

People's participation



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Excluded people's Rights



COAST Foundation has been implementing a project named "Citizen Participation in Public Institutions (CEPI) project" from January 2019 which is technically supported by Manusher Jonno Foundation (MJF) and financially supported by FCDO. The project runs its activities in Bhola Sadar, Daulatkhan and Lalmohan Upazila under Bhola District. Its goal is to uphold the poor, marginalized and socially excluded people obtaining rights and access to materials, resources and services from the responsive local government Institutions (LGIS).

Addition to increasing the allocation for resolving the drinking water crisis, public participation is essential in the selection process for the location of the tube well



Mohammad Masum Billah - Deputy Assistant Engineer, Directorate of Public Health Engineering, Bhola Sadar
Photo: Shesh Khan Shaon, Finance and Admin Officer

At the initiative of Upazila Nagarik Forum Bhola sadar to highlight citizen dialogue and recommendations for improving the quality of potable water at the local level, the speakers at the Civil Dialogue on improving the quality of potable water held at the conference room of the Department of Public Health Engineering on January 26 at 11.00 am. He further added that Public participation is essential in the selection process. The chief guest in the meeting said that the government has taken initiative to fulfill the goal of SDG The Upazila Watson Committee pays 50% and the local MP pays 50%. We are instructed to have deep tube wells in the community label. If we don't, we refrain from

paying the bill. We do research every day on the issue of how to supply pure water. There is a map provided by the government to the public health engineer. Layers are never fixed so knowingly install deep tube wells in water layers at the initiative of Upazila Citizens Forum Bhola sadar to highlight citizen dialogue and recommendations for improving the quality of potable water services at the local level. Speakers at the Citizens' Dialogue on Quality Improvement called for increasing the allocation for resolving the water crisis at the local level as well as public participation in the process of selecting the location of the tube well. The chief guest in the meeting said that the government has taken initiative to fulfill the goal of SDG Upazila Watson Committee has 50% and local parliament 50% and local MP pays 50%. We have instructions that deep tube wells should be on community label. If not, we refrain from paying the bill. We do research every day on how to supply pure water. There is a map provided by the government to the public health engineer. Layers are never fixed, so you have to knowingly place a deep tube in the water layer. In case of any deep tube well, if salt water rises for 30 minutes, it should be taken. Deep tube well is good but salt water is leaking from the upper level through the pipe. We do not pay the bill if we do not compel the contractor to re-install any complaint or water supply to us for a period of one year. He also asked the deputy assistant engineer to inform me on his mobile phone if there is no solution. If there is a

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citizen forum in the union council, I will send our mechanics 2 days a week if necessary. They will sit there and provide services. All of our mechanics are engineers so we have to pay attention to them too. In order for us to be successful, we need the help of citizen forum. Introduce us well on mobile phone and respond to the phone. Materials are provided No subtopics or financial transactions can be made.

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upazila of Bhola district Six Upazila Watson

Committee pays The ward meeting was held at 3 pm on January 25 at 23rd Sardar Hat

Government Primary School, Ward No. 6, under the chairmanship of UP Member Bazlur Rahman. Newly elected Chairman Bashir Sardar was present as the chief guest in the meeting. Speaking as the chief guest at the meeting, the chairman said, "I have been elected by your vote. We want all of you to come together and make suggestions for the development of your village

The people of Ilisha Union No. 2 got agricultural seeds on the initiative of Union Citizens Committee

No. 2 Ilisha is a union of Bhola Sadar Upazila. Abdul Khaleq, 42, a farmer by profession, lives in Ward 5 of East Ilisha Union with 5 daughters and 2 others in total. 9th class student, the next daughter Tanni is studying in 3rd class. Murad Sabullah Government Primary School No. 40 has land for their family to cultivate 5 gandas. Ongoing services of the government were discussed at the monthly meeting

of the Ward Citizens'

Committee. Abdul Khaleq received 20 kg of wheat seeds and 10 kg of potash fertilizer. In the light of this, he started cultivating the land.



As a result of planting wheat seeds in his field in East Ilisha village in Ilisha Union No. 2 of Bhola Sadar Upazila, the family members are taking as much as they can in the wheat field.

Picture :Md.Sohag Hossain

Project Activities:Target&perform in January2022

SL	Activities	Target	Performance
1	Union citizen forum meeting	7	7
2	Ward citizen forum meeting	63	61
3	Union coordination meeting	7	4
4	Ward level awareness session	70	69
5	Ward Shava	35	21
6	Old age allowance purpose social Audit	13	13
7	Fishers purpose social audit	7	7
8	Social Audit on Agriculture and Livestock	9	9
8	Disabled Social Audit	1	1
9	Upazila Dialogue on Safe Water	3	2
10	GCPA	11	11

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