

The name Kotchandpur bears a historical meaning arising from a combination of two wards *Kot* and *Chand Khan*. It is said that one Darbesh (Saint) named Sardar Chad Khan came to the present place of Kotchandpur and set up a heritage there. At that time the region was occupied by Raja Protapaditya refusing Mughal Authority. In order to subdue him, Mughal Emperor Jahangir sent Islam Khan as a Subedar of Bangladesh on 1608 who established a military stronghold locally known as *Kot*. Subsequently, the place was named Kotchandpur with the combination of the works *Kot* and the name *Chand Khan*.

2.2 Vision of the Structure Plan

The vision of the plan is the creation of an urban livable environment, where people irrespective oftheir socio-economic, demographic and religious identities can live and enjoy today within affordablemeans without sacrificing interests of tomorrow. The implementation of Master Plan of thePaurashava will translate this vision into reality.

To guide long term growth within the Structure Plan Area by means of demarcation of the future growth areas and indication of potential locations of major development areas includes: a) indication of important physical infrastructure; and b) setting out policy recommendations for future development. According to the Terms of Reference, the objectives of KotchandpurPaurashava StructurePlan are:

Description of the Paurashava's administrative, economic, social, physical environmental growth, functional linkage and hierarchy in the national and regional context; catchments area; population; land use and urban services; agencies responsible for different sectoral activities, etc.

Identification of urban growth area based on analysis of patterns and trends of development, and projection of population, land use and economic activities for next 20 years.

- Identification and description of physical and environmental problems of Kotchandpur
- Paurashava.

Discussion of relevant policies to analyze and find out potential scopes for the use in the present exercise and also find out constraints and weakness of the existing policy to suggest appropriate measures for the development and management of KotchandpurPaurashava.

- To provide land use development strategies.
- To provide strategies and policies for sectoral as well as socio-economic, infrastructural and environmental issues of development.
- To discuss about implementation issues including institutional capacity building and strengthening of Paurashava, resource mobilization etc

Map 2.1: KotchandpurPaurashava in Regional Setup

2.4 Concepts, Content and Format of the Structure Plan

Concepts

Structure Plan is a kind of guide plan, or framework plan, or an indicative plan that is presented with maps and explanatory texts in a broader planning perspective than other components of Master Plan. Structure Plan indicates the broad magnitudes and directions of urban growth, including infrastructure networks, the placement of major facilities such as hospitals and upazila complex. A Structure Plan is not intended to specify detailed lot by lot land use or local road configurations and development proposals. Rather it identifies the areas where growth and change are such that more detailed local and action plans are needed. Structure Plan does not require excessive effort in gathering data and it is flexible and dynamic and can be changed to accommodate demanded changes. The present Structure Plan is an overall long term strategic plan for the Paurashava *Shahar* (Town), Kotchandpur. Structure Plan is the 1st component of the Master Plan package. The other two lower level. components are Urban Area Plan and Ward Action Plan. Structure Plan lays down the framework of the future plan including strategy and the sectoral policies. The Urban Area Plan and the Ward Action Plan detail out development proposals under the framework of Structure Plan. The extended area was selected in consultation with the Paurashava for possible extension of the Paurashava. But no development proposals are suggested for the extended part as existing Paurashava area is enough to accommodate population and services during Structure Plan period, that is, up to the year 2031.

Content and Format of the Structure Plan

The Structure Plan is an indicative plan that gives a brief on the future development of an area with policy guidelines. It is a long-term plan with flexibility in the sense that it sets down a broad framework for future development, but not the details. The format of a Structure Plan comprises written document and indicative major development locations presented in maps and diagrams as parts of the report. The written text analyses the issues that are not possible to be presented as diagrams, drawings and maps. Therefore, the written document is as important as the physical plan and diagrams and should be read in conjunction with each other.

2.5 Duration and Amendment of the Structure Plan

The Structure Plan is to remain valid for a period of 20 years from the time of its approval that is up to the year 2031. Structure Plan can contain two Urban Area Plan for the time period of 10 years each and four Ward Action Plan for the time period of 5 years each.

2.6 Structure Plan Area

From Survey data it is found that the present area of the Paurashava is 17.46 Sq. Km (4313.72 acres). The area is mainly in rural character and there is no huge potentiality to extend the existing boundary of the Paurashava. So, the existing Paurashava boundary has considered as a structure plan area and all the 9 wards of the Paurashava are covered by Structure Plan area. The area of structure plan should consider as planning area.

Map 2.2: Jurisdiction of Planning Area of KotchandpurPaurashava

CHAPTER-3

PAURASHAVA'S EXISTING TREND OF GROWTH

3.1 Social Development

Age-sex structure

In the year 2011, population was 33094. Age and gender distribution indicates that population mostly increase naturally. The age-sex distribution implies that female population is less than male population in the Paurashava. From the male female ratio, it is observed that in all the Wards number of males are greater than the number of females.

According to BBS 2011, combined age-group 0-9 comprises 18.62% and the age-group 10-19 years comprises the 38.36% of the total population of the Paurashava. Besides the population above 65 years is found to comparatively lower constitute only 4.84% of the population of the Paurashava.

Household size

The highest household in dwelling unit in the Paurashava is in ward 1, 5, 8 (BBS, 2011) which is 4.3. The highest size of dwelling unit is consisted with 4.3 persons, second highest consists with 4.2 persons. The average household size is 4.17 person/dwelling units.

Marital status

Out of total male population (Among 10 years and above), 34.89% are unmarried and 64.54% are married (BBS, Population Census-2011). Within total female population (Among 10 years and above), 21.87% female of are unmarried and 67.64% are married. Among that male population, a small portion comprises with widows. Among the total female population, 1.34% is found divorced.

Migration pattern

Migration is one of the most important aspects for analyzing the demographic pattern of any place. From the socio economic survey 1.6% of the surveyed population (5% HH according to the BBS-2001) in Kotchandpur Paurashava found to be migrants. Out of the total migrated people, 40% are reported to have migrated within the Upazilla. Only 20% of the total migrated population reported to have migrated in the Paurashava from other districts. This reflects that still no such economic activities have been developed in this Paurashava to attract people from other places.

Growth rate

According to BBS, Population Census 2011, Growth rate of urban area in Bangladesh was 1.47% and total Urban Population was 2,74,68,789. In the year 2011 the growth rate of Kotchandpur Paurashava was 0.63% according to the BBS 2011, consider the growth rate of the Kotchandpur Upazilla. The growth rate scenario of Bangladesh according to the BBS-2011 has been shown in the following Table 3.1.

Table 3.1: Growth trend analysis

Administrative Unit	Growth rate
Bangladesh	1.47 (BBS, 2001)
Jhenaidah Zilla	1.13 (BBS 2011)

Kotchandpur Upazilla	0.63 (BBS 2001)
Kotchandpur Paurashava	0.63 (BBS 2011)

Note: Community Series (Zilla: Jhenaidah), Bangladesh Population Census-2011, and estimated from BBS, 2011 and Kotchandpur Paurashava 2011.

Educational status

In all wards of the Paurashava literacy rates of male population are found to be higher than female population. Ward No 3 possesses the highest literacy rate which is 68%. The educational status in Kotchandpur Paurashava is not very unsatisfactory as observed from the Household Survey. The percentage of illiterate population in the Paurashava as observed from the survey had been 18.00.

Religion

According to latest population census report (2011), 89.30% of the population of this Paurashava belongs to Muslim community and 10.31% to Hindu community. Population belonging to other religion such as Buddhist and Christian are very insignificant in number.

Land Value

Land value is an important determinant for any project related to the physical development because; the development depends on project cost and the cost on land value. In recent time, a rapid change of land value is found in the Paurashava premises. Wealthy people of the community are investing on land and became landlord because they consider it as a safe investment. As a result, land value curve is on upward. Value of land depends on location, accessibility, height and free of natural hazards. Following paragraphs discuss on land value of the study area. There is no official data available. Unofficially in core area habitable land prices varies Tk 4 to 10 lac/decimal and in fringe areas it varies from 1 lac to 2 lac.

Land Ownership Types and Patterns

Status of residence or ownership of dwelling units / land is a key socio-economic indicator. Residential status varies in the study area. The land ownership pattern often determines social power and position. In Kotchandpur Paurashava Most of the land (98.88%) are privately occupied whereas only 3.12% and 1.99% are publicly occupied and designated as khas land respectively. Major proportions of land under private ownership are owned by individuals and are used for residential purpose. The Household survey conducted in the Paurashava revealed that there is 0.6% landless household in Kotchandpur Paurashava. About 38.7% possess habitable land.

Table 3.2: Land Ownership Pattern

Ward No	Land Type				
	No land	Habitable land	Low land	Medium high Land	High land
1	.0%	73.3%	20.0%	6.7%	.0%
2	.0%	21.4%	64.3%	14.3%	.0%
3	.0%	29.4%	47.1%	23.5%	.0%
4	2.6%	63.2%	10.5%	23.7%	.0%
5	2.7%	64.9%	.0%	13.5%	18.9%
6	.0%	39.4%	9.1%	51.5%	.0%
7	.0%	3.3%	.0%	40.0%	56.7%
8	.0%	30.0%	.0%	25.0%	45.0%

9	.0%	23.3%	.0%	20.0%	56.7%
Average	0.6%	38.7%	16.8%	24.2%	19.7%

Source: Socio-economic Survey by DDC, 2008

3.2 Economic Development

Like elsewhere in the country, the project area economy consists of both the Formal Sector and the Informal Sector. The economy of the project area is predominantly agricultural in nature which includes agricultural farming, poultry farming, dairy farming and fish production farms. Formal sector economic activities include industrial and manufacturing activities carried out in mainly Ward Nos. 2, 3, and 4. Small and Medium Enterprises (SMEs), small manufacturing units, cottage industries, business and trading houses located in different places of the project area are other formal sector economic activities. These establishments of the formal sector play important role in local as well as regional economy.

In the project area 44.09% among the Population (Population 7 years and above) were found engaged in economic activities whereas, 55.91% population found working as non-economic activities (not working, looking for work and household work purposes). Agriculture based economic activists in the Paurashava have been found highest (41.38%) where business related economic activities are in second highest (Show Figure 9.1) in terms of persons engaged Contribution of the Informal Sector of the project area is also remarkable. Establishments like NGOs, CBOs, financial and monetary institutions also play important role and contribute to the local and regional economy.

Industry

The contribution of the industrial sector in GDP was 29.95% in FY2009-10. The contribution of the industry sector to national economy is on the increase. Study further revealed that the contribution of medium and small industries is increasing gradually.

In the project area, Agro-based industries account to around 69 percent and Food-based industries accounts to 21.4 percent share of the total running industries. Therefore, total share of the agro and food based industries occupy around 90.47% percent share, which is very much logical because agriculture sector dominates the economy of the project area. It is to be mentioned here that industrial units like Oil mill, Nail mill, Bakery, Jute mill, Furniture factories, Saw mill, Edible Oil Mill, Ice Factory etc. are operated in the project area. Of these total industries, one-fifth is large (employ 10 or more persons) and four-fifth is small (employ 1-9 persons) as categorized by Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics (BBS). The number of medium and small industries is increasing gradually in Kotchandpur Paurashava. However, the field survey conducted by the survey team found several categories of non-farm enterprises/industries in the project area.

It has been observed that, 90 percent factories produce solid wastes. Saw mills and Rice mills produce sawdust and rice-bran respectively. Rice mills themselves use substantial amount of waste produced by them in their boilers while local residents use the entire amount of sawdust as kitchen fuel. Rice-bran is also used for production of Fire Wood. It has been found that wastes produced by them are not treated.

Commerce

In Kotchandpur Paurashava the main bazaar is located in Ward No. 3 which is adjacent to the Kapatakkha River. There are also some small markets exist which proshow the daily

necessities for the local people. Maximum commercial structures are concentrated at Ward No.3 (45.41%), where the Kotchandpur bazaar and markets are located. Kotchandpur Bazaar place is the centers of economic activities in the project area. In the project area, activities of wholesale and retail trade; hotel and restaurant; transport, storage etc. are conducted in bazaar area. Major portion of trade and commerce of the project area is conducted through the bazaar, where agricultural products, consumer items and other farm and non-farm items are transacted. Therefore, the bazaar has significant role on the economy of the project area. The bazaar of the project area also has the significant role to proshow good number of employment and act as the economic center for the area.

About 1123 number of commercial structures located in different places. Most of the commercial structures are Pucca (44.26%), followed by semi pucca (24.31%) and Katcha structure (31.43%) Maximum (45.41%) commercial structures are concentrated at Ward No. 3, where Kotchandpur bazaar and market area is located. Nearly 47.43 acres of land is used as commercial purpose, which is 1.10% if total landuse and 0.32% of land is used as mixed use (residential-commercial) purposes. The main commercial activities of the study area are godown, grocery shops, engineering workshop, flour mill, husking mill, furniture factory, Jute mill, saw mill etc.

Besides various goods and commodities are brought by the traders and business persons from outer parts of the project area and are trading in the market of the project area. This market serves as the meeting places of the growers & producers, buyers & consumers, traders-both importers & exporters including intermediaries in the surrounding area of Bangladesh. Kotchandpur Bazaar deal with agricultural commodities viz. rice, pulses, vegetables, fruits, fishes, fish fry, fish feed, medicines, chemical fertilizers, pesticides, food stuff, household goods, cloths, industrial items, cosmetics and perfumery items, books and educational items, poultry and cattle and host of other items of day to day necessity. This market is specialized in the trade of fish, fish fry or cattle.

Services

In Kotchandpur Paurashava, total output of the service sector consists of the public administration and defense; storage and communication; financial intermediations; education; renting and business activities; health, community, social work; and social and personal services activities. People also engaged with the service sector by working in fire service, water pump house, transport, electric and Gas, club house etc. According to Household survey, 20% households found depend directly on services, as the main source of income. Nationally the share of the services sector to GDP growth is 53.4% in FY 2010 which was 52.6% in FY 2009 and 50.0% in FY 2008 (State of the Bangladesh Economy in FY 2010-11, P-65).

Primary occupation

Primary occupation means work that involves taking raw material from the environment such as farmers, fisherman, miners etc. With 45% of the workforce engaged in the primary sector (Economy Watch, 2008); Bangladesh can be called an agrarian economy. Agriculture contributes 30% of the country's GDP and enables Bangladesh to achieve its macroeconomic objectives, including food security, poverty alleviation, human resources development and employment generation. Cooperatives are increasingly motivating

farmers to employ modern machinery. Bangladesh primarily produces jute, rice, tobacco, tea, sugarcane, pulses and wheat. According to the composition of sub sectors, the crop sector contributes 72% of the production, followed by Fisheries at 10.33%, livestock at 10.11% and forestry at 7.33%. The unpredictable weather and natural calamities disrupt the country's economy frequently. To overcome this problem, the government has constructed several irrigation projects to conserve rainwater and control floods. The projects also include controlling pests and using high quality seeds.

In Kotchandpur Paurashava main primary occupation is Agriculture, Fishing and Farming. The main agro base products are Rice, Maize, and other home base crops like Potatoes, pulse, nuts etc. Again an enormous variety of water bodies, including Rivers, irrigation canals, flood plains, beels (large depressions), ox bow lakes and ponds are dispersed throughout the Paurashava and many people engaged with fishing. People of Kotchandpur Paurashava also engaged with farming like poultry, dairy etc. According to the BBS report 2011 primary level occupation like agriculture found 41.38% in Kotchandpur Paurashava. From the Socio economic survey during the period of 2008 occupation like Small business is found highest and it is 28% among other occupations.

Secondary Occupation

Secondary occupation means occupation which some one undertakes any work after taking a primary occupation. In Kotchandpur Paurashava a number of households do secondary jobs seasonally to raise their family income. Mostly the low income groups take secondary occupations during off season when they do not have any regular jobs. Secondary jobs include, day labouring, small business, farming and similar other occupations.

Income Level

The data collected through household survey shows that most of the households fall in the low to middle income group. About 89.7% of the total surveyed population is in the income level up to BDT 12000. The income level BDT 12000 and above comprises very low percentage (10.3%) of the households in the Paurashava.

The Survey reveals that in most of the cases households have to spend all their earnings without any savings. People, earning more than BDT 20,000, can save negligible portion of their earnings. The Paurashava is yet to develop sufficient economic activities to ensure its residents better living.

Expenditure level

Expenditure pattern of the Paurashava as a whole confirms general pattern of household expenditure as obtained through survey. There are several headings like food, house rent, basic utility charge, education, health, transportation / vehicle charge, recreation and other charges.

Since Kotchandpur Paurashava still has rural influences the expenditure level is low. Around 31.93 percent people are expending Tk. 3001-5000/month and 34.30 percent people are expending Tk. 5001-8000/month and only 7.92 percent people are expending over Tk. 10000/month for fooding and other different purposes.

Agriculture

Agriculture is the backbone of our national economy. However, it has been observed that the contribution of this sector to GDP has been reducing gradually. In FY 2010, the contribution of agriculture sector to GDP Growth was 15.5, where as it was 14.0 in FY 2009. According to BBS 2011, 41.38% population found engaged in agriculture based economic activities in the Project area. In the project area, about 35% households are found to depend directly on agriculture, as the main source of income. About 3006.09 acres of lands are used in agricultural purpose which is 69.68% of total land of the Paurashava. In case of ward wise distribution of agriculture land, Ward No. 5 contains highest (23.56%) amount of agricultural land. The socio economic survey reveals that nearly 41% people of the study area are directly engaged in agriculture sector as farmer and as agricultural day labor. Among the agricultural produces the important items besides paddy are various native fruits, vegetables, timber, fishes. Economy of all the wards of the project area is basically agrarian in nature. Agricultural land, ponds and ditches, livestock & poultry etc. are main economic resources of these wards.

Major agricultural products of Kotchandpur Paurashava are Aus (local and HYV), Aman (local and HYV), Boro, maze, Wheat, Potato, Brinjal, Karala, Lady's finger, Cauliflower, Cabbage etc.

Livestock and poultry sub-sector also contribute significantly to the economy through providing employment, especially employment to women of the rural areas at homestead level. Household based dairy, poultry in the villages under the project area is a subsidiary source of family income which is mainly run by the women like elsewhere in Bangladesh. Mini-poultry farms are found flourishing in the project area and farm poultry i.e. broilers being cheaper than native chicken; there are a good number of consumers especially in the lower income families.

So, it is imperative that the agriculture sector in the project area should be nourished through introducing scientific method of cultivation, cultivation of paddy and fish in the low lying lands. Besides, providing credit facilities to the farmers on easy terms, assisting in marketing their produces without interference of the middlemen, 'farias' and providing all sorts of cooperation in conducting farm activities by the concerned Upazilla Agriculture Offices can boost up the agrarian sector of the project area. Primary agricultural sector including the sub-sectors like forestry, fishery and livestock and poultry should be brought under intensive effort to develop and thus contribute more to the overall economy in the coming days. In order to reap maximum benefit from agriculture, attention has to be given so that high value agricultural lands are not invaded by urbanization.

Agro-based

The economy of Kotchandpur Paurashava is mainly agro-based. Most of the agricultural products are produced in the Paurashava. The major crops are paddy, maze, pulse, different kinds of vegetables (mostly Bean) etc. These products are being sold after fulfilling the demand of the local people.

Kotchandpur Paurashava has markets to export the agricultural products. Except Potato and Maze the market is used to export the products only within the Paurashava. Potato and Maize is usually exported to Dhaka. The market base is not too strong for lack of developed communication system. If the transportation as well as communication system can be developed then the other Upazilla can take part in the export and import activities.

The agro products of Kotchandpur Paurashava can be exported to other areas. As a result the market will be stable enough to create a strong base for the economy of the Paurashava and it will help the Paurashava to be developed economically.

Employment Pattern

From the BBS- 2011, it is revealed that the economically active age group of population (10 to 59 years age-group) 73.70 percent of the total population in the project area. Among the economically active age group of population, 84.63% are found engaged directly in Employment activities while 15.37% are found not engaged in employment activities.

The major occupations found are farming, fishing, business and trading, services in government, non-government and private organizations, day-laboring in agriculture, industry and services sectors, informal activities and host of other professions. From the Household Survey it is revealed that the farming sector activities are the dominant occupation class in the town. The percentage of the people engaged in this occupation is 41%. The next highest occupation class found is the small business and it is 20%. Most of the households' earning members often adopt a secondary occupation which indicates that under-employment is very much prevalent in the project area.

Women are mostly involved in the professions like Government and non-government though the percentage is notably lower than that of the male. A small number of women are engaged in day labor.

Informal Economic Sector

In the project area congregation, such informal sector activities are found concentrated. Informal sector of the project area covers a variety of activities and a substantial number of unskilled Labor forces are engaged in this sector. Informal sector economic activities cover a lot of activities which may broadly be classified under Trading and Services activities. Various types of mobile or immobile sales of items like food, fish, nuts, vegetables, daily household items, old cloth/garment; repairing of household gadgets, electronic items like radio, television etc. and services like hair cutting, shoe polishing, repairing, etc. are considered as informal economic activities.

It was found that the informal entrepreneurs mainly perform their business in Kotchandpur Bazaar area. Males overwhelmingly dominate the informal sector in the project area. The informal sector of the project area is mostly run by the 16-50 age groups. Of the various occupations, trades included sale of various food items, clothes, vegetables, meat, seed, medicines etc. and services included haircutting, shoe repairing, mobile phone servicing, tailoring etc. Most of the consumers of the informal sector are from middle-income group. It has been found all Informal entrepreneurs run their business throughout the year.

3.3 Physical Infrastructure Development

The total area of Kotchandpur Paurashava is about 17.45 sq. km. Kaliganj- Cuadanga National Highway and arailway Line passes from North-east to North-west direction and intersects Kotchandpur Paurashava. Bridge ghat to Balur bus stand intersection, MA Wadud Road road, kalibari road and hospital road are the major roads of the paurashava. Kotchandpur Bazaar was established beside those roads and adjacent to the Kapatakkha River. The growth started adjacent the Bazaar area and Upazilla Parishad area. Growth direction indicates that Kotchandpur, Solemanpur located in the Middle western part of the

project area is having higher concentration of development and therefore surrounding areas of the bazaar area of Kotchandpur Paurashava are highly dense. The development of the project area is taken place in the area centering the market place. On the other hand administrative headquarters are established in the core part of the project area (Ward No. 4 and part of Ward Nos. 7, 1 and 3).

Other areas (North-East, East, West and South Portion of project area) include rural settlements which have been developed in a scattered manner surrounded by agricultural lands. The area is rich in agricultural activities including cropping, livestock rearing, forestry and fishery. Therefore several market places have been developed in the area for trading of the agro-products.

Road

There are three types of road in Kotchandpur Paurashava- Pucca, Semi-Pucca and Katcha. Out of 92.82 km of roads, Pucca road is 55.68 km, Semi-pucca road is 30.27 km and Katcha Road is 6.87 km. haphazard parking, temporary markets in Row of the roads, absence of pedestrian footpaths are the main causes for continuous traffic congestion in town roads. There is no public bus service available for intra-zonal movement in Kotchandpur Paurashava. Intra-zonal movement is mostly carried out through bicycle, rickshaw, rickshaw-van, motorcycle, Auto Rickshaws.

Waterway

There is no waterway terminal or Ghat in KotchandpurPaurashava.

Railway

There is a railway station which is recently re-constructed and located at Ward No. 07 of the Paurashava. This station is expected to serve a quality service to the inhabitants of this Paurashava.

Airway

No airway facility is in the Paurashava.

3.4 Environmental Growth

The plan has documented KotchandpurPaurashava area's environmental conditions, determines potentiality for present and past site contamination (e.g., hazardous substances, petroleum products and derivatives) and identifies potential vulnerabilities (to include occupational and environmental health risks).

3.5 Population

In the project area, present population (2010) is about 33094. Ward wise population distribution of Kotchandpur Paurashava have been shown under the following Table 5.1.

Table 3.3: Population Distribution of Kotchandpur Paurashava

Ward No.	Total Population (2011)	%
1	3322	10.04
2	5442	16.44
3	3690	11.15
4	3936	11.89
5	3768	11.39
6	2514	7.60
7	4175	12.62
8	3594	10.86
9	2653	8.02
Total	33094	100

Source: Community Series (Zila: Jhenaidah, Bangladesh Population Census-2011)

The Table 3.3 reveals that Ward No. 2 has the highest population with 16.44%, followed by Ward No. 7 (12.62%), Ward No. 4 (11.89%) and Ward No. 5 (11.39%) respectively. On the other hand Ward No. 6 (7.60%) has the lowest population.

Population density

The population density for the entire country was approximately 755 people per square kilometer in 1991, and increased to 834 people per square kilometer in 2001. Ward wise population density of Kotchandpur Paurashava of the year 2011 have been shown in table 3.4.

Table 3.4: Household, population and density according to the Ward, 2011

Ward No.	Land Area(Acre)	Land Area(sq. km)	Density/ Sq. km-2011
1	671.25	2.72	1222
2	258.1	1.04	5208
3	215.25	0.87	4234
4	298.25	1.21	3260
5	790.58	3.20	1177
6	298.42	1.21	2081
7	506.54	2.05	2036
8	529.06	2.14	1678
9	746.24	3.02	878
Total	4313.69	17.46	1895

Population density of the Paurashava area is found 1895/ sq. km in the year 2011. The highest density exists in Ward No. 2 and then lowest is found in the Ward No. 9.

Map 3.1: Existing Growth Potentiality of KotchandpurPaurashava

3.6 Institutional Capacity

The Paurashava is responsible for Paurashava administration and also responsible for providing services, slum upgrading, infrastructure development and licensing of non-motorized transport within its jurisdiction. To perform the responsibilities efficiently as prescribed in the Paurashava Ordinance, 2009 existing capacity of the Kotchandpur Paurashava administration is not sufficient. The responsibility may be categorized as two broad heads named Revenue Collection including Budget Preparation and Delivery of Services. Three types of management system are involved with those two responsibilities and they are Top Management, Middle Management and Supervisory Management. A general scenario is found in those three category management system of the Paurashava i.e. lack of efficient manpower. Shortage of technical manpower in the Paurashava is also an administrative problem.

Existing and allocated Manpower

As per organogram for “A” class Paurashava there is provision of 194 officials except mayor and councilors but unfortunately at present there is only 29 officials in the Paurashava which is presented in the Table-3.5.

Table 3.5: Allocated and existing manpower for Kotchandpur Paurashava

No.	Department/ Section/ Designation	Provision of Manpower	existing manpower
Engineering Department		57	7
1	Executive Engineer	1	1
2	Asst. Engineer	1	0
3	Sub- Asst. Engineer	5	2
4	Other Staffs	50	4
Administrative Department		42	14
5	Secretary	1	1
General Section		15	0
6	Administrative Officer	1	0
7	Head Assistant	1	0
8	Other Staffs	13	0
Accounts Section		5	3
9	Accounts Officer	1	1
10	Accounts Assistant	1	0
11	Other Staffs	3	2
Assessment Section		5	1
12	Assessor (Tax)	1	1
13	Assistant Assessor	3	0
14	M.L.S.S	1	0
Tax Collection/ Licensing Section		12	1
15	Tax Collector	1	1
16	License Inspector	1	0
17	Asst Collector	8	0
18	Other Staffs	2	0
Market Inspection Section		4	1
19	Market Inspector	1	1
20	Collector	3	0
Education/ Cultural/ Library Section		30	0
21	Education and cultural Officer	1	0
22	Librarian	1	0
23	Teacher	5	0
24	Other Staffs	27	0
Health, Family Planning and Sanitary Department		28	3
25	Health Officer	1	1

No.	Department/ Section/ Designation	Provision of Manpower	existing manpower
26	Conservancy Inspector	1	0
27	Sanitary Inspector	1	0
28	Health Assistant	3	0
29	Vaccination Supervisor	2	1
30	Booster	8	1
31	Other Staffs	12	0
		194	29

Source: Kotchandpur Paurashava, 2010.

Paurashava Town Planning Capacity

From the manpower list it is found that Executive 1 Engineer and 2 Sub Assistant Engineer working in the Paurashava. There is no planner, draftsman or surveyor is working in the Paurashava. So the Paurashava has limited capacity to handle the critical planning issues. So the consultant's point of view employment of a Town Planner in the Paurashava office is utmost important to acquire the planning, execution and monitoring capacity. But till now it can be said that the Paurashava has no practical planning capacity.

Implementation Capacity of the Paurashava Master Plan

In implementation procedure, preparation of Project Proposal is the primary step of the Master Plan. Due to the absence of appropriate employee including Urban Planner, the Paurashava is not capable to implement the Master Plan.

Conservancy and Health Services

Kotchandpur Paurashava has a conservancy department to manage the solid waste management system like many other Paurashavas of Bangladesh, but there is no dustbin system found in this Paurashava. It was reported and proved that, the authority did not maintain formal dumping system. Wastes are dumped where it is generated. The Paurashava authority could not ensure the prohibition of waste dumping station. People are used to manage their household generated solid wastes either with their own efforts or through out here and there.

The conservancy department of Kotchandpur Paurashava has only 1 garbage truck, 10 hand trolley and 2 vans for solid waste management which is too poor to manage the whole system properly. Total manpower for this purpose is 13 including 1 truck driver, 2 van driver and ten laborers to handle hand trolley. The municipal authority could not take any measures to prohibit its inhabitant from indiscriminate dumping of solid wastes into the canals which results in blocking of drainage system.

Logistic Support / Equipment

Logistic support and necessary equipment is limited for Kotchandpur Paurashava which should be a really big concern. There are 1 road roller, 1 garbage truck, 1 computer and 15 trolley found in the Paurashava for logistic support.

3.7 Urban Growth Area

The core part of the Paurashava lies between bridge Ghat to Balur bus stand mor, MA Wadud Road road, kalibari road and hospital road where the maximum number of commercial, administrative and institutional structures exists. This area consists of Ward No. 2, 3, and 4. The Semi-core part of the Paurashava lies mainly in the South-western part of the Paurashava, where mainly pucca and semi pucca residential structures exist.

This area consists of southern part of ward no. 4, western part of ward no. 5 and northern part of the ward 6.

In the project area total number of structures found 9342 and among those structures residential structures are found to be highest (81.70%) whereas second highest is commercial structures (12.02%). Most of the structures of the project area are one storied (91.97%) and Katcha (34.01%).

Out of 9342 structures in Kotchandpur Paurashava only 1123 nos. are commercial structures. Most of the commercial structures are katcha (31.43%), followed by Semi-pucca (24.31%) and then pucca structure (44.26%). Most of the commercial structures (45.41%) are concentrated in Ward No. 3 which is the core area situated in the middle part of the Paurashava. The bazar area located in the middle part of the Paurashava in Ward no. 2, 3, 4 .

Besides the core area, main administrative structures (Structures of Upazilla Complex, Paurashava Complex, and Police Station etc.) are situated in Ward Nos. 1, 3, 4 and 7 and most of the industrial (37.93%) structures are in Ward No. 4. Settlements with semi-pucca structures are mostly found in Solemanpur Mouza (under Ward Nos. 4) whereas settlements with Katcha structures are scattered throughout the entire Paurashava.

No administrative structure exists in Semi-core and fringe area of Kotchandpur Paurashava. Very few industrial structures found in the semi core area and no industrial structure found in the fringe area. The Semi-core area of the town is dominated with semi-pucca and katcha structures and these are mostly found in southern part of ward no. 4, western part of ward no. 5 and northern part of the ward 6. The Fringe area of the Town is dominated with katcha structures and these are mostly found in Ward 5, 8, 9;

Other important feature of the physical growth pattern of the project area is most of the physical developments have taken place in elongated form along the major roads such as between bridge ghat to Balur bus stand mor, MA Wadud Road road, kalibari road and hospital road of the town. A Railway line passes from North-east to North-west direction and intersects Kotchandpur Paurashava in two parts- The Northern Part and the Southern Part.

There are 92.82 km. of road network found in the project area out of which 59.99% is Pucca and rest 7.40% is Katcha. In total 116 Bridges and culverts are found in the local roads of the Paurashava. There are 14.89 km of Pucca drains exist in Kotchandpur Paurashava. These pucca drains mainly exist in the core part (Ward No. 4) of the project area.

3.8 Catchment area

To cite the only national importance is the regional Highway, Jhenaidah Highway passes through the middle of the Paurashava. Most of the roads within the Paurashava are pucca and semi-pucca. Kotchandpur Paurashava is an important centre of attractive for its neighboring areas. The existence of educational institutions, commercial establishment, good transportation routes, sufficient security, urban facility (library, community centre, utility services) etc have made an attractive hub of growth and it may expand in near future. Kotchandpur Paurashava carries immense national importance. Kotchandpur Paurashava has strong road way network and is connected with surrounding Upazillas

and Districts. It is determined that areas of entire Kotchandpur and party of Maheshpur, Kaliganj and Chougacha Upazila are delineated as an area of influence as it has been found that people from this zone of influence visit this town for day to day business extending the area of influence over 8-10 miles from the centre of this town.

3.9 Landuse and Urban Services

Landuse

The Land use pattern of the study area is sub-divided into 19 major categories. Kotchandpur Town centre area is the most built up area by comprising all kinds of urban land uses. Major built up part of the Paurashava area is using for residential purpose. About %19.98 of the lands are used for residential purpose. More than half of the lands are occupied by agricultural use (69.69%). Commercial and industrial use also contributes a minor portion of land use.

This Paurashava is still non-urban in character. However, there is a growing need to preserve agricultural land to fulfill the demand of increasing population throughout the country. It is also a matter of great importance that no industry is hampering agriculture and environment. 3.35% of the land is being used as water body which has importance for fishery and natural drainage network. So water bodies have to be kept protected from pollution. Circulation network is accounted for 2.44% of the total land of the Paurashava area. Ward-wise amounts have also been calculated. To ensure safe and easy transportation, circulation network has to be planned according to the requirement of various Paurashava as well as to foster the economic activity. About 0.27% land of the Paurashava is vacant or fellow land. These lands have to be utilized very sincerely because there is growing need to provide different urban facilities. Urban green space is accounted for only 0.35% of the Paurashava area but a the land in this category is mainly graveyard and there is no formal or informal park in the Paurashava.

Table 3.6: Different Types of Land use in KotchandpurPaurashava

Sl.No.	Landuse Type	Total	Percentage
1	Agriculture	3,006.28	69.69
2	Circulation Network	105.13	2.44
3	Commercial Activity	47.42	1.10
4	Community Service	7.22	0.17
5	Education & Research	27.12	0.63
6	Governmental Services	18.11	0.42
7	Manufacturing and Processing Activity	32.59	0.76
8	Mixed Use	13.92	0.32
9	Non Government Services	1.12	0.03
10	Recreational Facilities	1.13	0.03
11	Residential	861.93	19.98
12	Service Activity	8.52	0.20
13	Transport & Communication	4.79	0.11
14	Urban Green Space	14.99	0.35
15	Vacant Land	11.69	0.27
16	Water Body	151.72	3.52
Total		4,313.72	100.00

Source: Land Use Survey, 2010

Existing land use types and distribution pattern have been shown in the Map 4.1. Land use types that exist in the project area are categorized as the followings:

Residential

Residential use includes residential house, residential quarters, rest house, slum, mess etc. Total residential area of the Paurashava is 3006.28(69.69%). It has been appeared that Ward 4 has the most residential concentration (20.03%) while; Ward 3 possesses the second position having residential land and Ward 6 has the lowest residential concentration.

Commercial

Total commercial land of Kotchandpur Paurashava is 47.42 acre, which is 1.10% of total Paurashava area. Ward No. 3 contains the highest amount of commercial land use (49.66% of total commercial land of Paurashava). Ward No. 2 contains 18.85%.

Industrial

Total industrial land of Kotchandpur Paurashava is 32.59 acre, which is 0.76% of total Paurashava area. Ward No. 4 contains the highest amount of industrial land (24.08% of total industrial land of Paurashava). Second highest (23.55%) is found in Ward No. 7.

Agricultural

Total Agricultural Land of Kotchandpur Paurashava is 3006.28 acres, which is only 69.69% of total area of the Paurashava. Ward No. 5 contains the highest amount of Agricultural Land (22% of total Agricultural land of the Paurashava). Ward No. 3 contains the lowest among all of Wards of Kotchandpur Paurashava.

Education

Land that is used for College, High School, Primary School, NGO School, Madrasha and other means of education and research are considered in this section. Total area under this category is 27.12 acres(0.63%).As survey result shows, this type of use is maximum in Ward 4 (39.49%).

Government Services

Paurashava office, UNO office, Food Office, Sub-Register Office, Upazila Primary and Secondary Education Office, Water Development Board, Rural Development Board and other Upazila level government offices come under this land use category. It consists 18.110).42 .acres of land (%Paurashava Office occupies 0.051 acres which is situated on Paurashava owned land in Kotchandpur Paurashava area.

Non-Government Services

It consists jurisdiction Paurashava It includes Bank, Bima,NGO etc. within the .only1.12 acres(0.03%) of land

Community Services

Major land used for community services are occupied by Mosque, Temple, Eidgah, Dargah and Club in this Paurashava. Survey revealed that the highest amount of land is dedicated for community servicesIt covers 0.1 .7% of total.land

Map 3.2: Existing Landuse of KotchandpurPaurashava

Water Bodies

Water body of Kotchandpur Paurashava mainly consists of river, pond, ditches, khals, dighies etc. It covers 151.72 acres 3.52% of land.

Recreational

Only 1.13 acres area of Kotchandpur Paurashava is used for recreational facility. Mainly cinema hall is the recreational facility for the residents of the Paurashava.

Mixed-Use

Mixed use land includes the lands with more than one use. Survey revealed that around .of land are under this category acres 13.92

Circulation Network

Total circulation network of Kotchandpur Paurashava is 105.13 acre, which is 2.44% of total area of the Paurashava. Circulation network comprises all transport services including bus stoppage, waiting place, pumping station etc. Ward No. 8 contains highest (15.95%) circulation network. Circulation networks are available more or less at all of the wards of this Paurashava.

3.10 Paurashava Functional Linkage with the Regional and National network

National Network

Kotchandpur Paurashava is Class 'A' Paurashava. To cite the only national importance is the regional Highway, Jhenaidah Highway passes through the middle of the Paurashava. Most of the roads within the Paurashava are pucca and semi-pucca. Kotchandpur Paurashava is an important centre of attractive for its neighboring areas. The existence of educational institutions, commercial establishment, good transportation routes, sufficient security, urban facility (library, community centre, utility services) etc have made an attractive hub of growth and it may expand in near future. Main crops Paddy, jute, wheat, sugarcane, onion, garlic, and cotton. Extinct or nearly extinct crops Bhura, barley, khesari, chhola, aus paddy and arahar. Main fruits are Mango, jackfruit, banana, black berry, papaya, coconut, watermelon, and jamrul Dairies, poultries Dairy. Therefore, Kotchandpur Paurashava carries immense national importance. Kotchandpur Paurashava has strong road way network and is connected with surrounding Upazillas and Districts.

Regional Network

Kotchandpur Paurashava is an important centre of attractive for its neighboring areas. The existence of Govt. Degree College, Commercial establishment, good transportation routes etc. has made this Paurashava an area of attractiveness for its neighboring population. On the basis of outfield survey, it is determined that areas of entire Kotchandpur and party of Maheshpur, Kaliganj and Chougacha Upazila are delineated as an area of influence as it has been found that people from this zone of influence visit this town for day to day business extending the area of influence over 8-10 miles from the centre of this town.

Map 3.3: Regional/ National Road Network of KotchandpurPaurashava

3.11 Role of Agencies for Different Sectoral Activities

Agencies responsible for utility facilities and municipal services are an important component for an area. Utility services include water supply, gas supply, electric supply, sewerage and drainage system, telecommunication system, fire services, solid waste management, etc. The concerned departments / organizations responsible for planning and development of utility services are shown in the following table.

Table 3.7: Agencies responsible for sectoral activities

Sl. No.	Sectors	Responsible agencies
1.	Electricity Supply	Rural Electrification Board (REB)
2.	Water Supply	DPHE / Paurashava/ Private
3.	Telecommunication	BTCL / Mobile Phone Companies
4.	Sewerage and Sanitation	DPHE / Paurashava/ Private
5.	Solid Waste Disposal	Paurashava / Private
6.	Fire Service	Fire Services and Civil Defense
7.	Post office	Postal Department

Source: Physical Feature Survey, 2009.

The authorities (as presented in the Table-3.8) should perform other roles need to be carried out with the assistance and support of other relevant government agencies. Those roles are:

- Provide existing and future service areas with full complement of related services to ensure that they can function efficiently.
- Identify depressed areas in each of the Ward where no improvement is being made and provide services with ensuring benefits for the dwellers.
- Ensure that within specific time (may be project period or private sector involvement process and a guideline frame for them) services will be provided according to the demand of the Paurashava inhabitants.
- Identify the existing procedural and institutional constraints and resolve them with full cooperation of other responsible agencies.

CHAPTER-4

CRITICAL PLANNING ISSUES

4.1 Transport

Van and rickshaw are two major transport modes in the study area. Motorcycle and Bicycle is the main mode for private users. Movement of motorcycle is also identified as major private mode. Inadequacy of bus service found normal scenario in the study area. The peak hour traffic movement is found in morning from 7am to 9 pm and in the afternoon from 6 pm to 8 pm in general. Though overall traffic congestion is low, let it should not be increased. Establishment of bus route within the study area is another prior demand of the people.

From the physical feature survey, it is found that the hat / bazar in the study area is served by bituminous and brick soling roads. But the area is not served by well defined road hierarchy, nor is required now due to sparse use of roads by motorized vehicles. However, the induced activities due to the prospects of upward economic change may need to provide road network befitting with the need.

Highway traffic is comparatively high and dominated by mixed type of vehicles including non-motorized. Generally, surface of the highways is moderate. The road network is not facilitated by designated parking area, bus terminal and bus bay. The core urban area of this Paurashava is very congested and the road width of this area is very narrow and existing road network developed in an unplanned way. As a result, sometimes congestions and chaotic situation occurs for a little while. In spite of this situation, present road network is functioning well. But it has to be upgraded to accommodate the future increase of volume of traffic that is expected to increase due to the rapid growth of urban population and influence of Dhaka city growth.

4.2 Environment

Kotchandpur Paurashava is almost similar to any other typical Paurashava of Bangladesh. Among the identified issues of probable threat and risk, drainage problem and improper solid waste management are mentionable. The risk of arsenic is also unavoidable although no arsenic patient has been found in the Paurashava. Due to siltation and illegal encroachment, the natural drainage canals have lost their capacity to drain out discharges. As a result water logging has become a regular problem in the town. Environment of the Paurashava would be degraded violently if proper steps are not taken. At present, it has been found that there is no proper solid waste management system in the Paurashava. Throwing out all wastes here and there is the major cause of deteriorating the environment. Proper enforcement of Paurashava ordinance and other relevant environmental acts and ordinances could improve the situation and therefore is suggested. Other threats to environment of the Paurashava are air pollution, water pollution; land pollution, noise pollution etc. The main source of air pollution in this Paurashava is emission of harmful gaseous matters from vehicles; open dumping of household, poultry farms, hospital waste, industry etc. Dumping of garbage to open land and ditches make odor.

Water pollution is yet another threat to the living environment of Kotchandpur Paurashava. Surface water is being contaminated from improper sanitation, solid waste disposal, hospital waste, chemicals (fertilizers and insecticides) etc. Hospitals in Kotchandpur Paurashava are producing bacteriological contaminated wastes. A portion of such wastes are dumped into the canal and beside the road causing surface water pollution. Most of the people reported that there exists ground water pollution in Kotchandpur Paurashava due to prevalence of iron. If it is not removed by appropriate water treatment may cause chronic intestinal diseases leading to increase in health care expenditure of the Paurashava inhabitants.

Land pollution occurs due to improper management of domestic wastes. Discharge of pollution. Another major concern, the noise pollution in Kotchandpur Paurashava is mainly attributed to the movement of thousands of traffics through the national highway passing through the Paurashava; especially, areas adjacent to both sides of National Highway are affected by noise pollution. There are also two bus terminals which produce huge noise. Moreover, high concentration of commercial activities in the main bazaar area makes the area susceptible to noise pollution.

Urbanization concentrates people in urban growth centers and increases the demand of land for housing, industrial use, educational, office building, cultural, commercial use of land, road and infrastructures. On the other hand, these activities will reduce agricultural use of land, water bodies and other natural resources causing serious reduction in fish habitat, fish population and diversity, extinction and reduction of wildlife including birds, reptiles and mammals, loss of many indigenous aquatic plants, weeds and shrubs, deterioration of living conditions, degeneration of wetland based ecosystems, occupations, socio-economic institutions and culture.

The area of the Paurashava is gradually expanding towards its outskirts within the Upazilla. People are buying comparatively the low cost agricultural lands and are making their homestead. Gradual development sprawl is encroaching upon the surrounding agricultural lands which pose threat to environment. Kotchandpur Paurashava has greater potentiality of development and expansion. If it is not properly controlled then there will be unplanned development. So, proper measure should be taken to control unplanned development and to minimize the adverse environmental impacts.

4.3 Landuse Control

Accommodation of future thrust of growth due to the rapid growth of urban population and influence of Dhaka city demand for supply of safe drinking water, providing safe and easy accessibility, use of agriculture production in income generating activities and create provision for further investment will increase.

The primary motive is to exercise control over unorganized development and promotion of planned infrastructure development to accommodate future urban growth. The Paurashava will be developed as a self-contained town in rural environs.

To increase the agro-product and use them in income generating activities, a vast agriculture land will be used and at the sametime, the existing agriculture land should be preserved. Further residential expansion should be controlled through the imposition of development control. In this context, concept of cluster development and compact

township approach should be provisioned in the plan. Vertical development will be encouraged rather than horizontal to save the agriculture land.

Major aim of the Landuse Policy 2001 was to prevent indiscriminate conversion of agricultural land in to non-agricultural use, because such conversion may be threatened for food security of the country. Such conversion should be prohibited with the multi-sectoral use of land. During implementation of Urban Area Plan / Ward Action Plan, necessary control should be imposed according to the following manner.

1. High value agriculture land should be preserved only for agriculture purposes. The land produces three crops in a year are under this category. Any physical development activities should be prohibited by the Paurashava authority. In the Paurashava a major portion of land is demarcated as high value agriculture land.
2. Drainage congestion due to the indiscriminate development activities is another critical issue. With the increase of population and commercial activities, lands of the Paurashava town are being converted for habitation. Natural development of those settlements somewhere creates drainage congestions. In the core urban area the existing roads are very narrow and there is a absence of drainage network. So, water logging is a common phenomenon in this area.
3. Missing links in road transportation creates accessibility problem. In the intersections, lands are using by commercial activities including daily bazar and saw mill which are increasing traffic congestion.
4. Easy accessibility with neighbouring Upazilas and a regional linkage is needed. Those linkages will grave huge amount of agriculture land. The single crop land may be used for this purpose.

4.4 Disaster (if any)

Disaster is the tragedy of a natural or man-made hazard that negatively affects society or environment. Disaster can be classified into two categories: natural disaster and man-made disaster. Natural disaster is the effect of flood, volcanic eruption, earthquake or landslide, draught, epidemic, etc. that affects environment and leads to financial, environmental or human losses. Man-made disasters is resulting from human intent, negligence or error, or involving a failure of a man-made system.

The Paurashava area including the Kotchandpur Upazila has affected by the several major natural disasters ranging from Cyclone, Flood to Water logging and Draughts, etc. The periods of those disasters are 1998, 2000, 2004, 2007 and 2008. Very scanty attempt has been made by the government to rehabilitate people after the natural disaster.

Urbanization is converting lands for residential use. Agricultural lands and water bodies are being chosen most frequently and the lands are being converted into urban settlement. In KotchandpurPaurashava, wet lands are being filled up and agricultural lands are being converted. This has been identified as the major man-made disaster accelerating the degree of conversion year to year. Use of poisonous insecticides on the agricultural land is another man-made disaster which will affect in the long-run.

4.5 Laws and Regulations

The regulations prescribed (mentioned in the Chapter-5.2.1, Sl. No. 1 to 20) in the Local Government (Paurashava) Ordinance, 2009 are not directly related with the physical

development activities and their control. The East Bengal Building Construction Act, 1952 is called the mother regulation to control all type of physical development but no instruction is being included in the Paurashava Ordinance, 2009 regarding EBBC Act, 1952. The Paurashava authority approves the building plan and excavation of tank without any regulatory control.

The regulation prescribed in the Paurashava Ordinance, 2009 on the preparation of master plan is called traditional regulation. In the modern world, the concept of master plan became obsolete. In this project, the so called master plan, as mentioned in the Paurashava Ordinance, 2009 considered as a package and the plan included in this package named Structure Plan, Urban Area Plan and Ward Action Plan, though there is no regulation in the country on the preparation and implementation of those plans.

In the Paurashava about 46% (except water bodies) land is under agriculture use. Most of those lands are private. Different type of help is necessary for the farmers involved with those agriculture lands. Section 13(1a) of the Agricultural Development Corporation Ordinance, 1961 prescribed regulation on the function of the Corporation and said that “the Corporation shall make suitable arrangements throughout East Pakistan (now Bangladesh), on a commercial basis, for the procurement, transport, storage and distribution to agriculturists of essential supplies such as seed, fertilizers, plant protection equipment, pesticides and agricultural machinery and implements.” Where the Corporation is absent, how the farmers will get benefit prescribed in the section 13(1a)? To increase the agricultural commodities such type of help is necessary.

Except the Paurashava Town (Township development areas), other areas are rural. To generate rural-based township environment, those rural areas should be preserved. Rural development components as prescribed in the section 7(1a) of the Bangladesh Rural Development Board Ordinance, 1982 should be provisioned to control those rural areas. As prescribed in the section 7(1a), functions of the Board shall be “to promote village-based primary co-operative societies and Thana Central Cooperative Association (TCCA) with a view to enabling them to be autonomous, self-managed and financially viable vehicles for increasing production, employment generation and rural development.”

CHAPTER-5

PAURASHAVA DEVELOPMENT RELATED POLICIES, LAWS AND REGULATIONS

5.1 Indicative Prescription of Policy for Paurashava in the light of the Different Urban Policies, Laws, Regulations and Guidelines

The preparation of Structure Plan, Urban Area Plan and Ward Action Plan for the Kotchandpur Paurashava is highly depended on the policies and relevant contemporary rules and regulations prescribed by the government. In preparation of the above Plans, guidelines and strategies prescribed through the policies are considered carefully. Contemporary rules and regulations help to formulate the process and procedure for development control.

Urban Land Management Policy

It is necessary to impose control on the use and development of urban land. A range of urban planning tools including landuse planning, transportation planning and management, site planning, subdivision regulations and building regulations can be applied to minimize environmental impacts of urban development activities.

Policies

- Protect sensitive land resources by minimizing activities threatening environmentally sensitive areas.
- Manage hazard-prone lands through improvement of environmental management practices throughout the Paurashava.
- Conserve open space, as identified through a participatory planning process that will effectively preserve drainage system, provide greater opportunities for recreation and meet the minimum needs of aquifer recharge.
- Protect heritage structures and archaeological and cultural sites through appropriate schemes, projects and regulations.
- Control excessive urban sprawl and manage prime agricultural land through the implementation of regulatory reforms.
- Formulation of land information system, land market assessment regulations, efficient and transparent land record and registration system, etc.
- Increase the supply of land for the poor through reforming land transfer laws to counter trends towards land accumulation.
- Adoption of taxation policies that discourage speculative investments in land that is left undeveloped for extended periods of time.
- Implementation of land-banking and land-pooling programs that allow the government to increase its pool of land which can be exchanged for low-cost housing sites in the Paurashava;
- Undertaking land readjustment projects that include low-cost land and housing sites.

- Undertaking land-sharing schemes and tenancy reforms for establishing clear rights of tenants.
- Allocating khas land/acquired land for housing the poor.
- Allocating reasonable proportion of land in urban places for housing the poor.

Strategies

The strategies necessary to implement the policies of the urban land management is the use of planning tools in land management. Those planning tools may be structure planning, local planning and action planning. Second strategy is the landuse zoning. This tool may be used to:

- Protect productive agricultural lands by limiting the intrusion of non-agricultural uses;
- Manage floodplains by controlling uses of land within hydrologically defined areas subject to floods of a designated frequency;
- Preserve wetlands by limiting permissible uses to those that do not entail significant surface disturbance or runoff and substantially restricting land-disturbing uses within the areas identified as wetland areas;
- Restore and conserves natural canals and ponds.
- Facilitate planned unit development by allowing flexible design and clustering of residential development with higher densities on one portion of a land parcel so as to allow agricultural development or to provide increased open space or natural cover elsewhere on the parcel;
- Preserve open space by designating land areas for a variety of purposes such as recreation, future use, green belt, etc.

Strategies of land development for the Paurashava according to the Urban Land Management Policy may be followed through some techniques such as land pooling / readjustment, guided land development, land sharing, sites and services schemes, etc.

Landuse Policy

Bangladesh Landuse Policy was prepared and notified in the year 2001. Major aim of the policy is to prevent indiscriminate conversion of agricultural land in to non-agricultural use, because such conversion may be threatened for food security of the country. The expansion of residential, commercial, industrial and socio-economic uses will encourage the diminishing trend of agriculture land. Through the policy, government has encouraged Compact Township and vertical expansion of the different type of building rather than horizontal expansion.

Objectives

The objectives of the Landuse Policy are to:

- Prohibit the recent practice on conversion of agriculture land into non-agricultural use to ensure food security for the people.
- Impose zoning provision to control the better use of land according to the nature of land located in different regions.

- Rehabilitation of landless people on the alluvion lands alluviated from river, Haor or sea.
- Preserve khas land for future physical development activities.
- Confirm landuses in relation with the existing natural environment.
- Use of land in favour of job creation, landlessness and poverty alleviation.
- Control land pollution.
- Construction of multi-storied building with accommodation of various purposes in public and private sector for ensuring minimum land coverage.

About 69.69% land of the Kotchandpur Paurashava is under the agricultural practices. According to the Landuse Policy, those lands should be preserved as agriculture land. For such preservation, some guidelines prescribed in the Landuse Policy will be considered they are – in case of rehabilitation of the landless people, Khas land will be emphasized for distribution by the government.

Housing Policy

Housing, in the context of overall improvement of human settlements, is considered by the Government of Bangladesh as an integral part of culture and planning for economic development. The Global Strategy for Shelter by the year 2000 adopted by the United Nations in November, 1988 calls upon governments to take steps for formulating a National Housing Policy, 2004 in the light of "the enabling approach" for achieving the goals of the strategy.

The housing problem in the country is of serious magnitude. In addition to the large number of homeless households; the rapid growth of slums and unauthorized squatter settlement; the increasing cost of land and construction materials; rampant speculation and the phenomenal increase in house rent, the problem is compounded by non-availability of basic civic services, including water and sanitation to the bulk of the population and acute shortage of affordable and adequate shelter for the poor and vulnerable groups. The housing shortage was estimated in 1991 to be about 3.10 million units, composed of 2.15 million units in rural areas and 0.95 million units in urban areas; with the bulk of the backlog consisting of katcha un-serviced units. The housing shortage is likely to exceed 5 million units by the year 2000 A.D. The current housing stock is deteriorating fast due to aging, general neglect, poverty and civic apathy on the part of the dwellers.

Objectives

The objectives of the National Housing Policy are to:

- Make housing accessible to all strata of society and to accelerate housing production in urban and rural areas with major emphasis on needs of the low and middle-income groups, the high priority target groups will be the disadvantaged, the destitute and the shelterless poor.
- Make available suitably located land at affordable price for various target groups, especially the low and middle-income group.

- Develop effective strategies for reducing the need to seek shelter through formation of slums, unauthorized constructions, encroachments and shanty dwelling units and to improve the existing ones environmentally and, where possible, to relocate them in suitable places.
- Rehabilitate disaster affected households and houses affected by fire accidents.
- Mobilize resources for housing through personal savings and other financial input's and by developing suitable financial institutions.
- Make effective implementation of the housing programs, promote use of locally developed materials and construction techniques and increase production of forest-based building materials such as timber, bamboo or grass. Attempts will be made to develop alternative and durable materials based on locally available raw material.
- Develop institutional and legal framework to facilitate housing.
- Improve and enhance the character, quality and environment of the existing residential areas.
- Develop new strategies and undertake revision of the policy from time to time to cope with the emerging housing needs and problems in the country.
- Undertake action-oriented research in all aspects related to housing and foster minimization of cost and rent.

Rural Homestead

Clause 5.9 of the Housing Policy describes about the rural housing. The Kotchandpur Paurashava is rural based urban area. Rural character is the dominating issue in the housing sector. In the Housing Policy, following measures are suggested to improve rural housing:

- Avoiding unnecessary displacement of rural settlements due to development projects and where unavoidable, makes proper rehabilitation of the households, with full community involvement.
- Encroachment on agricultural land by proliferation of homestead should be discouraged. Efforts should be made for planned densification of rural homesteads. Subject to availability of khas lands, programmes similar to 'Adarsha Gram' programme of the Ministry of land will be undertaken in rural areas.
- The coordinated provision of water supply, sanitation, electricity, roads and other basic infrastructure services to existing and new habitations.
- Providing assistance by way of providing credit, dissemination of appropriate technology and delivery system for promoting housing.
- Initiating schemes for increased employment opportunities and income generation by extending appropriate credits and advice, so that housing affordability is enhanced.
- Establishing suitable institutional structure including strengthening of existing organizations at district and local level, with the responsibility for planning, financing, implementation, supervision and monitoring of rural housing schemes, and with the full

involvement of beneficiaries, NGOs and CBOs, giving special attention to the needs of the poorest segments, specially women and disadvantaged persons.

- Linking the development of housing sites and the upgradation of rural housing with the activities under the Bangladesh Rural Development Board (BRDB) and other programmes for the creation of rural assets and employment.

Slums and Squatter Settlements

Clause 5.10 of the Housing Policy describes about the slums and squatter settlements.

The poor environmental condition in slums and squatter settlements create health problems for their residents and those in the adjoining areas. Those areas may be Paurashava Town. Keeping in view the policies of planned growth of urbanization, income support and poverty alleviation and together with steps to arrest the growth of new slums in urban areas, the Government would take steps to:

- Encourage in-situ upgradation, slum renovation and progressive housing development with conferment of occupancy rights, wherever feasible, and to undertake relocation of the squatter settlements from the sites that need to be cleared in public interest.
- Expand provision of water supply, sanitation and other basic services in slum and other settlements occupied by the poor.
- Ensure proper maintenance of amenities in slums and squatter settlements through community involvement and decentralized institutional arrangements.
- Integrate the provision of physical amenities slums and squatter settlements with basic services including maternal and child welfare services and health care, structured on community participation and involvement of voluntary agencies and management by local bodies.
- Provide night shelters and pay and use public toilet for the footpath dwellers and the homeless.

Infrastructure

Clause 5.2 of the Housing Policy describes about the infrastructures related with the housing. Most of those infrastructures are needful for housing construction and preparation of master plan. Following measures are recommended for development and improvement of infrastructure for housing:

- Increase investment by national and local government agencies in order to meet the rapidly growing needs of serviced land and to improve the availability of services in different settlements.
- Promote a balanced pattern of urbanization through a policy of decentralization of investments and incentives for the growth of secondary, intermediate and small towns so as to reduce pressure on metropolitan cities and to control unregulated conversion of agricultural and forest land for the purpose of housing.
- Develop economically buoyant and socially attractive secondary and intermediate towns by strengthening their linkages with contiguous rural areas and market centres as part of the integrated and planned development of the region and to reduce migration to the larger cities.

- Make necessary investments to increase within a reasonable time, the coverage of entire rural and urban population for potable water supply and basic sanitation.
- Increase investments in public transport and traffic network to improve mobility of people, particularly that of the poor.
- Encourage the use of infrastructure construction technologies, which are cost effective, incrementally upgradeable and environmentally appropriate.
- Provide government support for extension of infrastructure based on the participation of the people and private developers, NGOs, CBOs or on innovative systems of infrastructure leasing.
- Provide Government assistance to the local bodies for adequate cost recovery of investment on infrastructure, proper maintenance of services and upgradation of the capability of the personnel in local bodies and functional agencies.
- Provide opportunity for community participation and recognize people's initiative in the design, installation and the upkeep of services within the framework of the development programmes.

Strategies

The salient features of the housing strategy are:

- Housing will be given due priority in the national development plans treating it as a separate sector by itself.
- The role of the Government in housing will primarily be that of a facilitator or enabler in order to increase access to land, infrastructure, services and credit and to ensure availability of building materials at a reasonable price, specially for the low and middle-income groups and to create and promote housing finance institutions; whereas actual construction of housing will generally be left to the private sector developers, the people themselves, and the NGOs.
- Greater emphasis will be laid on affordability, personal savings, self-help and cost recovery. Efforts would be made to enhance affordability of the disadvantaged and low-income groups, through provision of credit for income generation and income enhancement, housing loans at especially low interest, access to space for running workshops or business and such other facilities.
- Improvements and rehabilitation of the existing housing stock will be given priority by the Government alongside new housing.
- Encroachments on public land and formation of unauthorized constructions will be discouraged.
- Austerity will be maintained in building houses and efforts will be made to economize housing costs, discourage extravagant construction, facilitate incremental house building and ensure wider application of low cost technology and optimum use of resources at the individual and national levels both in public and private sectors.
- Regeneration of forest-based building materials would be planned and environmental conservation given due consideration.

- Due attention would be given to construction, protection, replacement and rehabilitation of shelter in disaster affected and fire prone areas.
- Special care would be taken for the preservation of cultural heritage and promotion of vernacular architecture in new housing projects.
- Universities, research institutes and centres will be encouraged to conduct research on housing issues.
- The National Housing Policy will be co-ordinated with other development policies e.g. land, environment, population, employment, social welfare, fiscal and monetary policies at national and local levels.

Population Policy, 2004

Realizing the importance of population and development, the government prepared a Population Policy in the year 1976 and identified population problem as a national problem. Objectives of the Population Policy are to improve the status of family planning, maternal and child health including reproductive health services and to improve the living standard of the people making a desirable balance between population and development in the context of Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) and Interim Poverty Reduction Strategy (IPRS). Economic growth, poverty reduction and social development has identified as national strategy through the Population Policy of 1976. In the Policy, urgent attention should be given on the gender equity and empowerment, welfare services for elderly and poor, control on rural to urban migration, human resource development through skilled workforce and participation on NGOs and private sector in the process to control the population growth.

Aims

Aims of the Population Policy as presented are:

- Aware females about family planning to reduce Total Fertility Rate (TFR) and increase to use family planning devices among the fertile groups.
- Towards stable population within the year 2060 and the net growth rate not higher than 1% within the year 2010.
- Provide importance on mother's health to reduce maternal dead.
- To aware people about HIV / AIDS and to reduce it's chronological expansion.
- To help for providing gender equity and women empowerment in the society.
- To increase personal quality of the planners, administrators and service delivery agencies and to develop the information collection system, research and presentation.
- To control immigration from rural to urban and considers effective steps.
- Provisioning environmental sustainability including safe drinking water supply.

Agriculture Policy

Primary goal of the Agriculture Policy is to modernize and diversify the crop sector (including agricultural system) through initiation and implementation of a well-organized and well-coordinated Agriculture Development Plan. Overall objective of the Agriculture

Policy is to make the nation self-sufficient in food increasing crop production (cereals also) and ensure a dependable food security system for all.

Aims

Clause 2 of the Agriculture Policy presents aims to increase crop production and maintain food security in the country. Some of those aims are:

- To increase income of the farmers and their buying capacity through stable and benefited agricultural development.
- To develop and preservation of productivity of the land.
- Removal of dependency on specific crop as a stable food.
- Introduces biological technologies, their use and expansion among the farmers.
- To encourage farmers for introducing irrigation from secondary sources during draught and introduces stable irrigation facilities for improving cropping intensity and crop production.
- Introduction of farming as an income generating sector through farming system and agro-forestry activities.
- To produce necessary agro-product for industrial use.
- To find out new opportunities for more export and minimum import of agriculture commodities.

Transportation Policy

For the country's economic and social development and for poverty alleviation, development of the road network is essential. For this reason the transport sector has been accepted as a priority sector. With the development of the economy the volume of vehicles, passengers and goods has been increasing. In the meantime a notification regarding classification, definition and responsible organizations for all roads was issued. In this context standardization and cost rationalization of the roads in the country, especially the Zila, Upazila, Union and village roads, have become very essential. For the development of Multimodal Transportation System (Road-Rail-River) such a standardization/ cost rationalization of roads and bridges / culverts is a need of the hour. Standardization including cost rationalization will provide the basis of appraisal of road / bridge projects leading to optimal development of the transport system as a whole. At present there is no standard design and national unit cost for construction and maintenance of various roads and bridges and culverts. As a result substantial cost difference has been proposed by the agencies for same type of road / bridges for the same area.

Summary of Issues Covered

Following tasks of a road projects will be adopted: The Committee reviewed the design standards for the Union, Upazila, Zila Roads, and concluded that the key design criteria for all roads should be traffic and axle loads, and not the classification of the roads.

- The six design standards agreed by the Committee to form a logical progression in terms of road width and pavement thickness, all based on traffic considerations. They are not directly related to road classification.

- The agreed design standards are to be used by all road agencies. Road agencies will be required to use appropriate standards for roads according to traffic criteria.
- Reconstruction- full pavement reconstruction on an existing embankment
- New road Construction - completely new embankment and road pavement, including bridges, culverts and any necessary slope protection. This is likely to prove a rare category of road project in Bangladesh
- Widening- road widening and upgrading, including full re-construction of the existing pavement
- Strengthening- removing existing road surfacing and providing a new base layer of Base Type-1 and surfacing.

A passenger car is 1.0 pcu. Larger vehicles have higher values. Conversion factors for vehicles to pcu's are shown in the following table.

Table 5.1: Passenger Car Unit (pcu) Conversion factors for non-urban roads

Vehicle Type	PCU factor	Vehicle Type	PCU factor
Car	1.0	Bicycle	0.3
Bus	3.0	Rickshaw	1.0
Truck	3.0	Motor Cycle	0.3
Autorickshaw	0.5	Tempo	1.0
		Bullock Cart	4.0

Source: Transport Research Laboratory (UK) Overseas Road Note 13.

Road design will henceforth be based on traffic criteria, as opposed to road classification, then in theory a road could take any of considerations mean that the typical applications of the designs will be as listed in the following table.

Table 5.2: Design applications

Roads class	Typical design applications
Zila	Types 5,4,3*
Upazila	Types 6,5,4*
Union	Types 8,7

* Special type to be used under special circumstances.

The design lives, based on the pavement thicknesses for each existing design and each recommended design are set out in Table-5.3 in terms of the cumulative number of equivalent standard axles (ESA's). Given typical traffic levels and a growth rate of 5% per year the expected design life for each type of existing road is provided. For each of the recommended designs the forecast ESA's have been calculated from the traffic capacity in the design year, to allow the design life to be estimated. Again, traffic growth of 5% on all roads is assumed.

Table 5.3: Existing and Recommended design lives

Road Class	Existing Design			Recommended Design		
	Cumulative Million ESA's	Typical Expected Design Life (Years)	New Class	Design Type	Design Life (Million ESA's)	Expected Design Life (years)
Rural Road/ union Road	0.5	10	Union	8	1.0	10
				7	1.0	10
Feeder Road B/ Upazila Road	1.0	10	Upazila	6	1.0	10
				5	1.6	10

Feeder Road A/ Zila Road	1.0	10	Zila	4*	2.0	10
				5	1.6	10
				4	5.0	20
				3	6.5	20

*** Overlaying of 25-40mm BC will be required after every 7-8 yrs. * Special type to used under special circumstances.*

Environment Policy

Bangladesh National Environment Policy was approved and published in 1992. Key elements of the Policy are:

- Maintain ecological balance and overall physical development progress of the country through protection and development of different sectors. Protection from natural disaster is one of them.
- Identification and regulation all type of activities which pollutes and degrade the environment.
- Ensuring proper Environment Impact Assessment prior to undertaking of industrial and other development projects.
- Ensuring sustainable use of natural resources.

Proposed Sectors

For the fulfillment of every component of Environment Policy, it has divided in to 15 sectors. Those sectors are – Agriculture, Industry, Health, Energy, Water Development, Flood Control and Irrigation, Land, Forest including flora and fauna, Fish and Livestock, Food, Seashore and Maritime, Transport and Communication, Housing and Urbanization, Population, Literacy and awareness, Science, Technology and Research, Legal framework and Institutional framework.

Strategies

For the implementation of policies, a large number of strategies have been framed according to the sector. Some of those strategies are:

Agriculture: Conduct field survey for imposing sustainable farming system and increase soil fertility. Necessary steps should be taken based on that survey. Control on the use of chemical insecticides and pesticides and encourage farmers using bio-chemical fertilizer. Such strategy may be implemented by the Agriculture Ministry, Bangladesh Agriculture Research Council, Directorate of Agriculture Extension, Bangladesh Rice Research Institute, Jute Research Institute, Bangladesh Agriculture Research Institute, Bangladesh Sugar and Food Industries Corporation.

Industry: The industries identified by the Directorate of Environment in the group of polluting industries, measures should be taken against them as early as possible. The strategy should be imposed by the Agriculture Ministry, Directorate of Forest, Commerce Ministry, Controller of Export Import, Plant Protection Wing, Directorate of Agriculture Extension, Bangladesh Sugar and Food Industries Corporation.

Health: Pure drinking water supply and sanitary latrine in urban and rural areas should be introduced. Industrial and agricultural wastes which are harmful for the health should not be dumped in the river, pond, canal and ditches. This should be controlled through the imposition of appropriate regulations. Those strategies will be maintained by the Local

Government Division, Directorate of Public Health Engineering, Paurashava Authority and Directorate of Environment.

Water Development, Flood Control and Irrigation: For the expansion of the project on Water Development, Flood Control and Irrigation, environmental audit is necessary. Based on that audit, environmental degradation areas will be identified and appropriate measures will be undertaken. Roads and Highways Department, Bangladesh Road Transport Authority, Directorate of Environment, Water Development, Flood Control and Irrigation Ministry and Bangladesh Water Development Board will responsible for implementation of those strategies.

Land: Landuse regulations should be prepared and their effective use will be confirmed for planned use of land. Land Ministry, Agriculture Ministry, Industrial and other relevant Ministries, Local Government Division, Works Ministry, Directorate of Forest and Zila Parishad will responsible for such strategies.

Industrial Policy

At first, in the year 1999, government of Bangladesh has approved and notified the Industrial Policy. Again, in the year 2005, Industrial Policy of Bangladesh was published by the government. Both the Policies are synonyms and foremost objective is to setup planned industries considering the domestic demand, prospect of exporting goods and discouraging unplanned industrial growth in the light of past experience.

Objectives

Objective of the industrial policy is –

- To expand the production-base of the economy by accelerating the level of industrial investment.
- To promote the private sector to lead the growth of industrial production and investment.
- To focus the role of the government as a facilitator in creating an enabling environment for expanding private investment.
- To permit public undertaking only in those industrial activities where public sector involvement is essential to facilitate the growth of the private sector and / or where there are overriding social concerns to be accommodated.
- To attract foreign direct investment in both export and domestic market-oriented industries to make up for the deficient domestic investment resources and to acquire evolving technology and gain access to export markets.
- To ensure rapid growth of industrial employment by encouraging investment in labour intensive manufacturing industries including investment in efficient small and cottage industries.
- To generate female employment in higher skill categories through special emphasis on skill development.
- To raise industrial productivity and to move progressively to higher value added products through skill and technology up gradation.

- To enhance operational efficiency in all remaining public manufacturing enterprises through appropriate management restructuring and pursuit of market-oriented policies.
- To diversify and rapidly increase export of manufactures.

Strategies

All regulatory barriers will be removed within the quickest possible time to facilitate easy and rapid flow of domestic private and foreign direct investment. Appropriate legal framework will be put in place to protect both investor and consumer rights to ensure proper market operation and consequently, for lowering cost of doing business.

- There will be no discrimination between domestic and foreign investment. Due emphasis will be given to promotion of regional and sub-regional cooperation.
- Existing public sector enterprises will be progressively privatized and public industrial investment will be limited to only those cases where there is special need to complement private investment or where there is an overriding social and national objective to be achieved.
- The capital market will be developed and strengthened to mobilize domestic savings and to attract foreign investment.
- Development of the infrastructure including port facilities, energy, transport and communication and human resource development will receive high priority. Private investment including "Build, Operate and Own" (BOO) and "Build Operate and Transfer" (BOT) methods will be particularly encouraged in these sectors.
- Intensive industrial zones development will be undertaken together with balanced geographical dispersal of the zones in areas with growing potential to the utilization of local resources as more infrastructural and other facilities are put in place.
- Consistent with the charter of World Trade Organization (WTO), protection to domestic industries from external competition will be rationalized.
- To retain the competitive edge of domestic products, wage increases will be linked to productivity trends, and appropriate labour laws will be put in place to ensure congenial industrial relations.

The industrial investment will be encouraged through tariff rationalization and (appropriate fiscal measures. The import and export policies will also be made supportive of and consistent with the Industrial Policy.

The Kotchandpur Paurashava is agro-based urban area. To reduce poverty and generate employment opportunities, more efforts are needed to establish agro-based industries in the light of Industrial Policy, 2005. This effort will ensure protection and fair price of agro-products and employment opportunities for unemployed people. In order to create further employment opportunities beyond the agricultural sector, initiatives should be taken to setup small, medium and large industries across the country. A well organized linking among those industries in case of raw materials and supply of labour will be needed. If these types of industries setup in a planned way, unemployment rate will decline and poverty alleviation will be accelerated.

Health Policy

National Health Policy was approved and published by the government in the year 2000. Aim of the Health Policy is –

- To develop a system to ensure easy and availability of health services for the people living in urban and rural areas.
- To ensure optimum quality, acceptance and availability of primary health care including government medical services at the Upazila and Union level.
- To adopt satisfactory measures for ensuring improved maternal and child health at the Union level and install facilities for safe child delivery in each village.
- To improve overall reproductive health resources and services.
- To ensure the presence of full-time doctors, nurses and other officers / staffs, provide and maintain necessary equipment and supplies at each of the Upazila Health Complexes and Union Health and Family Welfare Centres.
- To formulate specific policies for medical colleges and private clinics, and to introduce appropriate laws and regulations for the control and management of such institutions including maintenance of service quality.
- To explore ways to make the family planning program more acceptable, easily available and effective among the extremely poor and low-income communities.
- To arrange special health services for mentally retarded, physical disabled and for elderly population.
- Strategies
- Some of the strategies of health policy are:
- The aim “health for all” will be implemented through awareness building strategies. Cost-effective procedures to deliver health services will be the prime consideration.
- A specific organization will perform responsibility for Epidemiological Surveillance to control the spread of epidemic diseases. Such concept will be included with different programs.

The services delivering by the health centers to the patient should be standard and a printed guideline on standard, monitoring and evaluation will be given to those health centers.

- A Health Services Reforms Body will be formed based on the Health and Population Sector Strategy. This Body will responsible for infrastructural reformation, employment, development planning and implementation of human resources relevant with the health activities and development of carrier of workforces.

National Urban Policy

National urban policy aims to strengthen the aspects of urbanization and at the same time effectively deal with its negative consequences in order to achieve sustainable urbanization. Diffusion of urbanization and rural-urban linkages is an important issue in this regard. There is need for decentralization of power from central to local government. The major objectives of national urban policy will aim to:

- Ensure regionally balanced urbanization through diffused development and hierarchically structured urban system.
- Facilitate economic development, employment generation, reduction of inequality and poverty eradication through appropriate regulatory frameworks and infrastructure provisions.
- Ensure optimum utilization of land resources and meet increased demand for housing and urban services through public-private partnerships.
- Protect, preserve and enhance urban environment, especially water bodies.
- Devolve authority at the local urban level and strengthen local governments through appropriate powers, resources and capabilities so that these can take effective responsibility for a wide range of planning, infrastructure provision, service delivery and regulatory functions.
- Involve all sectors of the community, in participatory decision-making and implementation processes.
- Ensure social justice and inclusion by measures designed to increase the security of poor people through their access to varied livelihood opportunities, secure tenure and basic affordable services.
- Take in to account, particular needs of women, men, children, youth, elderly and the disabled in developing policy responses and implementation.
- Assure health, safety and security of all citizens through multifaceted initiatives to reduce crime and violence.
- Protect, preserve and enhance the historical and cultural heritage of cities and enhance their aesthetic beauty.
- Develop and implement urban management strategies and governance arrangements for enhancing complementary roles of urban and rural areas in sustainable development.
- Ensure good governance by enhancing transparency and establishing accountability.

Rural Development Policy

From the year 1987 to 2011, government has framed and implemented different projects and programs for the betterment of rural people. Those projects and programs as mentioned in the Rural Development Policy of Bangladesh are:

- Food for Works Program (Lj-SI çhçej-u MjcÉ LjÑp\$Q£)
- G.R Program (Gratuitous Relief Program)
- T.R Program (Test Relief Program)
- V.G.D Program (Vulnerable Group Development Program)
- V.G.F Program (Vulnerable Group Feeding Program)
- Single-House Single-Farm Program (HLçV hjs£ HLçV Mijil LjÑp\$Q£)
- Back to home Program(O-l @glj LjÑp\$Q£)
- Food for Education Program(Mi-cÉI çhçej-u çnrj LjÑp\$Q£)
- Rural Occupational Project(fõ£ S£çhLjue fÉLÒf)

- Poverty Reduction Project(c;çlâ çh-j;Qe fËLÒf)
- Self-employment Program for Women(jçqm;cl BaË-LjÑpwØq;e fËLÒf)
- Women Empowerment Program (jçqm;cl pij;çSL rja;ue fËLÒf)
- Coordinated Women Development Program (pjçeÄa jçqm; Eæue fËLÒf)
- Peace Home Program (n;çç¹ çeh;ip LjÑp\$Q£)
- Shelter Support Program (BnËue LjÑp\$Q£)
- Educational Allowance Program (çnr; Efhªçš LjkÑH²j)
- Aged-allowance Program(huØLi;a; LjkÑH²j)
- Micro-credit Program(r¥âGZ LjÑp\$Q£)
- Allowances for Widowed, Poor and Husband-renouncement Women Program(çdh; çxØq J üjj£ çlaËJ²; jçqm;cl SeË i;a; fËc;e LjÑp\$Q£)

Aims and objectives

Some of the aims and objectives of the Rural Development Policy is presented here.

- To increase the income and provision of jobs for the Villagers, especially for women and people under low-living standard in the rural areas.
- To confirm sustainable economic and social development through poverty reduction.
- To encourage self-employment opportunities in the rural areas.
- To emphasize for the development of rural wealth according to the equal distribution of economy and national development as prescribed in the Constitution of Bangladesh.
- To give confirmation to the rural people about infrastructural development, equal distribution of wealth and marketing of the agricultural production.
- To produce technologically efficient people about education, technical education and trainings in rural areas.
- Identification of demand and their fulfillment for socio-economic development of rural poor, persons involved with the production, especially small farmers and landless people.
- To reduce distances between towns and villages about services prevail through collective efforts and develop gradually.

Programs

Programs for the rural development may be framed on Involvement of people with the decision-making and development activities, Poverty reduction, Rural infrastructural development, Agro-based rural economy, Rural educational system, Village health service and development of foodstuffs, Village population control, Development of village settlement, Landuse and development, Village industrial expansion, Increase of capital and financing, Women empowerment, Development of village child and youth, Development of village backward population, Area-based special development program, Self-employment for self-dependent, Cooperative system for rural development and Conservation of rural environment.

5.2 Laws and Regulations Related to -

5.2.1 Urban Development Control

For planned urban development the Paurashava Act 2009 has made the provision of having a Master Plan prepared by a Paurashava within five years of its inception. The function of the Paurashava also includes that it ensures planned development following the rules of the ordinance. The President of Bangladesh is empowered through the Constitution (called constitutional Wright) to establish, control and removal of any government office. This is a part of national administration. The President of Pakistan, in the year 1960 was enacted the Municipal Administration Ordinance, 1960. In the year 1977, some of the Municipalities were upgraded and re-named as Paurashava and administered through the Paurashava Act, 1977. Again, in the year 2009, Paurashava Act, 1977 was re-named as Local Government (Paurashava) Act, 2009.

The Local Government (Paurashava) Act, 2009 was in acted and this is the only regulation executes by the Paurashava authority. The Paurashava authority may provide the functions as prescribed in the Act, no provision is being outlined to control and manage those functions. The jurisdiction of this act on other regulations includes following Acts and Ordinances. The Paurashava may enforce those regulations according to their capacity.

- AᵢϕbÑL fĒϕaùje AᵢCe, 1993 (1993 p-el 27 ew AᵢCe)
- AbÑ GZ Aᵢcᵢma AᵢCe, 2003 (2003 p-el 8ew AᵢCe)
- ÛÛje£u pLlᵢl Lϕjne AdÉᵢ-cn, 2008
- hᵢwmᵢ-cn nĒj AᵢCe, 2006 (2006 p-el 42 ew AᵢCe)
- Cantonments Act, 1924 (Act No. II of 1924)
- District Act, 1836 (Act No. I of 1836)
- The Penal Code, 1890 (Act No. XLV of 1890);
- Prevention of Corruption Act, 1947 (Act No. II of 1947)
- hÉᵢwL ®LᵢÇfje£ AᵢCe, 1991 (1991 p-el 14 ew AᵢCe)
- The Bangladesh Shilpa Rin Sangstha Order, 1972 (P.O. No. 128 of 1972)
- The Bangladesh Shilpa Bank Order, 1972 (P.O. No. 129 of 1972)
- The Bangladesh House Building Finance Corporation Order, 1973 (P.O. No. 17 of 1973)
- The Bangladesh Krishi Bank Order, 1973 (P.O. No. 27 of 1973)
- The Investment Corporation of Bangladesh Ordinance, 1976 (Ordinance No. XL of 1976)
- The Rajshahi Krishi Unnayan Bank Ordinance, 1986 (Ordinance No. LV III of 1986)
- ®LᵢÇfje£ AᵢCe, 1994 (1994 p-el 18 ew AᵢCe)
- Local Government (Paurashava) Act, 2009
- Local Government (Paurashava) Ordinance, 2009 (Ordinance No. XLXVIII of 2009)
- SeÈ J jªaÉ ϕehåe AᵢCe, 2004 (2004 p-el 29 ew AᵢCe) (see section 53(2)(Q))
- Evidence Act, 1872 (Act No. I of 1872) (see section 131)
- fö ®ᵢN AᵢCe, 2005

On the other hand, the Paurashava is empowered for delivery urban services, collection of taxes and tolls, preparation of budget, control development and other physical activities provide health and social services and electoral role. All of those activities are guided through this Ordinance. In case of regulatory involvement, the Ordinance is wide enough than other authorities. The Ordinance proves that the Paurashava is independent and self regulatory body, but due to the absence of necessary manpower, technological support and government initiative in financial matter, the Paurashava is dependent on central government.

Building Construction Rules, 1996

Building Construction: The Paurashava Authority is the custodian and enforcement authority of the Building Construction Act, 1952 and Building Construction Rules, 1996 for any construction in the Paurashava premises. Section 3(1) of the Act presents control on building construction in the country. Mostly approval system of the building plan prescribed in the Rules and punishment for the breach of regulation presented in the Act. But the approval system is lengthy and volume of punishment is poor.

Density Control: Section 12(1) of Building Construction Rules, 1996 sets a formula for building height determination based on the width of the front road. This rule imposes a limit on the building height as long as the front road is less than 75 ft. (22.87 meter). Indirectly this limits the number of family or the size of population in a building. Setback rule of the building and approval system of the building plan also prescribed in the Building Construction Rules.

Excavation of Tank: Section 3(2) of the Act presents control on the excavation of Tank in the urban area. Approval for such excavation will be needed from the concerned authority. The regulation mostly enforces by the Development Authority and the Deputy Commissioner enforces on the areas other than the jurisdiction of Development Authority.

Raging of Hill: Section 3(3) of the Act presents regulation on the raging of hill. In the Act it is prescribed that anybody is not authorized for raging of hill without approval from the concerned authority. Development Authority and Deputy Commissioner is the concerned authority.

National Reservoir Protection Act, 2000

Playfield, Open space, Garden and Natural Tank in Urban Areas Preservation Act, 2000 (Act No.XXXVI of 2000), enacted in 18th September 2000. In short, this Act may be called as National Reservoir Protection Act. The jurisdiction of this Act is covered Metropolitan City, Divisional and District level Cities and all urban areas including Paurashava area. Aim of the Act is to preserve play field, open space, park / garden and natural water reservoir. For the Paurashava premises, Paurashava Authority is empowered for enforcement of the said Act.

According to the section 5 of this Act, any area demarcated as Playfield, Open space, Garden and Natural Tank should not be changed with other use or it is prohibited for rent, leasing or any other procedure followed by, or handover to anybody for such changes. Again, according to the section 6, approval from concerned authority through application within stipulated time will be needed for any change of the area identified as play field, open space and natural tank. Punishment for such changes without approval from concerned authority is presented in the section 8. For such unlawful activities, punishment

may be 5 years imprisonment or Tk 50,000 as a penalty or both. For preservation of natural water bodies in the Paurashava, this Act will be the important tool of the Paurashava authority.

Acquisition and Requisition of Immovable Property Ordinance, 1982

For any physical development activities, acquisition of land is needed primarily. In the Paurashava premises, for acquisition of land, the Paurashava Authority will request to the Deputy Commissioner to acquire the land needed. It is said in the section 3 of the Acquisition and Requisition of Immovable Property Ordinance, 1982, whenever it appears to the Deputy Commissioner that any property in any locality is needed or is likely to be needed for any public purpose or in the public interest, he shall cause a notice to be published at convenient places on or near the property in the prescribed form and manner stating that the property is proposed to be acquired.

Brick Burning (Control) Ordinance, 1989

Chairman of the Upazila Parishad is the enforcement authority of the Brick Burning (Control) Ordinance, 1989. In this Ordinance, control imposes only on the brick burning and said that no person should use wood for such purposes (section 5). For the violation of this regulation, the accused person may be punished with 6 months imprisonment or punished with a fine Tk. 10,000 or with both.

Conservation of Environment Act, 1995

Directorate of Environment is the enforcement authority of the Conservation of Environment Act, 1995. According to the Act, government can declare ecologically critical area through Gazette Notification (section 5(1)). Such critical environment may be created through human activities or climatic disturbances. Control on motorized vehicles who exhausts smoke dangerous for human health has prescribed in the section 6. Punishment for violation of any order presented in the Act may be 5 years imprisonment or fine with Tk. 1, 00, 000 or with both.

Rural Electrification Board Ordinance, 1977

Government of Bangladesh has enacted the Rural Electrification Board Ordinance on 29th October 1977. Section 8 of the Ordinance has presented functions of the Board and among them two functions are -

- (a) To establish electricity generation transmission, transformation and distribution systems in the rural areas of Bangladesh.
- (b) To take measures for effective use of electricity to foster rural development with special emphasis on increase of use of electric power for economic pursuits such as development of agriculture and establishment of rural industries and assisting the advantaged sections of the community for augmenting their income and standard of living.

Public Health (Emergency Provisions) Ordinance, 1944

Department of Public Health Engineering is the enforcement authority of the Public Health (Emergency Provisions) Ordinance, 1944. The Department is responsible for supply of drinking water also in the Paurashava premises. According to the section 7(1), "a local authority may supply water to any local authority or to any other authority or person within or without its local area upon such terms as may be agreed, notwithstanding any provision

prohibiting or restricting such supply contained in any other law.” Based on such regulation, the Department is performing his duty in the Paurashavas.

Land Development for Private Housing Project Act, 2004

The Act was enacted on 1st March 2004 to control land under private housing and develop accordingly. The authority who has prepared master plan, the Act will be enforced on those areas. It is said in the section 1(2) of this Act that, this Act will be enforced under the jurisdiction of the master plan areas prepared under the guidance of The Town Improvement Act, 1953 and The Building Construction Act, 1952.” According to the regulation prescribed above, the private housing construction in the Paurashava area may be controlled through this Act but, an amendment will be necessary to include the name of Local Government (Paurashava) Act, 2009 under which the Master Plan (Structure Plan, Urban Area Plan and Ward Action Plan) is being prepared.

5.2.2 Paurashava Development Management

After the independence (1971), all local government systems were abolished by the Presidential Order No. 7 in the year 1972 and appointed an administrator in each of the Municipality. After this Order, name of the Local Governments were changed as Town Panchayat instead of Union Committee, Shahar Committee instead of Town Committee and Paurashava instead of Municipal Committee. Shahar Committee was renamed as Paurashava in the year 1973 with a Presidential Order No. 22 and introduced election procedure for the Chairman and Vice-chairman. Thana Parishad Ordinance, 1976 (Ordinance No. XXXII of 1976) was enacted in 21st May 1976 to provide for the constitution of Thana Parishad. Paurashava Act, was enacted and notified in the year 1977. Nine Commissioner and selection of female Commissioner in every Paurashava was provisioned in the Ordinance. According to the Paurashava (amendment) Ordinance, 1998, re-distribution of Paurashava Wards was introduced and the Paurashava belongs with 3 Wards proposed for 9 Wards and 12 Wards instead of 4 Wards. One Commissioner for every Ward and one-third Ward of every Paurashava was reserved for female Commissioner who was elected by the general election of the country. Local Government (Paurashava) Act, 2008 (Ordinance No. XVII of 2008) was provisioned one Mayor, 9 ward councillors and 3 female Councilors for every Paurashava. Mayor and Councilors will be elected through general election. The provision remains in the Local Government (Paurashava) Act, 2009. From the year 1977 to 2009, Paurashava Ordinance 1977 enforces by the Paurashava authority and the name of the statute was Paurashava Ordinance 1977. After promulgation of the same statute, name of the Ordinance has changed as Local Government (Paurashava) Act, 2009. Generally, people call it Paurashava Act, 2009.

For the management of all physical development activities, a wide range of functions have been prescribed in the Second Schedule of the Act. For efficient management of development, three major activities are prescribed and they are – Town Planning, Building Construction and Development. According to the Second Schedule, functions in brief are presented in the following table.

Table 5.4: Functions in brief prescribed in the Local Government (Paurashava) Act, 2009

Major activity	Specific functions	Functions in brief
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Major activity	Specific functions	Functions in brief
Town planning	Master plan	The Paurashava shall draw up a master plan for the city which shall provide for a survey of the Paurashava including its history, statistics, public services and other prescribed particulars. Development, expansion and improvement of any area within the city; and restrictions; regulation and prohibitions to be imposed with regard to the development of sites, and the erection and re-erection of buildings within the Paurashava.
	Site development schemes	Where a master plan has been drawn up and approved by the government, no owner of lands exceeding such area as may be specified in this behalf in the master plan, shall develop the site or erect a building or any plot of land covered by the provisions of a site development scheme sanctioned to area in the prescribed manner. Among other matters, a site development scheme may provide for- (a) the division of the site into plots; (b) the street, drains and open spaces to be provided; (c) the land to be reserved for public purposes and to be transferred to the Paurashava; (d) the land to be acquired by the Paurashava; (e) the price of plots; (f) the works that shall be executed at the cost of the owner or owners of the site or sites; and (g) the period during which the area shall be developed.
	Execution of Site Development schemes	If any area is developed or otherwise dealt with in contravention of the provisions of the sanctioned Site Development Scheme, the Paurashava may by notice require the owner of such area or the person who has contravened the provisions to make such alteration in the site may be specified in the notice as where such alteration is not made or for any reason cannot be carried out, the Paurashava may, in the prescribed manner require and enforce the demolition of the offending structure; and notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in any law, no compensation shall be payable for such demolition.
Building construction	Building construction and re-construction	Without approval of the building site and plan by the Paurashava, nobody can construct, re-construct any building in the Paurashava area. The Paurashava will approve the plan within sixty days or refund it within that specified time frame; otherwise the plan will be considered as approved.
	Completion of construction and change, etc.	After completion of the approved building, the owner will notify to the Paurashava within 15 days. The Paurashava may inspect the building and if found any violation of the provision prescribed in the Master Plan or in the Site Development Scheme, the Paurashava may demolish the building and the demolishing cost may be incurred from the building owner.
	Building control	If any building or anything fixed thereon, be deemed by the Paurashava to be in a ruinous state or likely to fall or in any way dangerous to any inhabitant of such building or any neighboring building or to any occupier thereof or to passers-by, the Paurashava may by notice required the owner or occupier of such building to take such action in regard to the building as may be specified in the notice, and if there is default, the Paurashava may take the necessary steps itself and the cost incurred thereon by the Paurashava shall be deemed to be a tax levied on the owner or occupier of the building. If a building is in dangerous condition, or otherwise unfit for human habitation, the Paurashava may prohibit the occupation of such building till it has been suitably repaired to the satisfaction of the Paurashava.
Development	Development plans	The Paurashava shall prepare and implement development plans for specific time. Such Plans shall provide for- (a) the promotion, improvement and development of such function or functions of the Paurashava as may be specified; (b) the manner in which the plans shall be financed, executed,

Major activity	Specific functions	Functions in brief
		implemented and supervised; (c) the agency through which the plans shall be executed and implemented; and (d) such other matters as may be necessary.
	Community Development Projects	The Paurashava may, sponsor or promote community development projects for the Paurashava or any part thereof and may in this behalf perform such functions as may be prescribed.
	Commercial schemes	The Paurashava may, with the previous sanction of the Government, promote, administer, execute and implement schemes for undertaking any commercial or business enterprise.
Street	Public streets	The Paurashava shall provide and maintain such public street and other means of public commutation as may be necessary for the comfort and convenience of the inhabitants of the Paurashava and of the visitors thereto.
	Streets	No new street shall be laid out except with the previous sanction of the Paurashava. The Paurashava may by notice required that any street may be paved, matalled, drained, channeled, improved or lighted in such manner as may be specified in the notice, and in the event of default, the Paurashava may have the necessary work done through its agency, and the cost incurred thereon by the Paurashava shall be deemed to be a tax levied on the person concerned.
	General provisions about streets	The Paurashava may assign names to streets and paint the names or fix the nameplates on or at conspicuous places at or near the end corner or entrance of the street. No person shall destroy, deface or in any way injure any street, name or name plate, or without the previous permission of the Paurashava, remove the same.
	Street lighting	The Paurashava shall take such measures as may be necessary for the proper lighting of the public streets and other public places vesting in the Paurashava.
	Street watering	The Paurashava shall take such measures as may be necessary for the watering of public streets for the comfort and convenience of the public, and for this purpose, maintain such vehicles, staff and other apparatus necessary.
	Traffic control	The Paurashava shall make such arrangements for the control and regulation of traffic necessary to prevent danger and ensure the safety, convenience and comfort of the public.
	Public vehicles	No person shall keep or let for hire or drive or propel within the limits of the Paurashava any public vehicle other than a motor vehicle except under a license granted by the Paurashava, and in conformity with the conditions of such license. No horse or other animal shall be used for drawing a public vehicle within the limits of the Paurashava except under a license granted by the Paurashava.
Water supply and drainage	Water supply	The Paurashava may provide supply of wholesome water sufficient for public and private purposes. Frame and execute water supply scheme for the construction and maintenance of such works for storage and distribution of water.
	Private sources of water supply	All private sources of water supply within the Paurashava shall be subject to control, regulation and inspection by the Paurashava. No new well, water pump or any other source of water for drinking purposes shall be dug, constructed or provided except with the sanction of the Paurashava.
	Drainage	The Paurashava shall provide an adequate system of public drains in the and all such drains shall be constructed, maintained, kept, cleared and emptied with due regard to the heal and convenience of the public. All private drains shall be subject to control, regulation and inspection by the Paurashava
	Drainage scheme	The Paurashava may prepare a drainage scheme in the prescribed manner of the construction of drains at public and private expense. The

Major activity	Specific functions	Functions in brief
		drainage scheme as approved by the government shall be executed and implemented within specified period.
	Bathing and washing place	The Paurashava may from time to time set a suitable place for use by the public for bathing, washing cloths, or for drying cloth. Specify the time at which and the sex of persons by whom such places may be used. No person shall establish, maintain or run a bath for public use except under a license granted by the Paurashava.
	Dhobi ghat and washer men	The Paurashava may provide dhobi ghats for the exercise of their calling by washer men, and may regulate the use of dhobi ghats and levy fees for their use.
	Public water-course	The Paurashava may declare any source of water, spring, river, tank, pond, or public stream, or any part thereof within the Paurashava, which is not private property, to be a public watercourse.
	Public ferries	The Paurashava may by by-laws provide for the licensing of boats and other vassals plying for hire in a public water-course to be a public ferry and may entrust the management thereof to the Paurashava, and there upon the Paurashava shall manage and operate the public ferry in such manner and levy such tolls as prescribed.
	Public fisheries	The Paurashava may declare any public watercourse as a public fishery, and there upon the right of fishing in such water course shall vest in the Paurashava which may exercise such right in such manner as may be prescribed.

5.3 Strength and Weaknesses of the Existing Policies

The Consultant has identified following weaknesses in the existing policies. These are – accommodation of future thrust of growth, supply of safe drinking water, providing safe and easy accessibility, use of agriculture production in income generating activities and create provision for further investment.

The primary motive is to exercise control over unorganized development and promotion of planned infrastructure development to accommodate future urban growth. The Paurashava will be developed as a self-contained town in rural environs.

Many factors are involved with this such as landuse change, increase of commuters, increase of vehicular movement, forward linkage of commodities and social changes of the Paurashava dwellers.

To increase the agro-product and use them in income generating activities, a vast agriculture land will be used and at the sametime, the existing agriculture land should be preserved. Further residential expansion should be controlled through the imposition of development control. In this context, concept of cluster development and compact township approach should be provisioned in the plan. Vertical development will be encouraged rather than horizontal to save the agriculture land.

CHAPTER-6

PROJECTION OF FUTURE GROWTH BY 2031

6.1 Introduction

The Chapter presents future growth of the Paurashava according to the population, economy and landuse. The projected period for those components has been considered for the year 2010 to 2031. In case of population and landuse, projection has been presented but in case of economy, opportunities have been considered. For the KotchandpurPaurashava, government policy is the prime focus as economic opportunity but that is not considered here. Existing local economic strength considers as the basis of economic opportunity. Agriculture, fish, livestock and poultry, local fruits and availability of labour force considers as a basic components of the economic opportunities.

6.2 Projection of Population

According to BBS, Population Census 2011, Growth rate of urban area in Bangladesh was 1.47% and total Urban Population was 2,74,68,789. In the year 2011 the growth rate of Kotchandpur Paurashava was 0.63% according to the BBS 2011, consider the growth rate of the Kotchandpur Upazilla. The growth rate scenario of Bangladesh and Kotchandpur Paurashava according to the BBS-2011 has been shown in the following Table 6.1. It is not expecting that the growth rate remain same up to the year 2030 as present rate.

Table 6.1: Population growth Rate Scenario

Administrative Unit	Growth rate
Bangladesh	1.47 (BBS, 2001)
Jhenaidah Zilla	1.13 (BBS 2011)
Kotchandpur Upazilla	0.63 (BBS 2001)
Kotchandpur Paurashava	0.63 (BBS 2011)

Note: Community Series (Zilla: Jhenaidah), Bangladesh Population Census-2011, and estimated from BBS, 2011 and Kotchandpur Paurashava 2011.

Basis of population projection:As projections are based on the assumption that the past trends will continue to operate in the future, population of current year (according to Kotchandpur Upazilla, 2011) have been taken to estimate throw growth rate bycompound rate of growth method. Using this method, the growth rate of Kotchandpur Paurashava is found 0.63% which is very low compare with national urban population growth rate. As this is a old Paurashava it is assumed the population growth rate may increase. Considering the national urban population growth rate the population growth rate of Kotchandpur Paurashava is considered as 1.5 annually. The formula quoted in calculation of the population projection is -

$$F = A (1+r)^n$$

F=Projected population

A=Current population

R=Growth Rate

N=Year

The growth rate as presented and calculated in the Table-7.1 is considered for the preparation of population projection. Following the equation, Geometric Progression Method the projected population found for the year 2031 is 44573 which are 1.35 times higher than the present population(33094) of Kotchandpur Paurashava. The projection is showing slow increase of population.

Table 6.2: Ward wise Projected Population(growth rate 1.5%)

Ward	2011	2016	2021	2026	2031
1	3322	3579	3855	4153	4474
2	5442	5863	6316	6804	7330
3	3690	3975	4282	4613	4970
4	3936	4240	4568	4921	5301
5	3768	4059	4373	4711	5075
6	2514	2708	2918	3143	3386
7	4175	4498	4845	5220	5623
8	3594	3872	4171	4493	4841
9	2653	2858	3079	3317	3573
Total	33094	35652	38407	41375	44573

Note: Population projection estimated from Community Series (Zilla: Jhenaidah), Bangladesh Population Census-2011.

6.3 Identification of Future Economic Opportunities

There are enormous possibilities of development of this project area. The major prospects are:

Through providing training to the fish-farmers and fishing entrepreneurs and other necessary institutional support mixed culture of fish and paddy, could be developed;

Agro-based industries including food processing SMEs based on local raw materials has a good prospect to develop in the project area;

As Jhenaidah Highway has just passed through the Project area, it has great potentiality to develop as industrial area and area for other important trade and commercial activities.

6.4 Projection of Landuse

Landuse requirement

Most of the land of this Paurashava is agricultural land. There are also a large numbers of industries are seen in this Paurashava. Agriculture and manufacturing based township can be encouraged in the preparation of Master Plan. Growth of population is the natural trend and at the sametime, expansion of non-agricultural use on agriculture land is also natural tendency of the people. This will be controlled through the Compact Township concept with the encouragement of vertical development. In case of government services, specific building may accommodate different type of offices.

Future landuse will be calculated according to the development control for the masses and the standard supplied by the LGED. In case of public land, existing use and khas land will be emphasized. Willingness and participation of the people in development activities will be the key factor for future landuse demarcation. Slow change of landuse will be emphasized rather than rapid change. Let the people do whatever he likes on own land – such concept should not be considered for future projection of landuses. Three parts of the projection are landuse change, landuse control and landuse restriction will be included in the Master Plan. In any case, river front areas should be restricted for human habitation. As a result, river water will safe from contamination.

In case of landuse change, the standard given by the LGED according to the projected population and area for the specific service will be calculated. But, the agriculture land should be preserved from any type of physical development. It should not be decreased. The vertical expansion will be emphasized rather than horizontal. In case of road network planning, missing links will be prescribed rather than new roads. For the development of pisciculture, all ponds and ditches may be preserved, in some exceptional cases; small number of ditches may be used for physical development activities. Landuse control and landuse restriction will be imposed by the Paurashava according to the prescribed plan.

People's willingness will be considered as important base for the projection because the Master Plan is for the inhabitants of the Paurashava. They will be the beneficiary group of that Master Plan. Their willingness in case of use and land allocation, location, expansion provision will be the important consideration. On the basis of fulfillment of their demand, they will like to involve them willingly in the implementation procedure of the Master Plan.

Demand Analysis

Different methods will be followed for the calculation of landuse demand (such as 1 acre land for 20000 populations in case of a primary school). Demand for utility services, will be calculated according to the growth of people and the standard followed in the country. In case of special allocation, emergency services and restricted use of land, any method should not be considered. An amount of land will be allocated or preserved for that service. Future projection of different types of land uses depend mainly on the projected future population of the town. Existing population of Kotchandpur Paurashava is 33094. The population as projected for the year 2031 would be 37294. Land use projections for different types of land depends on the requirements land for different residential, commercial, industrial, educational and service (including Govt. Non-Govt, service and community service) activities based on certain specific standards for each of the use-types.

Table 6.3: Standard of Landuse and future need

Types of Land Uses	Recommended Standard	Existing (acre)	Future land requirement			
			2016	2021	2026	2031
Residential		861.93	356.52	384.07	413.76	445.73
General residential	100 persons/1 acre		356.52	384.07	413.76	445.73
Real Estate –Public/Private	200 population/ 1 acre		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Roads		105.13	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
- Paurashava primary roads	150 –100 feet		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
- Paurashava secondary roads	100 –60 feet		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
-Paurashava local roads	40 - 20 feet		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Education		27.12	63.48	68.38	73.67	79.36
- Nursery	0.5 acre/10,000 population		3.57	3.84	4.14	4.46
- Primary School/ kindergarten	2.00 acres/5000 population		14.26	15.36	16.55	17.83
- Secondary/High School	5.00 acres /20,000 population		8.91	9.60	10.34	11.14
- College	10.00 acres/20,000 population		17.83	19.20	20.69	22.29
- Vocational Training Centre	5 - 10 acres / Upazila		10.00	10.77	11.61	12.50
- Other	5.00 acres / 20,000 population		8.91	9.60	10.34	11.14
Open Space			86.65	93.35	100.58	108.33
- Play field/ground	3.00 acres/20,000 population		5.35	5.76	6.21	6.69
- Stadium/sports complex	5 – 10 acres/Upazila HQ		10.00	10.77	11.61	12.50

Types of Land Uses	Recommended Standard	Existing (acre)	Future land requirement			
			2016	2021	2026	2031
- Park	1.00 acre /1000 population	1.13	35.65	38.41	41.38	44.57
- Neighborhood park	1.00 acre /1000 population		35.65	38.41	41.38	44.57
Recreational			11.78	12.69	13.67	14.73
- Stadium/sports complex	5 – 10 acres/Upazila HQ	8.52	10.00	10.77	11.61	12.50
- Cinema/ Theatre	1.0 acre /20,000 population		1.78	1.92	2.07	2.23
Health			7.13	7.68	8.28	8.91
- Upazila health complex/ hospital	10 -20 acres/Upazila HQ	8.52		0.00	0.00	0.00
- health centre/Maternity clinic	1.00 acre/ 5,000 population		7.13	7.68	8.28	8.91
Community Facilities		30.37	14.41	15.53	16.73	18.02
- Mosque/Church/Temple	0.5 acre /20,000 population		0.89	0.96	1.03	1.11
- Eidgah/	1.0 acre/20,000 population		1.78	1.92	2.07	2.23
- Graveyard	1.00 acre /20,000 population		1.78	1.92	2.07	2.23
- Community centre	1.00 acre /20,000 population		1.78	1.92	2.07	2.23
- Police Station	3 – 5 acres/Upazila HQ		5.00	5.39	5.80	6.25
- Police Box/outpost	0.5 acre/ per box		0.50	0.54	0.58	0.63
- Fire Station	1.00 acre/ 20,000 population		1.78	1.92	2.07	2.23
- Post office	0.5 acre /20,000 population		0.89	0.96	1.03	1.11
Commerce and Shopping		47.42	39.22	42.25	45.51	49.03
- Wholesale market	1.0 acres/ 10000 population		3.57	3.84	4.14	4.46
- retail sale market	1.0 acres/ 1000 population		35.65	38.41	41.38	44.57
- Corner shops	0.25 acre/per corner shop		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
- neighborhood market	1.00 acre/per neighborhood market		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
- Super Market	1.50 -2.50 acres/per super market		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Industry		32.59	89.13	96.02	103.44	111.43
- small scale	1.50 acres /1000 population		53.48	57.61	62.06	66.86
- cottage/agro-based	1.00 acres /1000 population		35.65	38.41	41.38	44.57
Transportation		4.79	8.96	9.65	10.39	11.20
- Bus terminal	1.0 acre /20,000 population		1.78	1.92	2.07	2.23
- Truck terminal	0.50 acre /20,000 population		0.89	0.96	1.03	1.11
- Launch/steamer terminal	1.00 acre /20,000 population		1.78	1.92	2.07	2.23
- Railway station	4.00 acre / per Station		4.00	4.31	4.64	5.00
- Rickshaw/van stand	0.25 acre /one baby taxi/tempo stand		0.25	0.27	0.29	0.31
- Passenger Shed	0.25 acre /one baby taxi/tempo stand		0.25	0.27	0.29	0.31
Administration		18.11	30.00	30.00	30.00	30.00
- Upazila complex	15.00 acres		15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00
- Paurashava office	3 – 5 acres		5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
- Jail/Sub-Jail	10 acres/Upazila HQ		10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00

Note: Planning standard from PMO and land use demand estimated from the projected population

6.5 Housing

Housing areas in the Paurashava is the composition of an admixer of housing types. Mixed residential, poor dominated rural houses and semi-urban homesteads are found. Most housing areas have developed in a spontaneous fashion. In the rural part of the Paurashava, with its rural-agricultural character, has a different housing type. Population density is very low in this Paurashava. There is informal housing on the abandoned land of absentee land lord. These housing are required to be formalized. Problems relating to the housing are mostly concerned with the poor community. Apart from dwelling, pure water and transportation are real problems for the inhabitants. Municipal services are highly inadequate. Drainage is major problem in rural part of the Paurashava. The Paurashava can not solve the problems due to scarcity of fund.

For effective promotion of housing the government should change its role to a facilitator instead of a provider. Government agencies should provide infrastructure and finance on soft terms and the rest should be left with the private sector. Currently private developers investment shows the future potentiality of housing sector development. There is low potentiality of housing development in Paurashava area.

Basis of housing projection

Existing land use is the only basis for housing projection. Residential use and mixed-use has considered for the year 2011 as base year and projected housing area is calculated considering 150 persons per acre.

Demand analysis

It is estimated that housing demand stands at 562.29 acres at the end of project period 2031. The estimate is based on the standard supplied by the LGED. Minimum housing areas will be needed at the end of 2031, followed by 417.88 acres housing areas in 2016, 509.32 acres in 2021 and 562.29 acres in 2026.

Table 6.4: Ward wise housing demand (in acre)

Ward No.	Existing housing areas	Estimated housing demand			
	2010	2016	2021	2026	2031
1	109.64	35.79	38.55	41.53	44.74
2	83.83	58.63	63.16	68.04	73.30
3	115.52	39.75	42.82	46.13	49.70
4	164.87	42.40	45.68	49.21	53.01
5	97.21	40.59	43.73	47.11	50.75
6	64.14	27.08	29.18	31.43	33.86
7	91.26	44.98	48.45	52.20	56.23
8	69.99	38.72	41.71	44.93	48.41
9	65.84	28.58	30.79	33.17	35.73
Total	861.93	356.52	384.07	413.75	445.73

Source: Land use survey, 2009 and calculated by the consultant

Map 6.1: Population Density of the Study Area

CHAPTER-7

LAND USE ZONING POLICIES AND DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIES

This chapter sets land use policies and development strategies for planning area. It classifies the Structure Plan area into categories and also includes strategies for optimum use of urban land resources, plans for new area development and areas for conservation and protection.

7.1 Zone of Structure Plan Area

To guide long term growth within the Structure Plan Area by means of demarcation of the future growth areas and indication of potential locations of major development zones are broadly classified into seven categories. Table 7.1 shows the Structure Plan area zones, its area and percentage coverage. Details of the description of structure planning zones are given in the following paragraphs.

7.1.1 Core Area

Total 375.42 acres of land, which covers 8.44% of Structure Plan area, is declared as Core Area. It includes major portion of ward 2,3 and ward 4. It is mainly the highest concentration of service area for an example paurashava, upazila complex, schools, post office, police station, bazar area etc. and it has the highest potentiality of development. Because the town developed based on the majorroads. Within this area, there are differences in levels of provision, particularly between the formally developed and planned areas and the majority of unplanned areas. Levels of provision should be maintained in the planned areas. Since these areas are forecasted to show density increase and increased demand and therefore will require regular upgrading. The main thrust to improve services should be in the unplanned zones, particularly where the deficiencies already are great and quality of life will sharply decline when the services also haveto cater for the additional population.

7.1.2 Fringe Area

A total of 784.83 acres of land covering 11.63% of Structure Plan area is declared as Fringe Area. Maximum fringe area of proposed structure plan is located at Ward 1,2,4,6 and 8. This area mainly proposed, where a slow trend of urbanization is continuing in unplanned manner. The area is identified in the Structure Plan as the likely choice for new urban development beyond the core area. Ideally, it might be reasonable to provide primary infrastructure networks in this area to foster development encouraging a more rapid urbanization in a planned way.

Map 7.1: Structure Plan

Table 7.1: Structure Plan Policy Zoning

Zoning	Description of the Zone	Area (acre)	%
Core Area	This area is also known as built-up area. This is defined as the area which has the highest concentration of services; it also has the highest population concentration and density. It will absorb most population growth during the Land use Plan (2011-2021) period.	375.42	8.44
Fringe Area	This zone is developing areas which will take further decades to reach the population densities of the urban core area. Low initial densities in these areas do not justify supply of a full range of services as they will initially be underused. However, it is essential that planning and reservation of rights of way, at least for primary networks, be undertaken soon to enable provision when justified by increased density levels and allowed by resources.	784.83	18.19
Peripheral Area	This is the zone where a slow trend of urbanization is continuing in unplanned manner. The area identified in the Structure Plan as the likely choice for new urban development beyond the core area. Ideally, it might be reasonable to provide primary infrastructure networks in this area to foster development and encouraged to enable a more rapid urbanization in a planned way.	19.03	0.44
New Urban Area	This zone will be the required additional area for future planned urban development as per population projection. New facilities and services like road, drains, footpath, waste transfer station and other civic services will be provided. This area is proposed to grow within 2031.	490.36	11.63
Agriculture	Agricultural land (also <i>agricultural area</i>) denotes the land suitable for agricultural production, both crops and livestock. It is one of the main resources in agriculture. The land under annual crops, such as cereals, other technical crops, potatoes, vegetables, and melons; also includes land left temporarily fallow; land under permanent crops (e.g., fruit plantations); areas for natural grasses and grazing of livestock.	2178.89	50.51
Water body	Water body containing an area equals to or more than 0.3 acres excluding those of khal, irrigation canal and river will be treated as this category.	142.54	3.30
Circulation Network	It covers all the major roads within the structure plan areas.	324.85	7.48
Total		4313.72	100

7.1.3 Peripheral Area

A small portion of land are within this category. A total of 19.03 acres of area, which covers 0.44% of Structure Plan area, is declared as Urban Peripheral Area which mainly is located at the Ward no 2,3,7 and 9 of the Paurashava. This zone is developing areas that will take a longer time to reach the population densities of the urban core area. Low initial densities in these areas do not justify supply of a full range of services as they will initially be underused. However, it is essential that planning and reservation of rights of way, at least for primary networks, be undertaken soon to enable provision when justified by increased density levels and allowed by resources.

7.1.4 New Urban Area

Total 490.36 acres of land covering 11.63% of Structure Plan area is declared as New Urban Area. New urban area mainly proposed on the major portion of Ward no. 05 and ward 09. It is assumed that town will be developed on east side of present core area. So most of the new urban lands in Ward no. 5 and Ward 09 will be use to meet the extra pressure of development trend for this reason. A large portion of land in Ward no. 05 will be used to establish industry and rest of the land will be used for future planned urban development as per population projection.

7.1.5 Agriculture

Total 2178.89 acres of land covering 50.51% of Structure Plan area is declared as Agriculture Area. Northern portion of the Paurashava is mostly declared as agriculture area.

7.1.6 Waterbody

Total 142.54 acres of land covering 3.30% of Structure Plan area is declared as Agriculture Area. It includes River, Canal, ponds and ditches with an area equal to or more than 0.3 acres and river within the Paurashava.

7.1.7 Major Circulation Network

It contains Regional Highway passes over the paurashava area, road network with other neighboring urban centers and also includes the major road way network required for maintaining existing internal communication. Total 324.85 acres of land which covers 7.48% of total structure plan area.

7.2 Strategies for optimum use of Urban Land Resources

7.2.1 Optimum use of Urban Land Resources

With a limited land mass, Bangladesh is the most densely populated country in the world. The land area of the country remains static amid continuously increasing population. Such a situation calls for strict regulation to utilize its scarce land resources for non-agricultural purposes. Increase in urban population means more demand for houses, roads, schools, hospitals, factories, bazars, shops, business centres, offices, other service facilities etc. Providing all these facilities require land and that is at the cost of valuable agricultural land, as the country has hardly any fallow land to accommodate all these land uses. KotchandpurPaurashava is surrounded by valuable fertile agricultural land. Any urban expansion will cost net deduction of agricultural land that will consequently affect local food and cash crop production. Practice of thriftiness on land utilization is, therefore, essentially needed in plans and development proposals. Such practice should start through adoption of conservative and rational standards of space use and their proper application in planning, designing and development. Table 7.2 shows the optimum use of urban land resources.

Table 7.2: Policy for optimum use of urban land resources

Policy	Justification	Means of Implementation	Implementing Agency
Policy UA/1: Optimization of Available Land Resources Growth within the established urban area is not compact inKotchandpur. There are still large amount of land lying vacant amid all categories of land uses within the Paurashava area and beyond. Infilling of these lands should be promoted and encouraged to optimize use of land.	Keeping large land areas vacant within the existing built up area, extension of physical boundary of the town is not logical. Such a tendency might cause valuable agricultural land out of use. There is a need to economize the use of land, which is a scarce resource against an expanding population in the country.	Control: Imposition of tax on the land remaining vacant for a long time can be tried to discourage speculation on the land use practices. Measures should be adopted to minimize the use of land by public sector agencies. Policies to discourage large scale land acquisition for development by the public sector can be tried. Promotion: The public sector should develop infrastructure facilities and services in	-Kotchandpur Paurashava; -Ministry of Land

Policy	Justification	Means of Implementation	Implementing Agency
		deprived areas to enable the land owners for development.	
Policy UA/2: Utilisation of Khas Land for Urban Development	Khas lands are public land that should be made best use for community purpose. Instead of evicting people from their own land for implementing development proposals, khas land should be used as much as possible.	Taking over of khas land by Paurashava that falls under different development proposals under the current development plan. Paurashava can later on hand over the land to the concerned authority that will implement the particular development proposals.	-Kotchandpur Paurashava -Ministry of Land -DC

7.2.2 Plans for New Area Development

Table 7.3 shows policy to develop new urban area. It includes justification of new area development, means of implementation and agencies for implementation.

Table 7.3: Policy for new area development

Policy	Justification	Means of Implementation	Implementing Agency
Policy UA/3: Initiatives For New Urban Area Development	New areas with their growing stage offer excellent opportunity for organized development with little or no compensation cost for eviction and less hindrances in motivation of the local residents in favor of organized development	Participatory approach to new urban area development is to be supported by innovative ideas of spatial development. Long motivational activities will have to be carried out for this purpose. Public sector with technical and financial support of the private sector and cooperation from service giving agencies will make the task easier.	-Kotchandpur Paurashava -DPHE -Private sector.

7.2.3 Areas for Conservation and Protection

To ensure livable environment in the planning area, different areas are conserved in various forms, namely agricultural land, low land, pond and natural drainage, green belt, historic and heritage areas, etc. Details are given in Table 7.4.

Table 7.4: Area for conservation and protection

Type of Land	Means of Implementation	Implementing Agency
Loss of Productive Agricultural Land: The Master Plan area has a vast agricultural land in the northern side of this project. After implementation of the project, environment of agriculture will be converted into non-productive urban and semi-urban area.	The EIA Guidelines of DOE emphasized on the avoidance of productive agricultural land for any development project. Therefore, it will be wise to consider more economical use of land to avoid fertile lands. The town expansion and land acquisition should be based on the growth rate of population. According to population projection for the year 2031, the present residential land use area will grow with increasing density. So a large share of agricultural land can be spared at least for the time being.	- Kotchandpur Paurashava -DOE.
Low Land, Pond and	This area is declared as water body in	-Kotchandpur

Type of Land	Means of Implementation	Implementing Agency
DrainagePath: A total of 92 pond and ditches with an area equal to or more than 0.3 acres within the Paurashava are declared as retention area. In no way permission for filling up of these ponds should be given. Paurashava should acquire these ponds at suitable time to use them for retention and emergency use.	the Master Plan. As per the guideline of Wetland Conservation Act 2000, this area will be conserved as water body. According to population projection for the year 2031, the present residential land use area can be developed with increasing density up to this year. So a large share of water body can be spared.	Paurashava -Water Development Board
Green Belt: The Bank of the Kushiya river is declared as green belt. This area will be used for aforestation and recreational purposes for conservation of environment and creation of opportunity for tourism development in this town.	This area is declared as green belt in the Master Plan.	- KotchandpurPaurashava

7.3 Policies for Development

This section of the chapter sets forth strategies and policies for various components of the Master Plan on sectoral basis.

7.3.1 Policies for Socio-economic Sector

Population

Controlling population should be given utmost importance nationally, as because of the uninterrupted population growth, the country's economic problems are being accentuated, pressing on its resources. It makes poverty reduction difficult, which is the key to overall national development. It is, therefore, necessary to enhance population control drive. The people at the grassroots can play an effective role in this regard. An efficient, well trained and well paid grassroots level work force can help profoundly in achieving the targets of population control policy of the government. Side by side, promotion of education can be very effective in the creation of awareness about small family size. The Paurashava may undertake relevant measures in line with national objectives to strengthen its own position in population planning.

Strategy:

Raise the level of education among mass people and emphasize more on grassroots level family planning workers' services with effective delivery of birth control services.

Table 7.5: Policy for Population Sector

Policy	Executing Agency
Popu/1: Declaring population as one of the most critical sectors of national development Justification: Per capita national growth is being eaten up by constantly growing population. By controlling population, national benefits earned from economic growth can be shared in a better way, raising the level of living standard of the people.	-Ministry of Planning -Ministry of Health and Family Planning
Popu/2: Putting more efforts and resources in raising the level of education. Justification: Education would not only create awareness among the masses about the benefits of small family size, it will also help secure	-Ministry of Education -Ministry of Planning

Policy	Executing Agency
better job with higher pay that would reduce poverty.	-Ministry of Health and Family Planning
Popu/3: Creation of well paid and well trained grassroots level family planning workers for motivational work. Justification: Grassroots level workers can give door to door motivational services and distribute birth control materials in a better way. To get good services they must be efficient and well paid.	-Ministry of Planning -Ministry of Health and Family Planning

Economic Development and Employment Generation

Economic development of any place is associated with generation of employment. The generation of employment depends on the rate of investment in various sectors of an economy. An urban economy of any town starts building up with investment in the basic sector that leads to the building up of the non-basic sector. Investment in basic sector is bright. Besides, it has good communication with other adjoining urban centers. However, the Paurashava must ensure that any foreseeable opportunity in economic development is given due attention for its own growth and economic benefits.

Strategy:

Creating basic sector investment climate and leading the local economy forward through promotion of Small and Medium Enterprises (SME).

Table 7.6: Policy for Economic Development and Employment Generation

Policy	Executing Agency
Econ/1: Provision of bank loans on easy terms to attract prospective investors in the SME sector. Justification: Easy loans would encourage and attract prospective investors for investment in small scale industries.	-Ministry of Industries -Ministry of Commerce
Popu/2: Taking of measures to channelize remittance to value adding productive sectors. Justification: Larger amount of remittance is being diverted to land purchase, which is considered as the safest investment. This huge capital may be diverted to productive sectors to help create more employment.	-Ministry of Industries -Ministry of Commerce
Popul/3: Arranging entrepreneurship training programmes for prospective investors. Justification: There are many potential investors who are ignorant of the ways and means of investment and operation of an enterprise. The training can help them get educated in these lines.	-Ministry of Industries. -Ministry of Commerce.

Housing

There is an extreme demand of housing for the commuter people. Housing policy and programmes are provided and executed by the national government. There is no local office of the National Housing Authority to execute housing programmes at Upazila level. As a local government, Paurashava can facilitate housing area development by means of providing road infrastructure, drainage, water supply, etc in designated housing zones.

The consultant supports the prevailing national housing policy and advocates its execution at all levels, which at the moment is highly lacking.

No slums are observed in this small town, the way they are exposed in large cities. So no slum and squatter related problems are there in the town. This provides a better scope for planned housing development in the Paurashava.

Strategy:

Upholding the role of Paurashava, as a facilitator to provide all necessary infrastructure and services to enable housing by people in general. As a least cost approach, involvement of the land owners can be encouraged in housing area development on a public-private partnership basis.

Table 7.7: Housing and Slum Improvement

Policy	Executing Agency
Policy House/1: Provision of necessary services and facilities to promote housing at private sector. Justification: It is more difficult to provide housing on public sector initiatives, as it involves funding and land acquisition that takes a long time. By providing infrastructure and services, general people can be encouraged to build their own houses.	- National Housing Authority - Ministry of LGRD - KotchandpurPaurashava
Policy House/2: Housing zone land owners can be involved in a participatory development approach, where Paurashava will provide infrastructure and the cost will be shared by land owners.	- National Housing Authority - Ministry of LGRD - KotchandpurPaurashava

Social Amenities and Community Facilities

Social amenities and community facilities include, education facilities, health facilities, open space recreation facilities like, park and playground, amusement park and community centre. For comfortable and healthy urban living, these facilities are the fundamentals. Since these are social services, they must be provided by the public sector agencies as public good. For education and health facilities, the national government has policies and there are separate ministries and their agencies to execute the policies through programmes and projects. There are also Upazila level offices of the concerned agencies to take care of the execution of national education and health policies and programmes. For providing amenities like, park and playground and community centre, the responsibility lies with the Paurashava. For park and playground, the Paurashava may secure local khas land. The open space recreation is difficult to provide as population expands and land price goes higher. Once time is lost, vacant lands are also lost. Amid soaring land price and absence of vacant land, it becomes extremely difficult to provide open space recreation. So, it is better to secure vacant lands for open space before density of population increases and land becomes scarce and pricier. For community center, intensive use of land should be made by making multiple use of the same space, for example, providing community center, ward councillor's office, clinic or any other use in the same building.

Strategy:

Exploring khas /public land within the Paurashava and using the unused/vacant land for providing amenities, before density of population increases and land becomes scarce and dearer.

Table 7.8: Social Amenities and Community Facilities

Policy	Executing Agency
Policy-Amenity/1: Procurement of khas and other public land for park, playfield, community centre. Justification: Since above facilities are non-revenue earning, they should be procured at least cost.	- Ministry of Land - DC Office - Ministry of LGRD - KotchandpurPaurashava
Policy-Amenity/2: Land should be procured for open space facilities as quickly as possible, because when land value will be higher, cost of providing the facilities will also be very higher. Besides, with the growth of population, vacant land will disappear gradually, so no land will be available at strategic locations for providing open space facilities.	- DC Office - Ministry of Land - Ministry of LGRD - KotchandpurPaurashava

7.3.2 Physical Infrastructure Sector

Transport

By far, transport is the most important means to revitalize an urban center. Intra and inter urban transportation facilities create economies of scale for prospective investors and enables easy and comfortable mobility of the residents. Easy and cheaper transportation of raw materials and finished goods create good investment climate for manufacturing enterprises that lead to development of the service sector firms. New employment generates and the non-basic sector expands leading to thriving urban center. To create transportation facilities, quality inter-Upazila and inter-District road network will have to be created that makes movement faster and easy. With good transport infrastructure, economic development may become attractive. Besides, quality of local roads will have to be upgraded to encourage people live in the town. Once population starts increasing, it will expand local consumer market and will attract new investments in consumer goods production.

Strategy:

Creation of efficient inter-city and intra-town communication for easy transportation of goods and passengers.

Table 7.9: Policy for Transport Sector

Policy	Executing Authority
Policy-Transport/1: Development of efficient inter-city road network with standard road. Justification: Increased inter-city mobility will increase business transactions and generate investment and employment.	- Roads and Highways Department (RHD)
Policy-Transport/2: Promotion of efficient road transport facilities between urban centers. Justification: Not only that communication is needed between urban centers, but to attract investment, emphasis must be laid on quality of roads built.	-Bangladesh Road Transport Authority (BRTA) -Dhaka District

Policy	Executing Authority
<p>Policy-Transport/3: Development of local road network through participatory approach.</p> <p>Justification: Development of roads will involve huge cost. Participatory development will enable cost sharing, which will reduce cost of road construction substantially.</p>	<p>- KotchandpurPaurashava - Local Government Engineering Department (LGED)</p>

Utility Services

Utility services are the most essential parts of urban life. To make an urban center livable, there must be adequate provision for utility services. Utility services include water supply, solid waste management, power supply, sanitation and drainage. Except power supply, the rest are the responsibilities of the Paurashava.

Strategy:

Attainment of self reliance in revenue collection and adoption of participatory approach to service provision to ensure better services and facilities to the people.

Table 7.10: Policy for Utility Services

Policy	Executing Agency
<p>Policy-Utility/1: Exploration of alternative sources of water to ensure sustainable supply.</p> <p>Justification: Amid constant rise of urban population, it is time to explore alternative sources of water like, rain water harvesting and surface water supply.</p>	<p>- LGED - KotchandpurPaurashava</p>
<p>Policy-Utility/2: Involvement of beneficiaries in solid waste management.</p> <p>Justification: Involvement of beneficiaries in solid wastemanagement will make the operation more effective and reducefinancial responsibility of the Paurashava.</p>	<p>- KotchandpurPaurashava, - NGOs and CBOs</p>
<p>Policy-Utility/3: Exploring re-use and recycling of waste materials to extract resources.</p> <p>Justification: Re-use and recycling of waste materials will produce resources and reduce cost of waste management.</p>	<p>- KotchandpurPaurashava, - NGOs and CBOs</p>
<p>Policy-Utility/4: Publicity on the benefits of hygienic sanitation to motivate people and enable people to have easy access to sanitary materials.</p> <p>Justification: Motivation will encourage people to adopt healthy sanitation and reduce health risks.</p>	<p>- LGED - KotchandpurPaurashava - NGOs and CBOs</p>
<p>Policy-Utility/5: Protection of natural drainage system and preparation of hierarchical drainage network.</p> <p>Justification: Natural drainage systems are being grabbed and filled up, which increases the risk of water logging. Well planned hierarchical drainage network helps smooth drainage of storm and waste water.</p>	<p>- LGED - KotchandpurPaurashava</p>

7.3.3 Environmental Issues:

From environmental point of view KotchandpurPaurashava is not yet badly affected. There are some issues that must be taken care of. The issue of sanitation has already been dealt within the utility services section. Except cyclone, there is no natural hazard. There is no

mentionable air, water or soil pollution in the Paurashava from any mentionable sources at present.

Natural Resources

The Paurashava is not endowed with many natural resources that can be conserved. Out of the total ponds with an area equal to or more than 0.25 acres, the natural khals and river need to be protected and conserved to ensure sustainability in drainage and water supply of the Paurashava.

Strategy:

All khas land, river and canal should be vested with Paurashava for use in community interest.

Table 7.11: Policy for Natural Resources

Policy	Executing Agency
Policy-Nature /1: All khas lands within the Paurashava must be assessed and handed over to the Paurashava for use in community interest. Justification: This will prevent misuse of khas lands by political and powerful local people.	- Ministry of Land - Kotchandpur Paurashava
Policy-Nature/2: All natural canal and rivers within the Paurashava must be vested with the Paurashava for maintenance and proper use as drainage canal. Justification: This will help prevent unauthorized occupation and filling of natural drainage.	- Ministry of Land - Kotchandpur Paurashava - NGOs and CBOs

CHAPTER-8

IMPLEMENTATION ISSUES

This chapter deals with the issues of implementation of the Master Plan. Here, recommendations have been made about capacity building and resource mobilization for the implementation of the plan.

8.1 Institutional Capacity Building of the Paurashava

In the present context of spatial and legal jurisdiction of the Paurashava for planned development of its area, some recommendations are made here. Also, observing the financial and Institutional strength of individual stakeholders in relation to their liabilities and identifying their shortages and absence of any perfect coordinating body, some suggestions have been made as remedial measures as a whole.

- All urban local governments including Upazila level Paurashavas must be given more independence and autonomy to perform their responsibilities. At the same time, their accountability to the government and people regarding their performance has to be ensured. For this purpose the legal framework of the urban local governments has to be reviewed and updated. The legal provisions have to be consolidated and simplified and make them compatible to changing circumstances. Opportunities must be created in the Act allowing scope for privatization of service providing activities.
- To avoid duplication of development functions, there should be clear line of separation between central government and the urban local government.
- Massive training programme has to be arranged for the municipal staff for computerized accounting, billing and infrastructure development.
- To improve revenue collection, the urban local governments should be given more power and responsibilities. Measures should be taken for strengthening the Paurashava administration for municipal development.
- Section-50 of the Paurashava Act needs to be revised and more power should be given to the Executive Officer for appointment of employees.

It can not virtually function effectively as a Paurashava under such a stringent financial condition. To function, effectively, it must raise its revenue earning. But it is reported that the Paurashava can not collect all its holding tax from the citizens. Holding tax is the most important source of its own revenue earning. It must take care to ensure 100% recovery of holding tax. The Paurashava can not function effectively depending upon government grant only. The existing manpower position of the Engineering, Development control and Accounts should be substantially raised to handle future volume of work. Moreover, additional staff especially for the implementation of Master Plan will soon be required.

The present plan package imposes a large number of development projects on Kotchandpur Paurashava for implementation. Paurashava will not only be the custodian of the plan, it will also directly implement much of the development projects. Besides, it will also be responsible for monitoring and implementation of the development projects by

other urban development and service giving agencies. This situation calls for strengthening of the existing capability of Paurashava.

8.1.1 Staffing and Training

As a traditional system of the Paurashava, engineer and secretary are appointed directly by the Ministry of Local Government and other staffs are appointed locally through the approval of the Ministry after the advertisement on the newspapers. The Paurashava is capable to collect the taxes and tolls prescribed by the government. But still they have lack of tax collection. There is no proper arrangement for staff training only few training are received by LGED which are not sufficient enough. As a result, the staffs are mostly unskilled. They can not deliver proper service to the citizens. Besides, most of them are not qualified enough to render proper services.

8.1.2 Lack of Automation

Still now most works in the Paurashava are done manually. Such practice delays works and deprives the citizens from services. This is also a source of mal-practice and corruption. Modern office and working equipment should be installed. Use of modern technology will increase efficiency in planning and record keeping, finally expedite decision making process.

8.1.3 Town Planning Capacity

At present, the Paurashava has no town planning section or any appropriate manpower to prepare and implement the Master Plan. The Paurashava must strengthen its capacity to implement its Master Plan when it will be completed. It will otherwise be in trouble in the implementation, monitoring and updating the Master Plan.

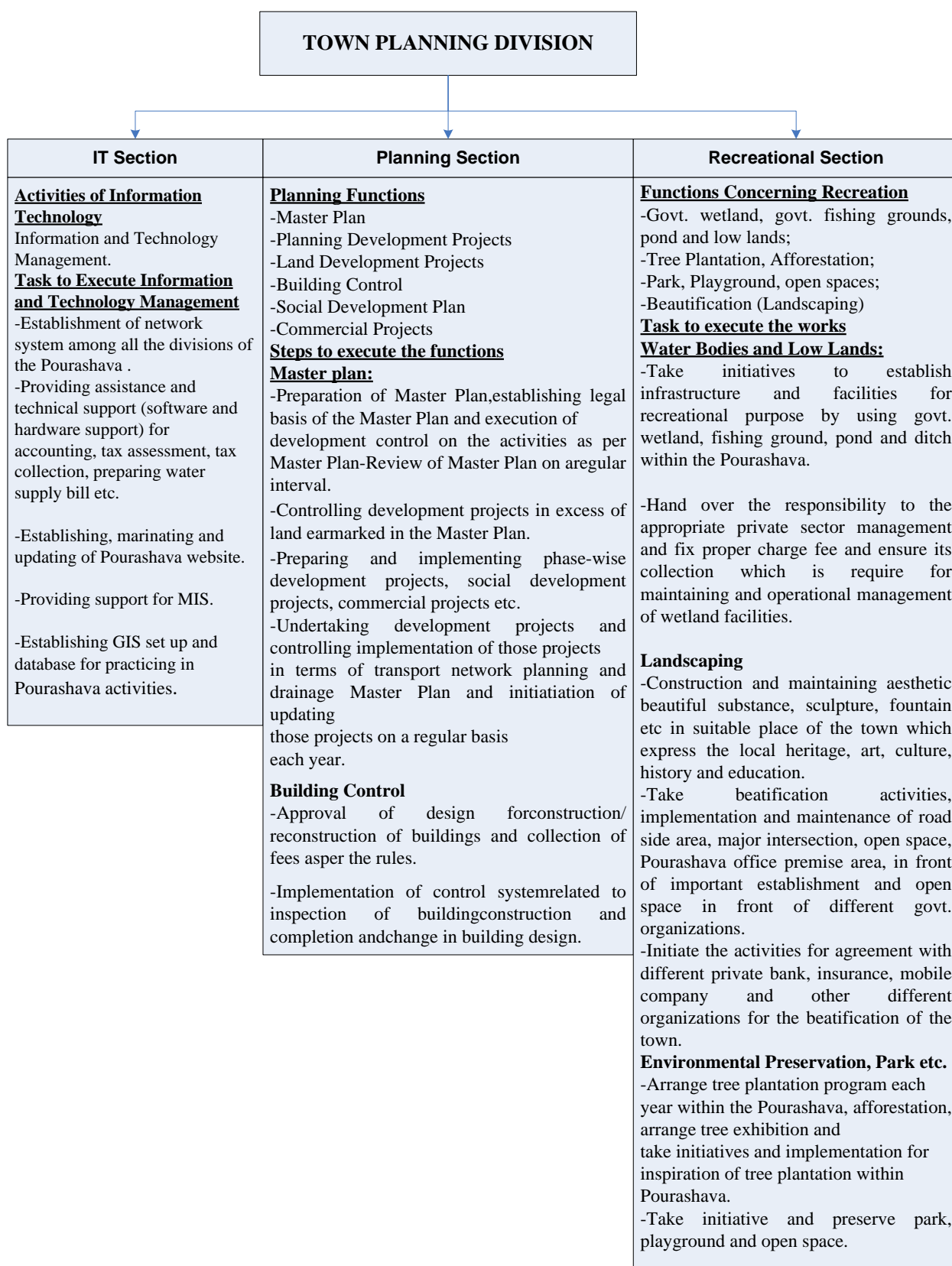
8.1.3.1 Institutional Framework (Proposed by UGIIP, LGED)

To rearrange the institutional framework for the Paurashavas recently the government has made a committee for the categorization of all the Paurashavas of Bangladesh. According to the clause no. 72-78 (Paurashava Officer & staff, provident fund etc) of Paurashava Act, 2009 and on the basis of the type and category of works, the committee suggested 5 divisions within the Paurashava framework. Afterward on the basis of the type of works, similarities and technicalities each division is further subdivided into some sections accordingly. The suggested divisions and sections are as follows:

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| Planning Division | a) IT Section |
| | b) Planning Section |
| | c) Beautification and recreation Section |

According to the divisions and their relevant sections the manpower should be set up for each category of Paurashava. The above committee has also chalked out the detail scope of work for each division. The scope of proposed Planning Division is given in Figure 8.1.

Figure 8-1: Scope of Work for Planning Division



8.1.3.2 Lack of Paurashava Town Planning Capacity

At present, the Paurashava has no town planning division or any appropriate manpower to prepare and implement the Master Plan. For proper implementation of the Master Plan in each Paurashava establishment of a separate planning division is indispensable. The Paurashava must strengthen its capacity to implement its Master Plan when it will be completed. It will otherwise be in trouble for implementation, monitoring and updating the Master Plan.

Kotchandpur is an 'A' class Paurashava. For the 'A' class Paurashava Government approved an organogram and required manpower. A comparison of the existing manpower with the approved organogram finds that there is a huge gap between the two. Many positions have been vacant since the inception of Paurashava. Paurashava authority supported with the line ministry should take necessary steps to set up planning unit and strengthen all units/division of the Paurashava for its better performance.

Support for Planned Urbanization

For creating planned urbanization, Paurashava may:

- Support for preparation of Computerized Infrastructure Database.
- Support for Preparation of Paurashava Base Map.
- Support for Preparation of Paurashava Infrastructure Development Plan.
- Orientation on preparation, use, update & implementation of Paurashava Master Plan.
- Assist preparation and execution of Community Development Plan by Community Based Organization (CBO).
- Introduce 3D-Modeling in Master Planning components.
- Beautification of Paurashava by 3D-Modeling.

Community Mobilization Program

Following are the community mobilization support activities:

- Support to establish Town Level Coordination Committee (TLCC) and make it functional
- Support to establish Ward Committee (WC) and make it functional.
- Support for preparation of Community Planning and implementation by forming Community Based Organization (CBO).
- Support to accelerate the Paurashava Standing Committee activities.

Urban Governance Improvement Action Programme (UGIAP)

- It is stipulated in the 6th 5 year plan 'the Key constraints to the effective functioning of the Paurashavas and City Corporations are unclear mandate and service responsibilities; lack of accountability; weak finances and financial autonomy; poor coordination and control among service agencies and weak management'.

- To overcome the challenges, the 6th Five year plan as well as Perspective Plan of Bangladesh, 2011-31 recommends the same issues mentioned below:
- the instructional reform and decentralization of responsibilities and resources to local authorities; participation of civil society including woman in the design, implementation and monitoring of local priorities; building capacity of all actors (*Institutions, groups and individuals*) to contribute fully to decision making an urban development process; and facilitate networking at all levels.

It is already tested, proven and accordingly recognized in the 6th Five year plan that urban infrastructure improvements have been proved very successful introducing governance and performance-based approach adapted by UGIIP in selected ULBs in the country. Among other suggestions the 6th Five year plan also includes nature for Urban Governance Improvement Action Programme (UGIAP) and Capacity Building of Institutes at Municipality-level in particular.

Citizen Awareness and Participation

The Paurashava authority may initiate to buildup citizen awareness and to ensure peoples participation in plan initiation and implementation process. Initiatives may be as follows:

- Establishment of Civil Society Coordination Committee (CSCC) and make it functional
- Establishment of Ward Level Coordination Committee (WLCC) and make it functional
- Citizen Charter display at Poura Bhaban.
- Citizen Report Card Survey by the Paurashava.
- Establishment of Grievance Redress Cell and make it functional with specific ToR
- Establishment of Mass Communication Cell (MCC) and make it functional
- Establishment of Urban Development Coordination Unit with inclusion of other departments for inclusive development

Urban Planning and Environmental Improvement

- Master plan is a guideline and detail urban planning activities are being prescribed in the plan. To produce a livable environment in the Paurashava premises, following initiatives should be taken:
- Recruitment of staffs and establish Planning Department related to administrative structure, meeting and meeting minutes preparation.
- Master Plan, Base Map verification and update landuse plan preparation.
- Approval of building plan and development control.
- Introduction of environment and public health activities.

Urban Poverty Reduction

Following initiatives can be taken by the Paurashava for urban poverty reduction:

- Establishment of Slum Improvement Committee (SIC) in selected slums and scattered area.
- Preparation of poverty reduction action plan with guideline and necessary budget allocation.

Income Generating Activities

The income generating activities include:

- Tax assessment software use and capacity development for staffs of assessment section.
- Continue reassessment activities regularly at 5 years interval.
- Continue interim assessment regularly in whole year.
- Introduction of computerized tax system and bill preparation.
- Increase collection by more than 5% annually (*up to 85% collection efficiency*).
- Increase non-tax own revenue source atleast by inflation rate.
- Introduction of computerized trade license system and computer bill/ license prepared and report produced.
- Introduction of computerized Water bill (*Tariff*) system.
- Introduction of Computerized non-motorized vehicle management system.
- Identification of new income sources for increasing income.

Transparency and Accountability

Functions and activities perform by the Paurashava authority should be transparent and the persons responsible for performing activities for betterment of the society should maintain accountability to the Paurashava people as well as central government. Following guidelines may be followed for such performances:

- Administrative Reformation of Paurashava.
- Set Vision, Mission and functions for each department/ section of the Paurashava.
- Functions to be decentralized, transfer and coordination with other authorities.
- Establishment of Capacity Development Committee in Paurashava-level.
- Establishment of Urban Information Services Center at Paurashava premises.
- Meet the Mass people of Paura-Parishad.

8.1.4 Legal Aspects

The drive to establish strong urban local governance in the Paurashava is yet to be legalized. The governance programmes at present are operated project wise based on the formulated policies of the implementing agencies of the national government. The Laws that the country inherited are mostly prepared during the colonial rule to serve its own interests. Even after independence from the British, the issue of good governance was not infused into the new Acts formulated.

8.1.5 Good Governance in Legal Provisions

There is hardly any Act where the elements of good governance are clearly visible. The consultant has identified some Acts, where some elements of good governance can be traced.

The Paurashava/Municipal Act/Ordinances prepared at different times since 1960's have iterated for the preparation of Master Plan by the Paurashava/Municipality for its planned development. So far urban local government Ordinances/Acts made in 1967, 1977, 2008 and 2009, all suggested for planned development. The Paurashava Act 2009 has made the provision of having a Master Plan prepared by a Paurashava within five years of its inception. The function of the Paurashava also includes that it ensures planned development following the rules of the Ordinance. But there is no provision for public participation in the Paurashava Ordinance 2009. In all these legal documents, people's role has been ignored which is the violation of the norms of good governance.

The constitution of the Peoples' republic of Bangladesh clearly spells out that the Government should work to minimize the gap between urban and rural areas. A planned Paurashava development in that pursuit can provide necessary services to improve quality of life in both urban and rural areas within the Upazila.

8.1.6 Financial Issues

Governance in KotchandpurPaurashava

Financial governance refers to transparency and accountability of financial matters. All financial matters must be transparent to all. People must know about the policies and programs of the Paurashava, how much revenue is collected each year and the amount of expenditure made on annual development. They must also be answerable to the people on how the public money is being spent and accounts being maintained.

The Ministry of LGRD and Cooperative has undertaken a number of projects in respect of establishing governance in upgrading Paurashava accounts system, like, UGIIP, STIFPP. Computer and accessories are supplied under these projects for automation of the accounts system. Besides, trainings are also offered to the Paurashava accounts staff for enabling introduction of automation in accounts system. But all these services have not yet reached KotchandpurPaurashava.

Revenue Management

The Paurashava still follows a traditional management system in tax collection and revenue management though a scheme of computerized automotive financial system has already been introduced in this Paurashava. Assessment section is responsible to asses the tax of the Paurashava and tax collection, and license and bazar section are responsible to collect the tax of the Paurashava. The public is mainly informed about tax collection during the presentation of annual budget. They may, however, get information from the councilor or Paurashava accounts office.

Paurashava's Financial Capacity and Plan Execution

The main focus of Paurashava financial governance is to establish automation in entire financial management. This includes computerization of accounts system, holding tax management, and billing of different service charges. Software for above functions have

been supplied and installed in the Paurashavas covered by financial automotive projects. The projects also provided training to the relevant staffs for functioning of the systems. With the implementation of these projects people can now instantly know about the status of their tax payment, bill payment, and licensing. This has not only made the functions of the Paurashava easy, but also has freed the citizens for paying bribe, and experiencing hassle.

The size of annual budgets of the Paurashavas indicates the poor financial status of the Paurashavas. With low income, KotchandpurPaurashava will have to depend substantially on the government funding for implementing the development projects. But the government has limitations of its resources. In such a situation, if the Paurashava can not raise its own revenue adequately, it will not be able to execute much of the development projects under the Master Plan.

8.1.7 Monitoring, Evaluation and Updating

Monitoring and evaluation is a very important part of plan implementation. Monitoring helps check if the plan is being implemented properly. It also measures the level of implementation of the plan. If the plan implementation is not on track, corrective measures can be taken to put execution on the track. After expiry of any plan, evaluation is made about the errors and omissions. Such evaluation helps take corrective measures in the next plan. Such monitoring and evaluation must be carried out from within the Paurashava. But KotchandpurPaurashava is not equipped with qualified manpower to make

such evaluation. Monitoring and evaluation of a plan is essentially, the responsibility of qualified and experienced planners. As there is no planner in the Paurashava, monitoring of plan implementation will be seriously affected. However, plan evaluation can be accomplished by means of out sourcing as and when it is required.

8.1.8 Periodic Review and Updating

The plan package needs to be updated regularly to make it respond to the spatial changes over time. But such updating would require relevant technical professionals and requisite fund that are highly lacking in KotchandpurPaurashava. As there is no planner or planning section in the Paurashava, review and updating of the Master Plan will require service of senior level planners that Paurashava might not be able to provide. This service will have to be procured by out sourcing and the Paurashava is not even capable to accomplish this financially either. This will create problem when the plans or its components gets obsolete or need to be changed. Another problem would arise when the duration of plans ends. It is necessary that the entire plan document (including all planning and land use proposals) should be reviewed every 4th year of the plan period and will come into execution from the 5th year. The aim of the review will be to analyze the status of implementation of plan provisions, the changing physical growth pattern, infrastructure development, and the trend of public and private physical development including growth direction.

A new set of plans will have to be prepared replacing the old ones. This problem, however, can be overcome by undertaking another planning project by LGED. So, for regular updating and changes, and plan implementation monitoring, the Paurashava should immediately set up a planning section with a number of planners and other staff. The section will not only look after planning, but will also be responsible for development

control, estate management, and project preparation. Since the planners would be qualified and skilled in computer operation, they can also help achieving automation of the Paurashava functions.

8.2 Resource Mobilization

Resource mobilization will be one of the most challenging tasks in implementing the current plan package. Though the development proposals are said to be executed by a large number of development agencies, but it is beyond doubt that the heaviest burdens will have to be shouldered by the Paurashava. As a local government agency, it suffers from resource constraint due to low level of urbanization and investment by both public and private sectors. The land value will maintain perpetually low growth rate in the town. Therefore, prospect of mobilization of substantial resource from sale of serviced land is extremely meager. For the same reason, revenue earning from betterment fee, planning permission and other sources may also remain low. Paurashava is heavily dependent on the government for executing its development projects as it is unable to collect sufficient revenue from its tax and non-tax sources. Therefore, it is clear that execution of development projects under the current plan will depend heavily on the government response to supply adequate fund. This situation calls for increasing revenue earning by generating new revenue sources.

8.3 Concluding Remarks

From the past experience, it has been observed that plans are prepared for organized development, but development control has been subject to negligence. In most cases, execution has been piecemeal. It is unfortunate that town planning has not yet become a part of our urban development culture. Individuals develop lands and construct buildings with a little respect for planned development, and the concerned authority is also unable to exercise full control on development. Some strict measures are necessary to make stakeholders follow up plans and development rules. Awareness is to be built among the people to follow the Master Plan provisions and plan. Government agencies must be compelled to follow plans. Existing laws in this regard must be updated incorporating provisions of plan execution.

CHAPTER-9

URBAN AREA PLAN

This is the first chapter of Part- B that starts with Urban Area Plan. Urban Area Plan is the mid level plan that covers the existing Paurashava. It lays down the land use zoning plan and infrastructure development proposals at the town level. Land use planning is an important part of Master Plan ensuring that land is used efficiently for the benefit of economy, society and environment of Kotchandpur Paurashava. This planning means the scientific, aesthetic, and orderly disposition of land, resources, facilities and services with a view to securing the physical, economic and social well-being of urban communities.

9.1 Goals and Objectives of Urban Area Plan

Urban Area Plan is the first phase illustration of the Structure Plan intended to be implemented over a time span of 10 years. The Urban Area Plan has been prepared within the policy framework of the Structure Plan and aims to attain the overall project objectives. So there is a hierarchical relationship between the two. In fact, Urban Area Plan is the first phase detailed illustration of the policies and strategies of the structure plan.

The preparation of Master Plan for Kotchandpur Paurashava is aimed towards its future development, and covers the areas that are likely to become urban in future. The Urban Area Plan is aimed to:

Determine the present and future functional structure of the town, including its land uses; and

Provide infrastructure proposals for improving and guiding development of future urban area.

9.2 Methodology and Approach to Planning

The base map supporting for land use survey was obtained from the physical feature survey that contained all categories of physical features within the planning area. During physical feature survey, all structures and the functions of principal buildings were picked up and depicted on the map. The physical features were superimposed on a mouza map and printed for land use survey on the map. The map was carried to the field by investigators for detailed plot to plot land use survey. The field investigators carrying the map visited each and every plot and the structures therein and noted their uses in writing and marking them on the map with colour pencil. They also verified the land use names put during the physical feature survey. Back in the office, the common land uses of plots were delineated in the map as per land use format given in the ToR. The delineated zones were then digitized and a new land use map was prepared for the entire planning area. After land use demarcation, field checking was done to correct possible errors.

Urban Land Use Plan is aimed to guide the physical development of Kotchandpur town including its economic and social activities. This plan adheres to the policy directives spelled out in the Structure Plan. The current Urban Area Plan is akin to the traditional Master Plan approach prevalent in the country that designates plot-to-plot use of land apart from infrastructure development proposals. Thus it will also serve as a development control mechanism/instrument. The Urban Area Plan is, therefore, more rigid than

Structure Plan. Making a land use plan on a cadastral map makes the Urban Area Plan more rigid. Once the plan on a cadastral map is drawn and accepted by the government and formalized, it gains a formal status and thus becomes a binding for all concerned.

The objectives of the Urban Area Plan have been attained through:

- Orderly location of various urban land uses;
- Location of appropriate transportation and drainage network; and
- Orderly location of services and facilities.

9.3 Delineation of Planning Areas

Delineation of planning area of the Paurashava has been decided with the assistance and advises received from Kotchandpur Paurashava Mayor, Councilors and other professional staffs. In order to delineate this boundary, there was a wide reconnaissance survey involving eye observation of the entire Paurashava area including those areas which have future potential growth. Though the Paurashava is a very old one but the development trend and population growth rate is very low. In addition, the Mayor and the Councilors opinioned in favor of keeping the Paurashava area encompassing the nine Wards as exist for next 20 years. Strong arguments from Paurashava Mayor and Councilors were received not to extend the boundary as it is not an old Paurashava and not much development has taken place, and the present area is enough as study / planning area. According to ek-nagar-e-Paurashava the Paurashava area is 26.47 sq.km. But according to physical feature survey it is 17.46 sq.km. So, Consultant / study team adopted 17.46 sq. km (4313.72 acres). with nine Wards as the planning area.

9.4. Content and Form of Urban Area Plan

The Urban Area Plan is presented in both map and textual format. The plan map is presented in 1:1980 or 1 inch to 165 feet scale, superimposed on latest cadastral/revenue map having plot boundaries within mouzas. The plan is accompanied by an explanatory report supported by necessary figures, maps and data. The report explains the various plan proposals and other components of the plan.

The Urban Area Plan of the Master Plan of Kotchandpur Paurashava contains several components. These are:

- Land Use Plan;
- Transportation and Traffic Management Plan;
- Drainage and Environmental Management Plan; and
- Proposals for Urban Services.

The Urban Area Plan is concerned only with the area where the greatest change is expected in the medium-term (10 years). For this area, it indicates how the Structure Plan policies might be pursued whilst also giving greater precision to the spatial dimension of the policies.

The outline of the Urban Area Plan gives guidance to the Paurashava as to how it can develop the roles i.e. to promote development, to co-ordinate development and to control development.

The Urban Area Plan has been divided into four main parts. These are preceded by four introductory chapters which explain the scope of the report and provide background to the Urban Area Plan including its relationship with the Structure Plan.

The Landuse Plan is the first chapter of Part-B of this report. It identifies approaches of planning, existing and projected landuse and proposed landuse. Requirement of land for different purposes, landuse zoning and plan implementation strategies are also included here.

The Transportation and Traffic Management Plan includes existing conditions of transportation facilities, intensity of traffic volume, degree of traffic congestion and delay, analysis of existing deficiencies, travel demand forecasting for next 20 years, future traffic volume and level of services and transportation development plan. Moreover, transportation system management strategy and plan implementation strategies are also presented in this plan.

Drainage and Environmental Management Plan is the third chapter of the Urban Area Plan. The chapter again subdivided into two parts – drainage part and environment part. Existing drainage network, land level and topographic contour, plan for drainage management and flood control and plan implementation strategies are the components of the drainage part. Existing environmental condition, solid waste and garbage disposal, environment pollution, water logging, natural calamities and localized hazards, plan for environmental management and pollution control and plan implementation strategies are the key issues of the environment part.

Fourth part of this report is Plan for Urban Services. Existing condition and demand of the Services, projection on existing and proposed Urban Services, Proposals for Urban Services and Implementation, monitoring and Evaluation of the Urban Services Plan are the key issues of this part.

CHAPTER-10

LANDUSE PLAN

The Landuse Plan is the first element of the Kotchandpur Paurashava Urban Area Plan. The Landuse Plan is being prepared for managing and promoting development over medium-term on the basis of the strategies set by the longer-term Structure Plan. Basically the Landuse Plan is an interpretation of the Urban Area Plan over the medium-term (10 years). The coverage of the Landuse Plan considers existing urban areas and their immediate surroundings with the purpose of providing development guidance in the areas where most of the urban development activities are expected to take place over the next 10 years. Delineation of the Landuse Plan area is based on the urban growth area identified as the urban area Plan. It contains more details about specific programs and policies that require to be implemented over the medium-term.

10.1. Methodology and Approach

For the preparation of Landuse Plan, spatial information or data of all existing landuses from landuse survey was processed and stored under a comprehensive GIS database component. GIS software such as PC ArcView and PC ArcInfo (Version as suggested in the ToR) has been used for processing of physical feature survey data. Data was stored in WGS-1984 format (latitude, longitude, ellipsoidal height in meter) and later on it was projected and stored in Lambert Conformal Conic (LCC) projection system.

Landuse map has prepared applying the appropriate systematic command through GIS. Landuse is transferred on CS Mouza map in a scale of RF 1:1980. Landuse is divided into different categories and subcategories approved by the LGED. Landuse colours and legend were also fixed by the PD (Project Director) of the UTIDP, LGED. Legend contains, necessary themes, features using different symbolize schemes. As per suggestion of the LGED for fixed legend and approved format for landuse, Consultants have prepared existing landuse map.

Based on the existing landuse map, the landuse plan is being prepared according to the guidelines given by the ToR. The planning starts from formulation of strategies to issues like functional quality (meeting of space requirements for different functions, relation between functions etc., aesthetic quality, flexibility, deviation, public agency support etc.) for plan implementation. The planning in detail also covers the delineated existing urban area and the new urban area.

10.2 Existing and Projected Land use

10.2.1 Introduction

Details of landuse include structures and uses of land in multi-dimensions. Every individual structure and its details were surveyed during the survey period and find out the uses of land. Most of the landuse information was collected through physical feature survey. Later on, landuse map is prepared showing different use categories. At present, about 69.69% agriculture land, 19.98% residential development and 3.53% water bodies, rest land are using for various purposes. Again, According to type of structures residential buildings in the project area can broadly, be classified as katcha, semi-pucca and pucca. In Kotchandpur Paurashava in total there are 9342 structures and among these 81.70% are residential.

36.23% residential structures of the area are katcha, 31.79% are semi-pucca and the remaining 31.98% are pucca.

For rearrangement and enforcement of new provision those land will generate planning scope. Due to the absence of airport and helipad, vertical expansion of the building will be easily encouraged in anywhere of the Paurashava. New innovation for increase the agriculture production may be encouraged easily.

The Paurashava seems a barren land area. People are not aware about the modern facilities available to their door step. It is easier to inject guiding principles, modern facilities and long run development control for the Paurashava as well as for the inhabitants.

10.2.2 Analysis and Projection on Existing and Proposed Land uses

The Paurashava is not an ideal township due to the agriculture domination. Agriculture based township should be encouraged in the preparation of Master Plan. Growth of population is the natural trend and at the same time, expansion of non-agricultural use on agriculture land is also natural tendency of the people. This will be controlled through the Compact Township concept with the encouragement of vertical development. In case of government services, specific building may accommodate different type of offices.

Future land use has been calculated according to the development control for the masses and the standard supplied by the LGED. In case of public land, existing use and khas land may be emphasized. Willingness and participation of the people in development activities may be the key factor for future land use demarcation. Slow change of land use has emphasized rather than rapid change. Let the people do whatever he likes on own land – such concept should not be considered for future projection of land uses. Three parts of the projection are land use change, land use control and land use restriction has been included in the Master Plan. In any case, river front areas should be restricted for human habitation. As a result, river water will safe from contamination.

Projection of land use depends on the growth of population. After population projection it is found that, population of this Paurashava will be 38407 in the year 2021 and 44573 in the year 2031. Projection on land use also depends on present trend of migration.

In case of landuse change, standard given by the LGED according to the projected population and area for the specific service is being calculated. Minimum use of agriculture land for physical development is emphasized in the plan. The vertical expansion will be emphasized rather than horizontal. In case of road network planning, missing links will get priority rather than new roads. For the development of pisciculture, most of the ponds and ditches may be preserved, in some exceptional cases; small number of ditches may be used for physical development activities. Landuse control and land use restriction will be imposed by the Paurashava according to the prescribed plan.

The standards presented in the Table-10.1 are fairly generous and considered for the Paurashava (including extended areas). Adjustments have to be made in the core areas and a time line may be set to gradually achieve these standards over a five, ten and fifteen years period.

Table 10.1: Existing Land use in Kotchandpur Paurashava

Sl.No.	Landuse Type	Total	Percentage
1	Agriculture	3,006.28	69.69
2	Circulation Network	105.13	2.44
3	Commercial Activity	47.42	1.10
4	Community Service	7.22	0.17
5	Education & Research	27.12	0.63
6	Governmental Services	18.11	0.42
7	Manufacturing and Processing Activity	32.59	0.76
8	Mixed Use	13.92	0.32
9	Non Government Services	1.12	0.03
10	Recreational Facilities	1.13	0.03
11	Residential	861.93	19.98
12	Service Activity	8.52	0.20
13	Transport & Communication	4.79	0.11
14	Urban Green Space	14.99	0.35
15	Vacant Land	11.69	0.27
16	Water Body	151.72	3.52
Total		4,313.72	100.00

Source: Land Use Survey, 2010

Commerce

In total, 47.42 acres commercial land is in the Paurashava.

Determination of Standard: According to the standard on Wholesale Market/bazar, 1 acre land is to be provided for every 10,000 populations and 1 acre land for every 1000 population for Retail sale market. Again, 0.25 acre of land is being standardized for per corner shop, 1 acre per neighborhood market, 1.5 to 2.5 acre per super market and 1 acre per 25,000 populations for bank, hotel, garage and go down. The study team has considered 44573 populations for the study area up to the year 2031. For this population total number of required wholesale market/bazar stands at $(44573/10,000)$, means 4.46 acres land is being needed up to the year 2031 and for retail sale market, 44.57 acres.

Recommendation / Forecast: In the planning area already has retail sale market including wholesale market/bazaar. The study team recommends a new wholesale market/bazaar Poura Super Market and other markets on earmarking land. Necessary planning permission and design criteria will be provided by the Paurashava. The study team discouraged to propose new areas for commercial zone probable areas are earmarked as mixed use area so that they may use this land for residential/commercial purpose according to the demand.

Industry

In the Paurashava, 32.59 acres land is under industrial development.

Determination of Standard: According to the standard, land is being allocated as 1.5 acres for every 1000 populations in case of small-scale industry, 5 acres per 10000 populations for heavy industry and service industry and 1 acre per 1000 population for cottage/agro-based industry. The study team has estimated 44573 populations for the planning area up to the year 2031. For this population total required land for industry stands at $(44573 / 1,000 \times 1.5) 66.86$ acres land for small-scale industry and 44.57 acres for cottage / agro-based industry up to the year 2021.

Recommendation / Forecast: The study team observed that this Paurashava is rural base and there is potentiality of agro based industrial development considering the real scenario the consultants has recommends for small scale and agro based industries for this area.

Necessary planning permission will be followed by the Paurashava. The lands, however, should not be allowed to use other than industry.

Primary School

There are 15 primary schools in the planning area covering together 7.69 acres land.

Determination of Standard: According to the standard on primary school, 1 school with 2 acres of land is to be provided for every 5,000 population. The study team has estimated 35239 populations for the planning area up to the year 2021. For this population total number of required primary school stands at $(44573 / 5,000)$, means 9 schools with 18 acres land will be needed up to the year 2031.

Recommendation / Forecast: According to the standard there is a need for new primary school but considering the real scenario no new primary school has proposed, the existing area of school has proposed for extension. With increasing of enrollment, existing primary schools may be expanded vertically.

Secondary School

There are 6 secondary schools in the planning area covering together 12.99 acres land. Average area of a secondary school is 2.17 acre.

Determination of Standard: According to standard, 5 acres of land may be provided for every 20,000 population for one secondary school. The projected population of the planning area is 44573 up to the year 2031. Therefore, as per standard the planning area needs $[(44573 / 20,000) * 5]$ 11.14 acres up to the year 2031. The areas of schools already exceeds the requirement.

Forecast / Recommendation: As per above standard, no more secondary school is needed but Paurashava authority wants to establish a modern technology all other facility based high school by them self. As there is a scope and other schools have limited scope of such type of development with sufficient area the consultant has recommended an area in master plan for Poura-High School.

College / Higher Secondary School

There are three numbers of colleges in the planning area. The existing colleges are located on 6.05 acres of land.

Determination of Standard: The standard for college is 10 acres per 20000 populations. So, there is a need of 22.29 acres of land as per planning standard in 2031.

Recommendation / Forecast: The planning area already has three degree level college. Therefore no new college has proposed in the planning area and necessary horizontal and vertical expansion of the existing college is recommended.

Vocational Training Centre

An important component for the rural masses is vocational training. Multi-dimensional training may be offered through the centre. People are being benefited directly and prepare him as a technical person enjoying training from vocational centre. At present, there is no vocational training centre in the Paurashava.

Determination of Standard: The prescribed standard for vocational training centre is 5 to 10 acres for Upazila.

Recommendation / Forecast:The study team recommends an area for establishing a vocational training centre in the Paurashava.

Health Facilities

At present, two health establishments are in the Paurashava. The health facilities covered 8.52 acres of land.

Determination of Standard:The prescribed standard for health facilities are 10 to 20 acres for Upazila Hospital and 1 acre per 5000 population for Health centre/Maternity clinic. According to the standard, up to the year 2031, (44573 / 5000) means 8.91 acres of land will be needed for Health centre/Maternity clinic.

Recommendation / Forecast:The study team recommends an new area for new health facilities where the land owners will develop such services. Necessary planning permission will be offered by the Paurashava. The lands, however, should not be allowed to use other than health services.

Recreation

Only 1.13 acres land is under recreational use in the Paurashava.

Determination of Standard: Up to the year 2031, 2.23 acres land (1 acre per 20000 populations) will be needed for cinema / theatre..

Recommendation / Forecast: The planning team has recommended that the existing facility will remain same with some extension.

Open Space

At present there is 14.99 acres of land are under this category in the Paurashava.

Determination of Standard:The standard recommends 3 acres per 20000 populations for playground, 1 acre per 1000 population for park, 1 acre per 1000 population for Neighbourhood Park and 5 to 10 acres for stadium. A total of 108.33 acres of land is needed for this category.

Recommendation / Forecast:The study team recommended play field, central park, Neighborhood Park and shisu park. Community forest and tourism development also prescribed without considering any standard. Amount of land for those components have been considered through discussion with the stakeholders.

Community Facilities

Community facilities include Community centre, Graveyard/Burial ground, Post office, T&T office, Public library, Eidgah/Cremation, Mosque/Church/Temple, Police station, Police box/outpost, Fire service station, club, etc. Existing land under community facilities is 7.22 acres.

Determination of Standard:The standard suggests 1 acre per 20000 for the community centre, Graveyard/ Burial ground and Eidgah. Again, 0.5 acre per 20,000 populations prescribed for Mosque/Church/Temple, Post office and T&T, 1 acre per 20,000 populations for Fire service station and 3–5 acres per Upazila Headquarters and police station.

Recommendation / Forecast: The study team recommends community centre, cremation and 9 ward center as a community facility of the Paurashava. Areas for

Mosque/Church/Temple, Post office, Fire service station and T&T remain with existing areas.

Administration

In the Paurashava, 18.11 acres land is under administrative use.

Determination of Standard: According to the standard for administrative land, 15 acres of land is to be provided for every Upazila, 3 to 5 acres per Paurashava office and 10 acres for jail/sub-jail. Total required land for administration stands at 30 acres.

Recommendation / Forecast: The planning area already has one Upazila office, one Paurashava office and other govt. offices. Therefore, a new area for jail/sub-jail and existing administrative offices is recommended for extension.

Residential

Existing residential areas of the Paurashava is 861.93 acres and population is 33094. All type of residential lands is included with such amount of land.

Determination of Standard: The existing net density of the Paurashava residential area is 38.40 person/acre. The standard recommends 100 persons per acre. Again, it is recommended 200 persons per acre for real estate or housing areas both for public and private. No standard is being recommended for low-income group.

Recommendation / Forecast: In the year 2031, total population of the Paurashava will be 44573. This area is very low dense area and population growth rate in this area is very low. Standard of population considered for this area is 100 persons per acre in the year 2031, total residential land will be needed 445.73 acres. Existing residential area of the Paurashava is 861.93 acres which is about two times of the total demand. So, there is no need for additional land for future residential development theoretically. But in practical the rate of overall urbanization will influence the area for future rapid urbanization considering that some area for future planned residential use has recommended.

Conservation and harvesting of rain water in Government Blocks, Commercial Buildings and Institutional Buildings. They should provide required facilities and infrastructure for conservation and harvesting of rain water available to them.

Map 10.1:Existing Landuse of Kotchandpur Paurashava

Map 10.2: Landuse Plan

Following requirements are optional and should be provided in residences depending on site conditions and as per case to case basis.

Terrace Water Collection: The terrace shall be connected to a sump or well through filtering tank by PVC pipes. A valve system shall be incorporated to enable the first part of the rain water collected to be discharged to the soil if it is dirty and make arrangements to collect subsequent discharge.

Open Ground: Whenever there is open ground a portion of top soil should be removed and replaced with sand to allow percolation of rain water.

Table 10.2: Existing and proposed landuses including standard

Types of Land Uses	Recommended Standard	Existing (acre)	Future Demand (acre) 2031	Proposed Land (acre)	Per (%)
Residential		861.93	445.73	996.53	23.1
General residential	100 persons/1 acre		445.73	850.62	19.72
Real Estate – Public/Private	200 population/ 1 acre		-	145.91	3.38
Roads		105.13	10-15%	322.47	7.48
Paurashava primary roads	150 -100 feet				
Paurashava secondary roads	100 - 60 feet				
Paurashava local roads	40 - 20 feet				
Railway line	-				
Education		27.12	79.36	90.78	2.10
Nursery	0.5 acre/10,000 population		4.46		
Primary School/ kindergarten	2.00 acres/5000 population		17.83		
Secondary/High School	5.00 acres /20,000 population		11.14		
College	10.00 acres/20,000 population		22.29		
Vocational Training Centre	5 -10 acres / Upazila		12.50		
Other	5.00 acres / 20,000 population		11.14		
Open Space		11.69	108.33	94.41	2.17
Play field/ground	3.00 acres/20,000 population		6.69		
Stadium/sports complex	5 – 10 acres/Upazila HQ		12.50		
Park	1.00 acre /1000 population		44.57		
Neighborhood park	1.00 acre /1000 population		44.57		
Recreational		1.13	2.23	1.37	0.03
Cinema/ Theatre	1.0 acre /20,000 population		2.23		
Health		8.52	8.91		
Upazila health complex/ hospital	10 -20 acres/Upazila HQ		0.00		
health centre/Maternity clinic	1.00 acre/ 5,000 population		8.91		
Community Facilities		30.37	18.02	30.80	0.71
Mosque/Church/Temple	0.5 acre /20,000 population		1.11		
Eidgah	1.0 acre/20,000 population		2.23		
Graveyard	1.00 acre /20,000 population		2.23		
Community centre	1.00 acre /20,000 population		2.23		
Police Station	3 -5 acres/Upazila HQ		6.25		
Police Box/outpost	0.5 acre/ per box		0.63		
Fire Station	1.00 acre/ 20,000 population		2.23		
Post office	0.5 acre /20,000 population		1.11		
Ward Center	1/Ward		-		

Types of Land Uses	Recommended Standard	Existin g (acre)	Future Deman d (acre) 2031	Propos ed Land (acre)	Per (%)
Utility Facilities		0.95	12.93	8.06	0.19
Drainage	As per requirement	-	-	-	
Water supply	1.00 acre/ 20,000 population	0.00	2.23	0.60	
Gas Station	1.00 acre/ 20,000 population	-	2.23	0.00	
Solid waste disposal	4-10 acres/ Upazila HQ	0.00	4.00	2.64	
Waste transfer station	0.25 acres/ per transfer station	-	0.00	1.22	
Electric sub-station	1.00 acre/ 20,000 population	0.18	2.23	0.18	
Telephone exchange	.5 acre/ 20,000 population	0.19	1.12	0.19	
Fuel station	.5 acre/ 20,000 population	0.20	1.12	0.20	
Slaughter House	As per requirement	-	12.93	0.27	
Public toilet and others	As per requirement	-	-	2.76	
Commerce and Shopping		47.42	49.03	38.22	0.89
Wholesale market	1.0 acres/ 10000 population		4.46	2.53	
Retail sale market	1.0 acres/ 1000 population		44.57	34.08	
Corner Shop	0.25 acre/corner shop		0.00		
Neighborhood market	1.00 acre/neighborhood market		0.00		
Super Market	1.50- 2.50 acres/per super market		0.00	1.61	
Industry		32.59	111.43	143.37	3.32
Small scale	1.50 acres /1000 population		66.86		
Cottage/agro-based	1.00 acres /1000 population		44.57		
Transportation		4.79	11.20	11.17	25.89
Bus terminal	1.0 acre /20,000 population		2.23	1.78	
Truck terminal	0.50 acre /20,000 population		1.11	1.79	
Launch/steamer terminal	1.00 acre /20,000 population		2.23	-	
Railway station	4.00 acre / per Station		5.00	-	
Rickshaw/van/Tempoo stand	0.25 acre / baby taxi/tempo stand		0.31	1.22	
Passenger Shed	0.25 acre /baby taxi/tempo stand		0.31		
Others					
Administration		18.11	30.00	30.62	0.71
Upazila complex	15.00 acres		15.00	16.10	
Paurashava office	3 -5 acres		5.00		
Jail/Sub-Jail	10 acres/Upazila HQ		10.00	14.52	

10.3 Landuse Proposals

10.3.1 Introduction

Basically, landuse proposal involves with the existing conflicting land uses. Those conflicts may be raised due to different causes. Inhabitants of the Paurashava are not aware about the land level and slope direction of the Paurashava. Without knowing this information they are raising their land up to a mark and constructing permanent structure. As a result, water logging problem during rainy season is all over the residential areas.

Due to the absence of development control, the core area of the Paurashava is already developed as mixed-use area. Commercial, residential, administrative, educational uses

are admixture in the core area. Zoning provision, landuse control should not be enforced in such type of the core area.

At present, the Paurashava is a natural developed area. Rearrangement of the existing use is not possible. Land acquisition for expansion of road (to increase the width of road) will create socio-political hazards. As a result, the roads in the core area remain same as today.

For water supply network, construction of sewerage facilities and removal of fire hazards, at least 24 feet width road is necessary. In the Paurashava, except Regional Highway, such type of road is absent. New road will form new township on agriculture land. These processes will washout agriculture domination from the Paurashava. Compact Township will be effective for new formation, not for the mixed-use areas where most of the roads are 8 to 10 feet width.

10.3.2 Designation of Future Landuse

- Identification and development of sites for government housing. After preparation and implementation of the master plan, different types of government activities will be increased. Residential accommodation will be needed for those government employees. A site for government housing should be reserved. National Housing Authority is appropriate for performing this responsibility.
- Encourage central government to decentralize industrial development from Dhaka. Those facilities may be relevant with specific agro-product such as jute for jute industry, cane and bamboo for handicrafts, poultry and horticulture farming, export-oriented vegetation, etc. Different authorities such as Agriculture Development Corporation, Small and Cottage Industries Corporation, Directorate of Livestock and Poultry may be the responsible authority.
- Provision of sites and services schemes for the low and lowest income groups. The Paurashava authority and Schedule Bank may be appropriate for performing these responsibilities. Housing for low-income group, distribution of khas land among the lowest-income group and loan with low-interest for house construction may be the appropriate schemes.
- Upgrading of slum and squatter settlements. Mostly, the vulnerable groups are affected by river erosion, form slum and squatters on public land. If possible, those formations should be upgraded providing basic utility services. It is better, in Paurashava context, the people are living in the slum and squatters, rehabilitate them with the provisioning of housing for lowest-income group. The Paurashava and NGOs can perform such role.
- Location for new industrial development. The industrial area prescribed in the Landuse Plan will be developed provisioning all utility services. The authorities relevant with those utility services will perform the responsibilities. At first, the polluting industries (water and noise) from their original location should shift to the new location. Imposition of taxes, tax holiday and subsidized taxes may be imposed by the Paurashava for such rearrangement.
- Monitoring the principal aspects of community facility provision in the Paurashava. Wholesale or retail market, specialized clinic, etc. are under this community facility.

When any difficulties will be encountered in case of suitable site selection considering demand of the inhabitants, the Paurashava will perform the lead role.

10.3.3 Landuse Zoning

Zoning is a classification of landuses that limits what activities can or cannot take place on a parcel of land by establishing a range of development options. Zoning has been defined as an action through legislation provided to a development authority / Paurashava to control a) heights to which buildings may be erected; b) the area of lots that must be left un-built upon; and c) the uses to which buildings may be constructed.

Area / Use Zoning

The objective of area zoning is to specify which types of landuse are considered appropriate for different areas or 'zones', and it therefore indicates the planning control objectives of the authority or municipality for its administrative area. The authority is obliged under the planning acts to designate in its development plan objectives for the use solely and primarily of particular areas for particular purposes.

According to the landuse table, area zoning is divided as agriculture, residential, commercial, industrial, administration and institutional. The zone has further segmented and detailed in the Ward Action Plan. A detailed scenario as plot-to-plot basis is also presented with the calculation of covered area in the landuse plan.

Density / Bulk Zoning

Aim of the density zoning is to provide an acceptable density which is related to the designed facilities and amenities especially for the residential areas. This will ensure a healthy community and enjoyable community life. In a particular area, how much number of buildings will be permitted and constructed, the decision is under the density zoning. Provisioning of setback rule and percent of land uses for different purposes is the prime consideration of density zoning. The proposed percentage mentioned in the landuse table is the only tool to control building density in the Paurashava.

Height Zoning

This zoning provides height limits for structures and objects of natural growth and standards for use of an area which encourage and promote the proper and sound development of areas. It is also applicable to height restrictions for flight safety around airports or other similar purposes.

For effective development control, in addition landuse zoning individual facility and the structures therein is complied certain regulations imposed to ensure desirable end. Relation between ground cover of buildings and the land parcel that house it, minimum setback of building from the adjoining plot boundaries and the maximum floor area that can be constructed in relation to plot size and the connecting road among many other details, are controlled by Building Construction Rules, 1996. Besides, Bangladesh National Building Code focuses on the appropriate materials, construction method, building safety and associated issues. In absence of Paurashava Master Plan the above rules did not have scope for area specific rules and hence were common for the whole development process.

According to the Building Construction Rule, 1996, minimum permissible road width for obtaining plan permission is to shown, construction is allowed on plots connected by

narrow roads provided the plot owner leaves formally half of the addition area needed to make the road 6m for widening the road to the permitted minimum. Perhaps the intension behind this was that gradually the whole road would rise up to 6m in short time and it is true for new areas. But congested unplanned area represents an alarming picture. In commercial area, most of the plots are occupied almost entirely by pucca structures covering the property line connected by the narrow pathways. Those owners did not bother for Paurashava's plan permission and a handful of those who obtained plan permission did not care to follow them. It is suggested that existing rules need to be modified to tackle the environmental problems created by illegal building construction.

10.3.4 Summary Showing Distribution of Land for Existing and Proposed Landuse

After a detailed consultation between the PMO and the consultants of the project, the land use classification for the Paurashava Master Plan has finalized. The followings are the finalized land use zone classification recommended by the PMO. The permitted use of land under different category of land has shown in the **Annex-1**.

- Urban Residential Zone
- Rural Settlement
- Commercial Zone
- Mixed Use Zone
- General Industrial Zone
- Government Office
- Education & Research Zone
- Agricultural Zone
- Water body
- Open Space
- Circulation Network
- Transportation Facilities
- Utility Services
- Health Services
- Community Facilities
- Urban Deferred
- Recreational Facilities
- Forest
- Beach
- Miscellaneous
- Heavy Industrial Zone

- Historical and Heritage Site
- Restricted Area
- Overlay Zone

First 16 land use zoning of the above list are available and proposed for Kotchandpur Paurashava Master Plan and 7 will not be applicable for Kotchandpur. In the sections below, the general definition of the use and description of associated permitted and conditionally permitted uses under each land use zone have been provided. The uses that are not listed here in any of the categories shall be treated as Restricted Use for the corresponding land use category and shall not be permitted only except unanimously decided otherwise by the appropriate authority. In such situations the use shall get permission in the category of New Use.

Following is a short description recommended land use zones.

1) Urban Residential Zone

Urban residential zone refers to all categories of urban residential areas, including existing ones and the residential land use proposed under the present master plan. This includes single family housing or multi-family residential. Zoning for residential use will permit some services. It will permit high density land use. In the year 2031, total population of the Paurashava will be 44573. If, standard of population considers 100 persons per acre, total residential land will be needed 445.73 acres. Existing residential area of the Paurashava is 861.93 acres. So, there is no need of additional land for future residential development theoretically. But in practical the rate of overall urbanization in country context will influence the area for future rapid urbanization considering that some area for future planned residential use and compact residential area development has proposed. Considering the development pattern a total of 996.53(23.1%) acres of land has proposed under this category including two planned residential area, one low income housing area and one area for resettlement zone.

Table 10.3: Proposed new areas for planned residential development

Proposed Facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area (Acre)
Residential				
Planned Residential Area-1	4	Solemanpur_063_01	705-708, 712-718, 719 part, 732 part, 733-739, 746 part, 747 part	12.51
	5	Solemanpur_063_01	743 part, 744-745, 755 part, 757-763, 764 part, 765 part, 768-774, 775 part, 777 part, 778-783, 784 part, 792 part, 793, 794 part	18.07
Planned Residential Area-2	4	Bajebamondaho_062_02	181 part, 182 part, 361	1.41
	7	Bajebamondaho_062_03	522-543	7.85
	8	Boro Bamondaho_061_01	898 part, 899-914, 915 part, 916 part	5.14

Proposed Facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area (Acre)
	9	Solemanpur_063_04	7022 part, 7024-7026, 7027 part, 7028 part, 7029-7045, 7046 part, 7047 part, 7048-7072, 7079 part, 7080-7087, 7088 part, 8092-7107, 7108 part, 7109-7117, 7147 part, 7149, 7150 part, 7151-7159, 7160 part, 7164-7167, 7168 part, 72456 part, 7247 part, 7770-7771, 7774	61.06
Low Income Housing Area	5	Solemanpur_063_03	5352 part, 5357-5259, 5360 part, 5361 part, 5362, 5379, 5380 part, 5381-5382, 5383 part, 5392 part, 5393, 5394 part, 5395 part, 5396 part,	6.52
	9	Solemanpur_063_06	8197 part, 8198-8199, 8200 part, 8201 part, 8224-8234, 8235 part, 8242 part, 8243-8261	15.59
Re-Settlement Residential Zone	5	Solemanpur_063_03	5396 part, 5397, 5398 part, 5492-5496, 5497 part, 5498 part, 6119 part	5.12
	9	Solemanpur_063_06	8262-8272, 8282	12.62
Total				145.89

2) Commercial Zone

The land used for commercial activities is considered as commercial land use. These activities include the buying and selling of goods and services in retail businesses, wholesale buying and selling, financial establishments, and wide variety of services that are broadly classified as "Business". Commercial land includes established markets and areas earmarked for markets. The commercial zone is intended to provide locations which can function without creating hazards to surrounding land uses. Existing commercial area of the Paurashava is 47.42 acres. If standard of area calculate according to the population for the year 2031, total 49.03 acres commercial land will be needed. But in present situation pure commercial development may not possible that's way more mixed used land (residential-commercial land has proposed. A total 38.22 acres of land has proposed under this category including new area for whole sale market, Paura Super Market, Cattle Market and Super market. No huge land has proposed for commercial facilities the proposed mixed use land will accommodate the demand of commercial land.

Table 10.4: proposed facilities for commercial development

Proposed facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area (Acre)
Commercial Facilities				
Poura Supper Market	3	Kotchandpur_046_02	950 part, 951, 1557 part	0.31
Super Market-1	1	Kotchandpur_046_01	369 part, 370 part, 371 part	0.53
Super Market-2	3	Kotchandpur_046_02	1216, 1220 part	0.77
Cattle Market	9	Solemanpur_064_04	7010 part, 7011 part, 7019 part, 7020-7021, 7022 part	1.69
Wholesale Market	4	Bajebamondaho_062_02	153 part, 155-156, 158, 159 part	2.53
		Solemanpur_063_01	848 part	
Total				5.83

3)Mixed Use Zone

Mixed use zones have been recommended to allow some flexibility in development. In a small town like Kotchandpur, as the trend shows, an exclusive commercial land use is unlikely to function. Admixture of land uses will allow flexibility of development, instead of restricting development to any particular use. Existing land under this use is 13.92 acres. A total of such 130.32 acres land has proposed under this category. Mostly central area of the Paurashava is under mixed-use zone.

4) General Industrial Zone

General industries are the Green and Orange A categories of industries as per The Environment Conservation Rules, 1997. The general industrial zone is intended to provide locations, where general industrial establishments can be set up and function without creating hazards to surrounding land uses. In the Paurashava, industries occupied 32.59 acres land. For the year 2031 a total of 11.43 acres land should be provisioned according to the standard for industrial development. Considering the potentiality for industrial development total of 143.37 acres of land has proposed under his category including two proposed new industrial zone.

Table 10.5:Proposed new industrial area

Proposed facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area(Acre)
Industrial				
General Industrial Zone	5	Solemanpur 06303	5299 part, 5300, 5303 part, 5304 part, 5305-5339, 5340 part, 5343 part, 5344, 5345 part, 5346-5347, 5348 part, 5352-5355, 5364-5377, 5378 part, 5380 part, 5383 part, 5384-5391, 5398 part, 5401-5442, 5443 part, 5444-5445, 5448 part, 5449, 5450 part, 5451 part, 5452-5457, 5458 part, 5459 part, 5460-5461, 5467 part, 5468-5490, 5497, 5504 part, 5505-5517, 5638-5639, 5642-5643, 5644 part, 6011 part, 2012 part, 6013, 6014 part, 6015 part	121.41
		Solemanpur 06304	7731-7759	

5)Government Office

Government Office zone covers all kinds of government offices including existing and proposed (e.g. proposed neighbourhood center) in the town. The existing government offices are Upazila Tahsil Office, Upazila Agriculture Office, Upazila Livestock Hospital, PDB Office, Police Station, Post Office, Paurashava Office, Sub-registry Office, T & T Office and Upazila Parisad Office. Existing land under this use is 18.11 acres. For the year 2031, 30.00 acres land will be needed. The administration includes Paurashava office, Police station, Tahsil office and other utility offices. The planning team has proposed 30.62 acres of land under this category including a new area for jail/sub-jail.

Table 10.6 Proposed new Administrative/government office area

Proposed facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area(Acre)
Administration				
Jail/Sub Jail	6	Solemanpur_063_02	2712-2726, 2728-2737, 2739-2741, 3005	14.52

6) Education & Research Zone

Educational & Research zone refers to mainly education & research and other social service facilities as listed in Table-10.6. Mostly educational institutes such as primary school/kindergarten, secondary school, college and vocational training institute are in this group. Existing land under this use is 27.12 acre. For the year 2031, 79.36 acres land will be needed if standard considers for this purpose. Including all educational institution as presented in the following table and existing educational facilities with extension a total of 90.78 acres of land has proposed under this category.

Table 10.7: Proposed new facilities for educational development

Proposed facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area (Acre)
Educational Institution				
Vocational Training Center	9	Solemanpur_063_04	7140-7146, 7147 part, 7148, 7150 part	5.33
Poura High School	4	Bajebamondaho_62_02	206 part, 207 part, 209-210, 211 part, 212 part	2.02
University	5	Solemanpur_063_03	5063 part, 5064 part, 5065, 5066 part, 5070 part, 5250 part, 5251, 5252 part, 5261 part, 5262-5287, 5288 part, 5289-5298, 5301 part, 5302 part, 5304 part, 5443 part, 5446-5447, 5450 part, 5535 part, 5536, 5537 part, 6117	41.81
		Solemanpur_063_04	7686-7687, 7689-7710, 7711 part, 7716-7717	
Total				49.16

7) Agricultural Zone

Agricultural land denotes the land suitable for agricultural production, both crops and livestock. It is one of the main resources in agriculture. It includes productive land (single, double and triple cropped), seed bed, fisheries, poultry farm, dairy farm, nursery, horticulture etc. The Paurashava has a vast area of agricultural land that demands formation of a separate zone like, agriculture zone. Agriculture zone is primarily meant for agriculture; land uses related to it and land uses that support it. Existing total area under agricultural use is 2180.48 acres (69.69%). After implementation of the Urban Area Plan up to the year 2031, it will be reduced. A total of 2175.09 acres (50.51%) of land has proposed under this category.

8) Water body

These will act as water retention areas which include ponds, water tanks, natural khals and irrigation canals. The plan suggests preserving most of these water bodies for two

purposes, first, to serve as source of water, second to serve as water retention area during monsoon. The ponds with an area equal to or more than 0.25 acres will be preserved as the water retention ponds. In the Paurashava, total water body is 151.72 acre and up to the year 2031 a total of 142.54 acres water body should conserve.

9)Open Space

Open space includes play field/play ground, park, Community/neighborhood park, community/reserve forest, tennis ground and open tourism components. At present, 14.99 acres land is under the open spaces. Up to the year 2031, 108.33 acres land under open spaces will be needed. A total of 94.81 acres of land has proposed under this category including existing.

Table 10.8: Proposed new facilities for open space development

Proposed facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area(Acre)
Open Space				
Central Park	9	Solemanpur_064_04	7090, 7161-7162, 7169 part, 7170-7181, 7182 part, 7183-7190, 7191 part, 7192 part, 7239 part, 7241 part, 7242 part, 7245 part, 7246 part	9.79
Stadium/ Sports Complex	5	Solemanpur_063_03	5288 part, 5297 part, 5298 part	6.99
		Solemanpur_063_04	7711 part, 7712-7715, 7718-7729, 7730 part	
Community Park-1	1	Dudhsora_045_02	862-865, 867, 874, 875 part	3.07
Community Park-2	2	Kotchandpur_046_01	2 part, 3-6, 9 part	1.48
Community Park-3	2	Kotchandpur_046_01	113, 114 part, 115 part, 116 part, 117 part, 118 part, 121 part, 141 part, 142 part, 143, 147	4.71
Community Park-4	5	Solemanpur_063_03	5138-5139, 5140 part, 5141 part, 5142 part, 5143-5145, 5149 part, 5150	2.78
Community Park-5	6	Solemanpur_063_02	2008 part, 2009 part, 2010 part, 2011 part, 2012 part, 2014-2015, 2016 part, 2018, 2019 part, 2020-2026, 2027 part, 2028 part, 2029 part, 2030 part, 2034 part	4.37
Community Park-6	8	Bori Bamondaho_061_01	369-372, 389-390	3.22
Community Park-7	9	Solemanpur_063_06	8055-8059, 8063 , 8064 part, 8065 part, 8076-8079	2.81
Playground-1	1	Bhabanipur_043_00	421 part, 422 part, 423 part, 424 part, 435 part, 436 part, 437 part, 439 part, 440-443, 497 part, 451-452, 457, 458 part, 459 part, 503	3.79
Playground-2	2	Kotchandpur_046_02	470-473, 474 part, 478 part, 479-480	2.66
Playground-3	6	Solemanpur_063_02	2016 part, 2017, 2031 part, 2032-2033, 2034 part, 2035, 2036 part, 2037-2039, 2040 part, 2041 part	4.93
Playground-4	8	Boro Bamondaho_061_01	365-366, 367 part	3.95
		Boro Bamondaho_061_03	1501-1504, 1515 part, 1521 part	
Shisu Park	2	Kotchandpur_046_02	474, 475-477, 478 part	2.25
Total				56.80

10)Circulation Network

Circulation network including primary, secondary, tertiary and local access road and railway line falls under this category. In the Paurashava, 105.13(2.44%) acres land is under regional road, local roads and railway. More land will be needed for provisioning proposed Circulation network up to the year 2031. About 10-15% of the total land may be considered for road network. Due to vast agricultural land low amount of land has proposed under this category. A total of 323.01 acres (7.48%) of land has proposed under this category.

11)Transportation Facilities

Under transportation facilities, both transport and communication services are considered. This category includes, bus terminal/ stand, filling station, garage, passenger shed, ticket counter, transport office, etc. In the Paurashava, only 4.79 acres land is under this use. For the year 2031, 11.20 acres land will be needed according to the standard. Transportation and Communication related services are Bus transport terminal, Railway station, Truck terminal, Rickshaw / Van / Auto stand, Launch/Boat ghat, Passenger shed, etc. Considering the real scenario with a proposed Bus terminal, truk terminal with loading unloading facilities and four tempo stand total of 11.17 acres of land has proposed under this category.

Table 10.9:Proposed new transportation facilities.

Proposed Facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area(Acre)
Transportation				
Bus Terminal	4	Solemanpur_063_01	676 part, 677 part, 678 part, 681 part, 682 part	1.78
Truck Terminal	4	Solemanpur_063_01	659 part, 692 part, 693 part	1.79
Loading/Unloading Area	4	Solemanpur_063_01	677 part, 689 part, 692 part	1.05
Tempo Stand-1	2	Kotchandpur_046_01	200	0.29
Tempo Stand-2	2	Kotchandpur_046_02	505 part, 507 part	0.07
Tempo Stand-3	3	Kotchandpur_046_02	1203 part, 1204 part	0.30
Tempo Stand-4	5	Solemanpur_063_04	7760 part, 7761 part, 7762, 7763 part	0.56
Total				5.84

12)Utility Services

A number of utility establishments are required in a town to serve the people. Utility services include Overhead Tank, Power Office/Control Room, Public Toilet, Sewerage Office, Waste Disposal, Water Pump House, Water Reservoir, Water Treatment Plant, Waste transfer station etc. A total of 12.93 acres of land required upto 2031 under this category. A dumping station, 3 public toilet, 1 water pump house, Slaughter house, 3 waste transfer station and 2 area for surface water treatment plant have proposed under this category with a area of 8.56 acre including existing are extension proposal.

Table 10.10: Proposed new utility services.

Proposed Facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area(Acre)
Utility & Service Facility				

Proposed Facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area(Acre)
Dumping Site	1	Dudhsora_045_02	1000 part, 1007 part, 1008, 1009 part, 1011 part, 1081 part	2.64
Public Toilet-1	1	Dudhsora_045_01	305 part, 306 part	0.27
Public Toilet-2	3	Kotchandpur_046_02	1037 part	0.08
Public Toilet-3	5	Solemanpur_063_04	7760 part	0.12
Pump House	1	Kotchandpur_046_01	356 part, 366 part, 367 part	0.09
Slaughter House	4	Solemanpur_063_01	4 part, 877 part	0.27
Surface Water Treatment Plant-Area-1	4	Solemanpur_063_01	87-92	0.30
Surface Water Treatment Plant-Area-2	6	Solemanpur_063_02	2002 part, 2004, 2005 part	1.21
Waste Transfer Station-1	1	Dudhsora_045_01	293 part, 294 part, 298, 300 part	0.67
Waste Transfer Station-2	3	Kotchandpur_046_02	1023 part, 1040 part	0.18
Waste Transfer Station-3	5	Solemanpur_063_04	7760 part, 7761 part	0.37
Total				6.2

13)Health Services

The zone of health care facilities is intended to provide locations, where health facilities including upazila health complex and other maternity clinic can be set up and function. Existing land under this use 8.52 acre. For the year 2031 including a Health Center a total of 24.98 acres of land has proposed under this category.

Table 10.11:Proposed facilities for Health Facilities development

Proposed facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area (Acre)
Health Facilities				
Health Center	1	Dudhsora_045_02	740 part, 741-746, 776 part, 777 part, 778 part, 870-873, 876-880, 881 part, 889 part, 890-894, 895 part, 896-897, 989 part, 899 part, 900 part, 920-922, 925-929, 930 part, 931, 932 part,	19.00

14)Community Facilities

All community facilities, including funeral places (i.e. graveyards) and other religious uses denoted as community facilities. At present, 7.22 acres of land is under this category. According to the standard, about 18.02 acres land may be prescribed for community facilities up to 2031. One of the important philosophies of this plan is provisioning compact township development. Based on this concept, the Ward Councilor's Office building may be used including family planning clinic, Union Parishad Office and club. Land for such type of activities is not prescribed in the plan, land only allocated for Ward Councilor's Office building. A total of 30.80 acres of land has proposed under this category.

Table 10.12:Proposed new community facilities

Proposed facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area(Acre)
Community Facilities				
Community Center	2	Kotchandpur_046_01	2 part, 7-8, 9 part,	2.52

Proposed facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area(Acre)
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Cremation	1	Dudhsora_045_02	1074 part, 1078 part	0.43
Mukti-joddha Complex	4	Solemanpur_064_01	696 part	0.58
Ward Center	1	Dudhsora_045_01	304 part	0.39
	2	Kotchandpur_046_01	146, 151 part	0.30
	3	Kotchandpur_046_02	1422 part	0.26
	4	Solemanpur_063_01	152 part	0.19
	5	Solemanpur_063_01	836 part, 837 part, 838 part	0.60
	6	Solemanpur_063_02	2297 part, 2298 part	0.14
	7	Bajebamondaho_062_02	40, 41 part	0.36
	8	Boro Bamonah_061_01	580 part, 583 part, 799799	0.80
	9	Solemanpur_063_04	7579	0.88
Total				7.45

15) Urban Deferred

According to planning standard provided by LGED seeks about 10 percent of the total build up area. The total area under this use has been proposed as 70.02 acres of the existing Paurashava area that include existing and proposed land uses. A portion of this zone may use for housing of the poor, disadvantages and refugee for climate change and other disasters to fulfil National Housing Policy, Disaster Policy and other policy prescriptions of the Government. The following are permitted Uses within the Urban Deferred (UD) Zone:

- Agriculture, Livestock Based
- Agriculture, Vegetation Based (mushroom farms shall not be permitted)
- Existing facilities up to the date of gazette notification of the master plan.
- Condition is that, no further extension will be permitted.

Table 10.13: Proposed area for urban differed.

Proposed Area	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area (Acre)
Urban Deferred				
Urban Deferred	4	Solemanpur_063_01	709-710, 737 part, 740 part	20.06
		Solemanpur_063_03	5001-5008	
		Solemanpur_063_04	7655-7678, 7792	
	5	Solemanpur_063_01	764 part, 765 part, 766, 776 part	49.96
		Solemanpur_063_03	5010-5028, 5029 part, 5030 part, 5031-5062, 5063 part, 5064 part, 5066 part, 5067-5069, 5070 part, 5071-5100, 5101 part, 5102 part, 5233 part, 5235-5237, 5238 part, 5239-5245, 5246 part, 5247, 5248 part, 5249 part, 6108-6113	
		Solemanpur_063_04	7680-7685, 7688 part	

16) Recreational Facilities

It includes cineme/theatre, sports complex. Only 1.13 acres land is under recreational use in the Paurashava. As per standard a total of 2.23 acres of land are needed under his

category upto year 2031. The study team recommends extension of existing facility and a total of 1.37 acres of land has proposed under this category.

17) Overlay Zone

The overlay land uses refer to those uses that are not compatible to the surrounding land uses but, anyhow, they need to stay there and therefore will not be removed. These uses are only sites and not zones, actually. They have local, regional or national importance, though they don't conform to surrounding land uses. No other use except the use of overlay site is permitted in this zone. There is no scope for permitting or conditionally permitting the functions or uses as the zone itself is an overlay. The present and proposed use of the zone will continue until the next zoning regulation is imposed on those specific parcels of land.

There are a variety of overlay zones within the project area. Some of the important types of overlay sites are listed below including the purpose of retaining them are described below.

Environmental Protection Area

Environmental protection overlay areas refer to the areas that need to be preserved protected and manage for their natural resources. The purpose of this zone is to protect the areas of environmentally sensitive, areas critical to the ecosystems.

Graveyard Sites

The sites cover existing graveyards that imposes restriction on building or acquisition of such sites for their religious and emotional value.

Sports and Recreation Sites

Some existing open spaces, water bodies, etc. are delineated as overlay sites in order to protect them in consideration of their future need. These places are meant exclusively for sports and recreation.

Special Use Sites

There are some special use areas that need to be protected. Special and temporary events like, fair, hat etc. may be permitted in this zone. The purpose for delineating this zone is to preserve them and make them be able to render services to the present community and future generations. Plot scheduling for development proposals of Kotchandpur Paurashava of different category of land useages are shown in the following table.

Table 10.14: Proposed Land use of Kotchandpur Paurashava

Sl. No.	Land use Type	Area (Acre)	Per(%)
1	Urban Residential Zone	996.54	23.10
2	Commercial Zone	38.22	0.89
3	Mixed Use Zone	130.32	3.02
4	General Industrial Zone	143.37	3.32
5	Government Offices	30.62	0.71
6	Education and Research	90.78	2.10
7	Agriculture Zone	2,179.05	50.51
8	Water Body	142.54	3.30
9	Open Space	94.41	2.17
10	Circulation Network	322.47	7.48
11	Transport & Communication	11.17	0.26
12	Utility Service	8.06	0.19

Sl. No.	Land use Type	Area (Acre)	Per(%)
13	Health Services	24.98	0.58
14	Community Facilities	30.80	0.71
15	Recreational Facilities	1.37	0.03
16	Urban Deferred	70.02	1.62
Total		4,313.72	100.00

Source: Land use Survey, 2009 and proposed by the Consultant.

10.4 Plan Implementation Strategy

10.4.1 Land Development Regulations to Implement the Landuse Plan

Effective implementation of a plan is the most important part of the planning process. The process of Implementation needs to be carried out with care and efficiency in order to produce best outcomes. This chapter highlights various measures needed to be taken in order to implement the landuse plan proposals.

Implementation of the Landuse Plan depends on successful pursuit of the policies specified in the Structure Plan. Those policies represent a significant challenge face with the responsibility of planning and managing the development of the Paurashava area. However, at present no authority is responsible for planning and managing physical development activities in the Paurashava and no regulation except Local Government (Paurashava) Ordinance, 2009 for controlling physical development. This poses a serious constraint to the implementation of the Landuse Plan and in fact any other form of development plans.

The factors that have been taken into account in deciding the priority include such things as – the importance of the issue that the policy addresses, its potential impact on the lives of the population, the ease with which it can be implemented, its urgency and its interdependence with other policies.

Prior to introduction of the regulations to implement the landuse plan, legislative involvement is recommended here.

1. To control the air, water, noise and soil pollution, Conservation of Environment and Pollution Control Act, 1995 (Act No. I of 1995) was enacted. In the Paurashava, there is no authority for enforcing the provisions prescribed in the said Act. The pollution related with the implementation of landuse component may be controlled with this Act.
2. Impose control on all type of buildings in the Paurashava according to the setback rule prescribed in the Building Construction (Amendment) Rules, 1996 (Notification No. S. R. O. No. 112-L/96). Building permission for extended areas shall be according to the landuse provision prescribed in the plan. Any permission for building construction, front road width shall not be less than 16 ft. and the construction must follow the Building Construction (Amendment) Rules, 1996.
3. Haphazard development of commercial activities is the general scenario of the Paurashava. It is necessary to impose control on commercial activities provisioned in the Shops and Establishments Act, 1965 (Act No. VII of 1965).
5. In case of man-made canal, regulations prescribed in the Canal and Drainage Act, 1873 (Act No. VIII of 1873) is the best weapon. For the linking of canal with others and river considering drainage facilities the Act may be enforced.
6. For the conservation of archeological monuments or structures or historical development the Ancient Monuments Preservation Act, 1904 (Act No. VII of 1904) may be enforced. Archeological Department of Bangladesh and Paurashava authority through a partnership process may preserve such type of development.

7. To control air pollution due to brick burning with the establishment of brick field, Brick Burning Control Ordinance, 1989 (Ordinance No. VIII of 1989) is the appropriate regulation. The Paurashava authority may enforce this Ordinance with the authorization given by the government to him.
8. To control the medical practitioner, establishment of private clinics and pathological laboratories, the statute named Medical Practice, Private Clinics and Laboratories (Regulation) Ordinance, 1982 (Ordinance No. IV of 1982) was enacted. For efficient enforcement of the Ordinance, the Paurashava authority may execute the Ordinance with the authorization of government.
9. The Paurashava will have to exercise strictly Playfield, Open space, Garden and Natural Tank in Urban Areas Preservation Act, 2000 (Act No. XXXVI of 2000) to some specially important areas like, riverfront and water bodies, drainage channels, low land below certain level, designated open space, etc. Development restrictions are needed around security and key point installations. The provision of restriction will strengthen the power of the plan to safeguard its development proposals and landuse provisions.
10. The government is authorized for establishment of hat and bazar with the acquisition of land through the statute named Hat and Bazar (Establishment and Acquisition) Ordinance, 1959 (No. XIX of 1959). In case of private hat and bazar, a management body is being empowered through the Bangladesh Hats and Bazars (Management) Order, 1973 (P.O. 73/72). The Paurashava authority is also empowered establishing hat and bazar in his jurisdiction through the Local Government (Paurashava) Ordinance, 2009. Coordination may be framed among the government (Upazila Parishad), Paurashava and private owner for the establishment, development and management of the hat and bazar located in the Paurashava premises.
11. In the Paurashava premises, industrial development is controlled by the Bangladesh Cottage Industries Corporation through Bangladesh Cottage Industries Corporation Act, 1973 (Act No. XXVIII of 1973), Industrial Development Corporation through East Pakistan Industrial Development Corporation Rules, 1965 (No. EPIDC / 2A-2/63/354) and Factory Inspector through Factories Act, 1965 (Act No. IV of 1965). Locational aspects and issuing of trade license is controlled by the Paurashava authority. A joint coordination cell among those four authorities may control the establishment of factories and industries in the Paurashava.
12. In the Paurashava, for rain water harvesting, some specific ponds / tanks will needed to be preserved. A number of derelict tanks may be improved through tank improvement project and in this case Tanks Improvement Act, 1939 (Act No. XV of 1939) will support the Paurashava is regulatory aspects.
13. Except Khas land, a considerable amount of public land in the Paurashava may be identified as fallow land or unproductive land. In regulatory term those lands are considered as culturable waste land and those lands are being fallow during five consecutive years. Those lands may be utilized under the guidance of Culturable Waste Land (Utilization) Ordinance, 1959 (Ordinance No. E.P. XIII of 1959).
14. The Paurashava should raise its efforts on the imposition and realization of betterment fees to raise its income. In this case, East Bengal Betterment Fees Act, 1953 may be enforced.

10.4.2 Implementation, Monitoring and Evaluation of the Landuse Plan

Implementation through Multi-Sectoral Investment Programme: Major infrastructure development works such as primary roads, water supply, drainage, etc., will largely be controlled by Government. Public works requires efficient co-ordination through the Multi-Sectoral Investment Programme (MSIP).

Objective of a Multi-Sectoral Investment Programme (MSIP) will match a list of the development projects with the funding stream necessary to implement them. There are two basic activities that would determine the contents of MSIP. One activity would be to prioritize and schedule the investment projects of all public agencies so they will collectively help to achieve the development goals and objectives of the Landuse Plan. Second activity would be to analyze the source and availability of fund for the prioritized list of development projects.

Implementation through Action Plans and Projects: Action Plans and Projects will be the implementation plans to solve problems at the local level. Action plans will take a direct approach toward plan implementation with a minimum of research, reports or elaborate planning methods. These projects will be easily identifiable and will require minimum resource.

Implementation through Development Control: Landuse zoning is one of several methods of plan implementation to be considered. In all cases where some form of development, landuse control may be applied; careful consideration requires the following ideologies:

- the purpose to be achieved by the development controls;
- where controls should be applied;
- what aspect of development needs to be controlled;
- what type of development controls are required;
- what degree or level of development control is required;
- who will be affected by the required control;
- who will be affected by the controls and in what manner;
- when the controls should be applied;
- what will be the likely impact of the controls;
- how and by whom will the controls be administered and enforced.

Development control as an instrument of plan implementation may be selectively applied within the Landuse Plan. Development controls would also be varied in intensity and detail to suit the particular circumstances. It is important that they should be clear and easily understood by all parties concerned. Since the entire Paurashava Master Plan 'package' has become statutory, development controls associated with its component plans would also be statutory.

Implementation by Facilitating Private Investment: Another approach that would be taken by government toward plan implementation will be to guide and facilitate investments made by the private sector. Government can achieve this with relative ease and at very low cost by setting up a legal and operational framework, coupled with suitable incentives, to facilitate land consolidation, plot boundary readjustment, efficient lay out of plots and provision of local infrastructure by the private sector. The benefits of this approach would be:

- increased efficiency of the urban land market would make more private land available to urban households;
- would pass much of the development costs for local infrastructure to the private sector and land market mechanisms;
- would increase in land for development without large cash outlays by government to purchase land for development schemes; and
- would keep provision of land for community facilities virtually no cost to government.

Plan Monitoring

The Landuse Plan would simply be tools for guiding and encouraging the growth and development of the Paurashava in a preferred manner. In a rapidly changing urban environment, the Landuse Plan would require to keep up to date. If this is not done, within a few years it will be obsolete. Therefore, it is imperative that the requirement for regular updating of the Landuse Plan be made a legal requirement.

For implementation of the various programme components of the Landuse Plan appropriate administrative measures will have to be undertaken. This will essentially include project preparation and monitoring of their execution and evaluation. For carrying out all these activities appropriate institutional measures are also needed.

Evaluation

Monitoring and evaluation of on going and implemented projects is essential to keep the future course of action on the right track. An on going project should be regularly monitored and handicaps identified to enable taking appropriate measures at the right time.

Post implementation evaluation is also needed to take appropriate measures correcting past errors-from project preparation to implementation.

The top level supervision has to be done by a high level supervisory committee headed by Paurashava Mayor, LGED representative and Local Government Ministry. Other members of the committee will be local Ward Councilors, local community leader/social workers and the Town Planner of the Paurashava. The committee will supervise implementation works regularly and issue necessary instructions to expedite the works of implementation.

Co-ordination

A Planning Section of Paurashava should have close interaction with the citizen of Paurashava at large in order to make people aware of the benefits of a good plan and, therefore, their social responsibility to promote plan implementation in one hand and also resist contraventions on the other. A specific interactive cell is recommended to operate in this regard with following responsibilities:

- Provide pre-application advice to residents, consultants and developers about landuse management issues and application procedures for the submission of development applications.
- Enforce planning and landuse management related legislation and zoning scheme regulations.
- Issue of property zoning certificates.

- Investigate and resolve landuse management complaints, illegal landuse and prosecuting contraventions.

Such interactive windows may be opened in various convenient locations to ensure ease of the answers to commonly asked questions may be shown in the internet. Besides, those may be shown in the print and electronic media time to time.

In spontaneous areas, while all out people's co-operation is needed for project implementation; there will also be some elements of negotiation. Negotiation will be particularly needed in case of road widening projects. It will be a crucial task for Paurashava to convince the affected people to give up their land for road use. Efforts should be made to convince the land owners on the ground of enhancement of property value due to road widening. In case people refuse to offer land free of cost necessary arrangements may have to be made for payment of compensation. This process of negotiation will be very critical, cumbersome and time consuming, and therefore, has to be handled with utmost care and patience. The best results can be accrued only by winning people's confidence. In case the authority fails to get peoples co-operation they should exercise power of compulsory acquisition of land. Attempts may be made to engage NGOs / CBOs to work as catalysts in negotiation.

CHAPTER-11

TRANSPORTATION AND TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT PLAN

11.1 Introduction

Transport study provides special attention to urban transportation planning as it greatly influences the location decisions and travel behavior of people, goods and services. Transportation is critical for the efficiency of towns contributing to their productivity and economic growth. A good network of roads and other transportation mode coupled with an efficient transport management system makes substantial contribution to the "working efficiency" of cities and towns and enables them to become catalysts for social and economic development. On the other hand, the impact of a poorly designed urban transport system is manifested in terms of traffic congestion, delays, accidents, high energy consumption, high pollution of the environment and inequitable access to services. A well-planned transportation system results in orderly urban growth, greater use of urban public transport, lower vehicular pollution, and shorter auto trips.

The current chapter of the report is about Transportation and Traffic Management Plan covering its development plan proposals and traffic management up to the year 2031. Transportation and Traffic Management Plan is a part of the second stage of the current plan package. This planning component is based on the framework of the Structure Plan prepared in the earlier phase. The Plan is intended to address those areas of the Structure Plan that are likely to face urban growth during next 10 years, and obviously that includes the existing Paurashava area and its extension areas. The report also gives the objectives of the purpose and the role of Transportation and Traffic Management Plan and its relation with Structure Plan and Land Use Plan.

11.2 Approach and Methodology

A comprehensive transportation study was undertaken to investigate the existing transportation infrastructure, transportation mode and modal share scenario of Kotchandpur Paurashava and to estimate the anticipated transportation needs of the town up to the year 2031. Transportation study was conducted to determine the present travel patterns and the characteristics of existing transportation facilities to forecast the future travel demand and develop a transportation plan.

Standard methodology was followed for traffic study in the project area as per the Terms of Reference. A nine hour traffic counting was conducted to assess the traffic volume at the most important traffic point. Kotchandpur Bus Stand intersections has been selected for traffic count survey. The roads at these intersections attract traffic from its surroundings to a great extent mainly for commercial, official and educational purposes. The links of intersection are given below at table 11.1.

Table 11.1: Description of the survey stations

Name of the Intersection	Major Link Roads/ Route	Direction
Bus Stand More	Bus Stand More to North-South link	Bothway
	Bus Stand More to South-North link	Bothway
	Bus Stand More to East-West link	Bothway
	Bus Stand More to West-East link	Bothway

Bus and tempo fleet data were collected from local transport owners' offices like, Bus Owners' Association, Tempo Owners' Association. They also provided information about routes, trips and movement data. Information about bus station and tempo station were collected from the respective owners' associations and the Paurashava/District Administration. Year wise data of non-motorized traffic were collected from the Kotchandpur Paurashava, where these vehicles are registered.

Data on road pattern and condition of roads with their problems and road width were collected from the physical feature survey and verified through field visit. Data on household mobility were also collected from socio-economic survey of the households. Information on road ownership was collected from the Paurashava, LGED and RHD. The same sources also provided information about future road projects in and around the town. Information about traffic conflict and accident were collected from the field and from Thana (police station). Mapping of major roads was done using physical feature survey data and by thorough reconnaissance survey of roads. By considering the planning standard and analyzing the demand, Traffic and transportation plan were made.

11.3 Existing Conditions of Transportation Facilities

11.3.1 Roadway Characteristics and Functional Classification

The planning area covers 17.46 sq. km. (4313.72 acres) and road length is 92.82 km. The Kaliganj-Chuadanga Regional Highway runs through the Paurashava and links a number of Connector Roads and Access Roads and these are the main arterial road of the planning area. It provides connection with Kotchandpur Paurashava to the South Bengal and Dhaka. The roads of the Paurashava belonging to number of agencies named Roads and Highways Department (RHD) responsible for National Highway, Local Government Engineering Department (LGED) responsible for construction and maintenance of Upazila and Union roads and Kotchandpur Paurashava responsible for construction and maintenance of roads within the Paurashava area. Existing transportation system is dominated by road network catering to the passenger service and freight transport.

The road network provides access to various places within the study area and connects various parts of the country following bus routes. There are three types of road in Kotchandpur Paurashava- Pucca, Semi-Pucca and Katcha. Out of 92.82 km of roads, Pucca road is 55.68 km, Semi-pucca road is 30.27 km and Katcha Road is 6.87 km. haphazard parking, temporary markets in RoW of the roads, absence of pedestrian footpaths are the main causes for continuous traffic congestion in town roads. There is no public bus service available for intra-zonal movement in Kotchandpur Paurashava. Intra-zonal movement is mostly carried out through bicycle, rickshaw, rickshaw-van, motorcycle, Auto Rickshaws

Table 11.2: Road network of Kotchandpur Paurashava

Road Type	Road Length (km)	%
Katcha Road	6.87	59.99
Semipucca Road	30.27	32.61
Pucca Road	55.68	7.40
Total	92.82	100.00

Source: Physical Feature Survey 2009

Road network has not developed in a planned manner and has not any definite street pattern. All the local roads are of irregular street pattern, which are also narrow and crooked in nature. The secondary/distributor roads are 8-17 meter width and the collector roads are 5-8 meter width. Road side vegetation and street light system were not found in the

Table 11.3: Hierarchy of roads in KotchandpurPaurashava

Type of road	Width in meter	Surface type
Arterial or major thoroughfare	20	Pucca
Secondary/ distributor road	8 - 17	Pucca
Tertiary /Collector road	5 - 8	HBB & Katcha
Private road	3- 5	Katcha
Pedestrian road	No	-

Source: Physical Feature Survey 2009

Motorized and non-motorized vehicles are operated in all the nodes of the planning area. The non-motorized vehicles are mainly operated within short distance and meet the local needs. The motorized vehicles are mostly intercity passenger buses and trucks, mainly carry agro product. Locally modified motorized transport vehicle named *Nosimon* also uses for short distance passenger and goods transportation.

11.3.2 Mode of Transport

For inter-zonal/regional movement, bus services are available from Kotchandpur to the following destinations: Kotchandpur-Jessore, Kotchandpur-Jhenaidah, Kotchandpur-Harinakunda, Kotchandpur-Chuadanga, Kotchandpur-Meherpur etc. Narrow Paurashava roads are suitable for rickshaw and therefore rickshaws are dominantly used for different purposes. Auto Rickshaw(CNG and Battery Powered) is predominantly used for educational and social trip making. Motorcycle and Bicycle are also found popular in the Paurashava. Hired CNG and Battery Powered Auto Rickshaw and Motorcycle are also used to travel long and short distances. Threei-wheeler auto rickshaws (CNG, Auto Bike) are used for long distance trips. Threei-wheeler auto rickshaw is very useful for two types of trips on demand basis, regular trip and Irregular trip. Regular trips have some specific destinations and specific routes. These trips also have fixed fare. It is also observed that more people prefer to walk to complete their short distance trips. For short distance trip purposes, van and Auto rickshaw is used dominantly for different purposes. People of all class use rickshaw as it is cheap. Personal motorcycle and bicycle use is observed to be significant in the Paurashava. In the Paurashava motorized traffic constitutes 36.02%. Non-motorized traffic 63.98%. Locally manufactured motorized vehicles called *Nocimon* *Korimon* and Small truck are found plying in the Paurashava roads for carrying the local goods. Three wheeler richshaw-vans are also found in the town for carrying local goods. For water transport only local boats are used.

11.3.3 Intensity of Traffic Volume

Traffic volume studies are conducted to determine the number, movements and classifications of roadway vehicles at a given location. These data help to identify critical flow time periods and determine the influence of large vehicles on vehicular traffic flow, or document traffic volume trends. The counted traffic data for different intersections as well as for different links at different time period and the generated PCU is presented in the following paragraphs.

Depending on the location and landuse around that location, traffic flow varies over different hours of the day. In this context, peak hour traffic flow has a special meaning. Depending on the landuse and socio-economic characteristics of the Paurashava, there could be 1 or 2 more peak hours in a day. Sometimes this peak hour could cover periods which are more than one hour. Highest peak hour traffic is usually taken in to account in determining the adequacy of the road section i.e. to determine whether the road section gets congested at certain hours of the day. Traffic flow survey has been carried out in selected intersections of the study area and the findings are presented in the following paragraphs.

In order to formulate Transport Plan for Kotchandpur Paurashava, traffic movement and volume count of traffic have been conducted. To understand the volume of traffic in Kotchandpur Paurashava traffic count have been conducted in four major roads viz., Bus stand mor. Traffic volumes of these 4 major roads with corresponding direction of flow are shown in the Table 11.3.

It is necessary to bring all types to a common unit and the normal practice to convert the flow into equivalent passenger car units (PCUs) is by using certain equivalence factors. The flow is then expressed as PCUs per hour or PCUs per day. PCU factor considered for the Project and the value recommended of other studies and practices have been mentioned in the survey report of Kotchandpur Paurashava.

From the traffic volume survey of Kotchandpur Paurashava it seems that from 10am to 7pm major roads are jam-packed with traffic with the non-motorized vehicles.

The individual Peak Hours of the Traffic Survey conducted for major link roads have been identified and then multiplied with the value of equivalence factors. It is noted that motorized traffic is much lesser than the Non-motorized traffic in all of the Roads of Kotchandpur Paurashava. North-South direction of bus stand intersection exhibits the highest Peak Hour Traffic Volume of 606 and corresponding PCUs 1289 per hour. The Peak Hour Traffic in terms of the PCUs is determined for all the Traffic survey locations. The percentage of Motorized vehicles is 36.02% and NMT is 63.98%.

Table 11.4: Traffic Volume at Major Intersections and Link Roads

Name of the Intersection/ Major Link Roads	Route	Peak Hour Traffic Volume		% of PCU		Peak Hour
		Count	PCU	Motorized	Non-Motorized	
Major Intersection						
Bus Stand More	North-South	606	1289	36.02	63.98	08:00-09:00
	South-North	282	513.74			07:00-08:00
	East-West	390	613.34			09:00-10:00
	West-East	507	1127.8			08:00-09:00

Source: Traffic and Transport Survey by DDC, 2008-2009

11.3.4 Level of Service: Degree of Traffic Congestion and Delay

The service which a roadway offers to the road user can vary under different volumes of traffic. The Highway capacity Manual has introduced the concept of "Level of Service" to denote the level of facility one can derive from a road under different operating

characteristics and traffic volumes. The operating conditions for the six levels of service selected by the Manual are given below, Level 'A' representing the highest and Level 'F' representing the lowest:

Information of the vehicular volume using a road network is important for understanding the efficiency at which the system works at present and the general quality of service offered to the road users. Determination of the standard of performance of a particular road intersection, as well as, individual road section depends upon the Volume-Capacity Ratio (V/C Ratio). The V/C ratio is defined as the ratio of maximum actual volume of traffic in the peak hour in a road way, expressed in PCUs per hour to capacity of that roadway expressed in PCUs per hour. So,

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Level of Service A:

Zone of Free flows, with low volumes and high speeds. Traffic density is low and little or no restriction in maneuverability. The V/C ratio for this level of Service should not exceed 0.33.

Level of Service B:

Zone of stable flow, with operating speeds beginning to be restricted some what by traffic conditions. The V/C ratio for this level of Service should not exceed 0.50.

Level of service C:

Still in the zone of stable flow, but speeds and maneuverability are more closely controlled by higher volumes. The V/C ratio for this level of Service should not exceed 0.65.

Level of Service D:

This service is related to unstable flow, with tolerable operating speeds being maintained though considerably affected by changes in operating conditions. The V/C ratio for this level of Service should not exceed 0.80.

Level of Service E:

Flow is unstable with volumes at or near the capacity of the road. The V/C ratio for this level of service should not exceed 1.0.

Level of Service F

Forced flow operations at low speeds, where volume is more than the capacity, speeds are reduced substantially and stoppages may occur for short or long period of time. In the project area the consultants have performed traffic survey in major Road way links on the basis of that traffic survey; the consultants have evaluated the performance of those Roads sections. The only quantitative measure for the performance evaluation of sections that has been used in the study is volume to capacity ratio (V/C ratio). Traffic capacity is defined as the maximum hourly rate at which vehicles can reasonably be expected to traverse a roadway during a given period of time under prevailing roadway, traffic and

control conditions and expressed as PCUs per hour. Peak Traffic Volume is defined as the actual peak hour traffic passing a particular roadway during a given time period and expressed as PCUs per hour.

Capacity of a roadway largely depends on number of lane, road width and roadway condition. However, capacity was calculated in PCUs per hour and the standard capacity of a lane is assumed as 1400 PCUs per hour. So, the capacity of the entire major link roads are calculated by applying 1400 PCUs per hour per lane and the peak hour Traffic volume is obtained from Traffic Survey data and the individual V/C ratio of all the those Roads sections is calculated and the corresponding level of service are evaluated and presented in Table 11.4

Table 11.5: Evaluation of the Level of Service of Road Intersections

Name of the Major Link Roads	Number of Lanes	Peak Hour Traffic Volume (V) (PCU Per Hour)	Capacity (PCUs per Hour)	V/C Ratio	Level of Service
BusStand-south irection	1	1289	1400	0.92	E
BusStand-NorthDirection	1	513.74	1400	0.37	B
Bus Stand-west direction	1	613.34	1400	0.44	B
Bus Stand-east direction	1	1127.8	1400	0.81	E

* Based on 2-Day Traffic Survey by the Consultants

** PCUs= Passenger Car Units

11.4 Analysis of Existing Deficiencies

11.4.1 Roadway Capacity Deficiencies

Roads are categorises into Primary road, secondary road , tertiary road and access road. From physical feature survey and road inventory major roads of Kotchandpur Paurashava are shown in table 11.5.

Primary Road: A Regional Highway named Kaliganj-Chuadanga passed through the east-west direction of the KotchandpurPaurashava is the Primary Road of this Paurashava. 20 meter. Road standard (ROW) recommended in the is 100 feet to 150 feet, proves that the standard (ROW) of the existing primary road in the Paurashava is enough.

Secondary Road:Recommended Road standard (ROW) 60 feet to 100 feet, proves that the standard (ROW) of the existing secondary roads in the Paurashava is lower than the standard (ROW) recommended.

Tertiary Road: Recommended standard (ROW) for tertiary road is 20 feet to 40 feet, proves that the standard (ROW) of the existing tertiary roads in the Paurashava is lower than the standard (ROW) recommended.

Access road: Road standard (ROW) recommended for access road is 20 feet to 40 feet. in the Paurashava, all access roads are less than 12 feet and most of them are using as footway. Non-motorized vehicles named Van sometimes use those walkways. No deficiencies regarding the capacity of those access road exits.

Table 11.6: Hierarchy of road

No.	Name	Type	Width (m)
1	Kaliganj-Chuadanga Highway		16
2	Adarshapara road from R&H to rail way	Primary	20
3	Main Bus Stand to Talsher Road	Secondary	9
4	PDB office to Borobamondah rail gate road	Secondary	17
5	Bhabanipur Horitola Mondir	Secondary	10
6	Alims shallow to khashipur Road	Secondary	12
7	Rail Station to R & H road	Secondary	11.5
8	Bhalaghat to Bazar road via Dhalipara	Tertiary	7.5
9	H/O Motiar to H/O Golam Road	Tertiary	13
10	Borobamondah railgate to Jamtola mat road	Tertiary	10
11	Borobamondah Jamtala to Biswas para Road	Tertiary	8
12	chattlehat inner Road	Tertiary	6
13	Bazabamondah horitala road	Tertiary	8

11.4.2 Operational, Safety, Signal and other Deficiencies

- Traffic management system is absent in the Paurashava. No operational system yet being imposed on traffic movement.
- In Kotchandpur Paurashava for relative abundance of slow moving vehicles i.e. NMTs compared to fast moving MTs and lack of wide roads, no vehicles (either MT or NMT) can move in the road with their full speed. Hinderences of the traffic movement at required speed is the main problem in the Paurashava for traffic and transportation management. Again as the Paurashava is growing fast vehicular traffic is also expected to increase and as a result, traffic related problems are expected to increase in the Paurashava in near future. Proper road designing and road marking, proper management of intersection, are required.
- At present major commercial area of the town exist along both sides of the bridge ghat to Balur bus stand mor, MA Wadud Road road which is directly connected with the bazar area, which is the reason for traffic related problems. The situation might aggravate in future if proper measures are not taken. Considerable number of local narrow roads of the Paurashava is directly connected with bridge ghat to Balur bus stand mor, Kotchandpur to Kaliganj road, Main bus stand to talasher road.
- Slow moving local traffic also uses these highways and resulting inefficient use of road spaces in these highways which ultimately creates traffic congestion in these highways. Besides, in these roads most of the traffic accidents are occurring.

11.5 Condition of other mode of transport (Rail/Water/Air)

There is a railway line in Kotchandpur Paurashava running through east-west direction. The train station in this town in ward no 7. The train schedule of this region followed by the Jessore station. The schedule is given below.

Table 11.7: Train Schedule of Jessore district

T.No	Train Name	Off Day	Start Station	Start Time	Dest. Station	Arai.Time
763	Chitra Express	Monday	Khulna	830	Dhaka	1810

					Cantonment	
764	Chitra Express	Monday	Dhaka Cantonment	1910	Khulna	510
715	Kapotakhkho Express	Wednesday	Khulna	630	Rajshahi	1315
716	Kapotakhkho Express	Wednesday	Rajshahi	1400	Khulna	2040
727	Rupsha Express	Thursday	Khulna	800	Syedpur	1730
728	Rupsha Express	Thursday	Syedpur	745	Khulna	1750
761	Sagordari Express	Monday	Khulna	1500	Rajshahi	2150
762	Sagordari Express	Monday	Rajshahi	650	Khulna	1345
747	Shimanto Express	-	Khulna	2100	Syedpur	600
748	Shimanto Express	-	Syedpur	1915	Khulna	440
725	Shundorban Express	Friday	Khulna	2000	Dhaka	558
726	Shundorban Express	Saturday	Dhaka	602	Khulna	1650

(Source: Tripbd.com).

Although there is a River named Kapaaakkha which run through south-west side of the e Paurashava area, it is not used as waterway except in the case of rainy season when the river is full of water but still it is not a major transportation network.

There is no airport in this Paurashava.

11.6 Future Projections

Road design standards are prescribed in the section 21 of the Public Roads Act, 2004. The regulations of the sections are:

- The Government may declare design standards for roads by publication in the Official Gazette.
- The road design standards shall set out design requirements for roadways and road-related areas including structures located on roadways or road-related areas.
- A road authority shall comply with the road standards when carrying out works on a roadway, road-related area or when installing, modifying or maintaining a structure on a roadway or road-related area.
- Despite sub-section (3), a road authority is not required to comply with the road standards if:
 - the road authority is carrying out maintenance and, in the view of the road authority, it would not be practicable to comply with the road design standards.
 - the Government has, in writing, exempted the road authority from complying with the road design standards in relation to the works or structure.
- The Government may revoke or amend road design standards in the same manner as a declaration.
- The Urban Area Plan for Dhaka City has recommended road standards with the consideration of traffic volumes, which were not undertaken in conjunction with the Dhaka Integrated Transport Study (DITS). A wide range of standards was suggested

for various classes of roads, ranging from 4 meters to 24 meters, as mentioned below. The required right of way (ROW) is also indicated:

- Main Road 24.0 meter (78 ft) ROW
- Arterial Road 14.5 meter (47.5 ft) ROW
- Collector Road 13.0 meter (42.6 ft) ROW
- Access Road 9.0 meter (29.5 ft) ROW
- Access Road 6.0 meter (19.7 ft) ROW
- Non-motorized Road 4.0 meter (13.4 ft) ROW
- Footpath 2.5 meter (8.2 ft) ROW

In order to promote development of all roads in a systematic manner, new road standards were recommended for both built up areas, as well as for less built-up areas. These will replace the old standards, which were included in the Dhaka Metropolitan Development Plan (DMDP). The standards, when adopted will facilitate earmarking the right of way (ROW) for all major roads. The details of these standards used in this plan are indicated below.

Table 11.8: Road standards for future development of the network

Class of Roads	Standards recommended
Paurashava primary roads	150-100 ft.
Paurashava secondary roads	100-60 ft.
Paurashava local roads	40-20 ft.

Source: UTIDP, LGED, 2010.

11.6.1 Travel Demand Forecasting for Next 20 Years

Existing road network is quite enough for accommodating present volume of traffic. The study area is rural in nature. Katcha roads needs to be constructed as pucca or at least semi-pucca. Katcha roads become clayey in the rainy season and bring immense sufferings for the users. As a result, social, cultural and economic activities are disrupted significantly at that time. A very limited uses of small boats are found for transportation of goods within the short distance particularly on hat day. Due to the absence of effective alternatives, passengers and goods movement of the study area is largely dependent on road transportation. This dependency will be calculated according to the increase of accessibility, consideration of the missing links, volume of traffic movement, bulk density of the area and economic importance of the area. Growth direction is also a considerable component for the demand analysis of the road.

11.6.2 Transportation Network Considered

The physical feature survey has identified a number of problems constraining the development of the Paurashava, such as:

- Lack of a hierarchy of roads within the Paurashava with many of the roads unable to fulfill their intended functions adequately;

- Scarcity of reserves of land for future roads; and
- A tradition of encroachment in those areas where road reserves have been made.

To establish a rational hierarchy of roads in the Paurashava, it will be needed to use development control to ensure that reserves of land, once established are maintained.

In the Transportation Plan, north, south, east and west direction links with the Paurashava have been considered. To maintain an effective linkage, the plan proposes one primary road and others are secondary and tertiary roads.

11.6.3 Future Traffic Volume and Level of Service

The roads presented in the Table-11.5 are the important roads of the Kotchandpur Paurashava. Present population of the Paurashava is 33094 (2011) and in the year 2021 it will be 35239. Highest PCU/hr. is 1289 in bus stand more to south link. The scenario proves that traffic congestion is alarming but in others road it is comparatively safe and are not alarming. The income and other socio-economic condition of this area is very poor. The scenario proves that the Paurashava dwellers have no capability to increase traffic volume provisioning motorized vehicles. They will increase non-motorized vehicles and Nosimon.

With the expansion of administrative services, motorized public vehicles will be increased and at the sametime, traffic volume also.

11.7 Transportation Development Plan

11.7.1 Plan for Road Network Development

For an efficient road network development, implementation of some of the recommendations made by the Roads and Highways Department in 2008 would be essential. In order to serve the Paurashava, as well as the local traffic around Paurashava, an analysis will present in the proposals. It is found that many of the road links are not recommended by the Roads and Highways Department, LGED or by Paurashava. Further analysis under the Transportation Plan will be revealed that most of the links suggested by this study are infect required to be developed in a phased manner. Under the Transportation Plan, an attempt is being made to promote existing major link roads. There is a need of north-south and east-west link road. Road cum embankment along the river side has consider for easy traffic and river protection.

11.7.2 Road Network Plan

The primary road will act as through-route, taking traffic from Paurashava to other centres in the region or the country and avoiding the need for this through-traffic to enter the internal road network of the Paurashava. The route is intended to be high capacity and fast flowing. In the case of existing roads in Paurashava (designated as secondary and tertiary roads), this may require the introduction of side collector roads which restrict entry onto the main carriageways from roadside development. Without this, the road may not be able to fulfill the given function. The following existing major link roads are proposed for improvement with sufficient ROW and pavement width.

A number of north-south and east-west new Link Roads are proposed for planned developmet and in order to improve linkage among the areas within the Paurashava. Improvement of other local roads which deserve priority attention and could

contribute a lot in reducing pressure on the existing focal points of the Paurashava all tertiary road is essential all local roads has proposed for widening.

An initiative should be taken to develop an effective and efficient arterial road network, which could provide a gridiron system with lots of alternative links for movement in different directions.

Map 11.1: Important Roads of KotchandpurPaurashava

11.7.3 Proposal for Improvement of the Existing Road Networks

Use of road reserve is the initial stage for improvement of existing **primary road**. The maximum recommended reserve width for a primary road that will be adopted and maintained is 48 meters; with an initial basis the extremities of the reserve being 24 meters on either side of the road centre line. This may vary, especially on existing roads, due to localized circumstances.

Alternative cross-sections for **the primary road is –**

- a primary road with no collector roads (22 meters);
- a primary road with a collector road on one side only (32 or 35 meter);
- a primary road with collector roads on both sides (42, 45 or 48 meters).

Regardless of which option is required, initially the full 48 meter reserve will be applied, although not necessarily purchased in the first instance, until such time as more detailed site investigations have been undertaken.

For new road, the 48 meter reserve will be adopted in the short-term to prevent development encroaching in to it before construction of the road.

Within the established reserve, no further non-road related development will be permitted, with the exception of utility networks. The utilities should not fall under the main carriageways due to the disruption to traffic flows when the system requires repair or maintenance. Localized drainage channels should, where possible, also fall within the road reserve, preferably under the footpath or hard shoulder to reduce land requirements. If, however, this is not possible an additional reserve to cover the drainage channel will be required, increasing the overall width of the reserve.

Permanent structures that currently fall within the reserve should be permitted to remain until such time as they are redeveloped. Redevelopment of existing properties should fall wholly outside the reserve. Temporary structures should not be permitted even on a short-term basis. Existing structures should be removed as and when feasible.

For new roads, where reserves have been identified but implementation is unlikely to commence for a number of years, agricultural use of the land within the reserve should be permitted until such time as the land is required for construction. No structures, of whatever materials, will be permitted within the road reserve.

No direct access should be allowed onto the main carriageways (of primary road). Access should be gained only at controlled junctions—roundabouts or traffic-lights. The number of junctions or intersections should be minimized with desired spacing being not less than 500 meters.

Primary road with secondary roads should be provided in areas where there is considerable roadside development. These should generally be two-way service roads and will be used by non-motorized vehicles like rickshaw, van, pushcart and bullock carts including pedestrians. Controlled parking will be permitted where necessary.

Where secondary roads will not be required either immediately or in the long-term, the full reserve should be maintained (for utilities, etc.) unless there is clear reason why these reserves should be decreased.

Functions of the **secondary roads** is to act as –

- links between the Paurashava and primary roads;
- links between various important nodes of activity within the Paurashava.

The secondary roads are also intended to be high capacity routes, although their design speed will be significantly less than primary roads due to their being a far higher percentage local, inter-Paurashava traffic movements rather than intra-Paurashava. On many occasions within the Paurashava, existing routes will require the provision of tertiary roads to provide access to shop frontages and on-street parking for those shops. The tertiary roads also serve to collect traffic which currently enters at random from side streets.

The maximum recommended reserve that will be adopted and maintained for secondary road is 48 meters, preferably with the extremities of the reserve being 24 meters either side of the road centre line, although this may vary especially on existing roads due to localized circumstances.

Regardless of which option is required ultimately, initially the full 48 meter reserve should be applied until such time as a more detailed site investigation has been undertaken and the actual reserve required has been defined.

No non-road related development will be permitted within the road reserve. For new roads which will not be constructed in the foreseeable future, agricultural use of the reserve will be permitted until such times as the road is constructed. No permanent or temporary structure will be permitted.

In general, no direct access will be permitted onto the main carriageways (of secondary roads) with access gained only at controlled junctions. Occasionally, due to existing situations, access from a side road may be entertained. The number of junctions should be minimized with desired spacing being at 200 meter intervals. Again, this may vary according to necessity but where deviation from this desired spacing is necessary, the deviation should be small. Junctions will be in the form of roundabouts or traffic lights.

Limited direct access will be allowed from major traffic generators such as Paurashava Office complexes, factories and shopping centres where no other alternative access arrangement is feasible. Car parking arrangements for those large landuses must be provided on off-street.

Functions of the **tertiary road** are:

- collect and distribute traffic to and from access roads from predominantly residential areas to other parts of the hierarchy;
- provide direct access to roadside landuses.

The recommended reserve for tertiary road is 18 meters, 9 meters either side of the centre line. On-street parking may be permitted.

No development will be permitted within the 18 meter reserve.

Direct access will be permitted although major generators should be required to have off-street parking areas. Junctions should be a minimum of 150 meters apart.

Access roads provide access to residential areas and properties therein. On-street parking is permitted providing that this will not block the access road.

Recommended reserve for access is 10 meter, although in existing situations, a minimum reserve of 6 meter will be entertained.

Junctions and access roads should be a minimum of 50 meters apart, although deviation to this will need to be accommodated in existing areas.

Direct access from residential properties will be permitted.

Considering the overall scenario and road improvement options the proposed road with for bhuapur Paurashava are as follows:

Table 11.9: Recommended road standards

Sl.No.	Class of Roads	Standards recommended
1.	Primary Road	80 feet and above
2.	Secondary Road	40-60 feet
3.	Tertiary road/Local Road	30 feet
4.	Access Road	20 feet

11.8 List of Proposed New Roads

A number of new roads including improvement of existing roads are presented in the following table. In the Paurashava, one primary road named Kaligonj-chuadanga regional Highway lying within the Paurashava jurisdiction has proposed for improvement.

All the roads may be constructed under the road development scheme approved by the government for the authorities named RHD, LGED and Paurashava. In total, 92.82.km roads existing in the Paurashava and 86.19 km roads have been proposed for efficient accessibility of the Paurashava of which some are fully new road and others are road widening. Details list of proposed road with phasing are shown in **Annex-4**.

Table 11.10: List of proposed new roads

Sl No	Road Width (Feet)	Length (Km)	Percentage	Type
2	80	6.41	7.44	Primary road
3	60	19.72	22.88	Secondary road
4	40	29.95	34.75	
5	30	26.20	30.40	Tertiaryroad
6	20	3.91	4.54	
Total		86.19	100	

The process that the Paurashava/RHD can undertake to establish new road reserves for each of the proposed roads shown on the Transportation and Traffic Management Plan is described below:

- Initial step will be to determine two points between which the new road will be required. In certain instances, the precise intersection or connection point will be obvious, whilst in other cases only a generalized location is identifiable in the first

instance. Determination of the exact connection points can only be made once further steps in the process have been undertaken.

- Having identified two connection points (either known or vague), next step will be to conduct a search of a wide area to identify a number of alternative routes. Width of the area subjected to this search will vary according to individual circumstances, with the area being relatively narrow in dense Paurashava locations (say 80 to 100 meters), but wider in more rural settings (say 200 to 300 meters).
- The number of alternative alignments to be identified will also vary, but as a general rule, a maximum of five alignments will be chosen. When identifying each of the different alignments, care will be taken to ensure that they are realistic and capable of accommodating the width of reserve required for the standard of road envisaged.

During this stage of the process, number of buildings, other structures or natural environment affected by the proposal should be seen as a constraint, but not yet as a major constraint. That being said, following the rule for realism stated above, the alignments will need to respect as much existing permanent development as possible, aiming instead, in dense situations, to target gaps between developments rather than through them. Only where the avoidance of specific buildings or groups of buildings is unavoidable, to produce a worthwhile alignment, should their removal be seen as part of that alternative's cost.

Similarly, in rural locations or in areas of high natural environmental quality, extreme care should be exercised when choosing the alternatives to respect the natural environment and choose options that are going to minimize the visual impact of a new road or avoid destruction of areas of the highest environmental quality.

Having established the alternative alignments, these will now be assessed, against set criteria to enable the Paurashava to choose a preferred option. The criteria that must be taken into account during this exercise include:

The impact of the alternative on existing properties: whether these are permanent or temporary and the type of development that is being affected. This, in part, will identify the general scale of compensation that will accrue with each of the alignments and therefore the viability of a route to be chosen as the preferred option.

The impact that each alignment will have on the general and natural environment:

Routes which have a high visual impact in an area of natural beauty will, for example, score badly on this criteria.

Amount of vacant public land available along each route: more land the government owns, the easier the project will be to implement and equally the lower the cost of an option, as the need to compensate landowners will be reduced.

The ease of construction: each alignment will need to be considered with again easier solutions not requiring major development items – bridges – for example, being preferred to more difficult proposals which will increase the cost of construction.

The severance of landuses and communities: need to be assessed, with preference been given to those routes that minimize severance.

Other more localized criteria may be included at the time of assessment.

The result of this assessment exercise will identify for the Paurashava the route that should be considered as its preferred alignment. The reserve for this alignment will then become the area within which no development, other than for agricultural use, will be permitted.

Map 11.2: Proposed Circulation Network for KotchandpurPaurashava

11.9 Plan for Transportation Facilities

11.9.1 Transportation Facilities Plan

Transportation facilities and services include Bus Terminal, Bus Stoppage with Shade, Ticket Counter, Waiting Place for Travelers, Parking Space for Motorized and Non-motorized Vehicles, Service Centre and Washing / Toilet Facilities. At present, no formal transportation facilities and services are available in the Paurashava.

The bus terminal proposed in the plan will accommodate all type of bus transportation facilities. The proposed area for bus terminal is 1.78 acres and it is located at the Ward No. 4 and northside of by-pass road. A Truck terminal with 1.79 acres with an additional area of 1.05 acres for loading/unloading facilities has proposed opposite side of bus terminal and at ward no 4. Besides four tempoo stand has proposed which are shown in the following table.

Table 11.11: Proposed new transportation facilities.

Proposed Facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area(A cre)
Transportation				
Bus Terminal	4	Solemanpur_063_01	676 part, 677 part, 678 part, 681 part, 682 part	1.78
Truck Terminal	4	Solemanpur_063_01	659 part, 692 part, 693 part	1.79
Loading/Unloading Area	4	Solemanpur_063_01	677 part, 689 part, 692 part	1.05
Tempo Stand-1	2	Kotchandpur_046_01	200	0.29
Tempo Stand-2	2	Kotchandpur_046_02	505 part, 507 part	0.07
Tempo Stand-3	3	Kotchandpur_046_02	1203 part, 1204 part	0.30
Tempo Stand-4	5	Solemanpur_063_04	7760 part, 7761 part, 7762, 7763 part	0.56
Total				5.84

11.9.2 Parking and Terminal Facilities

Existing bus stands are using as bus stops including loading and unloading of man and materials. Those intersections are also using for parking both motorized and non-motorized vehicles. Informal economic activities also often encroaches road space. All those factors are together resulted in traffic congestions and also for a cause of accident. The proposed bus terminal will include the parking area and loading and unloading facilities of man and the proposed truck terminal will as truck stand and the proposed area for loading and unloading will use as loading and unloading of goods and other materials.

11.9.3 Development of Facilities for Pedestrian, Bicycle and Rickshaw

People of the Paurashava move using both sides of the roads. It is noted that the Paurashava is without any footpath for pedestrian movement. Pedestrian movements take place mostly on carriageway and right of way of the roads.

According to the standard for provisioning of footpath, 2.5 meter is necessary and it will be demarcated on both the sides of the road. Development of facilities for pedestrians, bicycles and rickshaws is relevant with the design criteria of the road.

11.9.4 Other Transportation Facilities

Other transportation facilities includes launch/boat ghat. If water ways will be provisioned in the Kapotakkha River, 1 boat ghats should be constructed. This ghat may be designed considering water-based tourism.

11.10 Waterway Development / Improvement Options

There is no water way in the Paurashava. Construction materials such as sand brick and timber are carrying by boat from small growth centres adjacent to the KotchandpurPaurashava to other place by the river.

11.11 Proposal for Improvement of the Existing Waterway

- No waterway is in the Paurashava.

11.12 Proposal for New Waterway Development

- Encourage private sector to involve with the construction of water ways. BOT (Build Operate and Transfer to the Government) system for private sector will appropriate.
- The Paurashava may, in collaboration with the Inland Water Transport Authority (IWTA), develop the water ways using the River.
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11.13 Railway Development Options

Existing railway station should be modernize.

11.14 Transportation System Management Strategy (TSMS)

11.14.1 Strategies for Facility Operations

Following strategies will be adopted to operate the facilities related with the provisioning of suitable transportation system.

- An improved traffic management system should be imposed. All facilities involved with this system should be provisioned.
- The land uses at the intersections should be controlled with the provisioning of passenger shade, public toilet, ticket counter, tea stall and other necessary facilities.
- Parking facilities for motorized and non-motorized vehicles should be provisioned during construction of roads.

11.14.2 Strategies for Traffic Flow and Safety

Following strategies will be adopted to implement circulation network in the planning area:

- A comprehensive road network plan has been prepared for the Paurashava using a hierarchy of road network. Implementation will also be followed following this hierarchy.

- In case of local roads a participatory approach will be developed to realize at least a part of the development cost bears by the beneficiaries. This will also help to reduce delay and cost involved in land acquisition for road construction.
- Proposed roads in those areas will be chosen for immediate construction that is needed to promote growth in that area.
- Incremental Road Construction Approach will be adopted to get rid of unnecessary construction costs, where roads remain underutilized.
- Service roads will be constructed along with the major roads to allow free flow of long distance traffic.
- A restricted buffer zone will be created along primary roads passing through agriculture to discourage roadside development.

Map 11.3: Proposed Transport Infrastructure of KotchandpurPaurashava

11.14.3 Strategies for Traffic Management

- Linking the missing links of primary, secondary and tertiary roads on priority, and widen some tertiary roads to make networks for efficient circulation.
- Provide adequate pedestrian facilities and off-street parking wherever needed.
- Not to allow any development within the right of way (ROW).
- Separate lane for non-motorized vehicles should be provisioned on the primary and secondary roads.

11.15 Plan Implementation Strategies

11.15.1 Regulations to Implement the Transportation Plan

Following regulations will be needed for implementation of the plan.

Public Roads Act, 2004: Objectives of the Public Roads Act, 2004 is prescribed in the section 2. Those objectives are to:

- a) Establish ownership and responsibilities for roads;
- (b) Establish the framework for managing the road network;
- (c) Establish general principles for road management;
- (d) Provide for general design and planning principles for roads;
- (e) Confer powers and responsibilities on road authorities;
- (f) Commit road authorities to provide and maintain safe roads, and to do so using resources efficiently;
- (g) Provide for the establishment and classification of public roads;
- (h) Provide for data bases of public roads, and public access to them;
- (i) Set out rights and duties of road users;
- (j) Control activities on roads;
- (k) Make special provision for restriction on access to roads;
- (l) Identify characteristics of new road types;
- (m) Provide a legal framework for private sector participation in road construction, operation and maintenance, including tolling of roads;
- (n) Establish defenses for civil liabilities; and
- (o) Create offences and provide for penalties.

Section 5 has defined public roads as-

- 1) The Government may declare a public road.
- 2) The declaration may be made in relation to land, whether or not it is currently used for passage by members of the public.
- 3) In the declaration, the Government shall classify the public road as:
 - a) a national road; (b) a regional road; (c) a Zila road; (d) an urban road; (e) an Upazila road; (f) a union road; (g) a village road.

Motor Vehicles Ordinance, 1983 (Ordinance No.LV of 1983) was enacted in 22nd September, 1983. The Ordinance will be needed mostly for the registration of motor vehicles and issuing of driving license.

Stage Carriages Act, 1861 (Act No. XVI of 1861) was enacted in 7th July 1861. Section 1 of the Act has defined the term Stage Carriage and said, “every carriage drawn by one or more horses which shall ordinarily be used for the purpose of conveying passengers for hire to or from any place in Bangladesh shall, without regard to the form or construction of such carriage, be deemed to be a Stage Carriages within the meaning of this Act.” Again, according to the section 2, no carriage shall be used as a Stage Carriage unless licensed by a Magistrate.

The Paurashava may, in communication with the RHD and LGED and with the prime approval from the Government may enforce the regulations as mentioned above. Again, some of the relevant regulations of developed countries may be enforced by the appropriate authority for the betterment of accessibility, road safety and road management. In connection with this concept, **Highways Act of England and Wales** may be followed.

According to the section 70(1a) of the **Highways Act of England and Wales**, the owner or occupier of any structure and the owner or occupier of any land on which a structure is situated shall take all reasonable steps to ensure that the structure or the use of the structure is not a hazard or potential hazard to persons using a public road and that it does not obstruct or interfere with the safe use of a public road or the maintenance of a public road.

(b) Where a structure or the use of a structure is a hazard or potential hazard to persons using a public road or where it obstructs or interferes with the safe use of a public road or with the maintenance of a public road, a road authority may serve a notice in writing on the owner or occupier of the structure or on the owner or occupier of any land on which the structure is situated to remove, modify or carry out specified works in relation to the structure within the period stated in the notice.

(2 a) The owner or occupier of land shall take all reasonable steps to ensure that a tree, shrub, hedge or other vegetation on the land is not a hazard or potential hazard to persons using a public road and that it does not obstruct or interfere with the safe use of a public road or the maintenance of a public road.

(b) Where a tree, shrub, hedge or other vegetation is a hazard or potential hazard to persons using a public road or where it obstructs or interferes with the safe use of a public road or with the maintenance of a public road, a road authority may serve a notice in writing on the owner or occupier of the land on which such tree, shrub, hedge or other vegetation is situated requiring the preservation, felling, cutting, lopping, trimming or removal of such tree, shrub, hedge or other vegetation within the period stated in the notice.

Again, section 71(1a) said that, any person who, without lawful authority or the consent of a road authority-

(i) erects, places or retains a sign on a public road, or

(ii)erects, places or retains on a public road any caravan, vehicle or other structure or thing (whether on wheels or not) used for the purposes of advertising, the sale of goods, the provision of services or other similar purpose, shall be guilty of an offence.

Section 76(1) of the **Highways Act of England and Wales** have provisioned regulations for a road authority and said, a road authority may-

(a)construct and maintain drains in, on, under, through or to any land for the purpose of draining water from, or preventing water flowing onto, a public road,

(b)Use any land for the temporary storage or the preparation of any gravel, stone, sand, earth or other material required for the construction or maintenance of a public road.

11.15.2Implementation, Monitoring, Evaluation and Coordination ofthe Plan

Implementation through Multi-Sectoral Investment Programme: Major infrastructure development works such as primary roads, secondary roads, transportation facilities etc., will largely be controlled by Government. Public works requires efficient co-ordination through the Multi-Sectoral Investment Programme (MSIP).

Objective of a Multi-Sectoral Investment Programme (MSIP) will match a list of the development projects with the funding stream necessary to implement them. There are two basic activities that would determine the contents of MSIP. One activity would be to prioritize and schedule the investment projects of all public agencies so they will collectively help to achieve the development goals and objectives of the Transportation and Traffic Management Plan. Second activity would be to analyze the source and availability of fund for the prioritized list of development projects.

Implementation through Action Plans and Projects: Action Plans and Projects will be the implementation plans to solve problems at the local level. Action plans will take a direct approach toward plan implementation with a minimum of research, reports or elaborate planning methods. These projects will be easily identifiable and will require minimum resource.

Implementation through Development Control: Landuse zoning is one of several methods of plan implementation to be considered. In all cases where some form of development, landuse control may be applied; careful consideration requires the following ideologies:

- the purpose to be achieved by the development controls;
- where controls should be applied;
- what aspect of development needs to be controlled;
- what type of development controls are required;
- what degree or level of development control is required;
- who will be affected by the required control;
- who will be affected by the controls and in what manner;
- when the controls should be applied;
- what will be the likely impact of the controls;

- how and by whom will the controls be administered and enforced.

Development control as an instrument of plan implementation may be selectively applied within the Urban Area Plans. Development controls would also be varied in intensity and detail to suit the particular circumstances. It is important that they should be clear and easily understood by all parties concerned. Since the entire Paurashava Master Plan 'package' has become statutory, development controls associated with its component plans would also be statutory.

Implementation by Facilitating Private Investment: Another approach that would be taken by government toward plan implementation will be to guide and facilitate investments made by the private sector. Government can achieve this with relative ease and at very low cost by setting up a legal and operational framework, coupled with suitable incentives, to facilitate land consolidation, plot boundary readjustment, efficient lay out of plots and provision of local infrastructure by the private sector. The benefits of this approach would be:

- increased efficiency of the urban land market would make more private land available to urban households;
- would pass much of the development costs for local infrastructure to the private sector and land market mechanisms;
- would increase in land for development without large cash outlays by government to purchase land for development schemes; and
- Would keep provision of land for community facilities virtually no cost to government.

Plan Monitoring

The Transportation and Traffic Management Plan would simply be tools for guiding and encouraging the growth and development of an urban area in a preferred manner. In a rapidly changing urban environment, the Transportation and Traffic Management Plan would require to keep up to date. If this is not done, within a few years it will be obsolete. Therefore, it is imperative that the requirement for regular updating of the Transportation and Traffic Management Plan be made a legal requirement.

For implementation of the various programme components of the Transportation and Traffic Management Plan appropriate administrative measures will have to be undertaken. This will essentially include project preparation and monitoring of their execution and evaluation. For carrying out all these activities appropriate institutional measures are also needed.

Evaluation

Monitoring and evaluation of on going and implemented projects is essential to keep the future course of action on the right track. An on going project should be regularly monitored and handicaps identified to enable taking appropriate measures at the right time.

Post implementation evaluation is also needed to take appropriate measures correcting past errors-from project preparation to implementation.

The top level supervision has to be done by a high level supervisory committee headed by the Paurashava Mayor, LGED representative, RHD and Local Government Ministry. Other members of the committee will be local Ward Councilors, local community leader/social workers and the Town Planner of the Paurashava. The committee will supervise implementation works regularly and issue necessary instructions to expedite the works of implementation.

Co-ordination

A Planning Section of Paurashava should have close interaction with the citizen of Paurashava at large in order to make people aware of the benefits of a good plan and, therefore, their social responsibility to promote plan implementation in one hand and also resist contraventions on the other. A specific interactive cell is recommended to operate in this regard with following responsibilities:

- Provide pre-application advice to residents, consultants and developers about landuse management issues and application procedures for the submission of development applications.
- Enforce planning and landuse management related legislation and zoning scheme regulations.
- Issue of property zoning certificates.
- Investigate and resolve landuse management complaints, illegal landuse and prosecuting contraventions.

Such interactive windows may be opened in various convenient locations to ensure ease of the answers to commonly asked questions may be shown in the internet. Besides, those may be shown in the print and electronic media time to time.

In spontaneous areas, while all out people's co-operation is needed for project implementation; there will also be some elements of negotiation. Negotiation will be particularly needed in case of road widening projects. It will be a crucial task for Paurashava to convince the affected people to give up their land for road use. Efforts should be made to convince the land owners on the ground of enhancement of property value due to road widening. In case people refuse to offer land free of cost necessary arrangements may have to be made for payment of compensation. This process of negotiation will be very critical, cumbersome and time consuming, and therefore, has to be handled with utmost care and patience. The best results can be accrued only by winning people's confidence. In case the authority fails to get peoples co-operation they should exercise power of compulsory acquisition of land through Acquisition of Requisition of Immovable Property Ordinance, 1982. Attempts may be made to engage NGOs / CBOs / RHD / LGED to work as catalysts in negotiation.

CHAPTER-12

DRAINAGE AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PLAN

12.1 Introduction

The consultant has made an extensive drainage network study in KotchandpurPaurashava to improve the living standard of urban dwellers. Major activities of drainage study include:

- Survey for the alignment of drains / drainage channels by using DGPS, Data Logger and Path Finder software;
- Survey for the cross sections of drains by using optical level;
- Survey for the bottom level and area of local depressions;
- Identification of outfalls and drainage structures with their conditions;
- Development of Maps showing drains (with drainage direction).

The study has conducted with the concern of Paurashava Mayor, Councilors and other Paurashava representatives as well as PMO, LGED as per ToR in concentrating on following major issues:

- Information regarding type of man-made drains.
- Alignment and crest level of embankments, dykes and other drainage divides.
- Identification of missing links.
- Direction, depth of flow, maximum and minimum tidal level of river, flooding condition, condition of river side settlements during high tide and flood.
- Location, number and condition of pump station, sluice gates, drainage structures.
- Location and area of outfalls, ponds, tanks, ditches; condition in dry and wet season.

12.1.1 Goals and Objectives

The objective of Drainage Plan is to find out the present functions of main and secondary drains and natural streams within the KotchandpurPaurashava. Secondly, to find out level of encroachment over drainage reservations responsible for flooding, water logging of neighborhoods during heavy rains. Thirdly, to find out, the existing roadside drainage pattern including capacities and collected gradients. Since planned development of Paurashava is very much desirable, Drainage Master Plan is necessary to ensure operation and maintenance of the present facilities including new proposal for future. For this, both short and long term project improvement plan involving area based drainage master plan is necessary to ensure proper drainage of the Paurashava.

12.1.2 Methodology and Approach to Planning

In implementing various infrastructural developments, drainage is generally given less priority and is normally considered to be the last or final steps for development. Such scenario is particularly true for Bangladesh; although different types of drainage infrastructures are among others by far the heaviest impact on physical infrastructure network. As a result, physical environment, health, hygiene and standard of living suffer

seriously. In development projects, Government, Semi-government and Public sector allocated funds are mostly spend on buildings, roads and other more visible infrastructures and drainage comes as the last item of development. By the time, drainage development begins to start, there appears shortage of fund, consequently as a matter of policy-do little or do-nothing situation appears and as eyewash very little is done for drainage development. In case of urban development, if drainage is not given priority, sufferings of the inhabitants will continuously increase with the passage of time.

Drainage development for urbanization should start with drains. Drains can be classified as Plot drains, Block drains, Tertiary drains, Secondary drains and Primary drains. Other natural drainage infrastructure is lowland, outfall areas, khals and rivers. Man-made drains are Plot, Block, Tertiary, Secondary and Primary drains and others are natural drainage infrastructures. In planning for drainage network, care has given on road network in terms of conflict of drainage and waterways with roads. Drainage and environmental survey was followed the proto-type questionnaire supplied and suggested by the LGED.

Method Used

Storm and used water: The drains are designed to collect excess rainfall that comes as surface runoff from urban area, convey the runoff and finally discharge them to outfalls. The design of drains involves hydrological computations of rainfall intensity, its frequency of occurrence, duration etc., and the total run off of a particular area. The modified rational method shall be used for calculation of peak runoff for a definite frequency and duration from particular drainage basin. One limitation of this method is that it cannot be used for catchment area greater than 320 acres. The Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) method formerly the US Soil Conservation Service (SCS) method shall be used.

In Modified Rational Method, the overall watershed is divided into zones that contribute to hydraulically significant points of concentration. The boundary of the zones is established based upon local topographic boundaries such as streets, existing drainage systems, etc., using good engineering practice. The design flow rate by Modified Rational Formula is –

$$Q = C_s C_r I A$$

Where:

- Q = Design runoff flow rate (cfs)
- I = Rainfall intensity (in/hr)
- C_s = Storage coefficient
- C_r = Runoff coefficient
- A = Drainage area (acres)

Rainfall Intensity (I): The rainfall intensity is the average rainfall rate for a particular drainage basin or sub-basin. The intensity is selected on the basis of the design rainfall duration and return period. The return period is established by design standards as a design parameter. Rainfall intensity with 5 years return period is generally employed for design of primary drains and canal improvement. Rainfall intensity with 3 years return period is employed for design of secondary drains. The design duration is equal to the time of concentration for the drainage area under consideration. Time of concentration is a critical parameter both for the Modified Rational Equation and SCS method. Time of concentration is generally defined as the longest runoff travel time for contributing flow to

reach the outlet or design point, or other point of interest. It is frequently calculated along the longest flow path physically.

Estimating the time of concentration involves identification of an appropriate flow path or paths and estimating runoff travel times along the flow paths. Where post-development conditions include significant pervious surfaces, the time of concentration for just impervious portions of the basin may be required to calculate and compare peak flow response for the basin as a whole against that of the more rapidly-draining impervious surfaces alone. The Time of Concentration composed of the Initial Time of Concentration, sometimes referred to as the Inlet Time or Time of Entry and the Travel Time. Initial Time of Concentration is that time required for runoff to travel from the most remote point in the drainage area to the first point of concentration. This can be determined using the Kirpich equation. The Initial Time of Concentration must be five minutes or longer. In instances where Initial Times of Concentration are estimated to be shorter than five minutes, five minutes shall be applied.

The second part of the Time of Concentration is the Travel Time that takes the flow to travel along the drain. Channel flow occurs in channels carrying integrated flows, pipes (flowing partially full), and streams. Where storage is not significant, Travel Times can be estimated by applying Manning's Equation, and using estimates of channel characteristics and appropriate roughness values for pipe, channel, or stream features as tabulated in Table-12.1

$$V = [1.49/n] [R^{2/3}] [S^{1/2}]$$

Where

- V = Velocity of flow, feet/second
- N = Manning's roughness coefficient for channel flow
- S = Slope, feet/foot
- R = Hydraulic radius, feet

And

$$T_t = V / (60L)$$

Where

- T_t = Travel time, minutes
- V = Velocity, feet/second
- L = Length, feet

Manning's roughness coefficient for channel flow is listed in Table-3.1.

Table 12.1: Manning's "N" Values for Channel Flow

Conduit Material	Manning's "n"	Conduit Material	Manning's "n"
Closed conduits		Pipes	0.011-0.015
Asbestos-cement pipe	0.011-0.015	Liner plates	0.013-0.017
Brick	0.013-0.017	Open Channels	
Cement-lined & seal coated	0.011-0.015	Lined channels	
Concrete pipe	0.011-0.015	a. Asphalt	0.013-0.017
Helically corrugated metal pipe (12" – 48")	0.013-0.023	b. Brick	0.012-0.018
Plain annular	0.022-0.027	c. Concrete	0.011-0.020
Plan helical	0.011-0.023	d. Rubble or riprap	0.020-0.035
Paved invert	0.018-0.022	e. Vegetation	0.030-0.400
Spun asphalt lined	0.011-0.015	Earth, straight and uniform	0.020-0.030
Spiral metal pipe (smooth)	0.012-0.015	Earth, winding, fairly uniform	0.025-0.040
3 – 8 in. diameter	0.014-0.016	Rock	0.030-0.045

10 – 12 in. diameter	0.016-0.018	Un maintained	0.050-0.140
Larger than 12 in. diameter	0.019-0.021	Fairly regular section	0.030-0.070
Plastic pipe (smooth interior)	0.01.-0.015	Irregular section with pools	0.040-0.100

Source: Municipality of Anchorage. Drainage Design Guideline, March 2007 ver.4.08 pp-62.

Storage Coefficient (Cs): Due to very flat topography of Bangladesh, the runoff is significantly slow. The rainfall after evaporation and infiltration accumulates first in the depressions, until these have been reached their capacity and then runoff. To take these effects a storage coefficient is used. The value of the storage coefficient is based on average ground slope and the nature of the ground surface. Some of the storage coefficients are listed in Table-12.2.

Table 12.2: Storage Coefficients for flat land

Characteristics of surface	Storage Coefficient		
	Slope < 1: 1000	Slope < 1: 500	Slope < 1: 500
Residential urban	0.70	0.80	0.90
Commercial	0.80	0.90	1.00
Industrial	0.70	0.80	0.90
Residential Rural nature	0.60	0.70	0.80
Agricultural	0.50	0.60	0.70
Forest/woodland	0.30	0.40	0.50
Aquatic land	0.30	0.40	0.50
Paved area/road	0.80	0.90	1.00

Source: Countywide Comprehensive Plan (Master Drainage Plan) Exhibit-VIII.

Runoff Coefficient (Cr): The runoff coefficient (C_r) values shall be assigned to the various land use zoning classifications. The runoff coefficient values are based on the slope of the land surface, degree of imperviousness and the infiltration capacity of the land surface. The type of land use can greatly affect the amount of runoff. The quantity of runoff and peak flow rates are increased when the land is developed because the impervious surface area increases with the addition of roads, driveways, roofs, etc. The values of the runoff coefficient (C_r) for each land use classification are listed in Table-12.3.

Table 12.3: Modified Rational Method Runoff Coefficients

Land use designation	Runoff Coefficient Cr
Residential rural	0.30
Residential semi urban	0.40
Residential urban	0.50~0.60
Apartment professional	0.70
Neighborhood Commercial	0.85
Community Commercial	0.85
Industrial	0.70~0.75
Slum area	0.50~0.55
Agricultural exclusive	0.25
Forest and watershed	0.20~0.25
Public facilities	0.3~0.60
Forest/ woodland	0.25
Paved area/road	0.99

Source: Countywide Comprehensive Plan (Master Drainage Plan) Exhibit-VIII.

Catchment Area: The size and shape of the catchment or sub-catchment for each drain shall be determined by plan metering topographic maps and by field survey. In determining the total runoff of a catchment area the following assumptions to be made:

- The peak rate of runoff at any point is a direct function of the average rainfall for the time of concentration to that point.

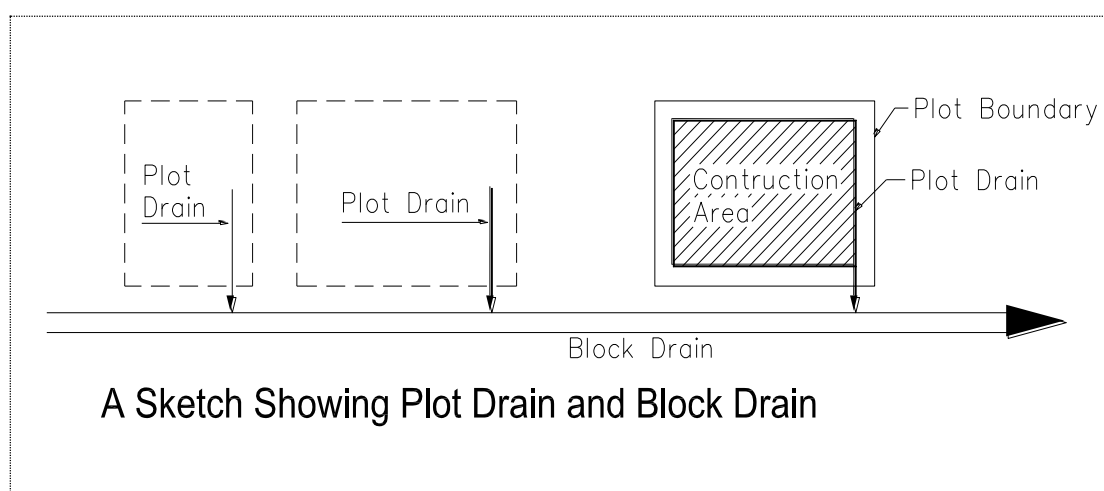
- The recurrence interval of the peak discharge is same as the recurrence interval of the average rainfall intensity.
- The Time of Concentration is the time required for the runoff to become established and flow from the most distant point of the drainage area to the point of discharge.

Projection

In implementing various infrastructures for development, drainage is generally given less priority and is normally considered to be the last or final steps for development. Such scenario is particularly true for Bangladesh; although different types of drainage infrastructures are among others by far the heaviest impact on physical infrastructure network. As a result, physical environment, health, hygiene and standard of living suffer seriously. In development projects, Government, Semi-government and Public sector allocated funds are mostly spent on buildings, roads and other more visible infrastructures and drainage comes as the last item of development. By the time, drainage development begins to start, there appears shortage of fund, consequently as a matter of policy-do little or do-nothing situation appears and as eyewash very little is done for drainage development. In case of urban development, if drainage is not given priority, sufferings of the inhabitants will continuously increase with the passage of time.

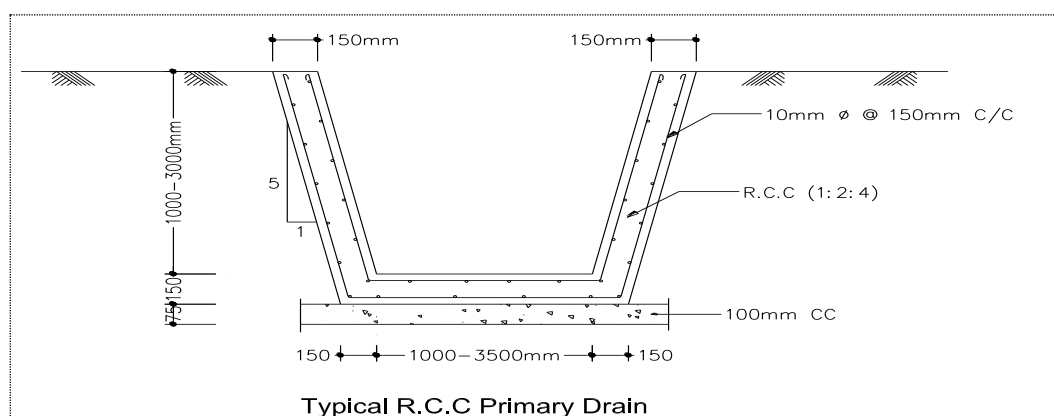
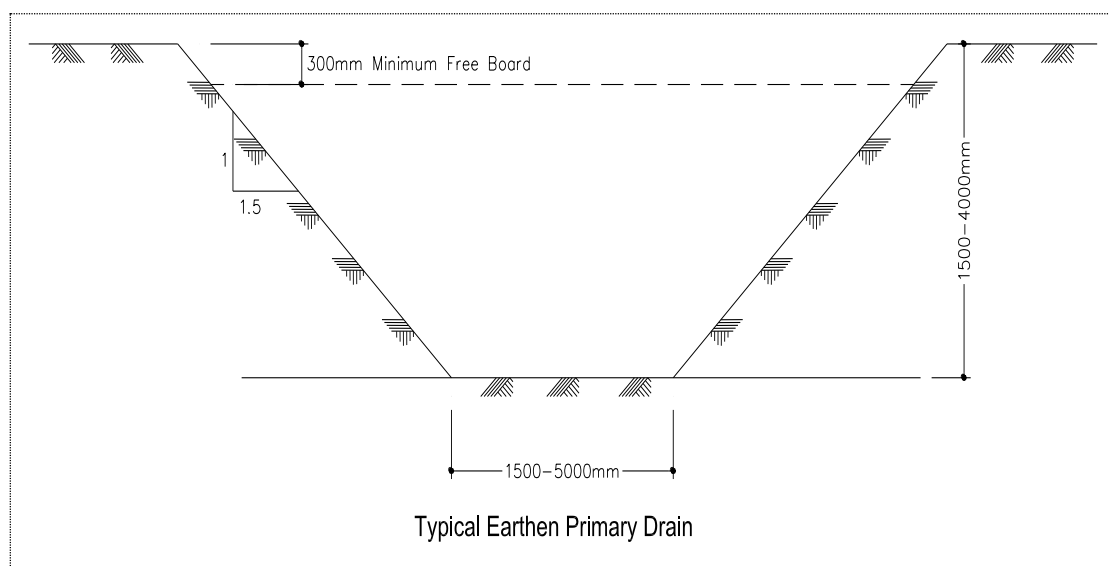
Drainage development for urbanization should start with drains. Drains can be classified as Plot drains, Block drains, Tertiary drains, Secondary drains and Primary drains. Other natural drainage infrastructure is lowland, outfall areas, khals and rivers. Man-made drains are Plot, Block, Tertiary, Secondary and Primary drains and others are natural drainage infrastructures. In planning for drainage network, care will be given on road network in terms of conflict of drainage and waterways with roads. In the following and subsequent sections major element, their principle, purpose and function of drainage infrastructures are discussed and presented in lower to higher order which will be considered as a method for drainage plan.

Plot Drains: Plot drains are provided around a building on a plot. In most cases, the drain is made of bricks and is rectangular in shape that can carry storm water generated in the plot and from the building. Plot drain is connected to the Block or Mohallah drain. The sketch below gives an impression of plot drain usually constructed in a plot and block drains that follow plot drain.

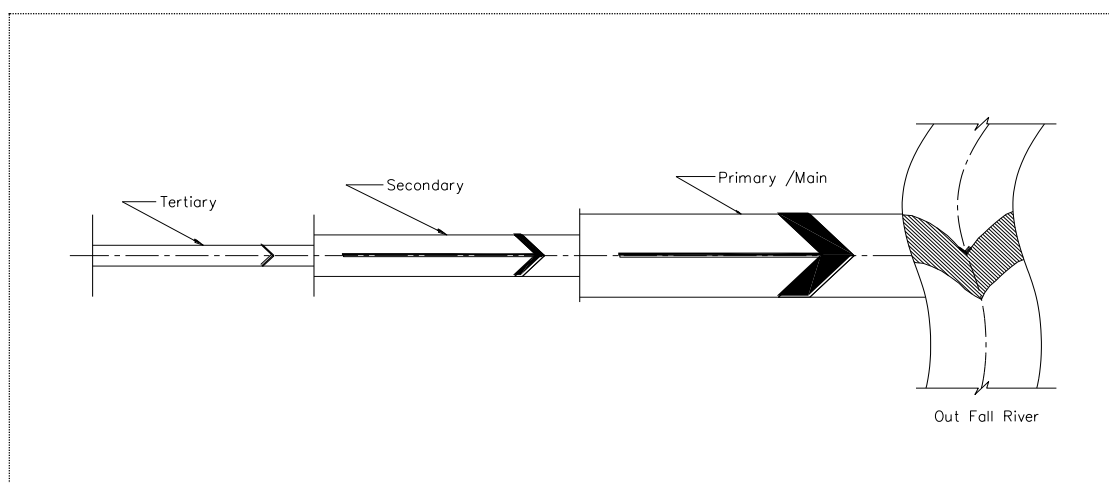


Block Drain: Block drain is provided at the outside of a block that accommodates several buildings of the block. The block drains are made of bricks like plot drains but bigger in size so that it can serve the storm water generated within the block and the buildings and open areas within the block. Sometimes the block drain may serve few neighboring blocks or Mohallahs. Block drains carry storm water coming from the plot drains. Shape of the block drain is also rectangular, bigger than plot drains and its bottom is lower than plot drain. Sketch of the plot drain also shows the block or Mohallah drain under plot drain.

Primary Drain: Primary drains are also called main drains. Primary drains cover larger storm drainage area than tertiary and secondary drains. Sometimes primary drain bears local name. In ascending order its position is third. Its cross-section is larger than other types; carrying capacity is high and is constructed of brick, cement concrete and sometimes reinforced concrete. Primary drains may be of earthen structure provided sufficient land is available and land value is low. Contributing drainage water comes from tertiary and secondary drains. Primary drains discharge its drainage water to outfall, natural khal, river or large lowland area / Beels. Sketch below shows the typical cross-section of the primary drain.

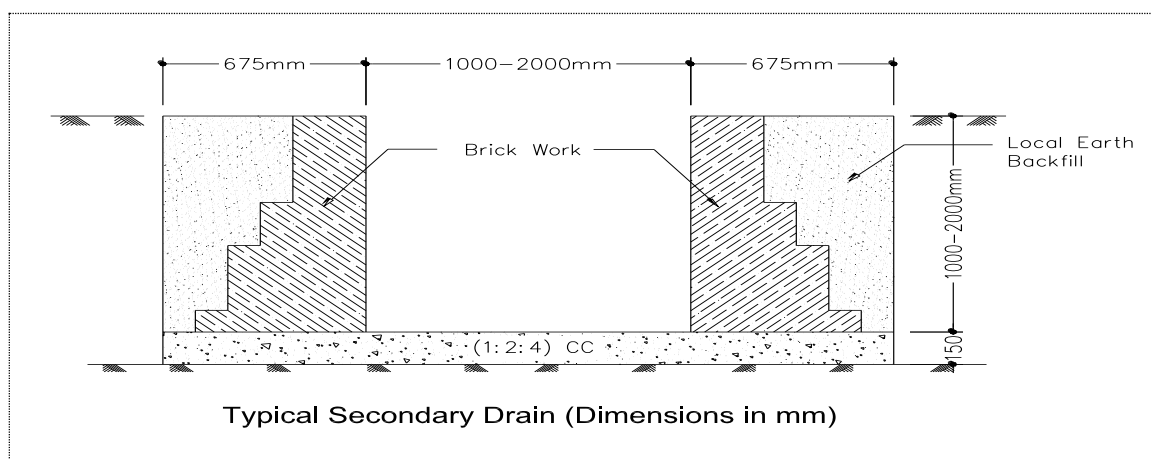


A schematic diagram showing the origin of Tertiary, Secondary and Primary drains and their destinations to the outfall river, presented above, are also presented here.

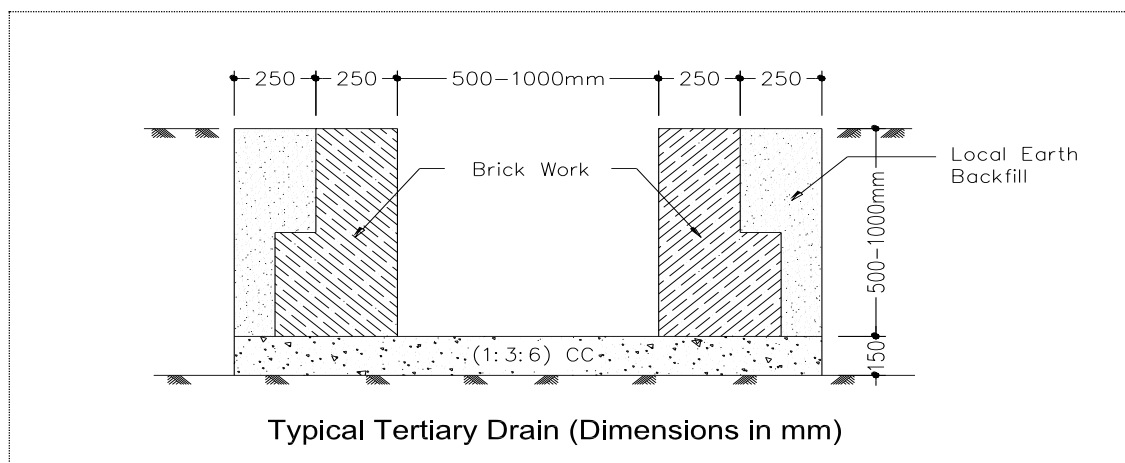


Schematic diagram of Tertiary, Secondary and Primary drains

Secondary Drain: Secondary drains collect discharge from tertiary drains. One secondary drain may receive drainage discharges from several tertiary drains in its course. Size and capacity of secondary drain is much bigger than tertiary drains; its catchment area is much bigger than tertiary drain. Like tertiary drain, it may run parallel to bigger roads. Secondary drains may run along and through the middle of its storm water contributing area. The typical cross-section, size and shape, and its construction material are shown below.

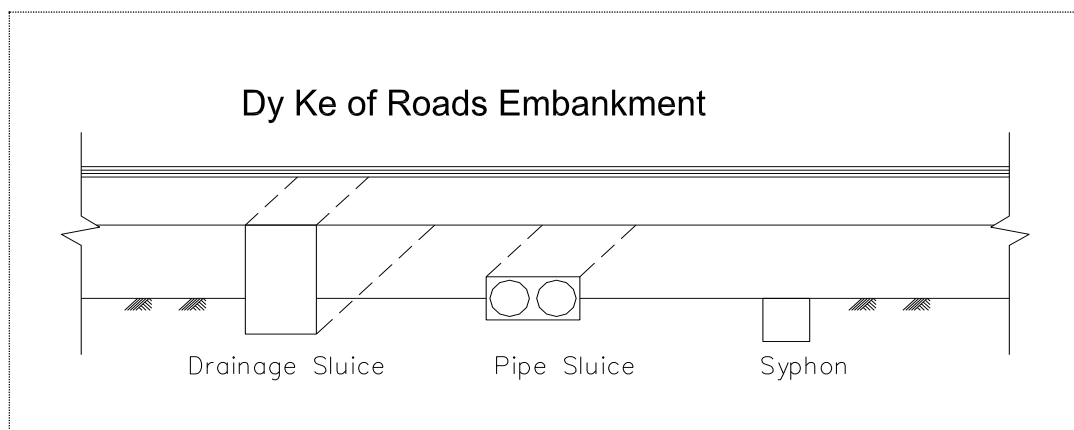


Tertiary Drain: Tertiary drain carry run-off or storm water received from the above mentioned plot drains and block or Mohallah drains. Their catchment area or storm water contributing area is bigger than Mohallah drains. In most Paurashava areas it is difficult to find such naming or classifications. However, such classifications can be seen in references. Tertiary drains generally are the under jurisdiction of Paurashava. Those drains or drainage networks are constructed and maintained directly by the Paurashava. These drains are constructed by bricks, cement concrete and sometimes by excavating earth in their alignments. These drains may run parallel to road or across the catchments area. Sometimes borrow pits of the road serves as drains provided borrow pits are uniformly and continuously excavated. Borrow pits that serve as drains may be lined or channeled by brick works. Tertiary drains deliver its discharge usually to secondary drains. A typical tertiary drain is shown below.



Drainage sluices, pipe sluices and siphons: Drainage sluices, pipe sluices and siphons are provided on the embankments. Embankments protect the area from floods coming from outside rivers and make the study area free from flood.

However, storm water from rainfall-runoff within the area causes localized flood, drainage congestion and submergence. Sketch below shows a few of such structures. A schematic view of drainage sluice, pipe sluice and siphon on embankment, which relieve drainage congestion presents below.



Rainfall is the source of storm drainage water irrespective of urban or rural catchments. Average annual rainfall in Kotchandpur is about 2000mm. After infiltration, deep percolation and evaporation is about 50% of this rainfall water takes the form of drainage water for semi-urban and urban areas.

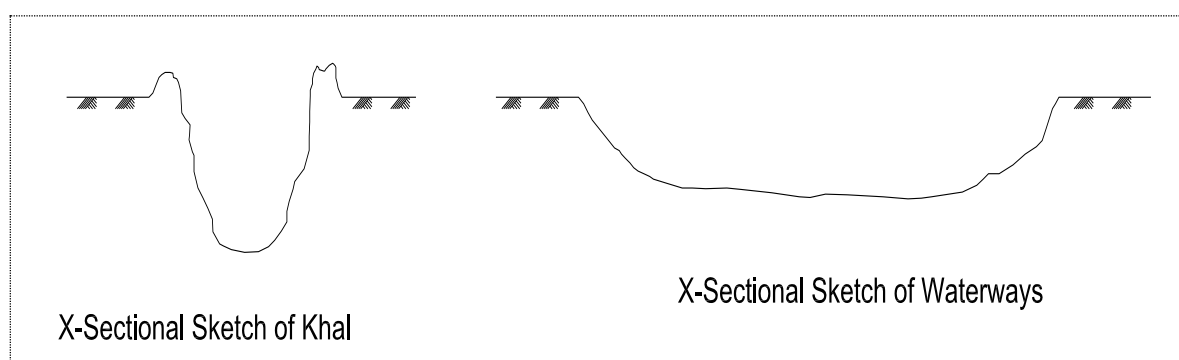
Sluice gates, Regulators and Navigation locks: These types of structures are provided on the flood control embankments. Sluice gates are functioning to vent out water from the countryside to the river. Flap gates are generally installed in the riverside so that river water cannot enter into the main land. On the other hand whenever the river water level becomes low and countryside water level is high, countryside water drains out through sluice.

Regulators also serve the similar purpose as sluice gates; however the size of regulators is much bigger than sluice gates. Regulators may have control gates in the countryside and in the riverside. Drainage of water to the river or flashing of water into countryside are

possible by operating simultaneously countryside and riverside mechanical gates. Navigation lock sometimes is provided on the flood embankment to allow boat and ferry passages from the river and from the countryside. It is a simple structure with bigger chamber and large lift gates both at riverside and countryside. By operating these gates, boats and river crafts can be transferred from the river to countryside and vice versa.

Reservoirs: Large tanks, ponds, Dighis, lakes, etc. serve as immediate detention areas for storm water. Those structures are man-made and also natural; may be privately owned or government-owned or khas land. These structures function as drainage relief and source of water for emergency use, fisheries, duckeries, environment and nature preservation. For every mouza such reservoir is available. Physical feature survey maps and field survey maps (tank, pond and reservoir) show the existence of reservoirs and database shows their dimensions. Those structures should not be disturbed or removed by physical interventions by fillings or other means rather should be properly maintained and preserved.

Drainage Khals and Waterways: Khals and waterways are natural channels and act as drainage elements. In every mouza more or less such natural channel, khals and waterways carry the excess storm water to the connecting river lying further in the down stream. Sometimes old and silted-up khals are re-excavated to improve drainage efficiency. Most of the natural khals carry the local storm water particularly runoff from the Mouza / Mouzas those it passes through. Khals are narrow and deep in cross-sections; on the other hand waterways are shallow and wider. Physical feature survey maps, field survey maps (river, khal / drainage) show the drainage khals and waterways and their database shows the dimensions. The sketches below show the sectional view of khals and waterways.



12.2 Existing Drainage Network

12.2.1 Introduction

Existing drains in the Paurashava have not formed any network; only household centered construction to drain out waste water. Existing River, Canal, pond and ditches are trying to manage the drainage requirements. Lack of drainage network is causing water logging in the Paurashava area when it rains. All drainage networks require to be developed with primary, secondary and tertiary drains to mitigate the current water logging problem.

Further development of drain should follow the bulk density and construction is being proposed in the Drainage Plan. Length, width and depth of the drain have considered according to the density of population, road width and out falls. Slope of the drain should

be maintained according to the slope of the area and the level of river water according to the seasons.

12.2.2 Existing Drainage System / Network

Natural Drainage System: The West part of Kotchandpur Paurashava are adjacent to the Kapatakkha River. Natural features are river, pond, khal, forest land etc. but in Kotchandpur there is no forest land. Among natural features there are 7 canal, 241 ponds, 1 river and 31 ditches. A lot of ditches, irrigation canals, ponds are positioned all over the Paurashava which act as a good and main natural drainage channels and draining out surface runoff from various part of the Paurashava. The water bodies (31 ditches and 241 ponds) of the Paurashava act as the retention pond for the Paurashava. Kapatakkha River is the main water body that serves environmental, recreational and economic needs to some extent for the Paurashava. Natural Canals of Paurashava constitute altogether 152.27 acres .

Table 12.4: Summary of Water Bodies in KotchandpurPaurashava

Water Bodies	Nos.	Area in Acre
Pond	241	152.27
Ditch	31	
Khal/Canal	7	
River	1	
Total	280	

Source: Physical Feature Survey, 2010

Man-made Drains:

Man made drain are the pucca drain which are mainly provided by the Paurashava authority. It mainly connect individual household/unit. In Kotchandpur Paurashava the core part of the Paurashava possesses some pucca drains which mainly drain out water from the Bazaar area, Upazilla area and the Thana (Police station) area. The other areas of the Paurashava have to depend upon the natural canals for storm or waste water to be drained out.

There are total length of man made drain is 14.89 km. Table 12.5 shows the type, length and average width of the drains have been shown for the different wards of the Paurashava. The drains are not well connected and not planned because they have been constructed for solving water logging problem based on the assessment of current and immediate need. This scenario is clear from the map showing the total drainage network of KotchandpurPaurashava.

Table 12.5: Statistics of drains of KotchandpurPaurashava

Categories (Man made/ Natural)	Network Coverage to the Paurashava	Total Length of the Drains	Average Width of the Drains (m)
Natural	Ward Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6	-	Greater than 2.00
Man Made	Ward Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8	14.89 km	0.10-0.30

Source: Physical Feature Survey, 2010

Man-made drain is found in the core urban area. All drains in the Paurashava are privately constructed. Status of the drains is uncovered. According to the quality, all drains are in average. The drains are usually damaged side walls, surfaces with obstructions, debris, solid waste, irregular water way, etc.

The drains are poorly managed. Uncovered drains are common feature and the result of uncovering is ultimately filling and losing the drain. Necessity of covering the drains are not only from environmental and safety perspective but also it is a local need. The adjacent river is using as a part of natural drainage system. The drainage condition, serviceability, structural condition, obstruction, situation, blockage are found in those drainage networks (though a few in the Paurashava). Water drained irregularly through those networks and they are also using as solid waste dumping ground.

Uncovered drains are common feature and the result of uncovering is ultimately filling and losing the drain. Necessity of covering the drains are not only from environmental and safety perspective but also it is a local need. Adjacent rivers are using as a part of natural drainage system.

Map 12.1: Existing Drainage Network of KotchandpurPaurashava

12.2.3 Analysis on Land Level Topographic Contour

The study area of Kotchandpur Paurashava has been surveyed with RTK-GPS/DGPS and Total Station as per specification for spot interval given in the ToR. For this 9082 spot values were collected for the study area. A contour line/contour joins points of equal elevation (height) above the mean sea level. A contour map for Kotchandpur Paurashava at 0.30m vertical interval was drawn using the spot levels surveyed roughly at 50m interval. It was observed that all wards have more or less equal elevation. The contour lines were generated without road spots to find out the exact view of elevation. Lowest elevation was found on natural features (Canal, Pond and Khal) in different Wards of the Paurashava. The detail of the summary of contour in Kotchandpur Paurashava is presented in the Table 12.6.

Table 12.6: Spot Value and their Unit (Number of Spot (Z) Value and their Statistics)

No.	Spot Unit	Value
1	Total Contour Number	9082
2	Average Contour Value	15.8462900
3	Maximum Contour Height	21.6000004
4	Minimum Contour Height	7.2000003
5	Range	14.4000001
6	Variance	12.1438352
7	Standard Deviation	3.4848006

Source: Topographic Survey by DDC, 2009

Average spot height of the Paurashava is 19.10 meter. Average Spot heights of Agricultural Land, Circular Network, and Water body have been shown in the Table 12.7.

Table 12.7: Land Use Category with Average Spot Height (in meter)

Land Use Category	Average Spot Height (mPWD)
Agricultural Land	17.35
Roads/ Circulation Network	20.60
Water body	8.44

Source: Topographic Survey by DDC, 2009

Map 12.2: Land Level of KotchandpurPaurashava

12.2.4 Analysis of Peak Hour Run off Discharge and Identification of Drainage Outfalls

The rainy season occurs mainly from June to October. Mean annual rainfall is about 2000 mm over most of the area of Kotchandpur Upazilla, but it exceeds 2500 mm in north-east and exceeds 3000 mm in the extreme south-east which is about 80% occurred during the monsoon. The dry season extends from November to March and is cool and almost rainless, receiving less than an average of 120 mm for the total 5 months period.

No peak hour run off storm water discharge is found. During rainy season, rain water is being drained through the natural drains. All pucca drains are linked with the Canals, rivers, ponds and natural water bodies as an outfall. As a result, waters of the river, canals and other water bodies are polluting through those discharging elements.

12.3 Plan for Drainage Management and Flood Control

12.3.1 Plan for Drain Network Development

Drainage network in the Paurashava is mostly under govt. initiative. There is no well organized, well constructed drainage pattern / network encompassing all the Wards of the Paurashava. Whatever drainage network that exists is mostly constructed by the Paurashava authority. Drainage aspects play a vital role in clearing waste water but the survey finds most of the drainage network unable to function due to poor maintenance, design, debris accumulations and faulty gradients. Drainage must receive high priority in Ward Action Plan as water logging within selected places of Paurashava is severe, therefore, planning options for drainage of the future Paurashava area including Water Development and Flood Control Projects, should be seriously pursued. The present inefficient drainage needs to be well designed encompassing all the Wards right from household level to main road. There is no drain for household storm waste. Existing open drains are being obstructed with rubbish and reduce the discharge facilities, creating health hazards.

12.3.1.1 Drain Network Plan

There is a need to develop a planned drainage network. The activity for the relevant authority will be assisted by the preparation of the drainage master plan for the Paurashava which details the necessary corridors, sizes and generalized locations for:

- Primary Drain
- Secondary and tertiary drain
- Storage ponds
- Silt traps
- River embankment

Initially, the Paurashava will encourage implementation of the first phase recommendation of the drainage master plan. A brief summary of the proposals to be undertaken in Phase-1 is given below. Reference should be made to the Map for identification of the drainage areas referred in the text.

Phase-1 (Storm water drainage)

- Improvements and the removal of obstacles from canals and existing drainage areas and link up of the missing link of existing drainage. **Under Water Body Conservation Act-2000 the plan has proposed for conservation of all ditches and ponds above 0.25 acres for retaining the storm water.** Mouza schedule for waterbody conservation has annexed in **Annexure-G**.
- Construction of new secondary and tertiary canals in drainage where necessary. The provision of flood control regulators in drainage areas marked as in the map.

Phase-2 (Rain water and household drainage)

- Construction of surface drain linked with the residences, may be covered or uncovered.
- Provide linkages with secondary and tertiary drains.
- Out-fall of such drains may be nearby low-lands and river.
- For discharging of rainwater from commercial areas, covered surface drain may be constructed and they will be linked with the secondary and tertiary canals.

12.3.1.2 Proposal for Improvement of the Existing Drain Networks

A wider scope for construction of a drainage system may be provisioned in the Paurashava. At least central areas are open for such development immediately and other areas may be followed for projected period as designed in the plan. Except the core area the Paurashava has wide scope for imposing drainage system. The principles required for drainage plan are available in the area. Land slope, nearness of the natural drainage, sparse population density and soil condition are in favour of drainage construction.

Drainage corridors:

If a drainage network has to be installed, the drainage originating throughout the Paurashava would be carried by means of surface drains and culverts. These should be accommodated within road reserves.

General location required:

For sewerage treatment plant, large plot will be needed, preferably on outskirts of the Paurashava. For sewerage pumping station, small plots throughout the Paurashava will be needed and a system should be introduced.

Maintaining of land slope:

Important component of the drainage network is land slope, which was not maintained during the construction of existing drains. The slope of the Paurashava is found towards north-west to south-east. Slope of all drains should maintain this direction.

Map 12.3: Proposed Drainage and Flood Control Components

12.3.1.3 List of Proposed New Drains

For the removal of existing drainage congestion and provisioning of effective drainage system, a planned drainage network has been proposed. which are shown in the map 12.3 shows. A number of new primary and secondary drains have been prescribed. In the Paurashava, existing length of the drain is 14.89 km. and about 84.90 km drain is being added as a proposal of which 13.52 Km are primary drain, 42.88 Km are secondary drain and 28.49Km are tertiary drain. To develop a network, all Wards have been considered and in some places emphasize has given providing on missing links rather than new. These network should be develop with the development of the road network. Detailed list of drainage network with phasing are shown in the **Annex-E**.

Table 12.8: List of proposed new drains

Sl.No	Type	Length (km)	Width
1.	Primary	13.52	3m and above
2.	Secondary	42.88	1-3m
3.	Tertiary	28.49	less than or equal 1 m
Total		84.90	

12.3.1.4 List of Infrastructure Measures for Drainage and Flood Control Network

There are altogether 17 bridges (RCC) and 22 culverts (RCC) in the Paurashava. There is no need of bridge in this Paurashava and about 127 numbers of culverts are found in this Paurashava. in all the Wards and highest number is found in the Ward No. 1,2, 3,4 and 5. RCC Box culvert is found in all the Wards and highest in the Ward No. 3. Those culverts are located on the canals and drainage channels. The study area is flood prone area. Water logging is common, dyke is an important issue for this Paurashava, but there is no dyke or embankment in the Paurashava.

Except the above infrastructure, more 64 culverts will be needed on different proposed roads as presented in the map. Five sluice gates have been proposed to control intrusion of river water through the drain.

Table 12.9: List of existing and proposed infrastructures for drainage and flood control

Name of infrastructure	Existing (No.)	Proposed (No.)
Bridge	0	0
Culvert/PipeBox	127	64
Sluice Gate	0	5
Flood Wall	0	0
Road cum Embankment	0	0

The utility services and facilities which are related to drainage and environmental management are shown in the table 12.11.

Table 12.10: proposed new utility services.

Proposed Facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area(Acre)
Utility & Service Facility				
Dumping Site	1	Dudhsora_045_02	1000 part, 1007 part, 1008, 1009 part, 1011 part, 1081 part	2.64
Public Toilet-1	1	Dudhsora_045_01	305 part, 306 part	0.27
Public Toilet-2	3	Kotchandpur_046_02	1037 part	0.08
Public Toilet-3	5	Solemanpur_063_04	7760 part	0.12

Proposed Facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area(Acre)
Pump House	1	Kotchandpur_046_01	356 part, 366 part, 367 part	0.09
Slaughter House	4	Solemanpur_063_01	4 part, 877 part	0.27
Surface Water Treatment Plant-Area-1	4	Solemanpur_063_01	87-92	0.30
Surface Water Treatment Plant-Area-2	6	Solemanpur_063_02	2002 part, 2004, 2005 part	1.21
Waste Transfer Station-1	1	Dudhsora_045_01	293 part, 294 part, 298, 300 part	0.67
Waste Transfer Station-2	3	Kotchandpur_046_02	1023 part, 1040 part	0.18
Waste Transfer Station-3	5	Solemanpur_063_04	7760 part, 7761 part	0.37
Total				6.2

12.4 Plan Implementation Strategies

12.4.1 Regulations to Implement the Drainage and Flood Plan

The regulations which will be needed for the implement of drainage and flood plan are:

- Section 3 of the Acquisition and Requisition of Immovable Property Ordinance, 1982 is needed for acquisition of land in view to construct drainage and flood control components. The Water Development Board, according to the demand, will apply to the Deputy Commissioner for such acquisition.
- Water Development Board Ordinance, 1976 delegate power to the Water Development Board for construction of embankment. To control intrusion of flood water and improvement of drainage facilities, the Board is empowered to take necessary actions according to the regulations prescribed in the Ordinance.
- Irrigation Act, 1876 has prescribed regulations for the improvement of irrigation facilities through the improvement of drainage facilities in view to increase agriculture production. Deputy Commissioner may enforce any regulations prescribed in the Act necessary for irrigation facilities.
- Canal and Drainage Act, 1872 has enacted for excavation of canal and removal of drainage congestion from agriculture land. The Deputy Commissioner may authorize any person, through a written approval, for excavation of canal in view to improve irrigation facilities for agriculture practices.
- Public Health (Emergency Provision) Ordinance, 1944 has enacted for the improvement of drainage and sanitation facilities. Department of Public Health Engineering (DPHE) is authorized to enforce the regulations prescribed in the Ordinance. The government approves project for DPHE mostly for the improvement of drainage and sanitation facilities in urban areas.

12.4.2 Implementation, Monitoring, Evaluation and Coordination of the Plan

Implementation through Multi-Sectoral Investment Programme: Major infrastructure development works such as primary roads, water supply, drainage, etc., will largely be controlled by Government. Public works requires efficient co-ordination through the Multi-Sectoral Investment Programme (MSIP).

Objective of a Multi-Sectoral Investment Programme (MSIP) will match a list of the development projects with the funding stream necessary to implement them. There are two basic activities that would determine the contents of MSIP. One activity would be to prioritize and schedule the investment projects of all public agencies so they will collectively help to achieve the development goals and objectives of the Urban Area Plan. Second activity would be to analyze the source and availability of fund for the prioritized list of development projects.

Implementation through Action Plans and Projects: Action Plans and Projects will be the implementation plans to solve problems at the local level. Action plans will take a direct approach toward plan implementation with a minimum of research, reports or elaborate planning methods. These projects will be easily identifiable and will require minimum resource.

Implementation through Development Control: Landuse zoning is one of several methods of plan implementation to be considered. In all cases where some form of development, landuse control may be applied; careful consideration requires the following ideologies:

- the purpose to be achieved by the development controls;
- where controls should be applied;
- what aspect of development needs to be controlled;
- what type of development controls are required;
- what degree or level of development control is required;
- who will be affected by the required control;
- who will be affected by the controls and in what manner;
- when the controls should be applied;
- what will be the likely impact of the controls;
- how and by whom will the controls be administered and enforced.

Development control as an instrument of plan implementation may be selectively applied within the Urban Area Plans. Development controls would also be varied in intensity and detail to suit the particular circumstances. It is important that they should be clear and easily understood by all parties concerned. Since the entire Paurashava Master Plan 'package' has become statutory, development controls associated with its component plans would also be statutory.

Implementation by Facilitating Private Investment: Another approach that would be taken by government toward plan implementation will be to guide and facilitate investments made by the private sector. Government can achieve this with relative ease and at very low cost by setting up a legal and operational framework, coupled with suitable incentives, to facilitate land consolidation, plot boundary readjustment, efficient lay out of

plots and provision of local infrastructure by the private sector. The benefits of this approach would be:

- increased efficiency of the urban land market would make more private land available to urban households;
- would pass much of the development costs for local infrastructure to the private sector and land market mechanisms;
- would increase in land for development without large cash outlays by government to purchase land for development schemes; and
- would keep provision of land for community facilities virtually no cost to government.

Plan Monitoring

The Urban Area Plan would simply be tools for guiding and encouraging the growth and development of an urban area in a preferred manner. In a rapidly changing urban environment, the Urban Area Plan would require to keep up to date. If this is not done, within a few years it will be obsolete. Therefore, it is imperative that the requirement for regular updating of the Urban Area Plan be made a legal requirement.

For implementation of the various programme components of the Urban Area Plan appropriate administrative measures will have to be undertaken. This will essentially include project preparation and monitoring of their execution and evaluation. For carrying out all these activities appropriate institutional measures are also needed.

Evaluation

Monitoring and evaluation of on going and implemented projects is essential to keep the future course of action on the right track. An on going project should be regularly monitored and handicaps identified to enable taking appropriate measures at the right time.

Post implementation evaluation is also needed to take appropriate measures correcting past errors-from project preparation to implementation.

The top level supervision has to be done by a high level supervisory committee headed by Paurashava Mayor, LGED representative and Local Government Ministry. Other members of the committee will be local Ward Councilors, local community leader/social workers and the Town Planner of the Paurashava. The committee will supervise implementation works regularly and issue necessary instructions to expedite the works of implementation.

Co-ordination

A Planning Section of Paurashava should have close interaction with the citizen of Paurashava at large in order to make people aware of the benefits of a good plan and, therefore, their social responsibility to promote plan implementation in one hand and also resist contraventions on the other. A specific interactive cell is recommended to operate in this regard with following responsibilities:

- Provide pre-application advice to residents, consultants and developers about land use management issues and application procedures for the submission of development applications.

- Enforce planning and landuse management related legislation and zoning scheme regulations.
- Issue of property zoning certificates.
- Investigate and resolve landuse management complaints, illegal landuse and prosecuting contraventions.

Such interactive windows may be opened in various convenient locations to ensure ease of the answers to commonly asked questions may be shown in the internet. Besides, those may be shown in the print and electronic media time to time.

In spontaneous areas, while all out people's co-operation is needed for project implementation; there will also be some elements of negotiation. Negotiation will be particularly needed in case of road widening projects. It will be a crucial task for Paurashava to convince the affected people to give up their land for road use. Efforts should be made to convince the land owners on the ground of enhancement of property value due to road widening. In case people refuse to offer land free of cost necessary arrangements may have to be made for payment of compensation. This process of negotiation will be very critical, cumbersome and time consuming, and therefore, has to be handled with utmost care and patience. The best results can be accrued only by winning people's confidence. In case the authority fails to get peoples co-operation they should exercise power of compulsory acquisition of land. Attempts may be made to engage NGOs / CBOs to work as catalysts in negotiation.

12.5 Environmental Management Plan

12.5.1 Introduction

The plan has documented KotchandpurPaurashava area's environmental conditions, determines potentiality for present and past site contamination (e.g., hazardous substances, petroleum products and derivatives) and identifies potential vulnerabilities (to include occupational and environmental health risks).

12.5.2 Goals and Objectives

Based on the information and data on the air, water, noise, soil, drainage congestion, river erosion, garbage disposal and industrial and clinical wastes an effective and action oriented plan is required as prescribed in the ToR. Preparation of environmental management plan is the ultimate goal of this study.

12.5.3 Methodology and Approach to Planning

Environmental survey has conducted following the standard methods and procedures to determine environmental pollutions. Elements of pollutions of environment are air, water, land and noise for the development of urban areas. The Consultants have taken necessary assistance and information from the Paurashava Mayor, Councilors, Engineers and other concerned officials as well as the general inhabitants to determine pollution in air, water, land and noise. Based on the information and data collected from the field and secondary sources, detailed report has been prepared. Data collection format and questionnaire was approved by the PD of UTIDP, LGED. The data collection procedure incorporates discussion meeting with the Paurashava Mayor, Councilors and other Paurashava representatives. Discussions were also made with other GOs like DPHE, BADC, etc. and NGOs representatives working in the Paurashava.

12.6 Existing Environmental Condition

12.6.1 Introduction

The Paurashava is a part of greater Jessore district. Some information has collected from secondary materials and they are on geology, soil and sub-soil condition, climate, temperature, humidity, rainfall, wind direction and hydrology. Other relevant information is being collected from field survey and they are mostly on the environment pollution. Those information presents sequentially in the following paragraphs.

12.6.2 Geo-morphology

Geology, Soil and Sub-soil Conditions: Kotchandpur Paurashava occupies in Bengal delta, one of the largest in the world. Its geosynclinal basin is characterized by the huge thickness (maximum of about 20 km. near the basin centre) of caustic sedimentary rocks, mostly sandstone and shale of Tertiary age.

Kotchandpur Paurashava is low lying and almost perennially wet. It has predominantly deep silty soils, but it has a significant proportion of basin clays. It is subject to rapid rise in flood levels. Organic matter contents in the cultivated layer range from 2-5 percent or more in depression soils. Soil type of Kotchandpur Paurashava is mainly calcareous dark grey floodplain soils. Characteristics of this soil is mainly dark grey or brown clays with dark grey flood coatings, some calcareous throughout some with seasonally acid top soils and calcareous sub strum within four feet. Kotchandpur Paurashava is almost flat area and soil condition is quite satisfactory.

The ridge soils are medium to moderately fine textured, weakly to moderately structured, friable and easy to cultivate. The basin soils are usually fine textured and the surface soils set into very large hard clods on drying out during the dry season. Deep, fine and coarse textured soils as well as the very shallow phases of medium textured soils have only low amounts of plant available water. These soils, because of their low moisture storage capacity associated with very low rainfall yields of Robi crops. Other soils with a deep, heavy loam profile have much higher amounts of plant available water, ranging from 8-12 inches in 40 inches deep soil profile.

Soil types, strength and density characteristics based on Standard Penetration Test Values (N) have been mentioned for the different types of deposits at various depths.

Cohesive silt and clay layers having N-values less than 4 are very soft to soft and are not considered suitable to support any civil engineering structures without ground improvement. There are only a few areas near the waterfronts (of Kapatakkha Rivers) with such low N-values in the surface underlain by comparatively strong clay and sand soil strata. Sand layers with variable quantities of silt/clay having N-values less than 10 are considered very loose to loose. In a few locations such weak sandy layers occurred. They occurred usually in the surface layers.

The natural clay soils of investigated area can be divided into two major groups distinguished by their colours as under:

Red clay: Light brown to brick red and massive, containing ferruginous and calcareous nodules.

Mottled clay: Earthy grey with patches of orange, brown colour, massive and contains ferruginous and calcareous nodules.

Again, in the filled up areas (along the Regional Highway) there are mixtures of many coloured soils carried from different borrowing areas. Consistency of cohesive soil deposits (plastic silts and clays) and relative density of cohesion less soil deposits (non-plastic silts and sands) have been described in accordance with internationally accepted terms, which give approximate indication of strengths of the soil strata encountered at different depths.

Table 12.11: SPT N-Values

Consistency	SPT N-value	Allowable bearing Capacity (kPa)
Very soft	0–2	< 25
Soft	2–4	25–50
Medium	4–8	50–100
Stiff	4–15	100–200
Very stiff	15–30	200–400
Hard	> 30	> 400

For plastic silts and clays consistency terms like very soft, soft, medium stiff, stiff, very stiff and hard indicate the following approximate allowable bearing capacity of the different soil strata estimated on the basis of SPT N-values.

For cohesion less soil deposits (non-plastic silts and sands) relative density has been described with terms like very loose, loose, medium dense, dense and very dense on the basis of SPT N-values measured in the different cohesion less soils strata encountered within the explored depth of 15m. These relative density terms give the following approximate strength characteristics based on SPT N-values.

Table 12.12 : Strength Characteristics

Relative Density	SPT N-Value	Estimated Shearing Angles	Strength Characteristics
Very loose	> 4	28°	Very poor
Loose	4–10	30°	Poor to fair
Medium dense	10–30	32°	Fair to good
Dense and Very dense	> 30	34°	Good to excellent

Climate: Bangladesh is characterized by a tropical monsoon climate with three distinct seasons. Kotchandpur is in the Old Meghna Estuarine Floodplain region. The climatic condition of Kotchandpur Paurashava falls into mainly three seasons namely winter, summer and monsoon. It is obvious that the flooding at Jhenaidah district is not due to the local monsoon precipitation alone, but rather results from rainwater transported and retained by the Meghna River and its tributaries from northern regions to the south.

Temperature: The temperature of the region start to fall below 20° C ranges from 12 November in the north to 7 November in the south. The mean length of the cool winter period increases from 50 days with minimum temperatures below 15° C in the south-east to almost 70 days with such temperature in the north-west.

Humidity

The least humid months in the North- eastern areas of Bangladesh are January to March (approx. 60 % relative humidity). In Kotchandpur Paurashava the rate of humidity is less during January to March compare to other months of a year. According to Meteorological Department Thereafter from June through October the hot and wet monsoon season

prevails with south-western winds that bring heavy rainfall, very high relative humidity (> 80 %) and a widespread cloud cover.

Rainfall

Mean annual rainfall is about 2000 mm over most of the area of Kotchandpur Upazilla, but it exceeds 2500 mm in north-east and exceeds 3000 mm in the extreme south-east. The dry season extends from November to March and is cool and almost rainless, receiving less than an average of 120 mm for the total 5 months period.

Wind Directions

A cool dry, almost cloudless season from November through February with north-eastern monsoon winds is followed by a transition period, namely the pre-monsoon hot season that comes along with changing wind directions, thunderstorms, and increasing cloud cover from March through May Kotchandpur of Jhenaidah District. Single rain events in March, April and May might be the characteristic thunderstorms of the hot dry season. The Monsoon season started at the end of May and lasted until end of October.

Hydrology

Groundwater resource of Bangladesh is identified by three aquifers and these are Upper aquifer or composite aquifer, Main aquifer (it is at depths 6m in North-West and to 83 m in the South), Deep aquifer. The main aquifer is separated from deep aquifer by clay layers of varied thickness. In most areas, the main aquifer is hydraulically connected with the overlying composite aquifer. Most of the upper ground water of Bangladesh has almost the same flow direction as the Rivers. At high stream stage during monsoon, there may be direct recharge into the upper aquifer if it is not saturated with rain-water. At low-stream (dry-season) stage, there is a discharge from the aquifer into the stream. There is also possible that contaminated ground water from upper catchments source also moving in downward gradient. The groundwater gradient and rate of groundwater flow are controlled by the distance between Rivers and the balance between recharge and evaporation. This varies seasonally. In Bangladesh, hydraulic gradients are very low because of the limited relief.

The contribution of local rainfall to the annual surface runoff is about 25 per cent, with significant seasonal variation. Annual rainfall and evapotranspiration of the country show that there is a substantial excess of rainfall everywhere in the monsoon season. In terms of quality, the surface water of the country is unprotected from untreated industrial effluents and municipal wastewater, runoff pollution from chemical fertilizers and pesticides, and oil and lube spillage in the coastal area from the operation of sea and River ports. In Bangladesh, hydraulic gradients are very low because of the limited relief. Hand-pump tube wells are unlikely to have a major effect on groundwater flow. Irrigation wells with their larger volumes of abstraction will tend to draw water from groundwater rather than from River recharge and may thereby change the local hydraulic gradients significantly. However, groundwater movement and hence aquifer flushing, is inherently very slow in Bangladesh. Hand-pump tube wells are unlikely to have a major effect on groundwater flow. Irrigation wells with their larger volumes of abstraction will tend to draw water from groundwater rather than from River recharge and may thereby change the local hydraulic gradients significantly. The distribution, nature and size of present-day Rivers also has an important effect on groundwater velocities and as such, Rivers may play a

significant role in controlling the short-range variability of groundwater arsenic concentrations through their effect on local hydraulic gradients.

12.6.3 Solid Waste and Garbage disposal

12.6.3.1 Household Waste

Condition of solid waste management system is not satisfactory. In fact, there is no waste management system exist in the municipality. People are found to dispose their waste to the nearby low land, ditches, drains or in the vacant land. There is no dustbin all over the municipality. People are dumping waste scatteredly, so there is need to develop a community based solid waste management system. Paurashava has not a planned dumping site. So there is risk of land and water pollution. There is good opportunity of involving NGO and CBO in this process.

12.6.3.2 Industrial Waste

No industrial waste available in the Paurashava.

12.6.3.3 Kitchen Market Waste

Kitchen market waste is being dumped on the low lands available around the market.

12.6.3.4 Clinical / Hospital Waste

There are one Upazila Health Complex, one Clinic. Upazila Health Complex is located in Ward No. 2. There is no arrangement for clinical waste management in the Paurashava. The clinics and hospital used to dump solid wastes here and there or nearby ditches. This activity may bring serious health hazard to the inhabitants specially the nearby dwellers.

12.6.3.5 Waste Management System

Solid waste collection and disposal in Kotchandpur Paurashava is the responsibility of Paurashava authority. The conservancy department of Kotchandpur Paurashava has only 1 garbage truck, 10 hand trolley and 2 vans for solid waste management which is too poor to manage the whole system properly. Total manpower for this purpose is 13 including 1 truck driver, 2 van driver and ten laborers to handle hand trolley. The municipal authority could not take any measures to prohibit its inhabitant from indiscriminate dumping of solid wastes into the canals which results in blocking of drainage system. Solid waste from the point of generation to the final disposal can be grouped into three functioned elements -

- Waste generation and storage
- Collection
- Final disposal

Waste Generation and storage: Households within the area are producing 2.00 tons of domestic solid wastes per day.

Collection: The waste collection is done in the following three stages:

- The residents themselves take domestic refuse from households to the intermediate dumping points.

- Street and drain wastes are collected and dumped at intermediate disposal points by the municipal sweepers and cleaners.
- Final collection from the intermediate points and its disposal to the dumping yard by the conservancy worker.

Final disposal: The authority used to dump in low lands on the basis of land owner's interest or nearest ditches.

12.6.3.6 Latrine

Toilet system of the study area is mostly categorized as pucca and katcha. In spite of this, Paurashava has a modest development of pucca toilets in government zones. Sewerage system has not been introduced on a trial basis as to their popularity and acceptance. Ownership of toilets varies widely in most of the Wards. Most of the households have their own toilets and at the same time there is joint toilets found in slum areas. Sanitary toilets or pucca toilets are comparatively good in all the Wards. Only 15% katcha toilet is found in the Paurashava and owner of those toilets are poor people.

12.6.3.7 Industry

In the project area, Agro-based industries account to around 69 percent and Food-based industries accounts to 21.4 percent share of the total running industries. Therefore, total share of the agro and food based industries occupy around 90.47% percent share, which is very much logical because agriculture sector dominates the economy of the project area. It is to be mentioned here that industrial units like Oil mill, Nail mill, Bakery, Jute mill, Furniture factories, Saw mill, Edible Oil Mill, Ice Factory etc. are operated in the project area. Of these total industries, one-fifth is large (employ 10 or more persons) and four-fifth is small (employ 1-9 persons) as categorized by Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics (BBS). The number of medium and small industries is increasing gradually in Kotchandpur Paurashava. However, the field survey conducted by the survey team found several categories of non-farm enterprises/industries in the project area.

It has been observed that, 90 percent factories produce solid wastes. Saw mills and Rice mills produce sawdust and rice-bran respectively. Rice mills themselves use substantial amount of waste produced by them in their boilers while local residents use the entire amount of sawdust as kitchen fuel. Rice-bran is also used for production of Fire Wood. It has been found that wastes produced by them are not treated.

12.6.4 Brick Field

There is two major brickfield is in the Paurashava premises.

12.6.5 Fertilizer and Other Chemical Use

The fertilizer and chemical uses in the agriculture field for increasing agriculture production are Urea, Potash, Gypsum and Nitrogen Sulphate, Bashudin, Diazinon, Sumithion and Padan. Those chemicals are being contaminated with the surface water and create water pollution. Those chemicals and insecticides are creating water pollution of the Arialkhan and Palardi Rivers. For more details Chapter-8 of the Structure Plan (Environmental Issues in Agriculture Practice).

12.6.6 Pollutions

12.6.6.1 Water pollution

Water borne diseases spread out due to the use of polluted water. Water pollution is also another threat of environment of Kotchandpur Paurashava. Surface water is being contaminated from improper sanitation, indiscriminate dumping of domestic solid waste disposal and clinical wastes into the water bodies, and use of chemicals (fertilizers and insecticides) etc. Most of the respondents identified presence of iron beyond acceptable limit is the reason for ground water pollution in Kotchandpur Paurashava. Ground water is mainly used as drinking water and if it is treated for iron removal may lead chronic intestinal diseases of the inhabitants of the Paurashava leading to increase in their health care expenditure.

Hospitals in Kotchandpur Paurashava are producing bacteriological contaminated wastes. A portion of the wastes are dumped into the open drains and canals beside roads which is one of reasons of surface water pollution. Farmers use fertilizers and pesticides in agricultural land. During rainy season it comes in contact with water and as a result pollutes natural water system. No quantified information regarding ground pollution is yet available for Kotchandpur Paurashava.

12.6.6.2 Air pollution

Sources of air pollution in Kotchandpur Paurashava are not much. Only one brickfields are polluting air through the emission of carbon-di-oxide gas mainly. Other type of noxious air polluting industries are absent in this Paurashava. Only source of air pollution is movement of vehicles on the Highway. Air pollution depends of the level of concentration of pollutants in the air. In that consideration smoke of the vehicles cause little difference in the ambient air quality of Kotchandpur Paurashava.

12.6.6.3 Soil pollution

Any change or any action such as dumping of hazardous wastes or harmful material into any productive or potentially productive land that destroy or reduce the productivity/efficiency of the land can be considered as land pollution. In this sense, land pollution is not much except the existence of one brickfield which use huge amount of agricultural land to make brick. In the deeper layer of soil, agricultural production becomes impossible or it is reduced considerably due to decreased fertility of land. On the other hand, some hospitals and clinics dump hazardous wastes wherever that can make the soil incompatible for growing plants. Besides, as the Paurashava doesn't have any waste disposal site so keeping municipal waste here and there pollutes the land.

12.6.6.4 Noise pollution

Kotchandpur Paurashava is largely free from sound pollution. As there exist no national or regional highway through the Paurashava so sound pollution doesn't occur from the movement of traffic. Although the railway station in Ward No. 02 creates some sound, it doesn't cross the limit of tolerance as it exists for a short period.

12.6.6.5 Arsenic Condition

Arsenic problem The most Arsenic risk areas are located in the central and southern parts of Bangladesh. especially in areas located in the south and southeast, extremely high

Arsenic concentrations are found exceeding 250 µg/L. High Arsenic concentrations can generally be found in the lower catchment areas of the Ganges, Brahmaputra, and Meghna River system, particularly in areas close to the lower Meghna Estuary, where 80 % of wells exceed the 50 µ/L concentration limit for arsenic. Areas located in the uplifted north-central areas and in the northwest are less affected. However in Kotchandpur Paurashava no Tube well were found affected or marked by DPHE as arsenic affected.

12.6.6.6 Other Pollution

Kotchandpur Paurashava is almost like any other typical Paurashavas of Bangladesh. Among the identified issues of probable threat and risk, improper solid waste management is mentionable. At the present situation, it has been found that there is no solid waste management system exists in the Paurashava. Haphazard and indiscriminate dumping of solid waste may cause deterioration of the local environment in future. Therefore, appropriate initiatives for urban waste management should be taken as quickly as possible to check further degradation of the living environment of the project area.

12.6.7 Natural Calamities and Localized Hazards

12.6.7.1 Cyclone

A disaster is the tragedy of a natural or human-made hazard (a hazard is a situation which poses a level of threat to life, health, property or environment) that negatively affects society or environment. Disaster can be classified into two categories: natural disaster and man-made disaster. A natural disaster is the effect of a natural hazard (e.g. flood, volcanic eruption, earthquake or landslide) that affects the environment and leads to financial, environmental or human losses. Man-made disasters are disasters resulting from an element of human intent, negligence, or error, or involving a failure of a man-made system.

The Paurashava area including the Kotchandpur Upazila has affected by the several major natural disasters ranging from Cyclone, Flood to Water-logging and Draughts, etc. The periods of those disasters are 1998, 2000, 2004 and 2008. Very scanty attempt has been made by government to rehabilitate people after the natural disaster.

Urbanization is taking the lands of other uses to residential use. For this purpose agricultural lands and water bodies are being chosen most frequently and the lands are being converted into urban settlement. In Kotchandpur Paurashava, wet lands are filled up and agricultural lands are converted. This has been identified as the major man-made disaster accelerating the degree of conversion year to year. Use of poisonous insecticides on the agricultural land is another man made disaster which will affect in the long run.

12.6.7.2 Flood

Flood mainly occurs from April to September in this area. From the field survey it is observed that 18.18% people are affected by normal yearly flooding. Local people reported that 75% of the households are moderately affected by periodic flood which occurs at 2 to 5 years interval. Such flood events are generally concentrated in the months of June and August.

12.6.7.3 River Erosion

Though Kotchandpur Paurashava situated beside large Kapatakkha River, no river erosion occurred in recent years.

12.6.7.4 Soil Erosion

Though Kotchandpur Paurashava situated beside large Kapatakkha River, no soil erosion observed in the area.

12.6.7.5 Earth Quake

The Paurashava is not in earth quake zone.

12.6.7.6 Water-Logging

In Kotchandpur Paurashava water logging is regular during the rainy season. Height of stagnant water level in Kotchandpur Paurashava varies and at times rises up to 3 or 4 meters during rainy season where as the mean spot height of Kotchandpur Paurashava is found to be 3.08 mPWD. For the land surface the mean spot height is observed to be 7.01 mPWD and for the major roads mean spot height is found to be 21.89 mPWD. Most of the local roads of the Paurashava go under water during rainy seasons as the road side drainage is not well developed yet. All of the agricultural land goes under water during rainy season, major roads including old highway goes under water when heavy rainfall occurs.

12.6.7.7 Fire Hazard

No fire hazard record is found in the Kotchandpur Paurashava. With the increase of population, chances of fire incidence may increase for offices, institutions, market places and industries. Electric short-circuit is mainly responsible for fire hazards in urban area. Human error may also cause incidence of fire hazard sometimes.

12.6.7.8 Other Hazards

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12.7 Plan for Environmental Management and Pollution Control

12.7.1 Proposals for Environmental Issues

In Kotchandpur Paurashava, noise pollution is occurring from saw mills and rice husking mills.. Air pollution is caused by dust emitted from saw mill, rice hushing mills and furniture shops. Also flood water and water-logging are creating health hazards. Dysentery, diarrhea, etc. diseases occurs due to Water logging. These above varies are extremely important uses of concern for the Paurashava. Pragmatic planning / solution and proper Drainage Master Plan are very pertinent issues which will be of utmost importance in planning the Kotchandpur Paurashava.

However, implementation of activities like roads, drainage, bridge / culverts, housing and industrial establishments and bazars will radically change the natural topography and landuse pattern. The agricultural land will be converted into urban and semi-urban area. Existing scenic beauty will disappear; water bodies will be lost and general slope will be diminished for earth filling due to urbanization. Therefore, in the process of preparation of Master Plan, Structure Plan and Ward Action Plan, consideration of those factors will be made for keeping the natural environment.

For a better living environment above environmental phenomenon should be considered with the systematic planning principles and regulatory measures. With these views, people's awareness should be increased about the fair living environment through different public activities. Arrangement of landuses should be provisioned for all the public and private organizations as their necessities.

12.7.1.1 Solid Waste Management Plan

Solid waste management is a crucial problem for the Paurashava. The Kotchandpur Paurashava does not have the sufficient capability to handle the huge waste generated by the residents due to narrowness of roads, lack of local collection sites stand as impediments to waste management. Particularly in informal/spontaneous areas due to existence of narrow roads the garbage trucks can not enter for removal and transshipment of the garbage. In most places there is no road side open space for locating garbage bins. Garbage is often found to be disposed off on low lands. As a result rotten garbage spoils the local environment of the area posing health hazard of the local residents. No dustbin is in the Paurashava whereas the daily waste produced is about 2.00 tons and most of those garbages throw to the nearby low lands. A 2.64 acre dumping site was proposed near Kaliganj-Chuadanga Highway at ward no 1 of the Paurashava.

For an efficient solid waste management system, it is recommended to engage, CBOs, NGOs and micro enterprises on contract basis for collection and disposal of solid waste and street sweeping.

12.7.1.2 Open space, Wet-land and Relevant Features Protection Plan

- One central park cum stadium at 9.79 acres, 4 neighbourhood park, 1 shisu park and a stadium has been proposed for this area. Stadium and the areas for tourism development are prescribed in the extended areas.
- The authority named Bangladesh Sports Council in collaboration with the Paurashava authority may construct the stadium. The stadium should use regularly with various programs.
- The land prescribed for tourism development, Bangladesh Parjatan Corporation should be the responsible authority to implement those tourism components. Domestic tourists should be emphasized rather than international in considering establishment of tourism components. Rainwater harvesting will be the major component of this tourism site. This sector can improve economic capability of the Paurashava dwellers rapidly.

- The embankment cum road proposed along both side of the river louhajong will control flood water intrusion. As a result, single-crop land (remain wet land in nine months of a year) available in the southern part of the Paurashava will be turned into triple-crop land.

12.7.1.3 Pollution Protection Proposals

12.7.1.3.1 Industrial

Survey revealed that in the project area, Agro-based industries account to around 69 percent and Food-based industries accounts to 21.4 percent share of the total running industries. Therefore, total share of the agro and food based industries occupy around 90.47% percent share, which is very much logical because agriculture sector dominates the economy of the project area. It is to be mentioned here that industrial units like Oil mill, Nail mill, Bakery, Jute mill, Furniture factories, Saw mill, Edible Oil Mill, Ice Factory etc. are operated in the project area. Of these total industries, one-fifth is large (employ 10 or more persons) and four-fifth is small (employ 1-9 persons) as categorized by Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics (BBS). The number of medium and small industries is increasing gradually in Kotchandpur Paurashava. However, the field survey conducted by the survey team found several categories of non-farm enterprises/industries in the project area.

- All the industries are in mixed-use areas. Some of them will be re-arranged and shifted to the proposed industrial site.
- A green buffer will create around the proposed industrial site; it will separate the area from adjacent landuses and at the same time, environment will be livable.
- In future, the proposed industrial site will also be identified as a site for polluting industry (as identified by the Directorate of Environment). In that, provision of recycling plant should be attached with the individual industry.
- Any brickfield should not be allowed in the Paurashava jurisdiction.

12.7.1.3.2 Air / Water / Land / Sound

For a better living environment above environmental phenomenon should be considered with the systematic planning principles and regulatory measures. With these views, people's awareness should be increased about the fair living environment through different public activities. Arrangement of landuses should be provisioned for all the public and private organizations as their necessities.

The Paurashava is rural based urban area. River and ponds and other water bodies still below the danger level of pollution. Let it should not be increased. Still people awareness is possible for reducing contamination of ground water. People may aware about the use of pesticides in agriculture field, solid waste disposal in a systematic manner and improved sanitation facilities.

12.7.1.3.3 Other Pollution

At present, control of urbanization and dumping of clinical wastes are the major concern of environment pollution of the Paurashava. Controlled urbanization according to this plan may remove the pollution through urbanization. Control on area / use density, height density and bulk density are the means of pollution protection through urbanization. A

specific site within the compound of health services should be provisioned, thus pollution through clinical wastes will be controlled.

12.8 Natural Calamities and Regular Hazard Mitigation Proposals

12.8.1 Protection Plans Addressing Natural Calamities

Change in Topography and Mitigation: The main ground slope of the study area is northeast to southwest direction. Natural topography of the Paurashava has already been changed for urbanization. Implementation of Master Plan activities like roads, drainage, bridge/ culvert, housing and industrial estates, bazars and growth centers will radically change the natural topography and landuse pattern of the study area. Agricultural area will be converted into urban and semi-urban area. Present green scenic beauty will disappear, water bodies will be lost and general slope will be diminished for earth filling due to urbanization.

- Careful planning will be needed to minimize the change of topography.
- Avoid water bodies during planning of roads, housing and industrial estates.
- Practice good architectural/engineering design during planning of housing estates, buildings and the intersections of main roads.
- Enhancement of plantation and gardening to increase the scenic beauty of the Paurashava.
- Preserve the Beels with demarking buffer distance.

Landuse Change and Mitigation: Major portion of the study area is rural setup, with predominance of agricultural landuse. However, urban and semi-urban landuses are observed in the Paurashava and its surrounding areas. With implementation of the Master Plan, rural setup and agricultural landuse pattern will be changed radically into urban landuse type.

- Keep water bodies and productive agricultural land free from urban development as long as possible. Vertical development may be encouraged rather than horizontal.
- Careful planning is necessary to reduce change of agricultural landuse and rural setup.
- Economic use of land should be emphasized.

Drainage Congestion and Mitigation: Drainage congestion may increase further with urban sprawl development. Faulty design, solid waste and rubbish dumping, encroachment and un-authorized structures, siltation, lack of renovation and re-excavation are the main causes of drainage congestion. Drainage system that exists in the study area is not well enough to carry the surface run-off properly. The outlets of these drainage networks are mostly connected with nearest water body. These water body is filling up, as a result, drainage congestion generates. And thus many areas are subjected to water logging during the heavy rainfall causing inconvenience to the people of the area.

- Make proper drainage network in new area considering the slope and local topographical condition.
- Remove all unauthorized structures, which developed on drainage structures.

- Prohibit the people in dumping of rubbish and solid waste in drain.
- Regular cleaning and maintenance by the concerned authorities.
- Demarcation of water bodies, which can act as retention pond to avoid water logging from heavy rainfall.

Groundwater Table Declination and Mitigation: Fall of groundwater table is a common phenomenon in the study area during dry period (February-May). With expansion of urbanization and industrialization through the Ward Action Plan, the groundwater table may further fall if present tradition of using groundwater is continued.

- Introduce rainwater harvesting system and use in the study area.
- Stop land filling of ponds and water bodies to maintain the groundwater level through recharge and leaching process.

Groundwater Pollution and Mitigation: Groundwater pollution due to manganese, iron and hardness is a major problem of the study area. With expansion of urban area, more dependency on groundwater sources may increase the pollution level of sub-surface water.

- Use surface water of Arialkha and Palardi Rivers for supply water.
- Introduce rainwater-harvesting system.
- Reduce dependency on groundwater.
- Preserve surface water in ponds, khals, Beels, ditches and rivers for irrigation.

Noise Pollution and Mitigation: Although there is no data available on noise pollution of the study area, however, it seems that present noise level does not exceed the Bangladesh Standard. More noisy area may be the Bus Terminal area and Industrial and Market area. Hydraulic horn of buses and rickshaw bells are the main noise sources in the study area. However, some noises also generate during piling and construction works. Besides, welding workshops, saw mills, musical instruments and blacksmiths are also common sources of noise pollution in urban areas. With expansion of urban area, the noise pollution will be increased for increasing number of motor vehicles, market places, industries, etc.

- Stop using hydraulic horn in buses, trucks and other motor vehicles.
- Declare some areas like hospitals, schools, parks, etc. as silent zone.
- Control abnormally high noise from saw mill, old machines should be repaired or replaced.
- Foundation of machines should be specially prepared to reduce noise.
- Special type of silencer may be attached with the machines to reduce noise.
- Welding and blacksmith workshops can be fenced with glasses to protect the passersby from possible pollution effects.

- People constantly working in welding and blacksmith workshops should wear earplugs and glasses. Regular medical checkups can be carried out to identify possible health problems.

Air Pollution and Mitigation: Present climatic condition of the study area is sub-tropical monsoon. With the implementation of Master Plan this climatic condition is expected to continue if further global climatic change does not occur. However, rainfall may slightly decrease in the study area for cutting of trees and diminishing of green vegetation for urban development. Trees and green vegetation keep environment cool and enhance precipitation and rainfall. Temperature may remain same as present. Urban development keeping vegetation, plants, water bodies and new social forestation in homesteads, educational organizations, roads, embankment and parks will help maintain the climatic condition same as present.

Air-pollution is not a serious problem in the study area. Vehicular emission is also insignificant in the area. Industries are the main sources of air pollution. However, the air pollution will be increased in near future with increase of motor vehicles and industries. With the implementation of Master Plan more industrial zones will be developed which will also induce air pollution in the study area.

- Use catalytic converter in buses, trucks, taxis and tempos.
- Use CNG instead of petrol and diesel.
- Impose ban on movement of sand carrying trucks and conservancy vehicles during office period.

Loss of Biodiversity and Mitigation: Urbanization like roads, infrastructure development, housing, commercial places, industrialization, etc. will replace the existing natural green environment to man made environment. Trees will be cut down, water bodies will be filled up and polluted; sugarcane, paddy, banana, papaya and vegetable production will be reduced and mango garden and bush will disappear for urban expansion in new area. Wild animals, birds and fishes will lose their habitats and as a result a big loss of biodiversity will happen for urban expansion.

- Avoid critical ecological area and refugee sites from development activities.
- Aware people for keeping some trees and bushes around the homesteads.
- Increase tree plantation in roadsides and homesteads.
- Preserve the Beels for aquatic birds and fishes and some bush areas as wildlife preservation sites.

Parasitic Diseases and Mitigation: Parasitic diseases like dengue, malaria and filaria are not common in the project area. However, with the expansion of urban area, the prevalence of these diseases may increase in the project area. During last 3 to 4 years, the country faces dengue problem although this problem was negligible. This problem may happen also in the Paurashava for increasing urbanization and industrialization.

- Regular mosquito eradication program in the project area.
- Dengue carrying mosquitoes live in fresh water of tire, cans, bottles and flower tubs. Segregation of old tires; cans and bottles are required before dumping.

- Remove additional water of flower-tubs and refrigerator cans regularly.
- Improve drainage system and remove waterlogged areas in the project.
- Regular cleaning of drain and removal of water hyacinth and other aquatic plants are required from ponds, ditches, khals and Beels.
- Use mosquito net during sleeping at both night and daytime.
- Increase people's awareness on parasitic diseases and mosquito control.

12.8.2 Protection Plan Addressing Regular Hazards

- Most of the natural canals and water courses will be preserved and maintained. The ponds larger than 0.3 acres should be preserved as a water reservoir.
- To protect northern and southern part from annual flood, a road cum embankment including two sluice gates will be needed and these will be controlled by the Water Development Board.
- For the removal of drainage congestion, sufficient number of bridges and culverts should be provisioned during construction of roads.
- Indiscriminate land filling for expansion and construction of residential areas and buildings should be controlled with the imposition of agriculture policy.

12.8.3 Protection Plan Addressing Encroachment and Other relevant issues

- As a measure of protection from encroachment restrictive buffer zone will be created on both sides of natural canals, rivers and other watercourses (if necessary). Walkways and plantation will be needed for the protection of those buffer zones.
- Formation of appropriate legislation on solid waste management will be necessary. People encroaches canal and river through dumping of solid wastes. Encroachment on road, canal and river should be removed as early as possible with the formation of joined collaboration committee. This committee may be formed with the members from Paurashava, LGED, RHD and WDB.
- Using of waste as an unutilized resource and assisting in recycling of waste for conservation of resources and protection of environment.
- Introduces environmental education especially sanitary habits in school curriculum.

12.9 Plan Implementation Strategies

12.9.1 Regulations to Implement the Drainage and Flood Plan

The regulations which will be needed for the implement of drainage and flood plan are:

1. Section 3 of the **Acquisition and Requisition of Immovable Property Ordinance, 1982** is needed for acquisition of land in view to construct environmental components. The authority, according to the demand, will apply to the Deputy Commissioner for such acquisition.
2. Section 4 of the **Conservation of Environment Act, 1995** have prescribed duties and responsibilities of the Director. Most of those responsibilities are on the control of pollution.

3. Section 5 of the **Playfield, Open space, Garden and Natural Tank in Urban Areas Preservation Act, 2000** will be needed for the preservation of playfield, garden, open space and natural tank of the Paurashava.
4. Section 28 (1, 2 and 3) of the **Forest Act, 1927** has prescribed regulations on village forest, which is necessary for the formation of village / Paurashava forest.
5. **Water Hyacinth Act, 1936** was enacted for preventing the spread of water hyacinth in Bangladesh and for its destruction. It is said in the section 5 that, no person shall grow or cultivate water hyacinth in any garden or in any ornamental water or receptacle. Again, according to the section 8(1) said, with a view to facilitating the discovery or destruction of water hyacinth, an Authorized Officer may, subject to any rules made under this Act, by a notice served in the prescribed manner, direct an occupier of any land, premises or water within a notified area to cause-
 - (a) any branches of trees or shrubs on any such land or premises which overhang the edge of any river, stream, waterway, ditch, marsh, bil, lake, tank, pond, pool or pit to be cut back and any undergrowth or jungle thereon to be removed from such edge, within a distance specified in the notice, or
 - (b) any vegetation appearing above the surface of any such water to be removed from the water, within such period as may be specified in the notice.
6. Section 7 of the **Water Resources Planning Ordinance, 1992** will be needed for the development of water resources available in the Paurashava.

12.9.2 Implementation, Monitoring, Evaluation and Coordination of the Plan

Implementation through Multi-Sectoral Investment Programme: Major infrastructure development works such as primary roads, water supply, drainage, etc., will largely be controlled by the Government. Public works requires efficient co-ordination through the Multi-Sectoral Investment Programme (MSIP).

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Implementation by Facilitating Private Investment: Another approach that would be taken by government toward plan implementation will be to guide and facilitate investments made by the private sector. Government can achieve this with relative ease and at very low cost by setting up a legal and operational framework, coupled with suitable incentives, to facilitate land consolidation, plot boundary readjustment, efficient lay out of plots and provision of local infrastructure by the private sector. The benefits of this approach would be:

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For implementation of the various programme components of the Urban Area Plan appropriate administrative measures will have to be undertaken. This will essentially

include project preparation and monitoring of their execution and evaluation. For carrying out all these activities appropriate institutional measures are also be needed.

Evaluation

Monitoring and evaluation of on going and implemented projects is essential to keep the future course of action on the right track. An on going project should be regularly monitored and handicaps identified to enable taking appropriate measures at the right time.

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Co-ordination

A Planning Section of Paurashava should have close interaction with the citizen of Paurashava at large in order to make people aware of the benefits of a good plan and, therefore, their social responsibility to promote plan implementation in one hand and also resist contraventions on the other. A specific interactive cell is recommended to operate in this regard with following responsibilities:

- Provide pre-application advice to residents, consultants and developers about landuse management issues and application procedures for the submission of development applications.
- Enforce planning and landuse management related legislation and zoning scheme regulations.
- Issue of property zoning certificates.
- Investigate and resolve landuse management complaints, illegal landuse and prosecuting contraventions.

Such interactive windows may be opened in various convenient locations to ensure ease of the answers to commonly asked questions may be shown in the internet. Besides, those may be shown in the print and electronic media time to time.

In spontaneous areas, while all out people's co-operation is needed for project implementation; there will also be some elements of negotiation. Negotiation will be particularly needed in case of road widening projects. It will be a crucial task for Paurashava to convince the affected people to give up their land for road use. Efforts should be made to convince the land owners on the ground of enhancement of property value due to road widening. In case people refuse to offer land free of cost necessary arrangements may have to be made for payment of compensation. This process of negotiation will be very critical, cumbersome and time consuming, and therefore, has to be handled with utmost care and patience. The best results can be accrued only by wining people's confidence. In case the authority fails to get peoples co-operation they should

exercise power of compulsory acquisition of land. Attempts may be made to engage NGOs / CBOs to work as catalysts in negotiation.

CHAPTER-13

PLAN FOR URBAN SERVICES

13.0 Introduction

Sensible urban planning is critical to the healthy growth of cities. Unplanned growth leads a number of problems, creating misery for urban dwellers and making remedying of those difficulties. Yet flawed urban planning is little better, or perhaps worse, than no urban planning at all. It is thus important, when taking on such an enormous task as the drafting of an Urban Area Plan for a Paurashava, to ensure that the plan is well considered and likely to be conducive to good health and well-being of the urban dwellers.

13.1 Range and Content of the Urban Services

The Plan for Urban Services covers planning area of Kaliakair Paurashava for a ten years time-frame (from 2011 to 2021). It also comprises a report and maps.

The Plan concern where services will be located (expected development). It also indicates how the Structure Plan policies will govern the areas and the standard for services calculated (based on the population forecast).

Outline of the Plan gives guidance to the Paurashava how the urban services will be developed and be promoted, maintained with a coordinated manner.

The Plan has been divided into five main parts i.e. existing condition and demand of the services, implementation strategies, proposal, regulations needed for establishment and management of the services, monitoring and evaluation of the plan. Water supply, sewerage facility, electricity, telephone and gas supply are the major concern of this plan.

13.2 Analysis of Existing Condition and Demand of the Services

13.2.1 Introduction

The Paurashava is too poor in development of urban services. With the development of physical condition of the Paurashava, substantial development will be needed for those services. Drinking water supply, sewerage and sanitation facilities and dumping of solid wastes should be emphasized as primary consideration. All the people are(except 0.5%) dependent on hand tubewell for drinking water. Absence of solid waste dumping ground creates health hazards. Absence of covered drain and sewerage system creates sanitation problem in the Paurashava. Those problems should be removed through the proper planning and design.

13.2.2 Analysis and Projection on Existing and Proposed Urban Services

Water Supply:Water supply network is not available in the Paurashava area. Water supply network is not available in the Paurashava area. 100% of the households are using hand tube wells and deep tube wells as main source of water supply for drinking and cooking purpose. 90% of the residents use pond water for washing and bathing purpose. As there is no pipedwater supply provision by KotchandpurPaurashava authority, the households themselves establish electric motor instead of hand tube well for piped water supply to meet individual water demand.

Map 13.1: Existing Urban Services

Electricity:The Rural Electrification Board (REB) at present is providing electricity facility within Paurashava area. There is no existing substation within the Paurashava or even in the entire Kotchandpur Upazila. Electric poles of different sizes exist in the study area to carry HT and LT line and the total number of poles is 1030.

Telecommunication:There is a telephone exchange having a capacity of 75 lines maintained by Bangladesh Telecommunication Company Limited (BTCL) in the Paurashava area with 60 telephone poles. At present there are nearly 30 land telephone users in the area. There are also mobile phone networks of GrameenPhone, Robi, Citycell, Banglalink, Airtel and Teletalk with 10 mobile towers, which cover the entire study area.

Gas supply:Gas supply is not available in the entire Paurashava area. Few households have been found using Liquid Petroleum Gas (LPG) for domestic purpose. There are few LPG retail shops within the Paurashava area serving the local demands.

Other urban services: Waste transfer station, dumping site, slaughter house, water treatment plant, public toilet should be considered as urban services.

Projection

The projection of utility service depends on the population growth and need assessment of the Paurashava inhabitants. After completion of population projection it is found that, population of the planning area will be 44573 in the year 2031. Projection on utility services also depends on present condition of urban services and future demand of those services.

Demand analysis:Existing utility facilities of the Paurashava are not sufficient and established without following any standard. Therefore, Team Leaders of all packages and urban planners from Project Management Office (PMO) have worked out and prepared different standards for projection of future facilities as per the requirement of Paurashava. Following of those standards have been considered for the future demand with ensuring the quality and quantity of utility facilities.

Table 13.1: Standard of utility facilities and future need

Facility	Standard	Existing Facility (acre)	Requirement (acre) upto 2031	Proposed Facility including Existing (acre, 2031)
Drainage	As per requirement	-	-	-
Water supply	1.00 acre/ 20,000 population	0.00	2.23	0.60
Gas Station	1.00 acre/ 20,000 population	-	2.23	0.00
Solid waste disposal	4-10 acres/ Upazila HQ	0.00	4.00	2.64
Waste transfer station	0.25 acres/ per transfer station	-	-	1.22
Electric sub-station	1.00 acre/ 20,000 population	0.18	2.23	0.18
Telephone exchange	.5 acre/ 20,000 population	0.19	1.12	0.19
Fuel station	.5 acre/ 20,000 population	0.20	1.12	0.20
Slaughter House	As per requirement	-	-	0.27
Public toilet and others				2.76
Total		0.57	12.93	8.06

13.3 Proposals for Addressing Urban Services and Implementation Strategies

13.3.1 Introduction

Following strategies will be followed for implementation urban services in the planning area:

- Cost for service development will be promoted in phases, based on comprehensive plan for the demarcated entire Paurashava areas. This process will reduce cost.
- Some areas will be targeted as new urban areas where urbanization is likely to be rapid and imminent.
- Except waste disposal all other services (Water Supply, Sewerage, Electricity, telephone and Gas) will be provided by the concerned service giving agencies.

Water supply: Location of **water treatment plant** may be on a large plot (on 0.30 acres of land) with good access, close to source of water. It should be located upstream of any polluting development. **Water reservation tanks** may be constructed on medium size plot in key locations throughout the Paurashava, preferably in an elevated positioning relation to the area it is intended to serve, so as to maintain / increase pressure. The kapatakkaha river has silted and not suitable for use as a source of surface water but government has policy to draigging the river. So, for future an area of 1.51 acres at ward 4 and Ward 6 has preserved for surface water treatment plant beside Kapatakkha river.

Sewerage facilities: Location of **sewerage treatment plant** may be on large plot (on 0.30 acres of land), preferably on outskirts of the Paurashava. Sewerage pumping station may be located on small plots throughout the Paurashava and a system should be introduced.

Electricity: Existing **Electricity power station** may be developed into **132/33KV switching station**. These can be accommodated on the plots they serve (industries) or in road corridors.

Telephone: There is a **telephone exchange** for the Paurashava. So there is no need of additional land for this service.

Gas supply: The standard for **gas manifold station**, may be located on small to medium sized plot (on 0.30 acres of land) on the main ring. **Upazila regulator station** may be located on small plots throughout the Paurashava. These will be located at the break-off point on the main line, where smaller diameter spurs extend into the area that the gas will serve.

13.3.2 Proposals for Urban Services

For existing urban services, the Paurashava will need to establish a communication with each of the appropriate implementing agencies the following:

- Which of the existing services run, not currently in road corridors, could or should be relocated into road corridors to facilitate planned development bearing in mind the cost implications of doing this?
- The corridor reservations that should be applied to the service networks that cannot be moved.

- The means of establishing and maintaining these reservations, free from other development.
- For future expansions of the networks (in case of sewerage, possibly a new network), the Paurashava will need to establish with the appropriate implementing agency what the future requirements are, so that reservations can be applied and maintained. The Paurashava will need as part of this process:
- Try to ensure that secondary, tertiary and where possible primary networks are located within existing or proposed road corridors to minimize the requirement for separate land reservations. In most cases, it is known that this can be achieved. The likely exception will be primary electricity networks. The scale of this will demand separate land reservations.
- Where this cannot be achieved, agree with the relevant agency about the size of the reservation required, its alignment and approximate time-scale of implementation.
- To adopt the agreed reservation and ensure that it is maintained. When development applications are received which impinge upon this reservation, the Paurashava should not permit the development within the reservation, but ensure that it will be made to setback to the limit of the reservation.

Types of urban services that will need to be considered within the Paurashava are indicated below:

Electricity:Primary networks; principally 132KV, pylon supported power lines from the existing power stations which will enter the Paurashava at purpose built switching stations. The switching stations will usually be located at the fringe of the Paurashava. **Secondary networks;** 33KV or 11KV pole mounted power lines, although in cases the 33KV lines can also be pylon mounted. The 33KV lines will originate at the above mentioned switching station and supply power around the Paurashava to smaller switching stations at key locations around the Paurashava where they will be down-sized to 11KV. These, in turn, will supply power to more localized electricity sub-stations. The pole mounted lines can be located within principle road corridors (primary and district distributors). Pylon mounted lines should be allocated their own reserve. **Tertiary networks;** at the localized sub-stations, the 11KV power will be down-sized for distribution to individual premises. Power leaving these sub-stations is usually carried by 415V pole mounted lines. These can be accommodated within road corridors.

Water supply: Within all road area there should be provision of installation of water supply network and about 0.30 acres of land has earmarked for office or relevant activity.

Sewerage facilities: If a sewerage network were to be installed, the sewerage originating throughout the Paurashava would be carried by means of underground pipes and culverts. These should be accommodated within road reserves.

Telephone: Telephone exchange lines can be either overhead, pole mounted or underground using newer Optical Fiber Cables. Both of these are carried to localized exchanges and then onto small roadside exchanges. From these connections are carried on poles to individual premises. All networks can be accommodated within road reserves.

Gas supply: All gas line will be supplied by varying diameter underground pipes. These can be accommodated in road reserves.

Other urban services: Waste transfer station, dumping site, slaughter house, water treatment plant, public toilet should be considered as urban services which are described in land use plan chapter-10.

13.3.3 Regulations to Address the Proposals

Local Government (Paurashava) Ordinance, 2009 (Ordinance No. XLXVIII of 2009) was enacted in 6th October 2009. According to the 2nd Schedule, Sl. No. 10, the Paurashava may provide supply of wholesome water sufficient for public and private purposes. Frame and execute water supply scheme for the construction and maintenance of such works for storage and distribution of water. In case of private sources of water supply, it is said that, all private sources of water supply within the Paurashava shall be subject to control, regulation and inspection by the Paurashava. No new well, water pump or any other source of water for drinking purposes shall be dug, constructed or provided except with the sanction of the Paurashava.

The regulations, as discussed above, will be needed for provisioning of drinking water supply both Paurashava and private sources in the Paurashava.

The sewerage facilities may be provided by the Paurashava and Directorate of Public Health Engineering (DPHE). According to the 2nd Schedule, Sl. No. 12, of the Local Government (Paurashava) Ordinance, 2009, Paurashava may provide an adequate system of public drains and all such drains shall be constructed, maintained, kept, cleared and emptied with due regard to the health and convenience of the public. All private drains shall be subject to control, regulation and inspection by the Paurashava.

Map 13.2: Proposed Urban Services

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Based on the regulation, the Directorate of Public Health Engineering (DPHE) is performing activities for drinking water supply. If DPHE likes to render their service according to the water supply network as presented in this plan, the regulation will be the safeguard for them.

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CHAPTER-14

WARD ACTION PLAN

Mere preparation of Ward Action Plan will not be sufficient due to resource constraint. Securing Right of Way (ROW) for circulation network and utility corridor needs huge funds which cannot be met from public exchequer. To minimize the cost of development Paurashava should involve the landowners in the development process. This can be achieved by declaring some of the developing corridors as concession for development through people's participation where landowners will become development partners and share the development cost through contribution of a portion of their land. Paurashava has to follow Ward Action Plan for those areas utilizing development techniques like Guided Land Development or Land Readjustment. Paurashava has to show strong determination and willingness as this is a very difficult task to accomplish involving hundreds of people. Paurashava has to increase its efficiency and do the work at the appropriate time.

14.1 Background

There are several patches of land in the Paurashava area where planned development can be achieved through use of different land development techniques. One of those techniques is Land Readjustment Technique, may be practiced for the development of Ward as a Ward Action Plan. The plan prepared for designated areas in conforming to the land development techniques is known as Action Area Plan.

It is also expected that following successful implementation of the Ward Action Plan in one side, management would be more efficient in handling projects and in another people residing in unplanned areas would feel the benefit of such Action Plan ensuring more effective community participation.

14.1.1 Content and Form of Ward Action Plan

The Ward Action Plan is the plot to plot details of the Master Plan. On that sense it is a micro-level physical development plan. The contents of the Ward Action Plan have been set in the following manner. Prior to plan making a background was set with respect to the demography of the area, where basic statistics of the demographic parameters were discussed. Next, the most critical planning issues were highlighted and reviewed that included, the problems associated with poor conditions of road and drainage, water supply, unplanned development, lack of threshold population. The plan was followed next after review of existing land used and infrastructure. The plan includes, proposed land use zoning, circulation network, drainage plan, municipal services development recommendations, education infrastructure development proposals. The Ward Action Plans were prepared ward wise and all the above issues were repeated for each ward.

14.1.2 Linkage with the Structure and Urban Area Plan

The Ward Action Plan for the Paurashava has been prepared on the basis of following principles relevant with the Structure Plan and Urban Area Plan:

- Environment friendly sustainable development of the area.
- Town functions to develop as per major land use zones.

- Effective drainage system through minimum hindrance to Flood Flow zones.
- Safe residential areas at proximity to place of work or major communication routes.
- Smooth and effective functioning of industries, specially agro-based industries.
- Safe yet faster connectivity.
- Develop to serve the surrounding hinterlands.

14.1.3 Approach and Methodology

For the preparation of Ward Action Plan the planning area has been sub-divided into Nine Planning Zones according to the individual Ward. Immediate necessary action will be required for Ward Action Plan and this is the key outcome of Ward Action Plan. Where, what type of action will be required and how the action will be performed prescribed in the plan.

Pro-people Urban Planning

The Ward Action Planning approach utilizes in the Paurashava Master Plan concentrating mainly on the building of infrastructure and roads to facilitate the movements of vehicles. In this scenario, Paurashava society would become steadily more privatized with private homes, offices and commercial activities, while all-important public component of urban life is likely to slowly disappear.

The landuse and transport interaction for a modern city should be directed toward “Planning for people, not for vehicles, roads or buildings”. Given the problems of alienation, crime, fear of strangers and the breakdown of civic life, it is increasingly important to make cities inviting so that people can meet their fellow citizens face-to-face and experience human contact with those unknown to and different from them directly through their senses. Public life in high quality public spaces is an important part of a democratic society and full life.

Evidence-based vs. Arbitrary Planning Approach

In the era of globalization, where information on any number of issues and about any number of places is readily accessible, there is no need for localities to continue making the same mistakes as they did when operating in an information and experience vacuum. While urban planning is of course a complicated process, it is also true that some universals exist in terms of what works and what does not. The experiences of urban areas adopting commercial-based and people-based approaches make clear the effects of either method, and many guides are now available on implementing planning approaches that are good for the natural environment and for urban dwellers.

Given the widespread availability of such information, it is highly regrettable that important landuse and transport policy-decisions should adopt either any knowledge-based or scientific analysis. Instead, arbitrary or so-called “common sense” approaches should not be utilized which may favour the rich, including bureaucrats and developers with little concern for the betterment of society overall.

Although, it is a demanding task to represent the complex dynamics of urban landuse changes that are consistent with observable data, significant progress has been made in recent years in the country in forecasting and evaluating landuse change on the basis of

dynamic and causal relationships between such factors as transport and landuse, and built environment and socio-economic processes.

With the advance of the knowledge-base and technology-base, detailed and extensive urban form and function data is becoming increasingly available, with great potential to provide new insights for sustainable urban planning which preserves the eco-system and maintains or even increases social equity.

Yet no attempt was made in the preparation of Upazila Master Plan / Landuse Plan (in 1980s) to conduct any analytical or empirical analysis using data related to interactions between the built environment, transport, landuse and other socio-economic processes.

Again, in Paurashava Master Plan, the Geographic Information System (GIS)-based technology is mainly used for mapping and visual displays, which are limited to static displays of past and current data sets. That is, the displays only portray the current state of the system, with neither the reasons given for its condition nor possible alternate futures provided. As a result, policymakers and planners are now facing tremendous difficulties, lacking as they do any insight into future urban growth and the potential impacts of various models.

Hypothetical Planning Approach under Upazila Master Plan / Landuse Plan, no comprehensive data collection exercise was undertaken to estimate landuse requirements for the Paurashava. As a result, all the landuse proposals of that plan were hypothetical in nature, providing no insight into how the actual landuse demand for various purposes will meet in future.

Yet it is not logical to develop a Ward Action Plan, which represents the lowest tier of the planning hierarchy, without providing precise landuse allocations for different functional purposes.

Furthermore, in the Paurashava Plan, a significant portion of existing open space and agriculture land have been allocated for private developers required as per the 2031 population projection. This excess land for property developers is likely not only to create landuse speculation but also indiscipline in future landuse development. More importantly, the preservation of land for open space and agriculture is vital for the health and viability of the Paurashava and its inhabitants.

14.2 Prioritization

Immediate action is being needed for the development of Wards. Those actions are presented here according to the priority:

1st Priority: Traffic Management and Engineering

- Improvement of intersections on the regional road, including a ranked program of roundabout construction and a reduced role and operation of Zebra Crossing.
- Removal of bus and non-motorized vehicles stops from junctions, restrictions.
- Better traffic police enforcement and additional resources.
- Adoption of design guidelines for road improvement and for parking and access arrangements in new developments.

- Priority for footpath reinstatement, signing of national standards and corrections to serious local road surface irregularities such as pole-bases.
- Enforcement of development control on the National Highway.

2nd Priority: Improvement of transport services

- Encouragement of higher quality bus services by allowing higher fares for such services at least from Kotchandpur to Dhaka.

3rd Priority: Improvement of drainage congestion

- Improvement of drainage congestion as specified in the drainage plan especially in the areas where the drainage congestion is high.
- Control indiscriminate earth filling which may hamper natural drainage system of the Paurashava.
- Construction of box culverts before road construction/expansion as specified in the drainage plan.
- Remove encroachment from the natural drainage like ponds and rivers.
- Control earth filling activities on natural canals outside the Paurashava boundary.

4th Priority: Rainwater harvesting

- The ponds indiscriminately located in the Paurashava and their size is not less than 0.3 acre is proposed for rainwater harvesting. At the sametime, solar energy may be produced using those proposed lands.
- Implementation of the above mentioned components will be selected as priority project. The priority project comprises all those works identified for implementation during the plan period. These are urgently needed to alleviate existing monsoon flooding and to prevent the risk of inundation. As a result of questionnaire survey to locate areas of flooding and discussions with Paurashava.
- The storm water drainage priority project includes the provision of adequately – sized silt traps, removal of obstructions. The major component of work is construction of missing-links to carry water from Paurashava Town Centre to the River.

14.3 Ward-wise Action Plan for Next Five Years

The priority mentioned in the Clause14.2 follows according to the Ward for next five years. Those priorities are the primary steps of development considering the year from 2014 to 2019. Possible ways of financing the Master Plan assumes that:

- Funds for construction of regional road and undertaking flood defense works will be obtained from GoB in the usual way and these will not be directly recovered from the beneficiaries in Paurashava.
- Funds for providing storm water drainage and construction of local road will be provided by loans for capital expenditure. These will be recovered from the Paurashava dwellers, primarily from taxes on property. Various loan conditions have been considered, the most onerous of which is GoB's standard on lending rate is 12.5% per annum interest, repayable over 20 years, including a 5-year grace period. It

has been assumed that maintenance costs are directly recovered through local taxation.

- The implementation of Master Plan component will require funding either from grant or from increased local taxes.

14.3.1 Action Plan for Ward No. 1

Existing Situation:

It is situated on the western part of the Paurashava, Kapatakkha River on the south and Ward No.2 on the east. This area is mainly peripheral area of the Paurashava. Development pressure is comparatively low. Total planning area of the Ward is 671.25 acres. Among the total planning area existing land uses are 496.87 acres for agricultural use, 109.68 acres residential, 3.63 acres commercial and others are in different category. At present total population of this area is 3322 person and in 2016 it will be 3579 person.

1) Development proposals of Ward-1:

Land useDevelopment: For planned development considering the existing land use and future demand land use proposal has made. Within the total area 18.01% land proposed for residential use, only 0.40% are commercial use 3.67% mixed use, 0.64% are education & research, 56.62% agricultural and others are in different category which are shown in the following table.

Table 14.1: Proposed landuse for Ward no-1

Sl. No	Landuse Type	Area(Acre)	Percentage
1.	Urban Residential Zone	120.89	18.01
2.	Commercial Zone	2.69	0.40
3.	Mixed Use Zone	24.61	3.67
4.	General Industrial Zone	3.06	0.46
5.	Government Offices	-	0.00
6.	Education and Research	4.31	0.64
7.	Agriculture Zone	380.05	56.62
8.	Water Body	39.77	5.92
9.	Open Space	26.20	3.90
10.	Circulation Network	42.15	6.28
11.	Transport & Communication	0.01	0.00
12.	Utility Service	3.36	0.50
13.	Health Services	19.00	2.83
14.	Community Facilities	5.16	0.77
15.	Recreational Facilities	-	0.00
16.	Urban Deferred	-	0.00
Total		671.25	100.00

The proposed facilities considering the demand of the ward were shown in the following table including phasing. The proposed facilities under differentcategory of land uses are also shown in the following table.

Table 14.2: proposed facilities for ward no -1

Proposed Facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area in Acre
Commercial Facility				
Super Market-1	1	Kotchandpur_046_01	369 part, 370 part, 371 part	0.53

Proposed Facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area in Acre
Open Space				
Community Park-1	1	Dudhsora_045_02	862-865, 867, 874, 875 part	3.07
Playground-1	1	Bhabanipur_043_00	421 part, 422 part, 423 part, 424 part, 435 part, 436 part, 437 part, 439 part, 440-443, 497 part, 451-452, 457, 458 part, 459 part, 503	3.79
Utility & Service Facility				
Dumping Site	1	Dudhsora_045_02	1000 part, 1007 part, 1008, 1009 part, 1011 part, 1081 part	2.64
Public Toilet-1	1	Dudhsora_045_01	305 part, 306 part	0.27
Pump House	1	Kotchandpur_046_01	356 part, 366 part, 367 part	0.09
Waste Transfer Station-1	1	Dudhsora_045_01	293 part, 294 part, 298, 300 part	0.67
Health Facilities				
Health Center	1	Dudhsora_045_02	740 part, 741-746, 776 part, 777 part, 778 part, 870-873, 876-880, 881 part, 889 part, 890-894, 895 part, 896-897, 989 part, 899 part, 900 part, 920-922, 925-929, 930 part, 931, 932 part,	19.00
Community Facilities				
Ward Center	1	Dudhsora_045_01	304 part	0.39
Cremation	1	Dudhsora_045_02	1074 part, 1078 part	0.43

2) Proposal for road development:

A total of 14.16 km road has proposed for road network development of this ward of which some are new and some are widening. Within all roads 4.02 km road will construct within 1st phase. Recommended road network are shown in the following table.

Table 14.3: Proposed road for ward no-1

Road ID	Width (feet)	Length (m)	Phase	Type
RP01	80	1556.38	1st	Widening
RS04	60	579.90	1st	Widening
RS64	40	131.28	1st	Widening
RL144	30	219.98	1st	Widening
RL116	30	644.67	1st	Widening
RL117	30	713.25	1st	Widening
RA158	20	170.62	1st	Widening
RS11	60	459.29	2nd	Widening
RS40	40	605.06	2nd	New
RS40	40	346.96	2nd	Widening
RL140	30	2904.60	2nd	New
RL143	30	410.00	2nd	Widening
RL111	30	287.52	2nd	Widening
RL118	30	371.20	2nd	Widening
RL120	30	539.76	2nd	Widening
RL151	30	196.76	2nd	Widening
RL139	30	3.27	2nd	New
RA177	20	185.10	2nd	Widening
RA172	20	122.23	2nd	Widening
RS62	40	557.83	3rd	New
RS65	40	1052.04	3rd	New
RS51	40	215.24	3rd	Widening
RS68	40	438.86	3rd	New
RL110	30	113.49	3rd	Widening

Road ID	Width (feet)	Length (m)	Phase	Type
RL145	30	144.52	3rd	Widening
RL119	30	226.26	3rd	Widening
RL146	30	67.77	3rd	Widening
RA174	20	232.69	3rd	Widening
RA156	20	92.07	3rd	Widening
RA175	20	138.42	3rd	Widening
RA157	20	83.20	3rd	Widening
RA176	20	78.70	3rd	Widening
RA170	20	136.81	3rd	Widening
RA171	20	130.73	3rd	Widening
Total 14.16 Km(14156.46 Meter)				

3) Proposal for drainage development:

A total of 14.11 km drain has proposed for drainage network development of this ward of which almost all are new. Within all drains 3.98 km drain will construct within 1st phase. Recommended drains are shown in the following table.

Table 14.4: Proposed drainage for ward no-1

Drain ID	Type	Length (m)	Phase
PD01	Primary	1516.19	1st
PD04	Primary	579.37	1st
PD64	Primary	134.59	1st
TD116	Tertiary	644.67	1st
TD117	Tertiary	713.25	1st
TD144	Tertiary	219.98	1st
TD158	Tertiary	170.62	1st
SD11	Secondary	458.40	2nd
SD40	Secondary	607.40	2nd
SD40	Secondary	346.96	2nd
TD111	Tertiary	160.22	2nd
TD111	Tertiary	119.79	2nd
TD118	Tertiary	371.20	2nd
TD120	Tertiary	539.76	2nd
TD140	Tertiary	2708.19	2nd
TD140	Tertiary	183.34	2nd
TD143	Tertiary	410.00	2nd
TD151	Tertiary	206.63	2nd
TD172	Tertiary	122.23	2nd
TD177	Tertiary	185.10	2nd
SD51	Secondary	227.10	3rd
SD62	Secondary	557.83	3rd
SD65	Secondary	1052.04	3rd
SD68	Secondary	438.86	3rd
TD110	Tertiary	113.49	3rd
TD119	Tertiary	226.26	3rd
TD145	Tertiary	144.52	3rd
TD146	Tertiary	67.77	3rd
TD156	Tertiary	92.07	3rd
TD157	Tertiary	83.20	3rd
TD170	Tertiary	136.81	3rd
TD171	Tertiary	130.73	3rd
TD174	Tertiary	232.69	3rd
TD175	Tertiary	138.42	3rd
TD176	Tertiary	78.70	3rd
Total		14118.38	

Map 14.1: Landuse Proposal for Ward No. 01

Map 14.2: Proposed Road, Drainage and Utility Services Plan for Ward No. 01

14.3.2 Action Plan for Ward No. 2

Existing Situation:

It is situated on the north-west part of the Paurashava, Ward 01 on the west and Ward No.3 on the east. This area is mainly built up area and a major portion of core area consisting by this ward. Development pressure is comparatively high. Total planning area of the Ward is 258.10 acres. Among the total planning area existing land uses are 129.40 acres for agricultural use, 83.43 acres residential, 8.94 acres commercial and others are in different category. At present total population of this area is 5442 person and in 2016 it will be 5863 person.

1) Development proposals of Ward-2:

Land useDevelopment: For planned development considering the existing landuse and future demand land use proposal has made. Within the total area 26.56% land proposed for residential use, 2.40% are commercial use, 1.88% industrial and others are in different category which is shown in the following table.

Table 14.5: Proposed land use for Ward no-2

Sl. No	Landuse Type	Area(Acre)	Percentage
1.	Urban Residential Zone	68.55	26.56
2.	Commercial Zone	6.19	2.40
3.	Mixed Use Zone	28.84	11.18
4.	General Industrial Zone	4.85	1.88
5.	Government Offices	0.29	0.11
6.	Education and Research	4.23	1.64
7.	Agriculture Zone	88.54	34.30
8.	Water Body	2.74	1.06
9.	Open Space	11.10	4.30
10.	Circulation Network	31.00	12.01
11.	Transport & Communication	0.85	0.33
12.	Utility Service	0.01	0.01
13.	Health Services	5.98	2.32
14.	Community Facilities	4.93	1.91
15.	Recreational Facilities	-	0.00
16.	Urban Deferred	-	0.00
Total		258.10	100.00

The proposed facilities considering the demand of the ward were shown in the following table including phasing. The proposed facilities under different category of land uses arealso shown in the following table.

Table 14.6: Proposed facilities for ward no -2

Proposed Facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area in Acre
Transportation				
Tempo Stand-1	2	Kotchandpur_046_01	200	0.29
Tempo Stand-2	2	Kotchandpur_046_02	505 part, 507 part	0.07
Open Space				
Community Park-2	2	Kotchandpur_046_01	2 part, 3-6, 9 part	1.48
Community Park-3	2	Kotchandpur_046_01	113, 114 part, 115 part, 116 part, 117 part, 118 part, 121 part, 141 part, 142 part, 143, 147	4.71
Playground-2	2	Kotchandpur_046_02	470-473, 474 part, 478 part, 479-480	2.66
Shisu Park	2	Kotchandpur_046_02	474, 475-477, 478 part	2.25
Community Facilities				
Community Center	2	Kotchandpur_046_01	2 part, 7-8, 9 part, 10	2.52
Ward Center	2	Kotchandpur_046_01	146, 151 part	0.30

2) Proposal of road development:

A total of 6.86 km road has proposed for road network development of this ward of which some are new and some are widening. Within all roads only 3.15 km road will construct within 1st phase. Recommended road network are shown in the following table.

Table 14.7: Proposed road for ward no-2

Road ID	Width (feet)	Length (m)	Phase	Type
RP01	80	1178.57	1st	Widening
RS04	60	252.74	1st	Widening
RS16	60	10.94	1st	Widening
RS27	40	0.43	1st	Widening
RS63	40	318.45	1st	Widening
RS43	40	352.50	1st	Widening
RL87	30	522.97	1st	Widening
RL88	30	204.74	1st	Widening
RL112	30	169.47	1st	Widening
RA159	20	140.97	1st	Widening
RA178	20	291.48	1st	Widening
RS11	60	538.52	2nd	Widening
RS31	40	116.46	2nd	Widening
RS40	40	82.48	2nd	New
RS55	40	335.01	2nd	New
RL149	30	666.37	2nd	New
RL151	30	9.88	2nd	Widening
RL150	30	592.71	2nd	Widening
RA161	20	158.62	2nd	Widening
RS79	40	310.27	3rd	New
RS72	40	315.44	3rd	New
RA160	20	124.43	3rd	Widening
RA162	20	166.20	3rd	Widening
Total 6.8 Km(6859.65 Meter)				

3) Proposal for drainage development:

A total of 7.04 km drain has proposed for drainage network development of this ward of which almost all are new. Within all drains 3.60 km drain will construct within 1st phase. Recommended drains are shown in the following table.

Table 14.8: Proposed drainage for ward no-2

Drain ID	Type	Length (m)	Phase
PD01	Primary	1183.56	1st
PD04	Primary	254.38	1st
SD43	Secondary	352.50	1st
SD63	Secondary	480.00	1st
TD87	Tertiary	462.58	1st
TD87	Tertiary	66.88	1st
TD88	Tertiary	204.74	1st
TD112	Tertiary	169.47	1st
TD159	Tertiary	140.97	1st
TD178	Tertiary	291.48	1st
SD11	Secondary	297.60	2nd
SD11	Secondary	246.71	2nd
SD31	Secondary	120.74	2nd
SD40	Secondary	80.14	2nd
SD55	Secondary	339.22	2nd
TD149	Tertiary	666.37	2nd
TD150	Tertiary	592.71	2nd
TD161	Tertiary	158.62	2nd
SD72	Secondary	319.61	3rd
SD79	Secondary	320.37	3rd
TD160	Tertiary	124.43	3rd
TD162	Tertiary	166.20	3rd
Total 7.39 Km(7039.28 Meter)			

Map 14.3: Landuse Proposal of Ward No. 02

Map 14.4: Proposed Road, Drainage and Utility Services Plan for Ward No. 02

14.3.3 Action Plan for Ward No. 3

Existing Situation:

It is situated on the middle part of the Paurashava, Ward 04 on the south and Ward No.2 on the west. This area is mainly core area of the Paurashava. Development pressure is comparatively High. Total planning area of the Ward is 215.25 acres. Among the total planning area existing land uses are 32.55 acres for agricultural use, 115.52 acres residential, 23.55 acres commercial and others are in different category. At present total population of this area is 3690 person and in 2016 it will be 3975 person.

1) Proposals and Plans for Ward No. 3

Land useDevelopment:For planned development considering the existing land use and future demand land use proposal has made. Within the total area 39.58% land proposed for residential use, 8.78% are commercial use, 9.53% mixed use, 14.31% agricultural and others are in different category which is shown in the following table.

Table 14.9: Proposed land use for Ward no-3

Sl. No	Landuse Type	Area(Acre)	Percentage
1.	Urban Residential Zone	85.20	39.58
2.	Commercial Zone	18.89	8.78
3.	Mixed Use Zone	20.51	9.53
4.	General Industrial Zone	0.25	0.12
5.	Government Offices	3.87	1.80
6.	Education and Research	2.01	0.93
7.	Agriculture Zone	30.80	14.31
8.	Water Body	14.29	6.64
9.	Open Space	1.15	0.54
10.	Circulation Network	34.18	15.88
11.	Transport & Communication	0.30	0.14
12.	Utility Service	0.54	0.25
13.	Health Services	-	0.00
14.	Community Facilities	2.89	1.34
15.	Recreational Facilities	0.37	0.17
16.	Urban Deferred	-	0.00
Total		215.25	100.00

The proposed facilities considering the demand of the ward were shown in the followingtable including phasing. The proposed facilities under differentcategory of land uses are also shown in the following table.

Table 14.10: proposed facilities for ward no -3

Proposed Facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area in Acre
Commercial Facility				
Poura Supper Market	3	Kotchandpur_046_02	950 part, 951, 1557 part	0.31
Transportation				
Tempo Stand-3	3	Kotchandpur_046_02	1203 part, 1204 part	0.30
Utility & Service Facility				
Public Toilet-2	3	Kotchandpur_046_02	1037 part	0.08
Waste TransferStation-2	3	Kotchandpur_046_02	1023 part, 1040 part	0.18
Community Facilities				
Ward Center	3	Kotchandpur_046_02	1422 part	0.26

2) Proposal for road development:

A total of 10.30 km road has proposed for road network development of this ward of which some are new and some are widening. Within all roads only 5.44 km road will construct within 1st phase. Recommended road network are shown in the following table.

Table 14.11: Proposed road for ward no-3

Road ID	Width (feet)	Length (m)	Phase	Type
RP01	80	475.20	1st	Widening
RS04	60	781.17	1st	Widening
RS16	60	246.98	1st	Widening
RS24	40	599.09	1st	Widening
RS25	40	719.51	1st	Widening
RS27	40	505.17	1st	Widening
RS58	40	151.45	1st	Widening
RS33	40	24.39	1st	Widening
RS63	40	161.55	1st	Widening
RS41	40	400.68	1st	Widening
RS64	40	3.31	1st	Widening
RS80	40	175.47	1st	Widening
RS19	40	81.25	1st	Widening
RL81	30	550.58	1st	Widening
RL82	30	389.14	1st	Widening
RL83	30	155.52	1st	Widening
RL87	30	10.89	1st	Widening
RA168	20	4.15	1st	Widening
RS06	60	526.99	2nd	Widening
RS30	40	219.29	2nd	Widening
RS31	40	4.28	2nd	Widening
RS32	40	137.15	2nd	Widening
RS73	40	42.23	2nd	New
RS55	40	4.20	2nd	New
RS75	40	371.82	2nd	Widening
RS74	40	441.49	2nd	Widening
RL122	30	164.44	2nd	Widening
RL124	30	13.11	2nd	Widening
RL139	30	528.40	2nd	New
RA163	20	166.73	2nd	Widening
RL23	40	123.31	3rd	Widening
RL26	40	31.87	3rd	Widening
RL28	40	125.36	3rd	Widening
RL29	40	154.41	3rd	Widening
RL57	40	47.86	3rd	Widening
RL60	40	1.83	3rd	Widening
RL72	40	4.17	3rd	New
RL66	40	343.37	3rd	New
RL84	30	265.87	3rd	Widening
RL85	30	70.85	3rd	Widening
RL86	30	179.09	3rd	Widening
RL89	30	143.08	3rd	Widening
RL90	30	72.28	3rd	Widening
RL91	30	157.05	3rd	Widening
RL121	30	346.50	3rd	Widening
RA164	20	179.88	3rd	Widening
Total 10.30 Km(10302.41Meter)				

3)Proposal for drainage development:

A total of 10.12 km drain has proposed for drainage network development of this ward of which almost all are new. Within all roads 5.30 km drain will construct within 1st phase. Recommended drains are shown in the following table.

Table 14.12: Proposed drainage for ward no-3

Drain ID	Type	Length (m)	Phase
PD01	Primary	474.09	1st
PD04	Primary	779.14	1st
SD16	Secondary	257.92	1st
SD19	Secondary	80.64	1st
SD24	Secondary	599.09	1st
SD25	Secondary	727.32	1st
SD27	Secondary	505.59	1st
SD41	Secondary	400.68	1st
SD58	Secondary	152.63	1st
SD80	Secondary	222.65	1st
TD81	Tertiary	550.58	1st
TD82	Tertiary	389.14	1st
TD83	Tertiary	155.52	1st
SD06	Secondary	532.85	2nd
SD30	Secondary	219.29	2nd
SD32	Secondary	137.15	2nd
SD74	Secondary	441.49	2nd
SD75	Secondary	371.85	2nd
TD122	Tertiary	164.44	2nd
TD139	Tertiary	532.40	2nd
TD163	Tertiary	166.73	2nd
SD23	Secondary	123.31	3rd
SD26	Secondary	33.11	3rd
SD28	Secondary	125.36	3rd
SD29	Secondary	154.41	3rd
SD57	Secondary	47.86	3rd
SD66	Secondary	352.79	3rd
TD84	Tertiary	265.87	3rd
TD85	Tertiary	70.85	3rd
TD86	Tertiary	179.09	3rd
TD89	Tertiary	143.08	3rd
TD90	Tertiary	72.28	3rd
TD91	Tertiary	157.19	3rd
TD121	Tertiary	346.50	3rd
TD164	Tertiary	179.88	3rd
Total 10.11Km(10112.77Meter)			

Map 14.5: Landuse Proposal of Ward No. 03

Map 14.6: Proposed Road, Drainage and Utility Services Plan for Ward No. 03

14.3.4 Action Plan for Ward No. 4

Existing Situation:

It is situated on the south-west part of the Paurashava, Kapatakkha River on the west and Ward No.3 on the north. This area is mainly part of core area and mainly built up area of the Paurashava. Development pressure is comparatively moderate. Total planning area of the Ward is 298.25 acres. Among the total planning area existing land uses are 164.87 acres residential, 7.08 acres commercial and others are in different category. At present total population of this area is 3936 person and in 2016 it will be 4240 person.

1)Development proposals of Ward-4:

LanduseDevelopment: For planned development considering the existing landuse and future demand landuse proposal has made. Within the total area 50.80% land proposed for residential use, 2.23 % is commercial use and others are in different categories which are shown in the following table.

Table 14.13: Proposed land use for Ward no-4

Sl. No	Landuse Type	Area(Acre)	Percentage
1.	Urban Residential Zone	151.52	50.80
2.	Commercial Zone	6.66	2.23
3.	Mixed Use Zone	26.12	8.76
4.	General Industrial Zone	2.27	0.76
5.	Government Offices	3.13	1.05
6.	Education and Research	11.88	3.98
7.	Agriculture Zone	-	0.00
8.	Water Body	18.32	6.14
9.	Open Space	4.05	1.36
10.	Circulation Network	43.05	14.43
11.	Transport & Communication	5.29	1.77
12.	Utility Service	2.45	0.82
13.	Health Services	-	0.00
14.	Community Facilities	3.42	1.15
15.	Recreational Facilities	-	0.00
16.	Urban Deferred	20.10	6.74
Total		298.25	100.00

The facilities considering the demand of the ward were shown in the following table including phasing. The proposed facilities under different category of land uses are also shown in the following table.

Table 14.14: proposed facilities for ward no-4

Proposed Facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area in Acre
Residential				
Planned Residential Area-1	4	Solemanpur_063_01	705-708, 712-718, 719 part, 732 part, 733-739, 746 part, 747 part	12.51
Planned Residential Area-2	4	Bajebamondaho_062_02	181 part, 182 part, 361	1.41

Commercial Facility				
Wholesale Market	4	Bajebamondaho_062_02	153 part, 155-156, 158, 159 part	2.53
		Solemanpur_063_01	848 part	
Transportation				
Bus Terminal	4	Solemanpur_063_01	676 part, 677 part, 678 part, 681 part, 682 part	1.78
Truck Terminal	4	Solemanpur_063_01	659 part, 692 part, 693 part	1.79
Loading/Unloading Area	4	Solemanpur_063_01	677 part, 689 part, 692 part	1.05
Educational Institution				
Poura Hight School	4	Bajebamondaho_62_02	206 part, 207 part, 209-210, 211 part, 212 part	2.02
Utility & Service Facility				
Slutter House	4	Solemanpur_063_01	4 part, 877 part	0.27
Surface Water Teatment Plant-1	4	Solemanpur_063_01	87-92	0.30
Urban Deffard				
Urban Defferd	4	Solemanpur_063_01	709-710, 737 part, 740 part	20.06
		Solemanpur_063_03	5001-5008	
		Solemanpur_063_04	7655-7678, 7792	
Community Facilities				
Ward Center	4	Solemanpur_063_01	152 part	0.19
Muktijoddha Complex	4	Solemanpur_064_01	696 part	0.58

2) Proposal for road development:

A total of 12.80 km road has proposed for road network development of this ward of which some are new and some are widening. Within all roads only 8.04 km road will construct within 1st phase. Recommended road network are shown in the following table.

Table 14.15: Proposed road for ward no-4

Road ID	Width (feet)	Length (m)	Phase	Type
RP01	80	1206.04	1st	Widening
RS02	60	661.28	1st	Widening
RS04	60	588.79	1st	Widening
RS17	60	20.58	1st	Widening
RS13	60	245.69	1st	Widening
RS18	60	276.94	1st	Widening
RS22	40	104.64	1st	Widening
RS25	40	49.88	1st	Widening
RS58	40	166.43	1st	Widening
RS33	40	276.86	1st	Widening
RS59	40	556.71	1st	Widening
RS37	40	651.34	1st	Widening
RS42	40	244.33	1st	New
RS19	40	744.18	1st	Widening
RS42	40	130.53	1st	Widening
RS42	40	81.44	1st	Widening
RL134	30	267.75	1st	Widening
RL113	30	850.08	1st	Widening
RL114	30	339.96	1st	Widening
RL123	30	364.51	1st	Widening
RL126	30	210.40	1st	Widening
RS03	60	520.66	2nd	Widening
RS50	40	310.42	2nd	Widening

Road ID	Width (feet)	Length (m)	Phase	Type
RL132	30	9.40	2nd	Widening
RL124	30	119.12	2nd	Widening
RL147	30	255.00	2nd	Widening
RL139	30	599.20	2nd	New
RA166	20	141.26	2nd	Widening
RS09	60	254.17	3rd	New
RS34	40	88.90	3rd	Widening
RS60	40	31.70	3rd	Widening
RS38	40	139.90	3rd	Widening
RS54	40	130.04	3rd	New
RL91	30	116.68	3rd	Widening
RL92	30	74.45	3rd	Widening
RL93	30	326.65	3rd	Widening
RL94	30	60.35	3rd	Widening
RL131	30	257.38	3rd	Widening
RL95	30	73.66	3rd	Widening
RL101	30	237.70	3rd	Widening
RL135	30	193.33	3rd	Widening
RL136	30	183.48	3rd	Widening
RL138	30	116.00	3rd	Widening
RL115	30	115.39	3rd	Widening
RL125	30	132.94	3rd	Widening
RL127	30	2.65	3rd	Widening
RL137	30	47.15	3rd	Widening
RL130	30	134.05	3rd	Widening
RA165	20	92.92	3rd	Widening
Total		12802.91		

3) Proposal for drainage development:

A total of 12.66 km drain has proposed for drainage network development of this ward of which almost all are new. Within all roads 7.94 km drain will construct within 1st phase. Recommended drains are shown in the following table.

Table 14.16: Proposed drainage for ward no-4

Drain ID	Type	Length (m)	Phase
PD01	Primary	1203.30	1st
PD02	Primary	661.28	1st
PD04	Primary	589.71	1st
PD18	Primary	277.47	1st
SD13	Secondary	245.69	1st
SD19	Secondary	377.09	1st
SD19	Secondary	352.37	1st
SD25	Secondary	48.34	1st
SD33	Secondary	301.25	1st
SD37	Secondary	682.90	1st
SD42	Secondary	244.33	1st
SD42	Secondary	115.89	1st
SD42	Secondary	107.59	1st
SD58	Secondary	165.25	1st
SD59	Secondary	556.71	1st
SD134	Secondary	267.75	1st
TD113	Tertiary	850.08	1st
TD114	Tertiary	339.96	1st
TD123	Tertiary	189.51	1st
TD123	Tertiary	156.48	1st
TD126	Tertiary	210.40	1st
SD03	Secondary	504.41	2nd
SD50	Secondary	310.42	2nd
TD124	Tertiary	132.23	2nd

Drain ID	Type	Length (m)	Phase
TD139	Tertiary	345.09	2nd
TD139	Tertiary	216.10	2nd
TD147	Tertiary	255.00	2nd
TD166	Tertiary	141.26	2nd
SD09	Secondary	245.55	3rd
SD34	Secondary	88.90	3rd
SD38	Secondary	147.00	3rd
SD54	Secondary	128.55	3rd
SD60	Secondary	33.53	3rd
TD91	Tertiary	116.54	3rd
TD92	Tertiary	74.45	3rd
TD93	Tertiary	326.65	3rd
TD94	Tertiary	60.35	3rd
TD95	Tertiary	73.66	3rd
TD101	Tertiary	242.50	3rd
TD115	Tertiary	115.39	3rd
TD125	Tertiary	132.94	3rd
TD130	Tertiary	134.05	3rd
TD131	Tertiary	257.38	3rd
TD135	Tertiary	193.33	3rd
TD136	Tertiary	183.48	3rd
TD137	Tertiary	47.15	3rd
TD138	Tertiary	116.00	3rd
TD165	Tertiary	92.92	3rd
Total 12.66 Km(12658.18)			

Map 14.7: Landuse Proposal of WardNo. 04

Map 14.8: Proposed Road, Drainage and Utility Services Plan for Ward No. 04

14.3.5 Action Plan for Ward No. 5

Existing Situation:

It is situated on the Southern part of the Paurashava, ward 04 on the west south and Ward No.9 on the east. This area is mainly peripheral area of the Paurashava. Development pressure is comparatively low. Total planning area of the Ward is 790.58 acres. Among the total planning area existing land uses are 661.22 acres for agricultural use, 97.21 acres residential, only 0.85 acres commercial and others are in different category. Total population of this area is 3768 person and in 2016 it will be 4059 person.

1)Development proposals of Ward-5:

Land useDevelopment: For planned development considering the existing land use and future demand land use proposal has made. Within the total area 16.87% land proposed for residential use, only 0.07% commercial use, 19.78% agricultural, 15.37% industrial and others are in different category which is shown in the following table.

Table14.17: Proposed land use for Ward no-5

Sl. No	Landuse Type	Area(Acre)	Percentage
1.	Urban Residential Zone	133.34	16.87
2.	Commercial Zone	0.56	0.07
3.	Mixed Use Zone	-	0.00
4.	General Industrial Zone	121.48	15.37
5.	Government Offices	-	0.00
6.	Education and Research	43.72	5.53
7.	Agriculture Zone	368.58	46.62
8.	Water Body	13.81	1.75
9.	Open Space	9.28	1.30
10.	Circulation Network	45.39	5.74
11.	Transport & Communication	0.56	0.07
12.	Utility Service	0.49	0.06
13.	Health Services	-	0.00
14.	Community Facilities	2.46	0.31
15.	Recreational Facilities	-	-
16.	Urban Deferred	49.92	6.31
Total		790.58	100.00

The facilities considering the demand of the ward were shown in the following tableincluding phasing. The proposed facilities under different category of land uses are also shown in the following table.

Table 14.18: Proposed facilities for ward no -5

Proposed Facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area in Acre
Residential				
Planned Residential Area-1	5	Solemanpur_063_01	743 part, 744-745, 755 part, 757-763, 764 part, 765 part, 768-774, 775 part, 777 part, 778-783, 784 part, 792 part, 793, 794 part	18.07
Low Income Housing Area	5	Solemanpur_063_03	5352 part, 5357-5259, 5360 part, 5361 part, 5362, 5379, 5380 part, 5381-5382, 5383 part, 5392 part, 5393, 5394 part, 5395 part, 5396 part,	6.52
Re-Settlement Residential Zone	5	Solemanpur_063_03	5396 part, 5397, 5398 part, 5492-5496, 5497 part, 5498	5.12

Proposed Facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area in Acre
			part, 6119 part	
Industrial				
General Industrial Zone	5	Solemanpur_063_03	5299 part, 5300, 5303 part, 5304 part, 5305-5339, 5340 part, 5343 part, 5344, 5345 part, 5346-5347, 5348 part, 5352-5355, 5364-5377, 5378 part, 5380 part, 5383 part, 5384-5391, 5398 part, 5401-5442, 5443 part, 5444-5445, 5448 part, 5449, 5450 part, 5451 part, 5452-5457, 5458 part, 5459 part, 5460-5461, 5467 part, 5468-5490, 5497, 5504 part, 5505-5517, 5638-5639, 5642-5643, 5644 part, 6011 part, 2012 part, 6013, 6014 part, 6015 part	121.41
		Solemanpur_063_04	7731-7759	
Transportation				
Tempo Stand-4	5	Solemanpur_063_04	7760 part, 7761 part, 7762, 7763 part	0.56
Educational Institution				
University	5	Solemanpur_063_03	5063 part, 5064 part, 5065, 5066 part, 5070 part, 5250 part, 5251, 5252 part, 5261 part, 5262-5287, 5288 part, 5289-5298, 5301 part, 5302 part, 5304 part, 5443 part, 5446-5447, 5450 part, 5535 part, 5536, 5537 part, 6117	41.81
		Solemanpur_063_04	7686-7687, 7689-7710, 7711 part, 7716-7717	
Open Space				
Community Park-4	5	Solemanpur_063_03	5138-5139, 5140 part, 5141 part, 5142 part, 5143-5145, 5149 part, 5150	2.78
Stadium/ Sports Complex	5	Solemanpur_063_03	5288 part, 5297 part, 5298 part	6.99
		Solemanpur_063_04	7711 part, 7712-7715, 7718-7729, 7730 part	
Utility & Service Facility				
Public Toilet-3	5	Solemanpur_063_04	7760 part	0.12
Waste Transfer Station-3	5	Solemanpur_063_04	7760 part, 7761 part	0.37
Urban Deferred				
Urban Defferd	5	Solemanpur_063_01	764 part, 765 part, 766, 776 part	49.96
		Solemanpur_063_03	5010-5028, 5029 part, 5030 part, 5031-5062, 5063 part, 5064 part, 5066 part, 5067-5069, 5070 part, 5071-5100, 5101 part, 5102 part, 5233 part, 5235-5237, 5238 part, 5239-5245, 5246 part, 5247, 5248 part, 5249 part, 6108-6113	
		Solemanpur_063_04	7680-7685, 7688 part	
Community Facilities				
Ward Center	5	Solemanpur_063_01	836 part, 837 part, 838 part	0.60

2) Proposal for road development:

A total of 11.50 km road has proposed for road network development of this ward of which some are new and some are widening. Within all roads 2.75 km road will construct within 1st phase. Recommended road network are shown in the following table.

Table 14.19: Proposed road for ward no-5

Road ID	Width (feet)	Length (m)	Phase	Type
RP01	80	1096.17	1st	Widening
RS37	40	31.56	1st	Widening
RS46	40	7.47	1st	Widening
RS53	40	592.03	1st	Widening
RS19	40	242.95	1st	Widening
RS42	40	26.16	1st	Widening
RL100	30	750.81	1st	Widening
RS03	60	728.93	2nd	Widening
RS07	60	3.25	2nd	New
RS15	60	1700.76	2nd	New
RS21	40	141.32	2nd	Widening
RS35	40	773.58	2nd	Widening
RL96	30	199.60	2nd	Widening
RL97	30	99.92	2nd	Widening
RL98	30	137.03	2nd	Widening
RL132	30	281.86	2nd	Widening
RL139	30	228.73	2nd	New
RL133	30	120.00	2nd	Widening
RS09	60	364.02	3rd	New
RS10	60	1080.99	3rd	New
RS14	60	1234.50	3rd	New
RS12	60	1004.65	3rd	New
RS36	40	1.07	3rd	Widening
RS38	40	7.11	3rd	Widening
RS71	40	56.81	3rd	Widening
RS70	40	48.06	3rd	Widening
R1L01	30	4.80	3rd	Widening
RL127	30	142.50	3rd	Widening
RL148	30	56.03	3rd	Widening
RA167	20	332.92	3rd	Widening
Total= 11.50 Km (11495.59 Meter)				

3) Proposal for drainage development:

A total of 11.06 km drain has proposed for drainage network development. Within all drains 2.69 km drain will construct within 1st phase. Recommended drains are shown in the following table.

Table 14.20: Proposed drainage for ward no-5

Drain ID	Type	Length (m)	Phase
PD01	Primary	1097.18	1st
SD19	Secondary	245.19	1st
SD53	Secondary	592.03	1st
TD100	Tertiary	750.81	1st
SD03	Secondary	692.98	2nd
SD15	Secondary	1707.18	2nd
SD35	Secondary	813.03	2nd
TD96	Tertiary	199.01	2nd
TD132	Tertiary	291.26	2nd
TD133	Tertiary	120.00	2nd
TD139	Tertiary	227.73	2nd

SD09	Secondary	363.39	3rd
SD10	Secondary	1080.99	3rd
SD12	Secondary	1004.65	3rd
SD14	Secondary	1234.50	3rd
SD70	Secondary	48.06	3rd
SD71	Secondary	56.81	3rd
TD127	Tertiary	145.15	3rd
TD148	Tertiary	56.03	3rd
TD167	Tertiary	332.92	3rd
Total =11.06 Km(11058.9 Meter)			

Map 14.9: Landuse Proposal of Ward No. 05

Map 14.10: Proposed Road, Drainage and Utility Services Plan for Ward No. 05

14.3.6 Action Plan for Ward No. 6

Existing Situation:

It is situated on the southern part of the Paurashava, Kapatakkha river on the west and Ward No.5 on the east. This area is mainly peripheral area of the Paurashava. Development pressure is comparatively low. Total planning area of the Ward is 298.42 acres. Among the total planning area existing land uses are 186.69 acres for agricultural use, 64.14 acres residential, only 0.06 acres commercial and others are in different category. Total population of this area is 2514 person and in 2016 it will be 2708 person.

1) Proposals and Plans for Ward No. 6

LanduseDevelopment:

For planned development considering the existing land use and future demand landuse proposal has made. Within the total area 25.55% land proposed for residential use, 0.01% commercial zone, 44.18% agricultural and others are in different category.

Table 14.21: Proposed land use for Ward no-6

Sl. No	Landuse Type	Area(Acre)	Percentage
1.	Urban Residential Zone	76.25	25.55
2.	Commercial Zone	0.02	0.01
3.	Mixed Use Zone	-	0.00
4.	General Industrial Zone	0.04	0.01
5.	Government Offices	14.52	4.87
6.	Education and Research	2.27	0.76
7.	Agriculture Zone	131.85	44.18
8.	Water Body	33.82	11.33
9.	Open Space	14.94	5.00
10.	Circulation Network	17.43	5.84
11.	Transport & Communication	-	0.00
12.	Utility Service	1.21	0.40
13.	Health Services	-	0.00
14.	Community Facilities	6.10	2.04
15.	Recreational Facilities	-	0.00
16.	Urban Deferred	-	0.00
Total		298.45	100.00

The facilities considering the demand of the ward were shown in the following table including phasing. The proposed facilities under different category of land uses are also shown in the following table.

Table 14.22: proposed facilities for ward no -6

Proposed Facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area in Acre
Administration				
Sub Jail	6	Solemanpur_063_02	2712-2726, 2728-2737, 2739-2741, 3005	14.52
Open Spce				
Community Park-5	6	Solemanpur_063_02	2008 part, 2009 part, 2010 part, 2011 part, 2012 part, 2014-2015, 2016 part, 2018, 2019 part, 2020-2026, 2027 part, 2028 part, 2029 part, 2030 part, 2034 part	4.37
Playground-3	6	Solemanpur_063_02	2016 part, 2017, 2031 part, 2032-2033, 2034 part, 2035, 2036 part, 2037-2039, 2040 part, 2041 part	4.93
Utility & Service Facility				
Surface Water	6	Solemanpur_063_02	2002 part, 2004, 2005 part	1.21

Treatment Plant-2				
Community Facilities				
Ward Center	6	Solemanpur_063_02	2297 part, 2298 part	0.14

2) Proposal for road development:

A total of 5.78 km road has proposed for road network development of this ward of which some are new and some are widening. Within all roads 1.56 km road will construct within 1st phase. Recommended road network are shown in the following table.

Table 14.23: Proposed road for ward no-6

Road ID	Width (feet)	Length (m)	Phase	Type
RS61	40	1132.63	1st	Widening
RS19	40	326.85	1st	New
RS19	40	100.48	1st	Widening
RS03	60	825.14	2nd	Widening
RS15	60	4.28	2nd	New
RS19	40	1187.72	2nd	Widening
RS35	40	39.45	2nd	Widening
RL96	30	479.49	2nd	Widening
RL97	30	296.48	2nd	Widening
RL98	30	119.90	2nd	Widening
RL99	30	371.86	2nd	Widening
RS36	40	169.62	3rd	Widening
RS78	40	79.70	3rd	Widening
RS69	40	30.44	3rd	Widening
RL102	30	191.28	3rd	Widening
RL28	30	177.34	3rd	Widening
RL29	30	244.31	3rd	Widening
Total		5776.97		

3) Proposal for drainage development:

A total of 6.02 km drain has proposed for drainage network development of this ward of which almost all are new. Within all drains 1.56 km drain will construct within 1st phase. Recommended drains are shown in the following table.

Table 14.24: Proposed drainage for ward no-6

Drain ID	Type	Length (m)	Phase
SD19	Secondary	326.85	1st
SD19	Secondary	100.20	1st
SD61	Secondary	1132.63	1st
SD03	Secondary	864.91	2nd
SD19	Secondary	1192.80	2nd
TD96	Tertiary	480.08	2nd
TD97	Tertiary	396.40	2nd
TD98	Tertiary	256.94	2nd
TD99	Tertiary	371.86	2nd
SD36	Secondary	170.69	3rd
SD69	Secondary	30.44	3rd
SD78	Secondary	79.70	3rd
TD102	Tertiary	191.28	3rd
TD128	Tertiary	177.34	3rd
TD129	Tertiary	244.31	3rd
Total		6016.43	

Map 14.11: Landuse Proposal of Ward No. 06

Map 14.12: Proposed Road, Drainage and Utility Services Plan for Ward No. 06

14.3.7 Action Plan for Ward No. 7

Existing Situation:

It is situated on the northern part of the Paurashava, ward 03 at the south-west and Ward No.8 on the east. This area is mainly peripheral area of the Paurashava. Development pressure is comparatively low. Total planning area of the Ward is 506.54 acres. Among the total planning area existing land uses are 355.05 acres for agricultural use, 91.26 acres residential, 2.08 acres commercial and others are in different category. At total population of this area is 4175 person and in 2016 it will be 4498 person.

1) Proposals and Plans for Ward No. 7

Land useDevelopment: For planned development considering the existing landuse and future demand land use proposal has made. Within the total area 20.36% land proposed for residential use, only 0.15% commercial use, 63.29% agricultural and others are in different category which is shown in the following table.

Table 14.25: Proposed land use for Ward no-7

Sl. No	Landuse Type	Area(Acre)	Percentage
1.	Urban Residential Zone	103.11	20.36
2.	Commercial Zone	0.75	0.15
3.	Mixed Use Zone	2.48	0.49
4.	General Industrial Zone	8.32	1.64
5.	Government Offices	8.82	1.74
6.	Education and Research	4.36	0.86
7.	Agriculture Zone	320.57	63.29
8.	Water Body	4.74	0.94
9.	Open Space	6.30	1.24
10.	Circulation Network	41.18	8.13
11.	Transport & Communication	4.17	0.82
12.	Utility Service	-	0.00
13.	Health Services	-	0.00
14.	Community Facilities	1.76	0.35
15.	Recreational Facilities	-	0.00
16.	Urban Deferred	-	0.00
Total		506.54	100.00

The facilities considering the demand of the ward were shown in the followingtableincluding phasing.The proposed facilities under different category of land uses are also shown in the following table.

Table 14.26: proposed facilities for ward no -7

Proposed Facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area in Acre
Residential				
Planned Residential Area-2	7	Bajebamondaho_062_03	522-543	7.85
Community Facilities				
Ward Center	7	Bajebamondaho_062_02	40, 41 part	0.36

2) Proposal for road development:

A total of 10.39 km road has proposed for road network development of this ward of which some are new and some are widening. Within all roads 2.77 km road will construct within 1st phase. Recommended road network are shown in the following table.

Table 14.27: Proposed road for ward no-7

Road ID	Width (feet)	Length (m)	Phase	Type
RP01	80	371.91	1st	Widening
RS17	60	507.67	1st	Widening
RS18	60	640.67	1st	Widening
RS22	40	369.09	1st	Widening
RS25	40	6.28	1st	Widening
RS48	40	338.43	1st	Widening
RS80	40	47.18	1st	Widening
RA168	20	492.30	1st	Widening
RS08	60	1557.62	2nd	Widening
RS77	40	225.20	2nd	Widening
RS76	40	431.87	2nd	Widening
RS73	40	650.19	2nd	New
RS75	40	0.03	2nd	Widening
R1L04	30	361.77	2nd	Widening
R1L06	30	578.50	2nd	Widening
R1A73	20	163.59	2nd	Widening
RS26	40	118.25	3rd	Widening
RS66	40	9.42	3rd	New
RS67	40	689.83	3rd	New
RS44	40	573.98	3rd	Widening
RS45	40	368.96	3rd	New
RS49	40	115.34	3rd	Widening
RS52	40	100.37	3rd	Widening
RS54	40	5.31	3rd	New
RS45	40	218.19	3rd	Widening
RL103	30	429.06	3rd	Widening
RL105	30	765.88	3rd	New
RL107	30	120.45	3rd	Widening
RL155	30	50.39	3rd	Widening
RA169	20	82.10	3rd	Widening
Total=10.39 Km(10389.83 Meter)				

3) Proposal for drainage development:

A total of 10.50 km drain has proposed for drainage network development of this ward of which almost all are new. Within all roads 2.85km drain will construct within 1st phase. Recommended drains are shown in the following table.

Table 14.28: Proposed drainage for ward no-7

Drain ID	Type	Length (m)	Phase
PD01	Primary	371.63	1st
PD18	Primary	642.84	1st
SD17	Secondary	528.24	1st
SD22	Secondary	473.73	1st
SD48	Secondary	338.43	1st
TD168	Tertiary	496.45	1st
SD08	Secondary	1557.63	2nd
SD73	Secondary	700.16	2nd
SD76	Secondary	431.87	2nd
SD77	Secondary	225.20	2nd
TD104	Tertiary	361.77	2nd
TD106	Tertiary	578.50	2nd
TD173	Tertiary	163.59	2nd
SD26	Secondary	117.00	3rd
SD44	Secondary	578.60	3rd
SD45	Secondary	368.69	3rd
SD45	Secondary	218.19	3rd
SD49	Secondary	115.34	3rd
SD52	Secondary	100.37	3rd
SD67	Secondary	689.83	3rd
TD103	Tertiary	429.06	3rd

TD105	Tertiary	765.88	3rd
TD107	Tertiary	120.45	3rd
TD155	Tertiary	50.39	3rd
TD169	Tertiary	82.10	3rd
Total=10.51Km(10505.94 Meter)			

Map 14.13: Landuse Proposal of Ward No. 07

Map 14.14: Proposed Road, Drainage and Utility Services Plan for Ward No. 07

14.3.8 Action Plan for Ward No. 8

Existing Situation:

It is situated on the north-east part of the Paurashava, ward 07 on the west and Ward No.9 on the south. This area is mainly peripheral area of the Paurashava. Development pressure is comparatively low. Total planning area of the Ward is 529.06 acres. Among the total planning area existing land uses are 430.76 acres for agricultural use, 69.99 acres residential, only 0.40 acres commercial and others are in different category. Total population of this area is 3594 person and in 2016 it will be 3872 person.

1) Proposals and Plans for Ward No. 8

LanduseDevelopment: For planned development considering the existing landuse and future demand landuse proposal has made. Within the total area only 14.80% land proposed for residential use, 0.05 % are commercial use, 75.41 % agricultural and others are in different category which are shown in the following table.

Table 14.29: Proposed land use for Ward no-8

Sl. No	Landuse Type	Area(Acre)	Percentage
1.	Urban Residential Zone	78.31	14.80
2.	Commercial Zone	0.26	0.05
3.	Mixed Use Zone	-	0.00
4.	General Industrial Zone	0.18	0.03
5.	Government Offices		0.00
6.	Education and Research	0.40	0.08
7.	Agriculture Zone	398.98	75.41
8.	Water Body	6.52	1.23
9.	Open Space	7.17	1.36
10.	Circulation Network	34.74	6.57
11.	Transport & Communication	-	0.00
12.	Utility Service	-	0.00
13.	Health Services	-	0.00
14.	Community Facilities	2.49	0.47
15.	Recreational Facilities	-	0.00
16.	Urban Deferred	-	0.00
Total		529.06	100.00

The facilities considering the demand of the ward were shown in the following table including phasing. The proposed facilities under different category of land uses are also shown in the following table.

Table 14.30: Proposed facilities for ward no -8

Proposed Facilitiles	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area in Acre
Residential				
Planned Residential Area-2	8	Boro Bamondaho_061_01	898 part, 899-914, 915 part, 916 part	5.14
Open Spce				
Community Park-6	8	Bori Bamondaho_061_01	369-372, 389-390	3.22
Playground-4	8	Boro Bamondaho_061_01	365-366, 367 part	3.95
		Boro Bamondaho_061_03	1501-1504, 1515 part, 1521 part	
Community Facilities				
Ward Center	8	Boro Bamondaho_061_01	580 part, 583 part, 799799	0.80

2) Proposal for road development:

A total of 6.65 km road has proposed for road network development of this ward of which some are new and some are widening. Within 1st phase 0.82 km road has proposed. Recommended road network are shown in the following table.

Table 14.31: Proposed road for ward no-8

Road ID	Width (feet)	Length (m)	Phase	Type
RS18	60	288.04	1st	Widening
RL141	30	532.36	1st	Widening
RS07	60	230.88	2nd	New
RS47	40	1237.26	2nd	Widening
RS05	60	2696.46	3rd	Widening
RS45	40	197.50	3rd	New
RL152	30	606.70	3rd	Widening
RL154	30	140.89	3rd	Widening
RL108	30	222.42	3rd	Widening
RL109	30	239.98	3rd	Widening
RL153	30	262.21	3rd	Widening
Total=6.65 Km(6654.70 Meter)				

3) Proposal for drainage development:

A total of 6.62 km drain has proposed for drainage network development in this ward of which almost all are new. Within all roads 0.79 km drain will construct within 1st phase. Recommended drains are shown in the following table.

Table 14.32: Proposed drainage for ward no-8

Drain ID	Type	Length (m)	Phase
PD18	Primary	285.35	1st
TD141	Tertiary	504.62	1st
SD07	Secondary	230.57	2nd
SD47	Secondary	1237.26	2nd
PD05	Primary	2696.46	3rd
SD45	Secondary	197.78	3rd
TD108	Tertiary	222.42	3rd
TD109	Tertiary	239.98	3rd
TD152	Tertiary	606.70	3rd
TD153	Tertiary	262.21	3rd
TD154	Tertiary	140.89	3rd
Total=6.62Km(6624.24Meter)			

Map 14.15: Landuse Proposal of Ward No. 08

Map 14.16: Proposed Road, Drainage and Utility Services Plan for Ward No. 08

14.3.9 Action Plan for Ward No. 9

Existing Situation:

It is situated on the eastern part of the Paurashava, ward 05 on the south and Ward No.8 on the north. This area is mainly peripheral area of the Paurashava. Development pressure is comparatively low. Total planning area of the Ward is 746.10 acres. Among the total planning area existing land uses are 652.43 acres for agricultural use, 65.84 acres residential, 0.84 acres commercial and others are in different category. Total population of this area is 33094 people and in 2016 it will be 35642 people.

Proposals and Plans for Ward No. 9

1) Land useDevelopment:

For planned development considering the existing land use and future demand land use proposal has made. Within the total area 24.04% land proposed for residential use, 61.60% agricultural and others are in different category which are shown in the following table.

Table 14.33: Proposed land use for Ward no-9

Sl. No	Landuse Type	Area(Acre)	Percentage
1.	Urban Residential Zone	179.37	24.04
2.	Commercial Zone	2.19	0.29
3.	Mixed Use Zone	27.77	3.72
4.	General Industrial Zone	2.91	0.39
5.	Government Offices		0.00
6.	Education and Research	17.61	2.36
7.	Agriculture Zone	459.69	61.60
8.	Water Body	8.52	1.14
9.	Open Space	13.22	1.77
10.	Circulation Network	33.35	4.47
11.	Transport & Communication	-	0.00
12.	Utility Service	-	0.00
13.	Health Services	-	0.00
14.	Community Facilities	1.60	0.21
15.	Recreational Facilities	-	0.00
16.	Urban Deferred	-	0.00
Total		746.24	100.00

The facilities considering the demand of the ward were shown in the following table including phasing. The proposed facilities under different category of land uses are also shown in the following table.

Table 14.34: proposed facilities for ward no -9

Proposed Facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area in Acre
Residential				
Planned Residential Area-2	9	Solemanpur_063_04	7022 part, 7024-7026, 7027 part, 7028 part, 7029-7045, 7046 part, 7047 part, 7048-7072, 7079 part, 7080-7087, 7088 part, 8092-7107, 7108 part, 7109-7117, 7147 part, 7149, 7150 part, 7151-7159, 7160 part, 7164-7167, 7168 part, 72456 part, 7247 part,	61.06

Proposed Facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area in Acre
			7770-7771, 7774	
Low Income Housing Area	9	Solemanpur_063_06	8197 part, 8198-8199, 8200 part, 8201 part, 8224-8234, 8235 part, 8242 part, 8243-8261	15.59
Re-Settlement Residential Zone	9	Solemanpur_063_06	8262-8272, 8282	12.62
Commercial Facility				
Cattle Market	9	Solemanpur_064_04	7010 part, 7011 part, 7019 part, 7020-7021, 7022 part	1.69
Educational Institution				
Vocational Training Center	9	Solemanpur_063_04	7140-7146, 7147 part, 7148, 7150 part	5.33
Open Spce				
Central Park	9	Solemanpur_064_04	7090, 7161-7162, 7169 part, 7170-7181, 7182 part, 7183-7190, 7191 part, 7192 part, 7239 part, 7241 part, 7242 part, 7245 part, 7246 part	9.79
Community Park-7	9	Solemanpur_063_06	8055-8059, 8063, 8064 part, 8065 part, 8076-8079	2.81
Community Facilities				
Ward Center	9	Solemanpur_063_04	7579	0.88

2) Proposal for road development:

A total of 7.76 km road has proposed for road network development of this ward of which some are new and some are widening. About 2.41 km road will construct at 1st phase. Recommended road network are shown in the following table.

Table 14.35: Proposed road for ward no-9

Road ID	Width (feet)	Length (m)	Phase	Type
R01	80	530.59	1st	Widening
R46	40	1027.52	1st	Widening
R141	30	765.92	1st	Widening
R142	30	85.50	1st	Widening
R07	60	707.33	2nd	New
R15	60	175.78	2nd	New
R56	40	390.84	2nd	New
R21	40	1344.85	2nd	Widening
R56	40	489.26	2nd	New
R56	40	382.38	2nd	Widening
R20	40	512.50	3rd	Widening
R39	40	943.08	3rd	New
R54	40	402.82	3rd	New
Total= 7.76Km(7758.37Meter)				

3) Proposal for drainage development:

A total of 7.93 km drain has proposed for drainage network development of this ward of which almost all are new. Within all drains 2.45 km drain will construct within 1st phase. Recommended drains are shown in the following tabl

Table 14.36: Proposed drainage for ward no

Drain ID	Type	Length (m)	Phase
PD01	Primary	537.19	1st
SD46	Secondary	1034.98	1st
TD141	Tertiary	793.65	1st
TD142	Tertiary	85.50	1st
SD07	Secondary	710.88	2nd
SD15	Secondary	173.65	2nd
SD21	Secondary	1464.50	2nd
SD56	Secondary	390.84	2nd
SD56	Secondary	489.26	2nd
SD56	Secondary	382.38	2nd
SD20	Secondary	512.50	3rd
SD39	Secondary	943.08	3rd
SD54	Secondary	409.61	3rd
Total=7.93 Km(7928.02Meter)			

Map 14.17: Landuse Proposal of Ward No. 09

Map 14.18: Proposed Road, Drainage and Utility Services Plan for Ward No. 09

14.4 Implementation Guidelines

Implementation of the Ward Action Plan should follow the development control procedures for determining planning applications by use of the simple and standard planning application procedures. A simple application will be assessed quickly against a given set of criteria, essentially consisting of the following:

1. The proposed development confirms all respects mentioned in the policies of the Structure Plan and Urban Area Plan.
2. The usage identified in the application is being considered appropriate for inclusion in an area demarcated in the Ward Action Plan. An indicative list of uses considered appropriate is below:
 - buildings are a maximum of four-storied;
 - no single building or related group of buildings is 1000 sq. m. of gross floor area; and
 - access and utility corridors are not impinged.

Provided that the planning application meets above criteria and the application will be approved and planning permission is given.

Planning applications that do not meet the above criteria or are considered marginal cases (to be known as an invalid simple application) will be subjected to a more detailed examination in considering standard procedure.

Following development and landuses are indicative of those appropriate in the Ward Action Plan:

1. Residential development up to four-storied.
2. Small-scale shops.
3. Primary schools/kindergartens.
4. Mosques (or other religious facilities) servicing a local area plus small graveyard if required.
5. Recreational development.
6. Local health facilities (clinics rather than hospital).
7. Small-scale office (may be public or private) development.
8. Workshops (small-scale workshops with operations only) in daylight hours and low traffic generators.
9. Open space (playgrounds, parks, etc.)
10. Access roads.
11. Utilities; and
12. Drainage channels.

When considering a standard planning application within areas zoned for Ward Action Plan, the Paurashava will need to undertake a two-stage process. First, before considering site specific issues, the Paurashava will need, on receipt of the planning application, to consider the wider context and determine issues relating to the overall area into which the application falls. The Paurashava will need to:

- Determine the boundaries of the wider area. These will usually be formed by some distinctive natural or man-made feature, for example a khal, river or road which provides access into the area. Such areas will vary in shape and size.
- Identify the existing landuses within these boundaries. In Ward Action Plan, the predominant use will be residential but other uses will present in the vicinity of the application.
- Identify and assess the existing access and circulation arrangements of the area. Preferably, the area should be served by 10 meter access roads which run through the entire area providing access to all Wards. These access roads should be linked to local roads. If this is not the case and access roads of sufficient width, are not available, the Paurashava shall consider whether or not further development is appropriate. New development may result in increased vehicular congestion and increased demand for utility services, where this could be difficult to supply.

In these instances, the Paurashava will consider refusal of application or at least a delay until access and utility provision can be made. This may require acquisition of land.

- Identify the need for community facilities (schools, clinics, religious facilities, open spaces, etc.) or plots for utility services. Do sufficient already exist or should more land be sought for increased provision to the existing population? In this latter instance, the Paurashava will again need to consider acquisition of land including the land, either in part or in full, under consideration for development.
- Consider areas of high landscape quality in the locality which should be preserved and the potential impact of the proposed development on those areas.
- If there is doubt in the mind of the Paurashava as to the answers to the above questions, the planning application will require a more detailed assessment.
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Secondly, the Paurashava will need to consider issues relating to the individual site and application. These can only be determined once the overall context of the area has been established. The questions the Paurashava will need to ask are:

1. Can the proposed use of land be considered a “good neighbour”, defined in this situation as a use which can be carried out in any residential area without detriment to the amenities of the area by reason of noise, vibration, smell, fumes, smoke, soot, ash, dust or grit?
 - Is the use likely to generate excessive volumes of traffic which either cannot be accommodated on the existing road system or which are likely to disturb its neighbours?
 - Will the working hours of the use (if non-residential) cause a disturbance to residential neighbours (with working late in to the evening or night or 24-hours operations likely to cause a nuisance and therefore not being permitted)?
 - If yes to any of the above, the application should be rejected and directed to a more suitable location.
2. Is the use in conformity with the surrounding uses or with those that are compatible with a site in a predominantly residential area?

3. Does the proposed boundary of the application impinge upon a road corridor, utility reserve or drainage channel reserve? If it does, it should be relocated outside such a reserve, even if this constitutes a reduction in the overall size of the plot. If excessive land will be lost as a result, implying that the development can no longer proceed, the application will need to be rejected.
4. Does the application provide for adequate site access from, preferably as minimum, a 6 meter access road? Does it have sufficient on-site or off-site parking facilities to cater for the potential demand? If it does not, the plans should be amended or the application refused.
5. Will the development destroy landscape unique to the location? If it does, its design will need to be altered to protect the landscape, or the application will need to be refused.
6. Is the scale of development proposed in keeping with its neighbours? If too large, it should be reduced. Does it impinge up on the privacy of others? If it does, the design / layout / size should be changed. If it can not be appropriately modified, it should be refused.
7. Will the proposed development negatively impact upon utility provision in the area i.e. will it overload the system for some reason (like high electricity demand or high water consumption)? Will pollution from the proposed activities cause a problem in the neighbourhood? If this is likely to occur, the application should be refused.

If the application is for a major development, have the utility authorities being contacted to give their assessment and approval for the infrastructure works that will be required?

Given the existing situation in some of the Ward Action Plan, where for example, access is already poor or there is insufficient space available to provide adequate infrastructure, the Paurashava will aim to ensure that its decision will not make the situation worse.

The Paurashava will need to process each application within one month, at the end of which time they will either need to:

- approve the application unconditionally;
- approve the application subject to a number of conditions; or
- refuse the application.

14.5 Concluding Remarks

The Master Plan is prepared for managing and promoting development over medium terms following the broad guidelines set by the longer term Structure Plan. It shows the structure of sub-system in space over the medium term and identifies broad programs of direct action especially related to infrastructural development, institutional issues as well as broad financing strategies. The plan also outlines more specific Ward-wise development policies to guide development over the medium terms. One major objective of preparing Master Plan is the consolidation of development activities by various agencies in areas that have strongest potential for growth in the medium term and can accommodate anticipated volume of growth. Other purpose of preparing Master Plan is to facilitate the development control function. It shows the broad landuse zones on a more detailed scale of maps as derived from Structure Plan. The plan provides details of

landuse zoning and building controls, the development control function becomes easier to implement with a Master Plan. It also shows land reservations required for essential uses and major infrastructure development.

ANNEXURE-A

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ANNEXURE-B

Proposed Land Use Categories and permitted use

Urban Residential Landuse

Landuse Permitted

The following uses in the tables are proposed to be applicable for this zone only.

Table No. A.1: Landuse Permitted

Permitted
Artisan's Shop
Assisted Living or Elderly Home
Confectionery Shop
Barber Shop
Child Daycare \ Preschool
Cleaning \ Laundry Shop
Communication Service Facilities
Communication Tower Within Permitted Height
Condominium or Apartment
Cottage
Cyber Café
Daycare Center (Commercial or Nonprofit)
Drug Store or Pharmacy
Employee Housing (Guards \ Drivers) \ Ancillary Use
General Store
Grocery Store
High School
Household Appliance and Furniture Repair Service (No Outside Storage)
Housing For Seasonal Firm Labor
Landscape and Horticultural Services
Mosque, Place Of Worship
Newspaper Stand
Nursery School
Orphanage
Eidgah
Photocopying and Duplicating Services (No Outside Storage)
Pipelines and Utility Lines
Playing Field
Primary School
Private Garages (Ancillary Use)
Project Identification Signs
Property Management Signs
Public Transport Facility
Satellite Dish Antenna
Shelter (Passers By)
Shoe Repair or Shoeshine Shop (Small)
CBO Office

Permitted
Special Dwelling
Temporary Tent
Temporary Pandle for Permitted Function
Newspaper Stand
Specialized School: Dance, Art, Music, Physically Challenged & Others
Transmission Lines
Urban-Nature Reserve
Utility Lines
Woodlot
Children's Park (Must Have Parking)
ATM Booth
Water Pump \ Reservoir
Monument (Neighborhood Scale)
Bill Payment Booth
Boarding and Rooming House
Dormitory
Memorial Structure (Ancillary)
Neighborhood Center* (Where Neighborhood Center exists)
Permitted
Community Center
Doctor \ Dentist Chamber
Cultural Exhibits and Libraries
Fast Food Establishment \ Food Kiosk
Flowers, Nursery Stock and Florist Supplies
Fitness Centre
Gaming Clubs
Departmental Stores
Retail Shops \ Facilities

Permission of Neighborhood Center Facilities in absence of formal neighborhood should be subject to Landuse Permit Committee. Source: Compiled by the Consultants

Landuse Conditionally Permitted

The following uses may be permitted or disallowed in this zone after review and approval by the authority/committee following appropriate procedure while the application meets the criteria mentioned in the requirement.

Table No. A.2: Landuse Conditionally Permitted

Conditional
Addiction Treatment Center
Amusement and Recreation (Indoors)
Funeral Services
Art Gallery, Art Studio \ Workshop
Automobile Driving Academy
Beauty and Body Service
Billiard Parlor \ Pool Hall
Book or Stationery Store or Newsstand
Building Maintenance \ Cleaning Services, No Outside Storage
Bus Passenger Shelter
Graveyard \ Cemetery

Conditional
Coffee Shop \ Tea Stall
Correctional Institution
Courier Service
Crematorium
Plantation (Except Narcotic Plant)
Furniture & Variety Stores
Emergency Shelter
Energy Installation
Garages
Garden Center or Retail Nursery
Fire Brigade Station
Police Station
Temporary Rescue Shed
Guest House
Slaughter House
Static Transformer Stations
Tourist Home or Resort
Market (Bazar)
Optical Goods Sales
Outdoor Café
Outdoor Fruit and Vegetable Markets
Community Hall
Neighborhood Co-Operative Office
Overhead Water Storage Tanks
Row House
Paints and Varnishes Store
Parking Lot
Patio Homes
Photofinishing Laboratory
Post Office
Postal Facilities
Sports and Recreation Club
Tennis Club
Flood Management Structure
Telephone Sub Station
Electrical Sub Station

Source: Compiled by the Consultants

Restricted Uses

All uses except permitted and conditionally permitted uses are restricted in this zone.

General Industrial Zone

Landuse Permitted

The following uses in the tables are proposed to be applicable for this zone only.

Table No. A.3: Landuse Permitted

Permitted
Confectionery Shop
Bank & Financial Institution
Bicycle Assembly, Parts and Accessories
Blacksmith
Bus Passenger Shelter
Communication Tower Within Permitted Height
Freight Transport Facility
Police Box \ Barrack
Fire \ Rescue Station
Grocery Store
Household Appliance and Furniture Repair Service
Machine Sheds
Meat and Poultry (Packing & Processing)
Mosque, Place Of Worship
Newspaper Stand
Photocopying and Duplicating Services
Pipelines and Utility Lines
Printing, Publishing and Distributing
Public Transport Facility
Restaurant
Retail Shops \ Facilities
Salvage Processing
Salvage Yards
Satellite Dish Antenna
Sawmill, Chipping and Pallet Mill
Shelter (Passers By)
Television, Radio or Electronics Repair (No Outside Storage)
Transmission Lines
Truck Stop & Washing or Freight Terminal
Utility Lines
Wood Products
Woodlot
ATM Booth
Water Pump \ Reservoir
Effluent Treatment Plant
Social Forestry

Source: Compiled by the Consultants

Landuse Conditionally Permitted

The following uses may be permitted or denied in this zone after review and approval by the authority/committee following appropriate procedure.

Table No. A.4: Landuse Conditionally Permitted

Conditional
Amusement and Recreation (Indoors)
Appliance Store
Plantation (Except Narcotic Plant)

Conditional
Cyber Café
Daycare Center (Commercial or Nonprofit)
Doctor \ Dentist Chamber
Electrical and Electronic Equipment and Instruments Sales
Employee Housing
Energy Installation
Fast Food Establishment \ Food Kiosk
Garages
Grain & Feed Mills
Incineration Facility
Super Store
Lithographic or Print Shop
Motor Vehicle Fuelling Station \ Gas Station
Motorcycle Sales Outlet
Outdoor Fruit and Vegetable Markets
Outside Bulk Storage
Overhead Water Storage Tanks
Painting and Wallpaper Sales
Paints and Varnishes
Parking Lot
Parking Lot (Commercial)
Private Garages
Retail Shops Ancillary To Studio \ Workshop
Jute Mill

Source: Compiled by the Consultants

Restricted Uses

All uses except permitted and conditionally permitted uses.

Commercial Zone (Business)

Landuse Permitted

Commercial office zone is mainly intended for supporting the official works. There are several functions that are permitted in this zone.

Table No. A.5: Landuse Permitted

Permitted
Accounting, Auditing or Bookkeeping Services
Billboards, Advertisements & Advertising Structure
Agri-Business
Agricultural Sales and Services
Ambulance Service
Antique Shop
Appliance Store
Auction Market
Auditorium, Coliseum, Meeting Halls, and Conference Facilities, Convention
Auto Leasing or Rental Office
Auto Paint Shop

Permitted
Auto Parts and Accessory Sales (Indoors)
Auto Repair Shop (With Garage)
Automobile Wash
Automobile Sales
Confectionery Shop
Bakery or Confectionery Retail
Bank & Financial Institution
Bar (Licensed)
Barber Shop
Beauty and Body Service
Bicycle Shop
Billiard Parlor \ Pool Hall
Book or Stationery Store or Newsstand
Building Material Sales or Storage (Indoors)
Bulk Mail and Packaging
Bus Passenger Shelter
Cinema Hall
Communication Service Facilities
Communication Tower Within Permitted Height
Computer Maintenance and Repair
Computer Sales & Services
Conference Center
Construction Company
Courier Service
Cyber Café
Daycare Center (Commercial or Nonprofit)
Department Stores, Furniture & Variety Stores
Doctor \ Dentist Chamber
Drug Store or Pharmacy
Electrical and Electronic Equipment and Instruments Sales
Fast Food Establishment \ Food Kiosk
Freight Handling, Storage & Distribution
Freight Transport Facility
Freight Yard
General Store
Grocery Store
Guest House
Hotel or Motel
Inter-City Bus Terminal
Jewelry and Silverware Sales
Junk \ Salvage Yard
Super Store
Market (Bazar)
Mosque, Place Of Worship
Motorcycle Sales Outlet
Multi-Storey Car Park
Newspaper Stand

Permitted
Outdoor Fruit and Vegetable Markets
Outdoor Recreation, Commercial
Parking Lot (Commercial)
Pet Store
Photocopying and Duplicating Services
Photofinishing Laboratory & Studio
Pipelines and Utility Lines
Post Office
Preserved Fruits and Vegetables Facility \ Cold Storage
Printing, Publishing and Distributing
Project Identification Signs
Property Management Signs
Public Transport Facility
Refrigerator or Large Appliance Repair
Resort
Restaurant
Retail Shops \ Facilities
Salvage Processing
Salvage Yards
Satellite Dish Antenna
Sawmill, Chipping and Pallet Mill
Shelter (Passers By)
Shopping Mall \ Plaza
Slaughter House
Software Development
Sporting Goods and Toys Sales
Taxi Stand
Telephone Exchanges
Television, Radio or Electronics Repair (No Outside Storage)
Theater (Indoor)
Transmission Lines
Utility Lines
Vehicle Sales & Service, Leasing or Rental
Veterinarian Clinics, Animal Hospitals, Kennels and Boarding Facilities
Warehousing
Wood Products
Woodlot
ATM Booth
Water Pump \ Reservoir
Agro-Based Industry (Rice Mill, Saw Mill, Cold Storage)
Social Forestry

Source: Compiled by the Consultants

Landuse Conditionally Permitted

Some functions are permitted with some condition in this zone.

Table No. A.6: Landuse Conditionally Permitted

Conditional
Amusement and Recreation (Indoors)
Bicycle Assembly, Parts and Accessories
Broadcast Studio \ Recording Studio (No Audience)
Coffee Shop \ Tea Stall
Concert Hall, Stage Shows
Construction, Survey, Soil Testing Firms
Trade Shows
Craft Workshop
Plantation (Except Narcotic Plant)
Energy Installation
Firm Equipment Sales & Service
Agricultural Chemicals, Pesticides or Fertilizers Shop
Fitness Centre
Flowers, Nursery Stock and Florist Supplies
Forest Products Sales
Fuel and Ice Dealers
Garages
Garden Center or Retail Nursery
Police Box \ Barrack
Fire \ Rescue Station
Grain & Feed Mills
Household Appliance and Furniture Repair Service
Incineration Facility
Indoor Amusement Centers, Game Arcades
Indoor Theatre
Lithographic or Print Shop
Motor Vehicle Fuelling Station \ Gas Station
Musical Instrument Sales or Repair
Optical Goods Sales
Painting and Wallpaper Sales
Paints and Varnishes
Parking Lot
Patio Homes
Postal Facilities
Poultry
Private Garages
Professional Office
Retail Shops Ancillary To Studio \ Workshop
Stone \ Cut Stone Products Sales

Restricted Uses

All uses except permitted and conditionally permitted uses.

Rural Settlement Zone

Landuse Permitted

The following uses in the tables are proposed to be applicable for this zone only.

Table No. A.7: Landuse Permitted

Permitted
Agricultural Dwellings
Animal Husbandry
Animal Shelter
Graveyard \ Cemetery
Child Daycare \ Preschool
Primary School
Communication Tower Within Permitted Height
Cottage
Crematorium
Dairy Farming
General Store
Grocery Store
Handloom (Cottage Industry)
Housing For Seasonal Farm Labor
Mosque, Place Of Worship
Newspaper Stand
Nursery School
orphanage
Outdoor Religious Events (Eidgah)
Playing Field
Satellite Dish Antenna
NGO \ CBO Facilities
Special Dwelling (E.G. Dorm For Physically Challenged Etc.)
Temporary Shed \ Tent
Specialized School: Dance, Art, Music, Physically Challenged & Others
Static Electrical Sub Stations
Transmission Lines
Utility Lines
Woodlot
Plantation (Except Narcotic Plant)
Social Forestry
Memorial Structure

Source: Compiled by the Consultants

Landuse Conditionally Permitted

The following uses may be permitted or disallowed in this zone after review and approval by the authority/committee following appropriate procedure while the application meets the criteria mentioned in the requirement.

Table No. A.8: Landuse Conditionally Permitted

Conditional
Artisan's Shop (Potter, Blacksmith, and Goldsmith Etc.)
Research organization (Agriculture \ Fisheries)
Energy Installation

Conditional
Fish Hatchery
Garden Center or Retail Nursery
Emergency Shelter
Sports and Recreation Club, Firing Range: Indoor

Source: Compiled by the Consultants

Restricted Uses

All uses except permitted and conditionally permitted uses are restricted in this zone.

Mixed use zone

Landuse Permitted

The following uses in the tables are proposed to be applicable for this zone only.

Table No. A.11: Landuse Permitted

Permitted
Accounting, Auditing or Bookkeeping Services
Addiction Treatment Center
Billboards, Advertisements & Advertising Structure
Agricultural Sales and Services
Antique Store
Appliance Store
Art Gallery, Art Studio \ Workshop
Artisan's Shop
Assisted Living or Elderly Home
Auditorium, Coliseum, Meeting Halls, and Conference Facilities, Convention
Auto Leasing or Rental Office
Automobile Wash
Automobile Driving Academy
Confectionery Shop
Bakery or Confectionery Retail
Bank & Financial Institution
Barber Shop
Bicycle Shop
Billiard Parlor \ Pool Hall
Blacksmith
Boarding and Rooming House
Book or Stationery Store or Newsstand
Bus Passenger Shelter
Child Daycare \ Preschool
Cleaning \ Laundry Shop
Commercial Recreational Buildings
Communication Service Facilities
Communication Tower Within Permitted Height
Community Center
Condominium or Apartment
Correctional Institution

Permitted
Courier Service
Cyber Café
Daycare Center (Commercial or Nonprofit)
Doctor \ Dentist Chamber
Employee Housing
Fabric Store
Fast Food Establishment \ Food Kiosk
Funeral Services
General Store
Grocery Store
Guest House
Hospital
Jewelry and Silverware Sales
Landscape and Horticultural Services
Mosque, Place Of Worship
Newspaper Stand
Nursery School
Photocopying and Duplicating Services
Pipelines and Utility Lines
Primary School
Project Identification Signs
Property Management Signs
Public Transport Facility
Resort
Satellite Dish Antenna
Shelter (Passers By)
Shoe Repair or Shoeshine Shop (Small)
Slaughter House
Social organization
Software Development
Special Dwelling
Toys and Hobby Goods Processing and Supplies
Training Centre
Transmission Lines
Utility Lines
Vehicle Sales & Service, Leasing or Rental
Warehousing
Woodlot
Children's Park
ATM Booth
Water Pump \ Reservoir
Social Forestry
Dormitory
Rickshaw \ Auto Rickshaw Stand

Source: Compiled by the Consultants

Landuse Conditionally Permitted

The following uses may be permitted or disallowed in this zone after review and approval by the authority/committee.

Table No. A.12: Landuse Conditionally Permitted

Conditional
Agricultural Chemicals, Pesticides or Fertilizers Shop
Amusement and Recreation (Indoors)
Beauty and Body Service
Broadcast Studio \ Recording Studio (No Audience)
Building Maintenance \ Cleaning Services, No Outside Storage
Building Material Sales or Storage (Indoors)
Graveyard \ Cemetery
Coffee Shop \ Tea Stall
Computer Maintenance and Repair
Computer Sales & Services
Concert Hall, Stage Shows
Conference Center
Construction Company
Construction, Survey, Soil Testing Firms
Cottage
Counseling Services
Craft Workshop
Crematorium
Plantation (Except Narcotic Plant)
Cultural Exhibits and Libraries
Department Stores, Furniture & Variety Stores
Drug Store or Pharmacy
Energy Installation
Fitness Centre
Flowers, Nursery Stock and Florist Supplies
Freight Handling, Storage & Distribution
Freight Transport Facility
Gaming Clubs
Garages
Garden Center or Retail Nursery
Commercial Office
Project Office
Government Office
Hotel or Motel
Household Appliance and Furniture Repair Service
Indoor Amusement Centers, Game Arcades
Indoor Theatre
Lithographic or Print Shop
Market (Bazar)
Health Office, Dental Laboratory, Clinic or Lab
Musical Instrument Sales or Repair

Conditional
Optical Goods Sales
Outdoor Café
Outdoor Fruit and Vegetable Markets
Painting and Wallpaper Sales
Paints and Varnishes
Patio Homes
Photofinishing Laboratory & Studio
Poultry
Printing, Publishing and Distributing
Psychiatric Hospital
Retail Shops Ancillary To Studio \ Workshop
Radio \ Television or T&T Station With Transmitter Tower
Refrigerator or Large Appliance Repair
Restaurant
Retail Shops \ Facilities
Sporting Goods and Toys Sales
Sports and Recreation Club, Firing Range: Indoor
Telephone Exchanges
Television, Radio or Electronics Repair (No Outside Storage)

Source: Compiled by the Consultants

Restricted Uses

All uses except permitted and conditionally permitted uses are restricted in this zone.

Institutional Zone

Landuse Permitted

The following uses in the tables are proposed to be applicable for this zone only.

Table No. A.13: Landuse Permitted

Permitted
Addiction Treatment Center
Billboards, Advertisements & Advertising Structure
Art Gallery, Art Studio \ Workshop
Automobile Driving Academy
Confectionery Shop
Bus Passenger Shelter
Child Daycare \ Preschool
College, University, Technical Institute
Communication Service Facilities
Communication Tower Within Permitted Height
Conference Center
Correctional Institution
Cultural Exhibits and Libraries
Cyber Café
Freight Transport Facility
General Store
Grocery Store
High School

Permitted
Hospital
Lithographic or Print Shop
Mosque, Place Of Worship
Multi-Storey Car Park
Newspaper Stand
Nursery School
Outdoor Religious Events
Photocopying and Duplicating Services
Post Office
Primary School
Professional Office
Project Identification Signs
Property Management Signs
Public Transport Facility
Satellite Dish Antenna
School (Retarded)
Scientific Research Establishment
Shelter (Passers By)
Specialized School: Dance, Art, Music & Others
Training Centre
Transmission Lines
Utility Lines
Vocational, Business, Secretarial School
Woodlot
ATM Booth
Water Pump \ Reservoir
Social Forestry
Dormitory
Veterinary School \ College and Hospital

Source: Compiled by the Consultants

Landuse Conditionally Permitted

The following uses may be permitted or denied in this zone after review and approval by the authority/committee.

Table No. A.14: Landuse Conditionally Permitted

Conditional
Auditorium, Coliseum, Meeting Halls, and Conference Facilities, Convention
Bank & Financial Institution
Barber Shop
Boarding and Rooming House
Book or Stationery Store or Newsstand
Coffee Shop \ Tea Stall
Counseling Services
Courier Service
Plantation (Except Narcotic Plant)
Daycare Center (Commercial or Nonprofit)

Conditional
Doctor \ Dentist Chamber
Drug Store or Pharmacy
Fast Food Establishment \ Food Kiosk
Flowers, Nursery Stock and Florist Supplies
Gallery \ Museum
Garages
Indoor Theatre
orphanage
Outdoor Café
Parking Lot
Pipelines and Utility Lines
Postal Facilities
Psychiatric Hospital

Source: Compiled by the Consultants

Restricted Uses

All uses except permitted and conditionally permitted uses are restricted in this zone.

Administrative Zone

Landuse Permitted

The following uses in the tables are proposed to be applicable for this zone only.

Table No. A.15: Landuse Permitted

Permitted
Accounting, Auditing or Bookkeeping Services
Billboards, Advertisements & Advertising Structure
Confectionery Shop
Bus Passenger Shelter
Civic Administration
Communication Service Facilities
Communication Tower Within Permitted Height
Construction, Survey, Soil Testing Firms
Cultural Exhibits and Libraries
Cyber Café
Emergency Shelter
Freight Transport Facility
General Store
Project Office
Government Office
Grocery Store
Guest House
Multi-Storey Car Park
Newspaper Stand
Outdoor Religious Events
Photocopying and Duplicating Services
Post Office
Professional Office

Permitted
Public Transport Facility
Satellite Dish Antenna
Scientific Research Establishment
Shelter (Passers By)
Training Centre
Transmission Lines
Utility Lines
Woodlot
ATM Booth
Water Pump \ Reservoir
Social Forestry

Source: Compiled by the Consultants

Landuse Conditionally Permitted

The following uses may be permitted or denied in this zone after review and approval by the authority/committee.

Table No. A.16: Landuse Conditionally Permitted

Conditional
Amusement and Recreation (Indoors)
Auditorium, Coliseum, Meeting Halls, and Conference Facilities, Convention
Bank & Financial Institution
Boarding and Rooming House
Book or Stationery Store or Newsstand
Coffee Shop \ Tea Stall
Conference Center
Courier Service
Plantation (Except Narcotic Plant)
Daycare Center (Commercial or Nonprofit)
Detention Facilities
Doctor \ Dentist Chamber
Energy Installation
Fast Food Establishment \ Food Kiosk
Flowers, Nursery Stock and Florist Supplies
Freight Handling, Storage & Distribution
Freight Yard
Gallery \ Museum
Garages
Police Box \ Barrack
Fire \ Rescue Station
Lithographic or Print Shop
Mosque, Place Of Worship
Outdoor Café
Parking Lot
Parking Lot (Commercial)
Pipelines and Utility Lines
Postal Facilities

Source: Compiled by the Consultants

Restricted Uses

All uses except permitted and conditionally permitted uses are restricted in this zone.

Agricultural Zone

Landuse Permitted

The following uses in the tables are proposed to be applicable for this zone only.

Table No. A.17: Landuse Permitted

Permitted
Food Grain Cultivation
Vegetable Cultivation
Cash Crop Cultivation
Horticulture
Arboriculture
Dairy Farming
Deep Tube Well
Shallow Tube Well
Irrigation Facilities (Irrigation Canal, Culvert, Flood Wall etc)
Temporary Structure (Agricultural)
Animal Shelter
Duckery
Aquatic Recreation Facility (Without Structure)
Tree Plantation (Except Narcotic Plant)
Aquaculture
Static Transformer Stations
Transmission Lines
Utility Lines
Woodlot
Social Forestry

Source: Compiled by the Consultants

Landuse Conditionally Permitted

Table No. A.18: Landuse Conditionally Permitted

Conditional
Graveyard \ Cemetery
Communication Tower Within Permitted Height
Crematorium
Fish Hatchery
Garden Center or Retail Nursery
Poultry

Source: Compiled by the Consultants

Restricted Uses

All uses except permitted and conditionally permitted uses are restricted in this zone.

Open Space

Landuse Permitted

The following uses in the tables are proposed to be applicable for this zone only.

Table No. A.19: Landuse Permitted

Permitted
Botanical Garden & Arboretum
Bus Passenger Shelter
Caravan Park \ Camping Ground
Carnivals and Fairs
Circus
Plantation (Except Narcotic Plant)
Landscape and Horticultural Services
Open Theater
Park and Recreation Facilities (General)
Pipelines and Utility Lines
Playing Field
Special Function Tent
Tennis Club
Transmission Lines
Urban-Nature Reserve
Utility Lines
Woodlot
Zoo
Roadside Parking
Social Forestry
Memorial Structure

Source: Compiled by the Consultants

Landuse Conditionally Permitted

Table No. A.20: Landuse Conditionally Permitted

Conditional
Communication Tower Within Permitted Height
Trade Shows
Fitness Centre
Flowers, Nursery Stock and Florist Supplies
Golf Course
Motorized Recreation
Outdoor Recreation Facilities
Outdoor Recreation, Commercial
Outdoor Sports and Recreation
Park Maintenance Facility
Retreat Center
Sports and Recreation Club, Firing Range: Indoor

Source: Compiled by the Consultants

Restricted Uses

All uses except permitted and conditionally permitted uses are restricted.

Water Retention Area

Retaining water is the main purpose of this type of Landuse.

Landuse Permitted

The following uses in the tables are proposed to be applicable for this zone only.

Table No. A.21: Landuse Permitted

Permitted
Aquatic Recreation Facility (Without Structure)
Fishing Club
Utility Lines
Water Parks
Memorial Structure

Source: Compiled by the Consultants

Landuse Conditionally Permitted

The following uses may be permitted or denied in this zone after review and approval by the authority/committee.

Table No. A.22: Landuse Conditionally Permitted

Conditional
Plantation (Except Narcotic Plant)
Marina \ Boating Facility
Motorized Recreation

Source: Compiled by the Consultants

Water body

Landuse Permitted

The following uses in the tables are proposed to be applicable for this zone only.

Table No. A.23: Landuse Permitted

Permitted
Aquatic Recreation Facility (Without Structure)
Fishing Club
Utility Lines
Water Parks
Memorial Structure

Source: Compiled by the Consultants

Landuse Conditionally Permitted

The following uses may be permitted or denied in this zone after review and approval by the authority/committee.

Table No. A.24: Landuse Conditionally Permitted

Conditional
Plantation (Except Narcotic Plant)
Marina \ Boating Facility
Motorized Recreation

Source: Compiled by the Consultants

Restricted Uses

All uses except permitted and conditionally permitted uses are restricted.

ANNEXURE-C

Resolution of Final Consultation Meeting and Attendance List.

Annexure-D

Details of Road Network Proposal

Road ID	Width (feet)	Length (m)	Phase	Type	Ward No
RP01	80	1556.38	1st	Widening	Ward No. 01
RP01	80	1178.57	1st	Widening	Ward No. 02
RP01	80	475.20	1st	Widening	Ward No. 03
RP01	80	371.91	1st	Widening	Ward No. 07
RP01	80	1206.04	1st	Widening	Ward No. 04
RP01	80	1096.17	1st	Widening	Ward No. 05
RP01	80	530.59	1st	Widening	Ward No. 09
RS02	60	661.28	1st	Widening	Ward No. 04
RS03	60	520.66	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RS03	60	825.14	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 06
RS03	60	728.93	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 05
RS04	60	579.90	1st	Widening	Ward No. 01
RS04	60	252.74	1st	Widening	Ward No. 02
RS04	60	781.17	1st	Widening	Ward No. 03
RS04	60	588.79	1st	Widening	Ward No. 04
RS05	60	2696.46	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 08
RS06	60	526.99	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 03
RS07	60	230.88	2nd	New	Ward No. 08
RS07	60	3.25	2nd	New	Ward No. 05
RS07	60	707.33	2nd	New	Ward No. 09
RS08	60	1557.62	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 07
RS17	60	507.67	1st	Widening	Ward No. 07
RS17	60	20.58	1st	Widening	Ward No. 04
RS09	60	254.17	3rd	New	Ward No. 04
RS09	60	364.02	3rd	New	Ward No. 05
RS10	60	1080.99	3rd	New	Ward No. 05
RS14	60	1234.50	3rd	New	Ward No. 05
RS15	60	4.28	2nd	New	Ward No. 06
RS15	60	1700.76	2nd	New	Ward No. 05
RS15	60	175.78	2nd	New	Ward No. 09
RS11	60	459.29	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 01
RS11	60	538.52	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 02
RS12	60	1004.65	3rd	New	Ward No. 05
RS13	60	245.69	1st	Widening	Ward No. 04
RS16	60	10.94	1st	Widening	Ward No. 02
RS16	60	246.98	1st	Widening	Ward No. 03
RS18	60	640.67	1st	Widening	Ward No. 07
RS18	60	288.04	1st	Widening	Ward No. 08
RS18	60	276.94	1st	Widening	Ward No. 04
RS19	40	1187.72	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 06
RS56	40	390.84	2nd	New	Ward No. 09

Road ID	Width (feet)	Length (m)	Phase	Type	Ward No
RS20	40	512.50	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 09
RS21	40	141.32	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 05
RS21	40	1344.85	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 09
RS22	40	369.09	1st	Widening	Ward No. 07
RS22	40	104.64	1st	Widening	Ward No. 04
RS77	40	225.20	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 07
RS76	40	431.87	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 07
RS23	40	123.31	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 03
RS24	40	599.09	1st	Widening	Ward No. 03
RS25	40	719.51	1st	Widening	Ward No. 03
RS25	40	6.28	1st	Widening	Ward No. 07
RS25	40	49.88	1st	Widening	Ward No. 04
RS26	40	31.87	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 03
RS26	40	118.25	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 07
RS27	40	0.43	1st	Widening	Ward No. 02
RS27	40	505.17	1st	Widening	Ward No. 03
RS28	40	125.36	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 03
RS29	40	154.41	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 03
RS57	40	47.86	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 03
RS30	40	219.29	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 03
RS31	40	116.46	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 02
RS31	40	4.28	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 03
RS32	40	137.15	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 03
RS73	40	42.23	2nd	New	Ward No. 03
RS73	40	650.19	2nd	New	Ward No. 07
RS58	40	151.45	1st	Widening	Ward No. 03
RS58	40	166.43	1st	Widening	Ward No. 04
RS33	40	24.39	1st	Widening	Ward No. 03
RS33	40	276.86	1st	Widening	Ward No. 04
RS34	40	88.90	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RS59	40	556.71	1st	Widening	Ward No. 04
RS60	40	1.83	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 03
RS60	40	31.70	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RS61	40	1132.63	1st	Widening	Ward No. 06
RS35	40	39.45	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 06
RS35	40	773.58	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 05
RS36	40	169.62	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 06
RS36	40	1.07	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 05
RS37	40	651.34	1st	Widening	Ward No. 04
RS37	40	31.56	1st	Widening	Ward No. 05
RS38	40	139.90	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RS38	40	7.11	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 05
RS39	40	943.08	3rd	New	Ward No. 09

Road ID	Width (feet)	Length (m)	Phase	Type	Ward No
RS62	40	557.83	3rd	New	Ward No. 01
RS40	40	605.06	2nd	New	Ward No. 01
RS40	40	82.48	2nd	New	Ward No. 02
RS63	40	318.45	1st	Widening	Ward No. 02
RS63	40	161.55	1st	Widening	Ward No. 03
RS41	40	400.68	1st	Widening	Ward No. 03
RS42	40	244.33	1st	New	Ward No. 04
RS65	40	1052.04	3rd	New	Ward No. 01
RS79	40	310.27	3rd	New	Ward No. 02
RS72	40	315.44	3rd	New	Ward No. 02
RS72	40	4.17	3rd	New	Ward No. 03
RS66	40	343.37	3rd	New	Ward No. 03
RS66	40	9.42	3rd	New	Ward No. 07
RS67	40	689.83	3rd	New	Ward No. 07
RS44	40	573.98	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 07
RS45	40	368.96	3rd	New	Ward No. 07
RS45	40	197.50	3rd	New	Ward No. 08
RS46	40	7.47	1st	Widening	Ward No. 05
RS46	40	1027.52	1st	Widening	Ward No. 09
RS47	40	1237.26	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 08
RS48	40	338.43	1st	Widening	Ward No. 07
RS49	40	115.34	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 07
RS50	40	310.42	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RS51	40	215.24	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 01
RS68	40	438.86	3rd	New	Ward No. 01
RS78	40	79.70	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 06
RS52	40	100.37	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 07
RS53	40	592.03	1st	Widening	Ward No. 05
RS71	40	56.81	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 05
RS54	40	5.31	3rd	New	Ward No. 07
RS54	40	130.04	3rd	New	Ward No. 04
RS54	40	402.82	3rd	New	Ward No. 09
RS55	40	335.01	2nd	New	Ward No. 02
RS55	40	4.20	2nd	New	Ward No. 03
RS75	40	371.82	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 03
RS75	40	0.03	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 07
RS74	40	441.49	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 03
RS43	40	352.50	1st	Widening	Ward No. 02
RS64	40	131.28	1st	Widening	Ward No. 01
RS64	40	3.31	1st	Widening	Ward No. 03
RS69	40	30.44	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 06
RS70	40	48.06	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 05
RS80	40	175.47	1st	Widening	Ward No. 03

Road ID	Width (feet)	Length (m)	Phase	Type	Ward No
RS80	40	47.18	1st	W	Ward No. 07
RS56	40	489.26	2nd	New	Ward No. 09
RS19	40	326.85	1st	New	Ward No. 06
RS56	40	382.38	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 09
RS45	40	218.19	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 07
RS40	40	346.96	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 01
RS19	40	81.25	1st	Widening	Ward No. 03
RS19	40	744.18	1st	Widening	Ward No. 04
RS19	40	100.48	1st	Widening	Ward No. 06
RS19	40	242.95	1st	Widening	Ward No. 05
RS42	40	130.53	1st	Widening	Ward No. 04
RS42	40	81.44	1st	Widening	Ward No. 04
RS42	40	26.16	1st	Widening	Ward No. 05
RL81	30	550.58	1st	Widening	Ward No. 03
RL82	30	389.14	1st	Widening	Ward No. 03
RL83	30	155.52	1st	Widening	Ward No. 03
RL84	30	265.87	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 03
RL85	30	70.85	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 03
RL86	30	179.09	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 03
RL87	30	522.97	1st	Widening	Ward No. 02
RL87	30	10.89	1st	Widening	Ward No. 03
RL88	30	204.74	1st	Widening	Ward No. 02
RL89	30	143.08	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 03
RL90	30	72.28	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 03
RL91	30	157.05	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 03
RL91	30	116.68	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RL92	30	74.45	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RL93	30	326.65	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RL94	30	60.35	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RL131	30	257.38	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RL95	30	73.66	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RL96	30	479.49	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 06
RL96	30	199.60	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 05
RL97	30	296.48	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 06
RL97	30	99.92	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 05
RL98	30	119.90	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 06
RL98	30	137.03	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 05
RL99	30	371.86	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 06
RL100	30	750.81	1st	Widening	Ward No. 05
RL132	30	9.40	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RL132	30	281.86	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 05
RL101	30	237.70	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RL101	30	4.80	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 05

Road ID	Width (feet)	Length (m)	Phase	Type	Ward No
RL134	30	267.75	1st	Widening	Ward No. 04
RL135	30	193.33	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RL136	30	183.48	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RL138	30	116.00	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RL102	30	191.28	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 06
RL140	30	2904.60	2nd	New	Ward No. 01
RL149	30	666.37	2nd	New	Ward No. 02
RL103	30	429.06	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 07
RL104	30	361.77	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 07
RL105	30	765.88	3rd	New	Ward No. 07
RL106	30	578.50	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 07
RL107	30	120.45	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 07
RL141	30	532.36	1st	Widening	Ward No. 08
RL141	30	765.92	1st	Widening	Ward No. 09
RL152	30	606.70	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 08
RL154	30	140.89	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 08
RL108	30	222.42	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 08
RL109	30	239.98	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 08
RL143	30	410.00	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 01
RL110	30	113.49	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 01
RL144	30	219.98	1st	Widening	Ward No. 01
RL145	30	144.52	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 01
RL111	30	287.52	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 01
RL112	30	169.47	1st	Widening	Ward No. 02
RL113	30	850.08	1st	Widening	Ward No. 04
RL114	30	339.96	1st	Widening	Ward No. 04
RL115	30	115.39	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RL116	30	644.67	1st	Widening	Ward No. 01
RL117	30	713.25	1st	Widening	Ward No. 01
RL118	30	371.20	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 01
RL119	30	226.26	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 01
RL120	30	539.76	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 01
RL121	30	346.50	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 03
RL122	30	164.44	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 03
RL123	30	364.51	1st	Widening	Ward No. 04
RL124	30	13.11	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 03
RL124	30	119.12	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RL125	30	132.94	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RL147	30	255.00	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RL126	30	210.40	1st	Widening	Ward No. 04
RL127	30	2.65	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RL127	30	142.50	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 05
RL148	30	56.03	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 05

Road ID	Width (feet)	Length (m)	Phase	Type	Ward No
RL128	30	177.34	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 06
RL129	30	244.31	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 06
RL153	30	262.21	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 08
RL155	30	50.39	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 07
RL151	30	196.76	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 01
RL151	30	9.88	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 02
RL146	30	67.77	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 01
RL139	30	3.27	2nd	New	Ward No. 01
RL139	30	528.40	2nd	New	Ward No. 03
RL139	30	599.20	2nd	New	Ward No. 04
RL139	30	228.73	2nd	New	Ward No. 05
RL137	30	47.15	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RL133	30	120.00	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 05
RL142	30	85.50	1st	Widening	Ward No. 09
RL130	30	134.05	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RL150	30	592.71	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 02
RA174	20	232.69	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 01
RA156	20	92.07	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 01
RA175	20	138.42	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 01
RA157	20	83.20	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 01
RA176	20	78.70	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 01
RA177	20	185.10	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 01
RA158	20	170.62	1st	Widening	Ward No. 01
RA159	20	140.97	1st	Widening	Ward No. 02
RA160	20	124.43	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 02
RA161	20	158.62	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 02
RA162	20	166.20	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 02
RA163	20	166.73	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 03
RA164	20	179.88	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 03
RA178	20	291.48	1st	Widening	Ward No. 02
RA165	20	92.92	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RA166	20	141.26	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 04
RA167	20	332.92	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 05
RA168	20	4.15	1st	Widening	Ward No. 03
RA168	20	492.30	1st	Widening	Ward No. 07
RA169	20	82.10	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 07
RA170	20	136.81	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 01
RA171	20	130.73	3rd	Widening	Ward No. 01
RA172	20	122.23	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 01
RA173	20	163.59	2nd	Widening	Ward No. 07
Total =86.20 Km (86,196.89 Meter)					

Annexure-E

Details of Drainage Network Proposal

Drain ID	Type	Length (m)	Phase	Ward No
PD01	Primary	1516.19	1st	Ward No. 01
PD01	Primary	1183.56	1st	Ward No. 02
PD01	Primary	474.09	1st	Ward No. 03
PD01	Primary	1203.30	1st	Ward No. 04
PD01	Primary	1097.18	1st	Ward No. 05
PD01	Primary	371.63	1st	Ward No. 07
PD01	Primary	537.19	1st	Ward No. 09
PD02	Primary	661.28	1st	Ward No. 04
PD04	Primary	579.37	1st	Ward No. 01
PD04	Primary	254.38	1st	Ward No. 02
PD04	Primary	779.14	1st	Ward No. 03
PD04	Primary	589.71	1st	Ward No. 04
PD05	Primary	2696.46	3rd	Ward No. 08
PD18	Primary	277.47	1st	Ward No. 04
PD18	Primary	642.84	1st	Ward No. 07
PD18	Primary	285.35	1st	Ward No. 08
PD64	Primary	134.59	1st	Ward No. 01
SD03	Secondary	504.41	2nd	Ward No. 04
SD03	Secondary	692.98	2nd	Ward No. 05
SD03	Secondary	864.91	2nd	Ward No. 06
SD06	Secondary	532.85	2nd	Ward No. 03
SD07	Secondary	230.57	2nd	Ward No. 08
SD07	Secondary	710.88	2nd	Ward No. 09
SD08	Secondary	1557.63	2nd	Ward No. 07
SD09	Secondary	245.55	3rd	Ward No. 04
SD09	Secondary	363.39	3rd	Ward No. 05
SD10	Secondary	1080.99	3rd	Ward No. 05
SD11	Secondary	458.40	2nd	Ward No. 01
SD11	Secondary	297.60	2nd	Ward No. 02
SD11	Secondary	246.71	2nd	Ward No. 02
SD12	Secondary	1004.65	3rd	Ward No. 05
SD13	Secondary	245.69	1st	Ward No. 04
SD14	Secondary	1234.50	3rd	Ward No. 05
SD15	Secondary	1707.18	2nd	Ward No. 05
SD15	Secondary	173.65	2nd	Ward No. 09
SD16	Secondary	257.92	1st	Ward No. 03
SD17	Secondary	528.24	1st	Ward No. 07
SD19	Secondary	80.64	1st	Ward No. 03
SD19	Secondary	377.09	1st	Ward No. 04
SD19	Secondary	352.37	1st	Ward No. 04
SD19	Secondary	245.19	1st	Ward No. 05

Drain ID	Type	Length (m)	Phase	Ward No
SD19	Secondary	1192.80	2nd	Ward No. 06
SD19	Secondary	326.85	1st	Ward No. 06
SD19	Secondary	100.20	1st	Ward No. 06
SD20	Secondary	512.50	3rd	Ward No. 09
SD21	Secondary	1464.50	2nd	Ward No. 09
SD22	Secondary	473.73	1st	Ward No. 07
SD23	Secondary	123.31	3rd	Ward No. 03
SD24	Secondary	599.09	1st	Ward No. 03
SD25	Secondary	727.32	1st	Ward No. 03
SD25	Secondary	48.34	1st	Ward No. 04
SD26	Secondary	33.11	3rd	Ward No. 03
SD26	Secondary	117.00	3rd	Ward No. 07
SD27	Secondary	505.59	1st	Ward No. 03
SD28	Secondary	125.36	3rd	Ward No. 03
SD29	Secondary	154.41	3rd	Ward No. 03
SD30	Secondary	219.29	2nd	Ward No. 03
SD31	Secondary	120.74	2nd	Ward No. 02
SD32	Secondary	137.15	2nd	Ward No. 03
SD33	Secondary	301.25	1st	Ward No. 04
SD34	Secondary	88.90	3rd	Ward No. 04
SD35	Secondary	813.03	2nd	Ward No. 05
SD36	Secondary	170.69	3rd	Ward No. 06
SD37	Secondary	682.90	1st	Ward No. 04
SD38	Secondary	147.00	3rd	Ward No. 04
SD39	Secondary	943.08	3rd	Ward No. 09
SD40	Secondary	607.40	2nd	Ward No. 01
SD40	Secondary	346.96	2nd	Ward No. 01
SD40	Secondary	80.14	2nd	Ward No. 02
SD41	Secondary	400.68	1st	Ward No. 03
SD42	Secondary	244.33	1st	Ward No. 04
SD42	Secondary	115.89	1st	Ward No. 04
SD42	Secondary	107.59	1st	Ward No. 04
SD43	Secondary	352.50	1st	Ward No. 02
SD44	Secondary	578.60	3rd	Ward No. 07
SD45	Secondary	368.69	3rd	Ward No. 07
SD45	Secondary	218.19	3rd	Ward No. 07
SD45	Secondary	197.78	3rd	Ward No. 08
SD46	Secondary	1034.98	1st	Ward No. 09
SD47	Secondary	1237.26	2nd	Ward No. 08
SD48	Secondary	338.43	1st	Ward No. 07
SD49	Secondary	115.34	3rd	Ward No. 07
SD50	Secondary	310.42	2nd	Ward No. 04
SD51	Secondary	227.10	3rd	Ward No. 01

Drain ID	Type	Length (m)	Phase	Ward No
SD52	Secondary	100.37	3rd	Ward No. 07
SD53	Secondary	592.03	1st	Ward No. 05
SD54	Secondary	128.55	3rd	Ward No. 04
SD54	Secondary	409.61	3rd	Ward No. 09
SD55	Secondary	339.22	2nd	Ward No. 02
SD56	Secondary	390.84	2nd	Ward No. 09
SD56	Secondary	489.26	2nd	Ward No. 09
SD56	Secondary	382.38	2nd	Ward No. 09
SD57	Secondary	47.86	3rd	Ward No. 03
SD58	Secondary	152.63	1st	Ward No. 03
SD58	Secondary	165.25	1st	Ward No. 04
SD59	Secondary	556.71	1st	Ward No. 04
SD60	Secondary	33.53	3rd	Ward No. 04
SD61	Secondary	1132.63	1st	Ward No. 06
SD62	Secondary	557.83	3rd	Ward No. 01
SD63	Secondary	480.00	1st	Ward No. 02
SD65	Secondary	1052.04	3rd	Ward No. 01
SD66	Secondary	352.79	3rd	Ward No. 03
SD67	Secondary	689.83	3rd	Ward No. 07
SD68	Secondary	438.86	3rd	Ward No. 01
SD69	Secondary	30.44	3rd	Ward No. 06
SD70	Secondary	48.06	3rd	Ward No. 05
SD71	Secondary	56.81	3rd	Ward No. 05
SD72	Secondary	319.61	3rd	Ward No. 02
SD73	Secondary	700.16	2nd	Ward No. 07
SD74	Secondary	441.49	2nd	Ward No. 03
SD75	Secondary	371.85	2nd	Ward No. 03
SD76	Secondary	431.87	2nd	Ward No. 07
SD77	Secondary	225.20	2nd	Ward No. 07
SD78	Secondary	79.70	3rd	Ward No. 06
SD79	Secondary	320.37	3rd	Ward No. 02
SD80	Secondary	222.65	1st	Ward No. 03
SD134	Secondary	267.75	1st	Ward No. 04
TD81	Tertiary	550.58	1st	Ward No. 03
TD82	Tertiary	389.14	1st	Ward No. 03
TD83	Tertiary	155.52	1st	Ward No. 03
TD84	Tertiary	265.87	3rd	Ward No. 03
TD85	Tertiary	70.85	3rd	Ward No. 03
TD86	Tertiary	179.09	3rd	Ward No. 03
TD87	Tertiary	462.58	1st	Ward No. 02
TD87	Tertiary	66.88	1st	Ward No. 02
TD88	Tertiary	204.74	1st	Ward No. 02
TD89	Tertiary	143.08	3rd	Ward No. 03

Drain ID	Type	Length (m)	Phase	Ward No
TD90	Tertiary	72.28	3rd	Ward No. 03
TD91	Tertiary	157.19	3rd	Ward No. 03
TD91	Tertiary	116.54	3rd	Ward No. 04
TD92	Tertiary	74.45	3rd	Ward No. 04
TD93	Tertiary	326.65	3rd	Ward No. 04
TD94	Tertiary	60.35	3rd	Ward No. 04
TD95	Tertiary	73.66	3rd	Ward No. 04
TD96	Tertiary	199.01	2nd	Ward No. 05
TD96	Tertiary	480.08	2nd	Ward No. 06
TD97	Tertiary	396.40	2nd	Ward No. 06
TD98	Tertiary	256.94	2nd	Ward No. 06
TD99	Tertiary	371.86	2nd	Ward No. 06
TD100	Tertiary	750.81	1st	Ward No. 05
TD101	Tertiary	242.50	3rd	Ward No. 04
TD102	Tertiary	191.28	3rd	Ward No. 06
TD103	Tertiary	429.06	3rd	Ward No. 07
TD104	Tertiary	361.77	2nd	Ward No. 07
TD105	Tertiary	765.88	3rd	Ward No. 07
TD106	Tertiary	578.50	2nd	Ward No. 07
TD107	Tertiary	120.45	3rd	Ward No. 07
TD108	Tertiary	222.42	3rd	Ward No. 08
TD109	Tertiary	239.98	3rd	Ward No. 08
TD110	Tertiary	113.49	3rd	Ward No. 01
TD111	Tertiary	160.22	2nd	Ward No. 01
TD111	Tertiary	119.79	2nd	Ward No. 01
TD112	Tertiary	169.47	1st	Ward No. 02
TD113	Tertiary	850.08	1st	Ward No. 04
TD114	Tertiary	339.96	1st	Ward No. 04
TD115	Tertiary	115.39	3rd	Ward No. 04
TD116	Tertiary	644.67	1st	Ward No. 01
TD117	Tertiary	713.25	1st	Ward No. 01
TD118	Tertiary	371.20	2nd	Ward No. 01
TD119	Tertiary	226.26	3rd	Ward No. 01
TD120	Tertiary	539.76	2nd	Ward No. 01
TD121	Tertiary	346.50	3rd	Ward No. 03
TD122	Tertiary	164.44	2nd	Ward No. 03
TD123	Tertiary	189.51	1st	Ward No. 04
TD123	Tertiary	156.48	1st	Ward No. 04
TD124	Tertiary	132.23	2nd	Ward No. 04
TD125	Tertiary	132.94	3rd	Ward No. 04
TD126	Tertiary	210.40	1st	Ward No. 04
TD127	Tertiary	145.15	3rd	Ward No. 05
TD128	Tertiary	177.34	3rd	Ward No. 06

Drain ID	Type	Length (m)	Phase	Ward No
TD129	Tertiary	244.31	3rd	Ward No. 06
TD130	Tertiary	134.05	3rd	Ward No. 04
TD131	Tertiary	257.38	3rd	Ward No. 04
TD132	Tertiary	291.26	2nd	Ward No. 05
TD133	Tertiary	120.00	2nd	Ward No. 05
TD135	Tertiary	193.33	3rd	Ward No. 04
TD136	Tertiary	183.48	3rd	Ward No. 04
TD137	Tertiary	47.15	3rd	Ward No. 04
TD138	Tertiary	116.00	3rd	Ward No. 04
TD139	Tertiary	532.40	2nd	Ward No. 03
TD139	Tertiary	345.09	2nd	Ward No. 04
TD139	Tertiary	216.10	2nd	Ward No. 04
TD139	Tertiary	227.73	2nd	Ward No. 05
TD140	Tertiary	2708.19	2nd	Ward No. 01
TD140	Tertiary	183.34	2nd	Ward No. 01
TD141	Tertiary	504.62	1st	Ward No. 08
TD141	Tertiary	793.65	1st	Ward No. 09
TD142	Tertiary	85.50	1st	Ward No. 09
TD143	Tertiary	410.00	2nd	Ward No. 01
TD144	Tertiary	219.98	1st	Ward No. 01
TD145	Tertiary	144.52	3rd	Ward No. 01
TD146	Tertiary	67.77	3rd	Ward No. 01
TD147	Tertiary	255.00	2nd	Ward No. 04
TD148	Tertiary	56.03	3rd	Ward No. 05
TD149	Tertiary	666.37	2nd	Ward No. 02
TD150	Tertiary	592.71	2nd	Ward No. 02
TD151	Tertiary	206.63	2nd	Ward No. 01
TD152	Tertiary	606.70	3rd	Ward No. 08
TD153	Tertiary	262.21	3rd	Ward No. 08
TD154	Tertiary	140.89	3rd	Ward No. 08
TD155	Tertiary	50.39	3rd	Ward No. 07
TD156	Tertiary	92.07	3rd	Ward No. 01
TD157	Tertiary	83.20	3rd	Ward No. 01
TD158	Tertiary	170.62	1st	Ward No. 01
TD159	Tertiary	140.97	1st	Ward No. 02
TD160	Tertiary	124.43	3rd	Ward No. 02
TD161	Tertiary	158.62	2nd	Ward No. 02
TD162	Tertiary	166.20	3rd	Ward No. 02
TD163	Tertiary	166.73	2nd	Ward No. 03
TD164	Tertiary	179.88	3rd	Ward No. 03
TD165	Tertiary	92.92	3rd	Ward No. 04
TD166	Tertiary	141.26	2nd	Ward No. 04
TD167	Tertiary	332.92	3rd	Ward No. 05

Drain ID	Type	Length (m)	Phase	Ward No
TD168	Tertiary	496.45	1st	Ward No. 07
TD169	Tertiary	82.10	3rd	Ward No. 07
TD170	Tertiary	136.81	3rd	Ward No. 01
TD171	Tertiary	130.73	3rd	Ward No. 01
TD172	Tertiary	122.23	2nd	Ward No. 01
TD173	Tertiary	163.59	2nd	Ward No. 07
TD174	Tertiary	232.69	3rd	Ward No. 01
TD175	Tertiary	138.42	3rd	Ward No. 01
TD176	Tertiary	78.70	3rd	Ward No. 01
TD177	Tertiary	185.10	2nd	Ward No. 01
TD178	Tertiary	291.48	1st	Ward No. 02
Total 86.06 Km (86062.14Meter)				

Annexure-F

Mouza Schedule of Development Proposal

Proposed Facilities	Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area in Acre
Administration				
Sub Jail	6	Solemanpur_063_02	2712-2726, 2728-2737, 2739-2741, 3005	14.52
Residential				
Planned Residential Area-1	4	Solemanpur_063_01	705-708, 712-718, 719 part, 732 part, 733-739, 746 part, 747 part	12.51
	5	Solemanpur_063_01	743 part, 744-745, 755 part, 757-763, 764 part, 765 part, 768-774, 775 part, 777 part, 778-783, 784 part, 792 part, 793, 794 part	18.07
Planned Residential Area-2	4	Bajebamondaho_062_02	181 part, 182 part, 361	1.41
	7	Bajebamondaho_062_03	522-543	7.85
	8	Boro Bamondaho_061_01	898 part, 899-914, 915 part, 916 part	5.14
	9	Solemanpur_063_04	7022 part, 7024-7026, 7027 part, 7028 part, 7029-7045, 7046 part, 7047 part, 7048-7072, 7079 part, 7080-7087, 7088 part, 8092-7107, 7108 part, 7109-7117, 7147 part, 7149, 7150 part, 7151-7159, 7160 part, 7164-7167, 7168 part, 72456 part, 7247 part, 7770-7771, 7774	61.06
Low Income Houseing Area	5	Solemanpur_063_03	5352 part, 5357-5259, 5360 part, 5361 part, 5362, 5379, 5380 part, 5381-5382, 5383 part, 5392 part, 5393, 5394 part, 5395 part, 5396 part,	6.52
	9	Solemanpur_063_06	8197 part, 8198-8199, 8200 part, 8201 part, 8224-8234, 8235 part, 8242 part, 8243-8261	15.59
Re-Settlement Residential Zone	5	Solemanpur_063_03	5396 part, 5397, 5398 part, 5492-5496, 5497 part, 5498 part, 6119 part	5.12
	9	Solemanpur_063_06	8262-8272, 8282	12.62
Commercial Facility				
Poura Super Market	3	Kotchandpur_046_02	950 part, 951, 1557 part	0.31
Super Market-1	1	Kotchandpur_046_01	369 part, 370 part, 371 part	0.53
Super Market-2	3	Kotchandpur_046_02	1216, 1220 part	0.77
Ktite Market	9	Solemanpur_064_04	7010 part, 7011 part, 7019 part, 7020-7021, 7022 part	1.69
Wholesale Market	4	Bajebamondaho_062_02	153 part, 155-156, 158, 159 part	2.53
		Solemanpur_063_01	848 part	

Industrial				
General Industrial Zone	5	Solemanpur_063_03	5299 part, 5300, 5303 part, 5304 part, 5305-5339, 5340 part, 5343 part, 5344, 5345 part, 5346-5347, 5348 part, 5352-5355, 5364-5377, 5378 part, 5380 part, 5383 part, 5384-5391, 5398 part, 5401-5442, 5443 part, 5444-5445, 5448 part, 5449, 5450 part, 5451 part, 5452-5457, 5458 part, 5459 part, 5460-5461, 5467 part, 5468-5490, 5497, 5504 part, 5505-5517, 5638-5639, 5642-5643, 5644 part, 6011 part, 2012 part, 6013, 6014 part, 6015 part	121.41
		Solemanpur_063_04	7731-7759	
Transportation				
Bus Terminal	4	Solemanpur_063_01	676 part, 677 part, 678 part, 681 part, 682 part	1.78
Truck Terminal	4	Solemanpur_063_01	659 part, 692 part, 693 part	1.79
Loading/Unloading Area	4	Solemanpur_063_01	677 part, 689 part, 692 part	1.05
Tempo Stand-1	2	Kotchandpur_046_01	200	0.29
Tempo Stand-2	2	Kotchandpur_046_02	505 part, 507 part	0.07
Tempo Stand-3	3	Kotchandpur_046_02	1203 part, 1204 part	0.30
Tempo Stand-4	5	Solemanpur_063_04	7760 part, 7761 part, 7762, 7763 part	0.56
Educational Institution				
University	5	Solemanpur_063_03	5063 part, 5064 part, 5065, 5066 part, 5070 part, 5250 part, 5251, 5252 part, 5261 part, 5262-5287, 5288 part, 5289-5298, 5301 part, 5302 part, 5304 part, 5443 part, 5446-5447, 5450 part, 5535 part, 5536, 5537 part, 6117	41.81
		Solemanpur_063_04	7686-7687, 7689-7710, 7711 part, 7716-7717	
Vocational Training Center	9	Solemanpur_063_04	7140-7146, 7147 part, 7148, 7150 part	5.33
Pourahigh School	4	Bajebamondaho_62_02	206 part, 207 part, 209-210, 211 part, 212 part	2.02
Open Space				
Central Park	9	Solemanpur_064_04	7090, 7161-7162, 7169 part, 7170-7181, 7182 part, 7183-7190, 7191 part, 7192 part, 7239 part, 7241 part, 7242 part, 7245 part, 7246 part	9.79
Community Park-1	1	Dudhsora_045_02	862-865, 867, 874, 875 part	3.07
Community Park-2	2	Kotchandpur_046_01	2 part, 3-6, 9 part	1.48
Community Park-3	2	Kotchandpur_046_01	113, 114 part, 115 part, 116 part, 117 part, 118 part, 121 part, 141 part, 142 part, 143, 147	4.71
Community Park-4	5	Solemanpur_063_03	5138-5139, 5140 part, 5141 part, 5142 part, 5143-5145, 5149 part, 5150	2.78

Community Park-5	6	Solemanpur_063_02	2008 part, 2009 part, 2010 part, 2011 part, 2012 part, 2014-2015, 2016 part, 2018, 2019 part, 2020-2026, 2027 part, 2028 part, 2029 part, 2030 part, 2034 part	4.37
Community Park-6	8	Bori Bamondaho_061_01	369-372, 389-390	3.22
Community Park-7	9	Solemanpur_063_06	8055-8059, 8063 , 8064 part, 8065 part, 8076-8079	2.81
Playground-1	1	Bhabanipur_043_00	421 part, 422 part, 423 part, 424 part, 435 part, 436 part, 437 part, 439 part, 440-443, 497 part, 451-452, 457, 458 part, 459 part, 503	3.79
Playground-2	2	Kotchandpur_046_02	470-473, 474 part, 478 part, 479-480	2.66
Playground-3	6	Solemanpur_063_02	2016 part, 2017, 2031 part, 2032-2033, 2034 part, 2035, 2036 part, 2037-2039, 2040 part, 2041 part	4.93
Playground-4	8	Boro Bamondaho_061_01	365-366, 367 part	3.95
		Boro Bamondaho_061_03	1501-1504, 1515 part, 1521 part	
Shisu Park	2	Kotchandpur_046_02	474, 475-477, 478 part	2.25
Utility & Service Facility				
Dumping Site	1	Dudhsora_045_02	1000 part, 1007 part, 1008, 1009 part, 1011 part, 1081 part	2.64
Public Toilet-1	1	Dudhsora_045_01	305 part, 306 part	0.27
Public Toilet-2	3	Kotchandpur_046_02	1037 part	0.08
Public Toilet-3	5	Solemanpur_063_04	7760 part	0.12
Pump House	1	Kotchandpur_046_01	356 part, 366 part, 367 part	0.09
Slutter House	4	Solemanpur_063_01	4 part, 877 part	0.27
Surface Water Teatment Plant-1	4	Solemanpur_063_01	87-92	0.30
Surface Water Teatment Plant-2	6	Solemanpur_063_02	2002 part, 2004, 2005 part	1.21
Waste Transfer Station-1	1	Dudhsora_045_01	293 part, 294 part, 298, 300 part	0.67
Waste Transfer Station-2	3	Kotchandpur_046_02	1023 part, 1040 part	0.18
Waste Transfer Station-3	5	Solemanpur_063_04	7760 part, 7761 part	0.37
Helath Facilities				
Hospital Zone	1	Dudhsora_045_02	740 part, 741-746, 776 part, 777 part, 778 part, 870-873, 876-880, 881 part, 889 part, 890-894, 895 part, 896-897, 989 part, 899 part, 900 part, 920-922, 925-929, 930 part, 931, 932 part,	19.00
Urban Deffard				
Urban Defferd	4	Solemanpur_063_01	709-710, 737 part, 740 part	20.06
		Solemanpur_063_03	5001-5008	
		Solemanpur_063_04	7655-7678, 7792	
	5	Solemanpur_063_01	764 part, 765 part, 766, 776 part	49.96

		Solemanpur_063_03	5010-5028, 5029 part, 5030 part, 5031-5062, 5063 part, 5064 part, 5066 part, 5067-5069, 5070 part, 5071-5100, 5101 part, 5102 part, 5233 part, 5235-5237, 5238 part, 5239-5245, 5246 part, 5247, 5248 part, 5249 part, 6108-6113		
		Solemanpur_063_04	7680-7685, 7688 part		
Recreational Facilities					
Stadium/ Complex	Sports	5	Solemanpur_063_03	5288 part, 5297 part, 5298 part	6.99
			Solemanpur_063_04	7711 part, 7712-7715, 7718-7729, 7730 part	
Community Facilities					
Muktijoddha Complex		4	Solemanpur_064_01	696 part	0.58
Cremation		1	Dudhsora_045_02	1074 part, 1078 part	0.43
Community Center		2	Kotchandpur_046_01	2 part, 7-8, 9 part, 10	2.52
Ward Center		1	Dudhsora_045_01	304 part	0.39
		2	Kotchandpur_046_01	146, 151 part	0.30
		3	Kotchandpur_046_02	1422 part	0.26
		4	Solemanpur_063_01	152 part	0.19
		5	Solemanpur_063_01	836 part, 837 part, 838 part	0.60
		6	Solemanpur_063_02	2297 part, 2298 part	0.14
		7	Bajebamondaho_062_02	40, 41 part	0.36
		8	Boro Bamondaho_061_01	580 part, 583 part, 799799	0.80
		9	Solemanpur_063_04	7579	0.88

Annexure-G

Mouza Schedule of Water body Pond

Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area in Acre
Ward No. 01	Dudhsora_045_01	136 part, 141 part	0.16
		261 part	0.26
		352	0.26
		612 part	0.08
		606	5.03
		796 part, 498 part	0.15
	Kotchandpur_046_01	308-384 part, 409 part	0.36
		362 part	0.12
		383 part, 384 part	0.23
		404	2.91
	Dudhsora_045_02	717 part	0.77
		751 part	0.18
		754 part, 755 aprt	0.21
		772	0.42
		773 part, 774 part, 775 part, 776 part	0.52
		775 part	0.29
		816 part, 817 part	0.09
		827, 1067	26.08
		836 part, 837 part, 838 part	0.45
		837 part, 838 part, 839 part	0.53
		839 part, 840-841	0.45
		839 part, 842, 846	0.18
Ward No. 02	Kotchandpur_046_01	108	0.44
		150 part	0.09
		176 part	0.05
		220 part	0.14
		310	0.27
		333 part	0.62
		342	0.68
		408 part	0.11
		410 part	0.14
		410 part	0.10
	Kotchandpur_046_02	612 part	0.11
Ward No. 03	Kotchandpur_046_02	1099 part, 1100 part, 1108 part, 1109 part	0.591
		1191 part, 1193 part, 1194 aprt, 1195 part, 1199 part	0.681
		1199 part, 1200 part, 1201 part, 1202 part	0.344
		1048 part	0.121
		1013 part, 1015 part, 1016 part	0.135
		1017 part	0.17
		987	1.02
		989 part	0.10

Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area in Acre
		999 part, 1000 part	0.16
		936	0.54
		952 part	0.19
		957 part, 960-962, 967 part	0.71
		1416	0.25
		1423 part	0.29
		193 part, 1394 part	0.14
		1526	0.17
		652 part, 654 part	0.14
		650 part	0.12
		649	0.13
		644, 1544	0.13
		706	0.20
		763 part	0.20
		760 part, 762 part	0.20
		1530	0.03
		817	7.20
Ward Bo. 04	Bajebamondaho_062_02	129 part, 134 part	0.37
		188 part	0.34
		164	0.14
		199 part	0.54
		222, 223	0.18
		242 part	0.33
	Solemanpur_063_01	662, 663-664, 666 part, 667 part, 668 part, 669 part, 672, 673 part	0.68
		882	0.59
		881	0.77
		669 part, 670 part	0.15
		649	2.75
		617	1.34
		157	1.25
		158	6.56
		87	0.34
		600-601	0.52
		623 part	0.07
		551 part, 519 part	0.09
		533	0.12
		566	0.10
		486 part	0.10
		388 part	0.09
		341 part	0.12
		342 part	0.26
	Solemanpur_063_04	7654 part	0.39
		7662 part	0.05
Ward No. 05	Solemanpur_063_01	158 part	2.81
		158 part	0.32
		332 part, 335 part	0.15
		437 part	0.46

Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area in Acre
		394 part, 396 part	0.20
		449	0.11
		450 part	0.05
		466	0.43
		798 part, 799 part, 800 part	0.86
	Solemanpur_063_02	2161 part	0.04
		2189	0.17
		2337 part	0.27
		2335 part, 2336 part, 2346 part	0.08
		2335 part	0.06
		2327	0.08
		2325 part	0.04
		2308 part	0.04
		1310 part, 1311 part, 1313 part	0.31
		2317 part	0.14
		2317 part	0.04
		2372 part. 2373 part	0.22
		2379 part, 2399 part	0.24
		21391 part, 2392 part	0.15
		2408 part	0.04
		2934, 2947	1.89
		2933 part	0.06
		2936 part	0.15
		2937 part	0.10
	Solemanpur_063_03	5010	0.75
		5060	0.86
		5361	0.29
	Solemanpur_063_04	7654 part	0.99
		7686 part, 7687, 7690 part, 7701 part	1.45
Ward No. 06	Solemanpur_063_02	2001	26.70
		2093 part	0.10
		2213, 2220	0.71
		2261 part. 2265 part	0.32
		2305 part	0.04
		2298 part	0.27
		2545 part	0.14
		2546 part, 2547 part	0.69
		2548-2550, 2567	2.06
		2564 part, 2571, 2573 part	1.38
		2516 part	0.13
		2454 part, 2455 part, 2456 part, 2457 part	0.15
		2584 part	0.46
		2429 part, 2430 part, 2431 part	0.25
		2420 part, 2421 part	0.12
		2410 part	0.09
Ward No. 07	Kotchandpur_046_02	1351	0.17
	Kotchandpur_046_03	1907-1909, 1911-1912	0.73

Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area in Acre
		1917 part	0.07
		1918 part	0.10
		1920 part, 1921 part	0.25
		1937-1939	0.05
		1931 part	0.11
		1949 part, 1950 part	0.17
		1952 part	0.10
		1985 part	0.04
		1961 part, 2128 part	0.14
		2129 part	0.14
		2131 part	0.16
		1974 part	0.19
		2111 part	0.11
	Bajebamondaho_062_02	55-60 part	0.42
		273 part, 276 part	0.15
		357 part	0.36
		533 part	0.13
		284 part, 285 part, 286 part, 319 part	0.58
		296 part, 318 part	0.10
		449 part, 450 part	0.33
		369 part	0.14
Ward No. 08	Boro Bamondaho_061_01	68 part, 85 part	0.06
		129	0.26
		148 part, 149 part	0.12
		170 part	0.12
		208	0.52
		217 part	0.13
		500 part	0.08
		512 part	0.19
		202 part, 509 part	0.20
		524	0.16
		535 part, 536 part, 538 part, 539, 540 part	0.68
		545 part, 546 part	0.27
		595	0.18
		491 part, 492 part	0.11
		249 part	0.06
		444 part, 445	0.21
		457 part	0.28
		429 part	0.26
		392-396 part	0.50
		378 part	0.43
		802 part	0.09
		840 part	0.23
		843	1.21
		286 part	0.10
	Boro Bamondaho_061_03	1533 part	0.07

Ward No.	CS Mouza Name	Plot No.	Area in Acre
Ward No. 09	Solemanpur_063_04	7262 part, 7263 part, 7264 part, 7266 part	0.22
		7639 part	0.22
		7641 part	0.23
		7637 part	0.25
		7606 part	0.11
		7470 part	0.10
		7479 part	0.11
		7468 part	0.04
		7485 part	0.06
		7491	0.15
		7458 part	0.15
		7294 part	0.12
		7297	0.04
		7291 part	0.06
		7251-7252 part	0.21
		7450 part	0.11
		7357-7360 part	0.18
	Solemanpur_063_05	7944 part	0.07
	Solemanpur_063_06	8098 part, 8109	0.88
		8137 part	0.23
		8139 part	0.04
		8153 part	0.13
		8160-8161 part, 8181	0.22
		8210 part	0.45
		8210 part	0.36
		8168 part	0.21
		8172-8173 part, 8178	0.47
		8163-8165, 8180-8181 part	0.36
		8442 part	0.14
		8468 part	0.43
		8500 part	0.04
		8487 part, 8492 part	0.14
		8493 part	0.09
		8503 part	0.04
		8508	0.13
		8527 part	0.21
		8528-8529 part	0.08
		8532 part	0.39
		8535-8537 part, 8539 part, 8541-8542 part, 8548 aprt, 8863-8864 part	0.47
		8551-8552 part, 8555-8558 part	0.59

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