

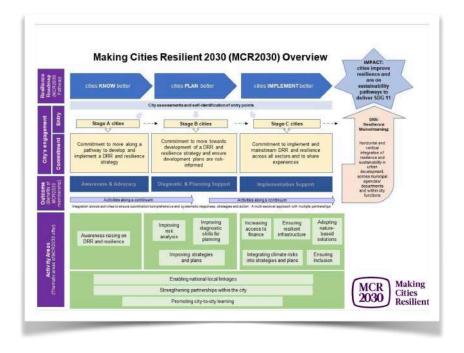




# Making Cities Resilient (MCR) 2030: Prioritising DRR Actions & Plans in Gujarat (for GIFT City)

#### **Background**

The Making Cities Resilient 2030 (MCR2030) is a unique cross-stakeholder initiative for improving local resilience through advocacy, sharing knowledge and experiences, establishing mutually reinforcing city-to-city learning networks, injecting technical expertise, connecting multiple layers of government, and building partnerships. Through delivering a clear roadmap to urban resilience, providing tools, access to knowledge and monitoring and reporting tools, MCR2030 will support cities on their journey to reduce risk and build resilience.



# **About GIFT City**

GIFT CITY is the central pillar of the tri-city approach, located on the banks of the Sabarmati river between Ahmedabad and Gandhinagar, each 30 minutes away from one other. Ahmedabad boasts glorious history, Gandhinagar is the central hub of policy and decisions, and GIFT City is the main centre of the economy. It is India's first operational greenfield smart city and international financial services centre, which the Government of Gujarat promoted as a greenfield project.

### Rationale of the Workshop

Using the Preliminary and Detailed Scorecard, it is easy to assess the risks in the city. These risks can be addressed through various measures like structural, non-structural, policy, legal, capacity building activities etc. It is required that these scorecard assessment are well converted into DRR actions and ultimately into plans. As GIFT City officials completed their scorecards, this workshop will help them to streamline their projects effectively.



Discussion among City Officials and GIDM during the Pre-Workshop Event. Source: GIFT Disaster Management dated on Dec 15, 2023

## **Organisers**

- UN Office for Disaster Risk Reduction (UNDRR) Office for Northeast Asia (ONEA) & Global Education and Training Institute (GETI): The UNDRR Office for Northeast Asia & Global Education and Training Institute (UNDRR ONEA & GETI) was established in 2010 to develop a new cadre of professionals in disaster risk reduction and climate change adaptation to build disaster resilient societies.
- Gujarat Institute of Disaster Management (GIDM):GIDM has been entrusted with the responsibility of Human Resource Development, Capacity Building, Training, Research and Documentation in the field of Disaster Risk Management (DRM). GIDM, through its capacity building programs, is fostering the concept of Risk Informed Planning and Disaster Resilient Sustainable Development.

**Objectives** 

• To understand the detailed disaster resilience scorecard

• To assess the gaps, findings and achievements at the present stage

• To develop the future course of actions and prioritise them

**Course Pedagogy** 

The training course would be offered in professional and innovative manner. Conducive conditions

will be created for the participants to engage in meaningful dialogues and discourses on the course

content. The training will beheld in person, facilitated by expert trainers from the academia,

international speakers and many more. The workshop will include ppts, group exercises, and

discussions. The workshop is designed in such a way that GIFT city officials will be able to

integrate aspects of disaster risk management in their policies and day to day administrative

activities.

**Target Participants** 

• The participants are members of Task Force of GIFT City. They represent various departments

like Fire and Emergency Services; GIFT Disaster Management; Planning, Architect and

Environment Department; Water, Sanitation & Solid Waste Management Department; District

Cooling System (DCS); Information Communications Technology (ICT); Civil Infrastructure;

Power; Procurements and Contracts; City Administration; Finance & Accounts; Legal; Human

Resources; Landscaping & Horticulture; Fire & Emergency Services, etc.

Venue

• Gujarat Institute of Disaster Management (GIDM), B/h Pandit Deendayal Energy University,

Koba Gandhinagar Highway, Raisan Village, Gandhinagar - 382007 Gujarat, India

• Date: December 21, 2023 (Thursday)

• Time: 10:00 am to 03:00 pm

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