

Minutes of the Meeting of 4th Thilawa Community Coordination Meeting

Meeting Record

Date:	29/9/2017	Time:	03:00pm – 05:00pm
Meeting with	Local Communities at Thilawa Administration Complex in the office of Myanmar-Japan Thilawa Development (MJTD)		
Purpose:	To set up supporting programs hearing difficulties, problems, needs and requests of local people		

Main Discussion Points:

- Introduction and greeting from meeting participants to MJTD new CEO Mr. Tomoyasu Shimizu
- MJTD explained purpose of holding TCC meeting.
- Explained and checked the progresses status of MJTD together with locators' contribution and supports requested by community representatives in previous TCC meeting.

Requests, difficulties, problems and needs of the Villages

Myaing Thar Yar village

- Drainage system and pipe culverts were needed
- Incinerator
- Village clinic was needed to be upgraded
- Implementation of market to be able to use by near villages

Actions

- Installation of pipe culverts and drainage system would try to construct in coming dry season.
- MJTD had reported incinerator installation issue to TSMC and TSMC would take action.
- Clinic upgrading would be considered in coming years because TSEZ supports direct to contribute to all areas nearby TSEZ.

Village representative delivered the speech that it would be very thankful for the supports of TSEZ to Myaing Tharyar village such as new school building, fencing and new road. And shared that Myaing Tharyar residents also welcomed for the TSEZ development even though some NGOs have disagreeing points with TSEZ. Residents would not accept domination of those party without giving any supports.

Shwe Pyi Thar Yar Village

Actions

- Fencing installation to two schools had been requested in previous meeting. Permanent iron fencing had been provided to one.

Aye Mya Thida Village

- Supports were needed for developing in upgrade the school from primary to secondary. Aye Mya Thida resident really wanted to have such secondary school in the village due to the distance to go to the nearest school.

Actions

- The necessary infrastructures could be supported but community and school administrator needs to get approval first from related governmental department.

Adduttaw Village

- Road maintenance and renovation was required
- To provide more career support vocational trainings

Actions

- Road construction would be tried to provide portion by portion in timely because of long length.
- MJTD had plans to organize more trainings and had been held trainings such as sewing, English four skills, security training etc.

Padagyi Village

- School facilities was needed
- Scholarship program should be given to Padagyi students
- Renovation of primary school

Actions

- MJTD would come and visit to the schools of Padagyi. If the facilities were really poor, it would be provided as soon as possible.
- In 2018, Padagyi students would be invited to answer the scholarship exam.

Alwan Sut Village

- Renovation of monastery building; there were some funds collected from the residents but all cost couldn't be covered, so that residents want to request for some portion of contribution.
- Land acquisition procedures should have fairness for the village resident once the development came to Alwan Sut area.
- Concerned that the number of migrants had being increasing in Alwan Sut area because of TSEZ construction sites, thus, some environmental or security issue could be occurred.

Actions

- MJTD had collected survey data in order to know the number of migrants and the number became about 1500 households. This information would be reported to related authorities. Besides, original residents should also take responsibility in caring environmental and safety issues such as fire, garbage etc.

Village representative delivered thank you speech that they appreciated very much to TSEZ for the helps in garbage collection activity and other supports.

Zone B PAP Relocation Area (90 households)

- 100 household head should appoint for the management of relocation area.
- To provide village chapel for Zone B PAP relocation area.

Actions

- Village chapel to be constructed in relocation area was needed to be proposed to zone committee so that it would be reported.

Kon Chan Kone Village

- Scholarship program should be considered for Kon Chan Kone area.

Actions

- In 2018, Kon Chan Kone students would be invited to answer the scholarship exam.

PDNT (Peace & Development Network Thilawa)

- PDNT team explained the reason of their establishment; main purpose was to support and lead in the developments without expecting own benefits
- Shared that some rumors had been spreading in these days of which PDNT protest had been pressured by other party, in contrast, it (the development of TSEZ) was the real feeling and demand of the community people except some others.
- The existence of PDNT was stand-alone and very welcomed to collaborate with MJTD for the development of TSEZ project. But there still had some suggestions from PDNT to zone committee that the compensation to garden land should be more than farm land. If the compensation could not be able to pay more, other allowances should be provided.

MJTD

- , Requested that if there was some problems or demands, those should be reported and requested to the related authorities as a consequences, other problems might not be happened.
- Regarding with land compensation, the request would be reported to zone committee.
- Regarding with scholarship program, the area of recipients would be extend according to the development area of TSEZ. The number of scholar would also increase in next academic year. Continuously, the supports of TSEZ would go gradually to different areas where nearby of TSEZ. More trainings for livelihoods would also be planned to provide.
- MJTD would like to hold this meeting routinely and requests which beyond MJTD authority would be reported to other related authorities.
- If the community have any request, complaint or demand, could contact to MJTD without hesitation.

Closing remark

- Thankful speech from MJTD CEO Mr. Tomayasu Shimizu as warmly
- Mr Shimizu said very welcome for suggestion of support program for health, infrastructure and education from village heads and administrators

End of meeting

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Table 1: Participants from local community

No.	Participant from village	Village Name
1.	1 village head and 4 representatives	Pha Yar Kone (Kone Chan Kone & Yay Kyaung)
2.	4 village representatives	Aye Mya Thi Dar (Pha Lan)
3.	1 village head	Shwe Pyi Thar Yar
4.	11 persons from PDNT	Thilawa Peace and development Committee
6.	1 village head	Pa Da Gyi
7.	1 village head and 2 representatives	Shwe Pyauk
8.	2 village representatives	Myaing Thar Yar
9.	1 village head and 2 representatives	Alwan Sut

Note: MJTD invited village of Relocation Site for Zone A and Thida Myaing village, who did not attend.



Figure: Photo of meeting with Local Community