



## MD's MESSAGE



You will be glad to know that the Board of Directors of Lucknow Metro Rail Corporation (LMRC) under the Chairmanship of Shri Durga Shanker Mishra, Secretary, Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (MoHUA), Government of India has approved reconstitution of Lucknow Metro Rail Corporation as Uttar Pradesh Metro Rail Corporation for implementation of Metro Rail Projects in various important cities of Uttar Pradesh through Single Special Purpose Vehicle (Single SPV).

It is a major development towards speedy implementation of Metro Rail projects in important cities of the State such as Kanpur, Agra, Meerut, Varanasi, Allahabad and Gorakhpur. This will pave the way for a unified Metro organisation for a much faster and effective implementation of Metro Rail Projects across one of the largest states of the Country.

In principle, approval to the updated Detailed Project Report (DPR) of Lucknow Metro Phase-1B Project (Charbagh - Vasantkunj East-West Corridor) has also been obtained from the Board of Directors for further submission of DPR to the Government for sanctioning the project. DPR for East-West Corridor will now be submitted to the State Government for their approval and thereafter to the Central Government

for sanctioning the project. Implementation of East-West Corridor will enable easier accessibility to old parts of the Lucknow city like Aminabad, Chowk etc. towards achieving the long-term goal of providing green, efficient, reliable and convenient mode of public transport to the commuters.

On the Operations front also, I am happy to share that the efforts and initiatives taken by Lucknow Metro during the last couple of months for increasing the sale of 'Go-Smart' cards and increasing the ridership by involving Metro commuters with various activities in the system have yielded very positive results. We have witnessed a rise in the sale of 'Go-Smart' cards and increase in ridership in our operational system from Transport Nagar to Charbagh with average daily ridership figures also improving gradually.

Works on the balance section of Lucknow Metro Phase-1A Project from CCS Airport to Munshipulia including the underground stretch are also progressing at a very fast pace including Track, Traction and station finishing works.

We are committed to commission the complete North-South Corridor by early next year as per the target stipulated by the Government. We have to leave no stone unturned to complete the works as per the schedule.

I am confident that with the continued hard work and dedication by the small but professionally very competent team of LMRC, we will make this success. Working as a cohesive team with complete dedication towards work will be the key to our success in achieving tough targets ahead and make City proud of us.

**KUMAR KESHAV**  
**MANAGING DIRECTOR**

## MANAGING DIRECTOR FELICITATES PERSONS FOR RENDERING COMMENDABLE SERVICES

On 19<sup>th</sup> June, 2018, Shri Kumar Keshav, Managing Director, LMRC felicitated and awarded persons for rendering their commendable services while performing their duty for Lucknow Metro Rail Corporation Ltd.



He appreciated and awarded Mr. Manveer Singh (a security guard with G4S), Mr. Prahalad (a constable with PAC) and Ms. Meena Devi (a house-keeper with M/s All Services Global Pvt. Ltd.).



All the above three persons were also handed over with 'Certificate of Appreciation' by the Managing Director for exhibiting a highest level of integrity, devotion and sincerity while performing duty at Lucknow Metro.



## Editorial

The LMRC Public Relations department along with the Operations Wing has been organising many events and programmes for Metro commuters in the past few months.

It has been a very successful and satisfying kind of experience both for the officials and the commuters. Anyone who is interested in sharing his/her

experience through article, poem, write-up, photographs or through any other means is requested to forward it for publication in this bulletin for a wider publicity and appreciation. You can send it to the Public Relations department through mail at [lmrcbulletin@gmail.com](mailto:lmrcbulletin@gmail.com).

**AMIT KUMAR SRIVASTAVA**  
**EDITOR**



## **LUCKNOW METRO BOARD OF DIRECTORS APPROVE RECONSTITUTION OF LMRC AS UTTAR PRADESH METRO RAIL CORPORATION LTD.; ENDORSE THE REVISED DPR OF THE EAST – WEST CORRIDOR**

On 6<sup>th</sup> June, 2018, the Board of Directors of Lucknow Metro Rail Corporation Limited (LMRCL) under the Chairmanship of Shri Durga Shanker Mishra, Secretary, Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (MoHUA), Government of India approved the reconstitution of Lucknow Metro Rail Corporation Limited as Uttar Pradesh Metro Rail Corporation Limited for implementation of Metro Rail Projects in various cities of Uttar Pradesh through Single Special Purpose Vehicle (Single SPV).

It also endorsed the revised Detailed Project Report (DPR) of the proposed East-West Corridor of the Lucknow Metro Rail Project presented by Shri Kumar Keshav, Managing Director, LMRC during its 32<sup>nd</sup> meeting at the office of Chennai Metro Rail Corporation Limited at Chennai.

As Lucknow Metro is scheduled to commission the entire 23 kms Phase 1A Project from Chaudhary Charan Singh Airport Metro Station to Munshipulia Metro Station in April,

2019 and subsequently the operations of the other Metros in different cities of Uttar Pradesh like Kanpur, Agra, Meerut, Varanasi, Allahabad and Gorakhpur in near future, an approval for creation of the post and selection of Director (Operations) of Lucknow Metro Rail Corporation Limited (LMRCL) was also obtained in the meeting for ensuring smooth and effective operations of the Metro system.

## **LUCKNOW METRO CELEBRATES INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY, 2018**



Lucknow Metro Rail Corporation (LMRC) celebrated the International Yoga Day, 2018 on 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2018 with its top Management, officials and staff practising yoga in the morning at the Transport Nagar Metro Depot.

'Yoga' marks the physical, mental and spiritual practice or exercise for promotion of health, harmony and peace.

Shri Mahendra Kumar, Director (Rolling Stock & Systems), Shri Ajai

Kant Rastogi, Director (Finance) and other senior officials and Metro staff made it a point to observe this day at Lucknow Metro.

Practice of yoga and meditation and adopting it in one's lifestyle must be in habit of every individual.

This is the only way we can keep ourselves mentally healthy and physically fit and fine to successfully endure our daily hardships and well-being.

### **Poem**

Lucknow is a place where I have been,  
It has 'Metro' that goes across the wind

Keeping 'Metro' clean is our duty,  
Lucknow is a place known for its beauty

Over the streets and below the lanes,  
Metro rolls along the track,

Reaching the sky with glory,  
Its journey itself says a story....

- Abhishek Mishra