

Impact Change: CAGs begin addressing issues collectively in Mubarakpur Dabas

SITUATION

- Two CAGs were newly formed by MHT in Meer Vihar and Roop Vihar, while the newly formed CAG in Mubarakpur village was strengthened based on GEDSI principles with the existing RWA in July 2022.
- Since there has always been a social disparity between Mubarakpur village (which has middle-income groups) and unauthorized colonies (which has marginalized groups), these three CAGs worked separately since their inception to address issues in their respective areas.



Roop Vihar CAG approaching MLA

ACTION

- During CAG meetings in these areas, they realized that all their issues are linked to each other.
- For example, fixing the water logging issue by repairing the main road, present between three areas would benefit the Village, Meer Vihar, and Roop Vihar.
- An exposure visit to Ahmedabad, organized in July 2023, helped minimize the gap between them, as they spent time with each other, learning and discussing the solutions implemented by MHT in Ahmedabad.



Meer Vihar CAG approaching MLA

TIMELINE

July 2022

Feb 2023

August
2023

3 CAGs formed in Meer vihar, Roop vihar and village

Meetings held together occasionally

3 CAGs working together

RESULTS

- Inviting all three communities on a single platform for exposure learning was one of the strategies deployed to reduce this disparity.
- Since then, they have started conducting joint meetings frequently.
- They approached the MLA together for discussion on water logging issue and repairs of main road near small lake.
- **This CAG-led initiative is a highlight, as all three communities started working together and building each other's capacity in the process.**
- This kind of approach improves the impact and speeds up the solutions from the government's end as well.



CAGs of Roop Vihar, Meer Vihar and Mubarakpur Village jointly approaching the MLA to discuss their issues

WAY FORWARD

- The CAGs have jointly approached MLA and are in process of submitting formal applications for issues like water logging and repair of road.



CAGs of Roop Vihar, Meer Vihar and Mubarakpur Village At Ahmedabad exposure visit