



Country: INDIA City: VIJAYAWADA		Status: COMPLETED Application approved: 11/APR/2011	Key Sector(s): MTIIP REVIEW, SLUM UPGRADING, URBAN TRANSPORT
<b>PROONENTS</b>		<b>Geography and Population</b>	
<p>Vijayawada Municipal Corporation India</p> <p>Mr. G. Ravi Babu Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Vijayawada</p> <p>Phone: (+91) 0866-2421058 Website: www.ourvmc.org</p>		<p>Area: 58 km<sup>2</sup></p> <p>Population: 2,700,000</p> <p>The city of Vijayawada is the third largest city in Andhra Pradesh, located on the banks of the Krishna River and bounded by the Indrakiladri Hills on the West and the Budameru River on the North.</p> <p>Vijayawada is also a center of Andhra politics and business capital of Andhra Pradesh.</p>	 
<p><b>Central State Partner</b> Municipal Administration &amp; Urban Development (UBS) Department</p>		<p><b>Other Partners</b></p>	
<b>KEY CITY DEVELOPMENT ISSUES</b>			
<p>The overall city's development plans focus on the following areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Integrated Traffic &amp; Transport system to meet the service demand and needs of the urban population.</li> <li>- Provision of basic services for the urban poor - about 26% of Vijayawada's population resides in informal settlements, placing an enormous strain on basic infrastructure ( water supply, sewerage, solid waste management)</li> </ul>			
<b>DETAILS OF COOPERATION</b>			
<p>CDIA supported activities include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Review of the City Development Plan (CDP) including programming and prioritization of infrastructure projects.</li> <li>Preparation of a Pre-feasibility study on traffic management and transportation facilities;</li> <li>Preparation of a Pre-feasibility study for an integrated development program addressing basic infrastructure needs in informal settlements.</li> <li>Assist the city in strengthening its own capacity for improved infrastructure provision.</li> </ol>			
<b>EXPECTED DEVELOPMENTAL IMPACTS</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Relevant and responsible city development planning</li> <li>- Good quality, efficient and accessible urban transport services for all citizens especially to improve mobility for the urban poor.</li> <li>- Improved living conditions and environment for poor communities</li> </ul>			
PROJECT PERIOD		JUN/2012 - DEC/2012	
CDIA SUPPORT		166,500 US\$	
CITY CONTRIBUTION		86,600 US\$ (in kind)	
		<b>EXPECTED INVESTMENT FOLLOW UP</b>	
		Est. infrastructure investment value	
		88 mil US\$	
		Potential sources of financing	
		ADB	



Train station in Vijayawada



Traffic congestion in Vijayawada's urban center