

Pathiyankara Fishing Village

(Thrikkunnappuzha Grama Panchayat - Harippadu Block)

A Brief Profile of the Pathiyankara Fishing Village

Pathiyankara fisheries village is spread over three wards of Thrikkunnappuzha Gram Panchayat. The coastal wards of this village are 6, 7 and 8. The village has a total of 680 houses and 712 households are living there. Among them, 37 households are landless or presently living as a joint family. Regarding the housing situation in the village, it is noted that 26.48 percent houses are pucca, 61.76 percent are semi-pucca and 11.76 percent houses are kachha houses. About 86.03 percent of the existing houses in the village have sanitary toilets. Safe drinking water is available to 80 percent of the existing houses. Most of the houses in the village (88.09 %) are electrified. It is noted that 200 persons from the fisher folk community are insured with the Fisheries Board (Matsya Board). And 16 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 no hospital facilities. Nine anganawadis are functioning in this village and two of them are functioning in own buildings. This village has a network of 11 roads of length 6.55 Km and 4.50 Km drainage. The village has 70 street lights and 41 of them are functional. About the fisheries specific infrastructure and facilities, it is noted that 44 country fishing boats are available in this fisheries village. And a total of 21 kerosene permits are issued to the fisher folk in this. The village has one fish landing centre. The village has coastal line of 1.35 Km, out of which 1.15 Km is protected. Consumption of liquor and narcotic drugs are moderate in this village.

The results of situation analysis and needs and financial requirements are presented in Tables 13 and 14.

Table. 13: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
•	Murikumuttu – Benglavu Bridge	750 m				Drainage construction – 750 m
•	Alakkuchal – Karee Padinjaru	1 km				Drainage construction – 1 km
•	Pathiyankara – Water tank junction	1 km				Drainage construction – 1 km
•	Pullukattu – Kochuthura road	250 m				Drainage construction- 250 m
•	Tharayil – Elapatharayil road	250 m				Drainage construction – 250 m
•	Mutheri – Bengave bridge road	450 m				
•	Thrikunnapuzha – Arattupuzha road	750 m				Drainage construction – 750 m
•	MJ UPS Junction to eastward	400 m				Drainage construction – 400 m
•	Pranavam junction – Vadachira	600 m				Road maintenance – 600 m
•	Mutheril junction – Vadachira	350 m				Drainage construction , Road maintenance – 350 m
•	Thrikunnapuzha – Pathiyankara	750 m				Drainage construction , Road maintenance – 750 m

Source: Office of the Trikunnappuzha Gram Panchayath

Table 14: Requirement, financial allocation and its sources Pathiyankara village

S. No.	Name of the scheme	No.of units	Unit cost(Rs. in Lakhs)	Project cost(Rs. in Lakhs)					Total
				Subsidy/Amount from other sources	Expected amount from separate project	Loan	Beneficiary Contribution		
1	Housing								
	1.New house	112	1.5	33.3	134.7	0	0	168	
	2.Repair	420	0.5	0.92	209.08	0	0	210	
	3.Purchase of land	37	1	0	37	0	0	37	
2	Sanitation								
	1.New toilet	95	0.1	2.498	7.002	0	0	9.5	
	2.Repair	295	0.025	0	7.375	0	0	7.375	
3	Drinking water								
	1.Improvement of water supply scheme			30.33	0	0	0	30.33	
4	Electrification								

