

Pallithodu North Fishing Village

(Kuthiyathodu Grama Panchayat - Pattanakadu Block)

A Brief Profile of the Pallithodu North Fishing Village

Pallithodu North fisheries village is spread over two wards of Kuthiyathodu Gram Panchayat. The coastal wards of this village are 1 and 15. The village has a total of 830 houses and 868 households are living there. Among them, 45 households are landless or presently living as a joint family. Regarding the housing situation in the village, it is noted that 34.34 percent houses are pucca, 45.78 percent are semi-pucca and 19.88 percent houses are kachha houses. About 78.31 percent of the existing houses in the village have sanitary toilets. Safe drinking water is available to 85.54 percent of the existing houses. Most of the houses in the village (84.34 %) are electrified. It is noted that 212 persons from the fisher folk community are insured with the Fisheries Board (Matsya Board). And 8 persons are covered under the old age pension scheme and 3 persons are covered under widow pension scheme during 2007-08 in this village.

Regarding the community specific facilities, this village has one sub centre, one PHC and one homoeo hospital. The village has one LP School and one High School. Three anganawadis are functioning in this village and all of them are functioning in rented buildings. This village has a network of 8 roads of 4.82 Km length. The village has 20 street lights and 15 of them are functional. About the fisheries specific infrastructure and facilities, it is noted that 120 country fishing boats and 9 mechanized boats are available in this fisheries village. And a total of 61 kerosene permits are issued to the fisher folk in this. The village has fourteen ice plants and two markets. The village has a protected coastal length of 3.00 Km. Consumption of liquor and narcotic drugs are moderate in this village.

The results of situation analysis and needs and requirements are presented in Tables 74 and 75 while the financial requirements are given in Table 76.

Table. 74:Current Status & Requirements of Existing Infrastructure Facilities

SI.No	Name of the Existing road	Length of the road	Existing number of Culverts, Bridges	Existing drainage facilities	Requirements
•	Kurispalli road	600 m			Maintenance – 600 m
•	Fishermen colony road	800 m			Maintenance – 800 m
•	Chappakadavu – Muttukal road	1020 m			Maintenance – 1020 m
•	Andakaranazhi - Chellanam road	750 m			Tarring – 750 m
•	Andakaranazhi - Chellanam road	600 m			Tarring – 600 m
•	PHC – Muttumkal road	300 m			Tarring – 300 m
•	Namprani – Panimuram road	450 m			Tarring – 450 m
•	Theruvilchira colony road	300 m			Tarring – 300 m

Source: Office of the Kuthiyathodu Gram Panchayath

Table. 75:Requirements of New Infrastructure Facilities

SI.No	Name of the new road	Length of the road	Number of Culverts	Drainage facilities	Any other Requirements
1	Beach road	400 m			

Source: Office of the Kuthiyathodu Gram Panchayath

Table 76 : Requirement, financial allocation and its sources Pallithodu North village

S. No.	Name of the scheme	No.of units	Unit cost(Rs. in Lakhs)	Project cost(Rs. in Lakhs)				
				Subsidy/Amount from other sources	Expected amount from separate project	Loan	Beneficiary Contribution	Total
1	Housing							
	1.New house	203	1.5	60.38	244.12	0	0	304.5
	2.Repair	380	0.5	0.87	189.13	0	0	190
	3.Purchase of land	45	1	0	45	0	0	45
2	Sanitation							
	1.New toilet	180	0.1	3.292	14.708	0	0	18
	2.Repair	170	0.025	0	4.25	0	0	4.25

