

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2875
TO BE ANSWERED ON DECEMBER 12, 2024**

GREEN CORRIDORS

NO. 2875. SHRI UTKARSH VERMA MADHUR:

Will the Minister of Housing and Urban Affairs be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the scheme for setting up of Green Corridors in cities for the conservation of bio-diversity and to promote socio-economic aspects thereof; and**
- (b) the details of the number of such Green Corridor cities, State-wise?**

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
(SHRI TOKHAN SAHU)**

(a) & (b) As per 12th Schedule of the Constitution of India, Urban Planning including town planning is the function of Urban Local Bodies (ULBs)/ Urban Development Authorities. Government of India supplements the efforts of the States through schematic interventions/ advisories.

The Ministry of Housing & Urban Affairs (MoHUA), Government of India has issued Urban and Regional Development Plan Formulation and Implementation (URDPFI) Guidelines, 2014 ([https://mohua.gov.in/upload/uploadfiles/files/URDPFI%20Guidelines%20Vol%20I\(2\).pdf](https://mohua.gov.in/upload/uploadfiles/files/URDPFI%20Guidelines%20Vol%20I(2).pdf)). The Chapter - 5 “Urban Planning Approach” of URDPFI guidelines 2014 deals with Green City.

MoHUA is implementing Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT). One of the thrust area of the Mission is creation of pedestrian, non-motorized and public transport facilities. Under AMRUT, 323 Green Mobility projects have been completed to promote environment-friendly mode of transport and infrastructure. The State-wise details of these projects are given at ANNEXURE-I.

Further, AMRUT has led to development of 2,429 park projects worth ₹5,044.28 crore. The State-wise details of these projects are at ANNEXURE-II. Under AMRUT 2.0 so far, 1,729 Park projects worth ₹1,027.62 crore have been approved by MoHUA. State-wise details of these projects are given at ANNEXURE-III.

Under the City Investments to Innovate, Integrate and Sustain (CITIIS) 1.0 program, a sub-component of the Smart Cities Mission, a Green Mobility Corridor has been developed in Hubballi Dharwad, Karnataka. A grant of ₹115.68 Cr has been provided to Hubballi Dharwad Smart City Ltd for this project. The project focuses on the rejuvenation of the Unkal Nala, the 9.25-kilometre-long drainage channel in the city, from being a mere stormwater drain to a developed, holistic space for the community. This corridor development also provides an opportunity for connecting the green corridor project to the major roads in the city passing through this Unkal Nala thereby creating a network of Non-Motorised Transport (NMT) corridors in the city.

ANNEXURE-I REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) & (b) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2875 REGARDING “GREEN CORRIDORS”, DUE FOR ANSWER IN THE LOK SABHA ON 12.12.2024.

STATE-WISE PROGRESS OF GREEN MOBILITY PROJECTS

S.No.	State/ UTs	Project Completed	Project at implementation stage	Total
1	Goa	7	-	7
2	Gujarat	60	1	61
3	Himachal Pradesh	15	2	17
4	Jammu and Kashmir	16	1	17
5	Karnataka	41	2	43
6	Kerala	109	19	128
7	Ladakh	1	2	3
8	Madhya Pradesh	19	2	21
9	Mizoram	3	-	3
10	Nagaland	5	-	5
11	Sikkim	45	-	45
12	West Bengal	2	-	2
Total		323	29	352

ANNEXURE-II REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) & (b) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2875 REGARDING “GREEN CORRIDORS”, DUE FOR ANSWER IN THE LOK SABHA ON 12.12.2024.

STATE-WISE PROGRESS OF GREEN SPACE DEVELOPMENT UNDER AMRUT

S.No.	State/UTs	No. of Projects Completed	No. of Projects at Implementation Stage	Total No. of Projects
1	Andaman and Nicobar Islands	3		3
2	Andhra Pradesh	89	10	99
3	Arunachal Pradesh	2		2
4	Assam	12	1	13
5	Bihar	25		25
6	Chandigarh	3		3
7	Chhattisgarh	191	3	194
8	Dadra and Nagar Haveli	1		1
	Daman and Diu	1		1
9	Delhi	5	2	7
10	Goa	2		2
11	Gujarat	124		124
12	Haryana	33		33
13	Himachal Pradesh	9		9
14	Jammu and Kashmir	14		14
15	Jharkhand	35		35
16	Karnataka	179	2	181
17	Kerala	73	5	78
18	Ladakh	6		6
19	Lakshadweep	3		3
20	Madhya Pradesh	108	3	111
21	Maharashtra	128		128
22	Manipur	1	2	3
23	Meghalaya	8		8
24	Mizoram	4		4
25	Nagaland	10		10
26	Odisha	48		48
27	Puducherry	9		9
28	Punjab	32	11	43
29	Rajasthan	73	4	77
30	Sikkim	3		3
31	Tamil Nadu	409		409
32	Telangana	35		35
33	Tripura	3		3
34	Uttar Pradesh	297	44	341
35	Uttarakhand	42	2	44
36	West Bengal	409	6	415
Total		2429	95	2524

ANNEXURE-III REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) & (b) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2875 REGARDING “GREEN CORRIDORS”, DUE FOR ANSWER IN THE LOK SABHA ON 12.12.2024.

APPROVED PARK PROJECTS UNDER AMRUT 2.0

S.No.	State	No. of Project	Total Project Cost (in ₹ Cr.)
1	Arunachal Pradesh	8	3.43
2	Bihar	18	41.41
3	Delhi	9	24.31
4	Goa	1	1.83
5	Gujarat	133	120.34
6	Himachal Pradesh	11	2.80
7	Jharkhand	25	30.20
8	Karnataka	254	142.21
9	Kerala	73	40.72
10	Madhya Pradesh	390	129.77
11	Maharashtra	27	202.08
12	Manipur	2	5.36
13	Mizoram	73	0.75
14	Nagaland	38	13.06
15	Punjab	15	10.79
16	Rajasthan	2	2.76
17	Sikkim	2	0.79
18	Tamil Nadu	565	113.65
19	Uttar Pradesh	15	108.21
20	West Bengal	68	33.15
Total		1729	1027.62