

Addressed to Honorable Lieutenant Governor of Delhi Sh. Vinai Kumar Saxena Ji Proposed Political Agenda - General Election 2024

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Dear Sh. Saxena Ji

Greetings from Phuro Innovations!

Subsequent to a copy of my letter addressed to the honorable Finance Minister, Mrs. Nirmala Sitharaman, I am reaching out to you, as MCD plays a pivotal role when it comes to Delhi Air Pollution control.

The Pie chart in the previous document, explains the well-known factors polluting New Delhi, which needs timely collection and disposal of Open Waste Burning.

However, this didn't really happen on the ground as efficiently as it can be. I tried to understand the problems by checking with several MCD employees. Lastly, I hired a private gardener, paid him to clean the park and at least keep the garbage at one place and then chased the garbage collectors weekly.

Of course, we have ignored both Swachh Bharat and Delhi Air Pollution in this case. In a developing nation like ours, where every day is important, MCD has become the weakest link for the Capital of Delhi due to political rivalry. This doesn't even make the citizens suffer, it also demoralizes good workers in MCD.

We are very aware of issues such as Manpower mismanagement, corruption at few levels due to lack of sophisticated record systems/ technology and an organizational hierarchy and structure which doesn't serve modern India. MCD needs the government's full attention, Delhi feels torn apart due to over aggressive opposition like AAP & Strong BJP.

But we need to put the thinking cap, as this would lead to unhappiness. The fact that I am writing to you, there must be now issues beyond tolerance, hindrances.

Each year, I hope that one day street workers will start coming regularly to clean our roads, yes, we hire private garbage collectors and cleaners, that's not sustainable and now how a city is planned.

Each year I hope, the councilors will take care of construction projects, not issue completion certificates, and then send legal notices to demolish when money is not sent by developers. Who faces troubles? A regular family who buys the floor / house and then discovers these unexpected issues which starts a vicious circle of corruption again.

Then when there is a problem with water drainage, one can dig a lane to put pipelines, as the road will be dug and then it will take another decade to fix that. It takes 5 to 8 years for a small block road to repair, that is when you call someone senior. We have serious issues and missing processes.

This is because of the overburdened complex matrix organization chart we will put in place when Delhi had less population, it was little polluted and had less houses / markets and schools.

Delhi needs better management, I highly recommend, you hire an outside agency, who has worked with MCD's of Dubai & Singapore. Who has experience of working in situations when two political parties collide and citizens face issues. They will find solutions for you. Please solve this problem, so we can say that something substantial was achieved during Prime Minister Modi's third term. While the honorable Prime minister is saying he will change India's destiny in another few years, this is something which must top his list apart from Delhi Air Pollution / Climate Change & IGO.

The capital of Delhi, where Rashtrapati Bhawan is, during last monsoon floods in Yamuna almost reached that place. We have spent Billions in building the New Parliament, the entire system of our country operates from the South Block, and we all are breathing the same air, waiting for monsoon this year again. We all have the same system to clean our environment and collect waste that is critical. We have to make Delhi our priority and make it a MODEL city.

While this plays an important role, I feel MCD is one of the ancient systems which needs innovation and change. The small department is fragmented, where no one takes responsibility which becomes a roadblock for citizen involvement as well. The Red Tape and corruption need a revamp in organization structure. It is therefore suggested to hire an external agency to relook at restructuring the entire department.

If that means complete control on MCD as a political party, that will happen when work will be done by BJP workers. Bottom up, so people see the change and ultimately vote for the next term.

Right now, the attitude of "why Should I do it "or "who should do it" showcases both parties in a bad light.

MCD is a very important link and the very weakness right now, it's primarily the welfare work of MCD for public which is stuck to missing "Standing Committee".

As a process a Standing Committee has not yet been formed, without that how will an already inefficient department function. As a developing nation, we deserve to live clean, Prime minister Modi showcased that WILL by Swachh Bharat campaign, it's working.

Please start CLEAN AIR in Delhi, Give Purpose to your MCD Employees, as to how many lives they will save by stopping open waste burning. Once they are connected with their purpose - they will become better with their jobs. Hire an agency who can define the MCD Purpose to begin with. While his third term has larger visions, I want to engage your office to contribute to this vision and organize internal meetings on this political agenda.