

After SIR-2026, Tirupati district records 14.81 lakh voters

- Total voters reduce by nearly 2.88 lakh when compared to the earlier 17.69 lakh electors
- Collector Venkateswar says, mapping is pending for 1.62 lakh voters though their names are retained in the draft roll
- After receiving claims, objections, corrections etc., final electoral roll will be published on October 3

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THE total number of voters in Tirupati district has come down to 14,81,603 in the draft electoral roll prepared under Special Intensive Revision (SIR)-2026, compared to 17,69,429 voters before the revision exercise. The draft electoral roll was released by Tirupati district Collector and District



District Collector Dr S Venkateswar addressing the media in Tirupati on Friday. JC R Govinda Rao and DRO G Narasimulu are also seen.

Election Officer Dr S Venkateswar on Friday.

Addressing the media at the Collectorate, the Collector said the revision was carried out as per the directions of Election Commission of India through a door-to-door verification drive. During the exercise, officials identified 2,87,826

cases involving absent voters, shifted voters, deceased voters and duplicate entries.

He said enumeration forms were submitted by 14,81,603 voters. Although mapping process is still pending for 1,62,230 voters, their names have been included in the draft electoral roll. Notices will be issued to these voters between August 1 and August 30, giving them time to submit documents prescribed by Election Commission. Eligible voters, who produce required documents will continue in final electoral roll.

The Collector said the highest number of pending mapping cases were in Tirupati Assembly constituency with 96,280 cases, followed by Chandragiri with more than 50,000 cases. Sharing details of the identified cases, he said Tirupati Assembly constituency recorded 90,882 absent, shifted, deceased and duplicate cases, followed by Chandragiri with 50,273, Venkataraj with 36,497, Srikalahasti with 32,836, Sullurpeta with 27,946, Railway Koduru with 26,047 and Satyavedu with 23,345. These lists have been made available with Booth Level Officers (BLOs) for public verification.

The Collector said claims, objections, corrections, fresh voter registrations and deletion requests can be submitted until August 30. The final electoral roll will be published on October 3. According to draft electoral roll as on July 31, 2026, the district has 7,20,329 male voters, 7,61,188 female voters and 86 transgender voters and 2,221 polling stations. The draft electoral rolls are available with Electoral Registration Officers, Assistant Electoral Registration Officers, all polling stations and on Election Department website for public verification. Voters have been asked to verify their details and submit applications within the stipulated period if any corrections are required.

Joint Collector R Govindarao, DRO G Narasimulu and Election Department officials were present at the meeting.

Cash incentives of Rs 10 lakh to outstanding sportspersons: MLA Kotamreddy

Inaugurates 1st AP Ranking Carrom Tournament-2026



Rural MLA Kotamreddy Sridhar Reddy addressing the gathering at State-level Carrom Tournament in Nellore on Friday

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NELLORE Rural MLA Kotamreddy Sridhar Reddy has inaugurated AP 1st Ranking Carrom Tournament 2026 (Men& Women) at Nellore Club here on Friday. As many as 200 men and women players from various districts across the State participated in the event, jointly organised by Nellore District Carrom Association and Andhra State Carrom Association.

Addressing the gathering, MLA Kotamreddy claimed that the State government is giving high priority to develop sports and providing cash incentives of up to Rs 10 lakh to outstanding sportspersons. He encouraged the players to make the best use of these opportunities and bring laurels to both State and nation.

ASCA general secretary Sheik Abdul Jaleel informed that top six players in both men and women categories will be selected to represent

Andhra Pradesh State team in forthcoming national-level competitions. Free accommodation, food and all necessary arrangements were provided to the participants.

Nellore District Carrom Association president Mannarayana, Chairman and former Ranji Cricketer Malireddy Kotareddy, AP-TRANSCO Director J Venkateswara Rao, APSPDCL SEs BV Sesha Reddy and K Raghavendra and others participated in the event.

CMD conducts surprise field inspection

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APSPDCL Chairman and Managing Director Siva Sankar Lotheti on Friday conducted a surprise inspection of substation in Pileru division of Annamayya circle review office performance and consumer services.

He visited Electricity Revenue Office and Kalikiri sub-ERO, spoke with customers, and examined digital bill payment processes, urging staff to speed up and improve service quality.

At Pileru 33/11 KV substation, he checked supply management, safety measures, and records, and inspected a distribution transformer on 11 KV feeder. He stressed continuous, reliable power



APSPDCL CMD Siva Sankar Lotheti inspecting substation in Pileru division on Friday

supply, preventive safety measures, and prioritising consumer safety during line clearance.

He reviewed seniority lists for agricultural service applications at Pileru and Kalikiri offices, directed faster ap-

provals, and warned of disciplinary action for violations. He also inspected RDSS development works at Gajjalavaripalle and Medikuri substations and instructed officials and contractors to accelerate work.

Accord School retains CBSE Cluster-7 overall championship



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ACCORD School, Tirupati, emerged as the overall champion at CBSE Cluster-7 Athletics Meet 2026 for the second consecutive year. Over 6,000 students from 280 schools across Andhra Pradesh and Telangana participated in the event.

The school delivered an outstanding performance by winning 39 medals, in-

cluding 33 gold, 3 silver and 3 bronze, and secured 168 championship points—the highest championship score recorded in the last decade.

School Directors Prashanth Reddy and Vivek Reddy, along with the Principal and Vice-Principal, congratulated the students, coaches, teachers, and parents for the remarkable achievement, attributing the success to discipline, dedication, teamwork, and consistent practice.

MP questions progress of Dugarajapatnam Mega Shipbuilding Cluster

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NELLORE MP Vemireddy Prabhakara Reddy on Friday questioned the issue regarding progress, estimated cost and timeline for the commencement of works for the proposed mega shipbuilding and ship repair cluster at Dugarajapatnam in Tirupati district, in the Parliament.

Responding to the MP's question, Union Minister for Ports, Shipping and Waterways Sarbananda Sonowal stated the Andhra Pradesh government had proposed establishing a greenfield shipbuilding cluster at Dugarajapatnam. He explained that a Special Purpose Vehicle



(SPV) named 'National Shipbuilding and Heavy Industries Park Andhra Pradesh Limited (NSHIPAP)' was jointly formed by Visakhapatnam Port Authority (VPA) and Andhra Pradesh Maritime Board (APMB) for the development of this cluster. He revealed that based on an application from NSHIPAP,

the Union Ministry of Shipping granted in-principle approval for the development of this greenfield shipbuilding cluster in May 2026. The Union Minister clarified that according to the preliminary Techno-Economic Feasibility Report (TEFR), the total estimated cost of the project—which encompasses a port, a shipbuilding and repair facility, maritime infrastructure, land development, and other amenities—is approximately Rs 29,254 crore. He said final approval for the project would be granted and work would accelerate once the Detailed Project Report is finalised and a suitable 'anchor shipyard' partner is secured.

Banks must play crucial role in curbing cyber frauds: Ajitha

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STRESSING the need of co-operation between banks and police department to prevent cybercrimes, SP Dr Ajitha Vejendla has urged bankers to play a vital role in preventing cyber frauds and ensuring speedy recovery of victims' money.

Speaking at a coordination meeting with nodal officers and branch managers of government and private sector banks here on Friday, she said cyber offences such as digital arrest scams, investment and trading frauds, credit and debit card frauds, and online loan scams are increasing steadily. Stolen funds are often routed through mule bank accounts, making banks' vigilance critical in identifying and blocking such transactions. The SP explained the functioning of Mule Accounts Grievance Redressal Module (GRM) and Money Recovery Module (MRM), highlighting their importance in tracking fraudulent transactions and facilitating fund recovery. She appealed cyber fraud victims to immediately report incidents by calling 1930 Cyber Helpline.

She noted that if the bank accounts are put on hold or frozen within the first 30 minutes, chances of 'Golden Hour', considered as 'Golden Hour', of chances of recovering the defrauded money will increase significantly. She urged bank officials to respond promptly to such complaints.

Lead Bank Manager Mani Sekhar pointed out that some students are allowing others to use their bank accounts for small financial gains, indirectly leads occurrence of cybercrimes and stressed the need to conduct awareness campaigns to discourage such practices.

160 retired TTD employees felicitated

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TTD Executive Officer M Ravichandra felicitated a total of 160 retired employees, including 28, who retired on Friday and 132, who retired between January 1 and May 31 this year, at a programme at Mahathi Kalakshetram in Tirupati on Friday.

Addressing the gathering, the EO said that getting an opportunity to serve devotees in the sacred presence of Lord Venkateswara

is a blessing earned through past good deeds. He appreciated the retired employees for their dedicated service to TTD and urged them to share their rich experience and knowledge with future generations of employees.

The EO and JEO Dr A Sharath honoured the retirees with shawls and mementoes. Srivari Laddu Prasadam, Vada, jacket cloth, Theertham and Maha Prasadam were presented, followed by Vedic blessings from priests.



Two Odisha migrant workers killed in accident

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TWO migrant labourers from Odisha died after they were allegedly struck by a speeding car near Konduru village in Tada mandal of Tirupati district on Friday morning. The deceased have been identified as Arjun Bhatara (50) and Chaitu Goud (34).

Police said the two men had stepped out and were walking along the roadside when an unidentified vehicle rammed into them, leaving them critically injured.

Locals rushed to their aid and immediately alerted police. The injured workers

were shifted to Government Hospital in Sullurpeta in 108 ambulance for emergency treatment. However, doctors declared them dead despite efforts to save them.

Preliminary investigation suggests the accident occurred when the victims had gone out to attend nature's call. The vehicle involved in the incident fled the scene soon after the collision.

A case has been registered, and police have launched an investigation into the incident. Officials are examining available evidence to identify the offending vehicle and trace the driver responsible for the fatal hit-and-run.

CPI urges support for 'Chalo Delhi'



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CPI district secretary P Murali called on people to join campaign activities from August 6 to 15 and to make 'Chalo Delhi' meeting at Ramliha Maidan to be held on September 1 successful.

He criticised the Central government policies for failing to control the sharply rising prices of essentials and the rising unemployment and unfilled government vacancies that threaten youth futures.

Murali demanded to stop privatisation of public sector units, protection of workers' rights, and abolition of contract and outsourcing practices. He asked for guaranteed minimum support prices for farmers and strengthened education and health services.

He also urged strict measures for women's safety and protection of constitutional rights for Dalits, Adivasi and minorities, and called for stopping attacks on democratic rights.

'Utilise Praja Darbar'

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RURAL MLA Kotamreddy Sridhar Reddy appealed people to utilise Praja Darbar programme for speedy and transparent solutions to their grievances. He participated in the weekly Praja Darbar here on Friday.

Addressing the gathering, the MLA said his office remains open and accessible to people of Nellore rural every day from 7 am to 8 pm to address their

concerns and ensure timely assistance. He added that development works in Nellore Rural constituency are being carried out based on suggestions and feedback received from people.

Nellore Rural Cluster in-charges Jaladanki Sudhakar and Sabir Khan, Nellore Rural MLA Office Grievance Cell in-charge Mangalapudi Bhaskar Reddy, TDP leaders Obul Raju, Pavalla Prasad, Chitteti Surendra, and others were present.

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