

TRANSFORMING NAJAFGARH BASIN

Tentative Agenda

Date: 17th August, 2017

Venue: DLF Phase IV

Registration: 9.30 AM onwards		
Inaugural Session: Setting the Context		
10.00 – 10.05	Welcome Address & Overview	Col. Prakash Tewari, DLF
10.05 – 10.15	Urban Water Scenario	Dr. Veena Khanduri, IWP
10.15 – 10.30	Setting The Context	Manu Bhatnagar, INTACH
10.30 – 10.40	Urban Land-use Policy	Hon. Minister of State UD, Sh. Rao Inderjit Singh – Chief Guest
10.40 – 10.50	Status of lakes in Haryana	Hon. Minister, Environment, Dr. Harsh Vardhan – Guest of Honour
10.50 – 11.00	Perspective of District Commissioner	Sh. Vinay Pratap Singh, DC, Gurugram
11.00 – 11.10	Perspective of Department of Environment [Haryana]	Sh. Shekhar Vidyarthi, Secretary, Environment, Haryana
11.10 – 11.20	Perspective of DDA	Commissioner, Planning [DDA]
11.20 – 11.30	Perspective of Department of Environment [Delhi]	Sh. Keshav Chandra, Secretary, Environment, Delhi
11.30 – 11.40	Urban Planning Perspective	Chief Town Planner, Haryana
Tea Break : 11.40 – 12.00		
Session II : Technical Presentations		
Chair: AB Pandaya, former Chairman, Central Water Commission		
12.00 – 12.15	Gurgaon Water Scenario and Lakes	Chetan Aggarwal
12.15 – 12.30	Gurugram : Issues of Scarcity and Waterlogging	Gurgaon First
12.30 – 12.45	Groundwater Scenario of Gurgaon	CGWB
12.45 – 13.00	Hydrology of Najafgarh Basin	Mr. SK Sharma, MoWR
13.00 – 13.30	Revival Prospects of Najafgarh Jheel	Manu Bhatnagar, INTACH
Lunch : 13.30 – 14.00		

Session III : Technical Presentations

Chair: Avinash Tyagi, Secretary General, The International Commission on Irrigation and Drainage

14.00 – 14.15	Avian Biodiversity of Najafgarh Jheel with special focus on wet grassland birds	Rajat Bhargava, BNHS
14.15 – 14.30	Badshahpur Drain Plan	Administrator, HUDA
14.30 – 14.45	Gurgaon : Sewage Treatment and Discharge	PHED
14.45 – 15.00	Inland Water Transport Prospect	IWT Expert
15.00 – 15.20	Lakes and the Urban Fabric	Nupur Prothi
Tea : 15.20 – 15.35		
Concluding Session		
15.35 – 16.25	Round Table : Plan of Action	Moderator: Manu Bhatnagar, INTACH
16.25 – 16.30	Vote of Thanks	Col. Tewari, DLF