



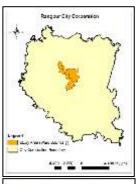


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Executive Summary

Bangladesh is particularly vulnerable to earthquakes due to its geographical location. It lies in a moderately seismic-prone region, and historical evidence points to significant earthquakes within or close to the country. Moreover, rapid urbanization, population growth, migration, and the development of economic activities are also inducing an impetuous increase in vulnerability (CDMP, 2014). According to the Seismic Zoning Map of BNBC 2020, Bangladesh comprises four seismic zones, where Rangamati belongs to Seismic Zone 3 with a Seismic Coefficient value of 0.28g.

Rangamati is located at a vulnerable seismic zone near the Sitakunda-Teknaf fault line, Chattagram- Myanmar plate boundary, and Rangamati-Barkal fault. Rangamati belongs to Seismic Zone 3 with a Peak Ground Acceleration of the study wards, which range between 0.33-0.39. Another notable feature is that Rangamati district has very high elevation from ground and the elevations change very sharply and suddenly, which worsens the vulnerability scenario of the area (CHTDF, 2010). Rangamati faced a severe earthquake of magnitude 5.1 on 27 July 2003 at Barkal Upazila of the district. Its origin was at 28 km northwest of Rangamati district. Three people were killed, 25 were injured, and hundreds of buildings of Chattogram and the surrounding hilly area were damaged.

This project has been undertaken to develop a community-based earthquake risk reduction and management plan for twelve wards of Rangpur City Corporation, Tangail Pourashava, Sunamganj Pourashava, and Rangamati Pourashava. For this purpose, the research team has prepared ward-based contingency plans for the abovementioned study areas. The tasks include assessment of seismic risk, assessment of the building and socio-economic vulnerability, and finally, preparation of earthquake contingency plan. Accordingly, the objectives of this report are:

- To assess the seismic exposure of ward-9 of Rangamati Pourashava,
- To assess the structural and socio-economic vulnerabilities of the area, and
- To formulate a community-based earthquake contingency plan for the area.

The study area, ward-9 of Rangamati Pourashava, is located at the north-western side of the Pourashava. The major land use of ward-9 is residential followed by commercial uses. The structures serving health facilities are very negligible to be counted and are located at the south-western part of the ward.

In order to assess the seismic hazard of the study area, two boreholes up to a depth of 30 meters were dug in ward no 9 of Rangamati Pourashava. Disturbed and undisturbed samples were also collected from different depths. Microtremor tests were conducted using five velocity sensors, each having three channels. The collected data from the borehole and micrometer test were analyzed to know the seismic exposure of the study area and to know the dynamic characteristics of soil in the study area.

To assess the preliminary vulnerability of the buildings in the study area, Level 1 survey of Rapid Visual Screening (RVS) suggested by Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), USA, 2017 edition was adopted. In Ward-9, 77 pucca buildings were assessed by the RVS method. The sample size was determined based on the proportional distribution of pucca buildings in the wards of Rangamati Pourashava, considering institutional, administrative buildings, and private-owned buildings. Some seismic factors, e.g., vertical irregularity, overhang, clear distance from the surrounding building, etc., were taken into consideration in this method. The preliminary assessment aims to get a basic overview of the existing structural condition of the buildings located in the study area. After sample size determination, clusterwise base maps indicating the sample buildings were prepared in ArcGIS. The form of FEMA for RVS (Level 1) survey was prepared in "KoBo Toolbox," and data on structural vulnerability was collected through the participation of local engineers and volunteers.

A household questionnaire survey was conducted to collect data for social vulnerability assessment and earthquake contingency planning for the study area. Total 149 households from 149 residential structures were selected as sample size. Here, all four or higher storied buildings were considered. The remaining sample buildings were selected from two categories: three or less storied, and kutcha or semi pucca residential buildings. These two types of buildings were taken into the sample, maintaining their actual proportion in each cluster to ensure proper representation of all existing

categories of structures in a cluster. The proportion of owner and tenant was also considered since the consent of building owners will be required in the future process of earthquake preparedness. The proportion for household distribution of owners and tenants within the determined sample size was taken as 70% and 30% accordingly. All residential buildings within the four or higher storey category were also surveyed for building vulnerability assessment. A checklist survey was conducted for potential disaster shelters and emergency health facilities for contingency planning.

In order to determine the seismic hazard of ward no. 9, two Standard Penetration Tests have been done. The soil profile of bore hole 1 shows six different layers of soil. The N value up to 7.5m is less than 10. So, the top 7.5m have less strength as both cohesion and angle of internal friction are positively correlated to SPT-N value. The N value shows an abrupt increase at 9.0m thus indicates a change in the soil layer. In the following depths the N value keeps on increasing till 18m. Beyond 18m and till 30m, the maximum value of N has been obtained and it is 50. On the other hand, the soil profile of bore hole 2 shows four different layers of soil. It is observed that up to 9m, the N values are below 10. So, the soil up to 9m has less strength. Beyond 9.0m the N values keep increasing and become greater than 20 at 12.0m. In the fourth layer, N reaches a value equal to or greater than 50 (from 24m to 30.0m). So, if we compare both the boreholes up to 24m, the soil strength of bore hole 1 is comparatively better than that of bore hole 2.

According to the soil classification (FEMA 2017), the soil class is D. From the microtremor analysis, the natural frequency of the soil is found to be around 4.0 Hz, and the shear wave velocity is around 149.48 m/s (Bore hole-1) and 140.02 m/s (Bore hole-2). These data will be used further to determine index and engineering properties of soil along with the determination of liquefaction potential.

Among the 77 buildings selected for the preliminary vulnerability assessment, all the institutional (educational facilities, religious facilities, and health facilities) and administrative buildings (government offices) of ward no. 9 are included. Along with this, all buildings which are four stories or higher were selected as their structural vulnerability will impact the contingency planning. One to three storey buildings were also surveyed to judge their performance. The number of stories of the surveyed

buildings varies among 1 to 6. All the surveyed buildings are Concrete frame with unreinforced masonry infill walls (C3 as per FEMA classification). 31% of the total buildings show severe vertical irregularity, and 34% show moderate vertical irregularity. 10% of the buildings possess plan irregularity. For determining the vulnerability of buildings based on collected data, the RVS score was calculated for each building considering the probability of building collapse and average expected ground shaking levels for the seismicity region. The study area falls within a moderately high seismic zone. According to FEMA, the maximum achievable score for C3 (considering soil class D) is 1.4. Thus, a cut-off score of 1.2 has been selected. The cut-off signifies that if a building has a score below this, it will be vulnerable. It has been observed that 33% of the sample size have a RVS score greater than or equal to 1.2. The remaining 52% has a score below 1.2. And so, 52% are vulnerable. Based on these results, Detailed Engineering Assessment has been performed on Goudhuly Amanatbag Govt. Primary School building; which was found unsafe. This building need to be retrofitted to use it as WCC.

Based on data collected from the questionnaire survey of 149 households' statistical analysis was performed to understand the socio-economic context of the area. Gender and age composition, occupation, education level, and physical disability status of total 595 members of 149 households were analyzed to prepare the socio-economic profile of the study area. Socio-economic survey reveals that around 14% of the population are children and elderly who would require assistance after an earthquake. There are no families with physically challenged members. Around 53% of the respondents are students and housewives. It is interesting to note that only ten percent of the inhabitants of the surveyed households are illiterate. Most of the households have income below 40,000 BDT per month. Among the surveyed respondents, 44% of the respondents do not have any idea about the earthquake vulnerability of the area. They don't have adequate knowledge regarding the actual reasons and are not aware of the precautions that should be taken for earthquake resilience. While the respondents were asked about the earthquake vulnerability of their own buildings, 10% of the respondents considered their buildings to be vulnerable. In addition, only 4% of the respondents showed their interest in getting involved with the activities of the ward disaster management committee. From a field survey it has been found that 61% of the respondents had

previous experiences of earthquake events, while 6% of the respondents did nothing in response to the earthquake. All the respondents prefer to go to temporary shelter after an earthquake if necessary; the highest number of respondents 52 out of 177 prefer open spaces as temporary shelters. It has also been found that 44% of the building owners (18 of 41) are willing to invest money for building strengthening if their buildings have been found vulnerable.

The earthquake contingency plan prepared to reduce the seismic vulnerability of the study area includes temporary shelter planning, emergency health facility planning, Ward Coordination Center planning, and evacuation route planning. First, the demand and supply calculations of the temporary shelters and emergency health facilities were conducted, and later the demand-supply scenario was compared to understand deficiency or surplus. For temporary shelter planning, open spaces and community facility buildings were considered to be used as temporary shelters as per the preference of the respondents of the study area. Among the facility buildings, structurally vulnerable buildings (with RVS score less than 1.2) were excluded. Maps with the location of possible temporary shelters and supply scenarios were shown in the contingency plan. From the demand-supply comparison, it was found that the supply of temporary shelter in safe facilities is sufficient to accommodate the people requiring disaster shelter. 3774 people can be accommodated in the safe buildings. However, the capacity can be increased if unsafe facility buildings are retrofitted. If the unsafe buildings were retrofitted, they would be able to accommodate 1595 more people to make it sufficient according to the demand scenario. It was also found that most of the public buildings with higher capacity in the study area were structurally unsafe.

In the case of emergency health facility planning, a possible number of injured people in the study area were calculated corresponding to different severity levels. The capacity of the health facilities was calculated here for two scenarios. First, only structurally safe health facility buildings were considered. Second, structurally unsafe health facility buildings were taken into account. It was found that a total 344 injured people (Severity 2, 3 and 4) will be required to be admitted to the health facilities. But, no emergency health facility could be identified in Ward No. 9, Rangamati

Pourashava. Therefore, final selection of emergency health facilities will depend on the structural vulnerability of the facility buildings considered to be used for emergency health facilities.

Accessibility of the roads for rescue and rehabilitation were identified considering the road width and blockage size after an earthquake. It was observed that roads less than 8 feet are mainly prone to blockage. It indicates that rescuing from residential buildings, and access to temporary shelters and emergency health facilities will be quite challenging. The single-lane carriageway, which connects this ward with the surrounding wards, will be blocked in at least one location.

It should be borne in mind that a contingency plan is neither a standalone document nor a static document. It should be part of an ongoing process integrating activities of different actors. Contingency plan is a collaborative effort, and it must also be linked to the plans, systems or processes of government machinery and non-government partners at all levels — national, regional, and global. It is well understood that an earthquake would cause damage at the regional scale. So, a region-wide community-level contingency plan needs to be prepared. For successful implementation of the contingency plan, this kind of plan needs to be prepared for the other wards of the Pourashava.

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CHAPTER 1: INTRODUCTION

Earthquakes can occur with no prior warning resulting in widespread loss and damage, and adverse effects on economic, social and political sector which can drive the entire nation to disastrous consequences (CDMP, 2014). To mitigate the earthquake risk, proper planning and management are required through investigating the interrelated issues based on earthquake vulnerability assessment.

1.1 Background of the Project

Bangladesh is physically, economically, and socially vulnerable to earthquake (CDMP, 2014). A severe earthquake in this country, anticipated in the near future, will cause a large number of human casualties, huge damages of infrastructures, social and economic loss, etc. (Alam *et al.*, 2008; CDMP, 2009; Ministry of Disaster Management and Relief, 2015). Earthquake risk management planning includes seismic exposure assessment, building and socio-economic vulnerability assessment, and contingency planning. (NORSAR, 2018; Lal *et al.*, 2011; CDMP, 2014; CDMP, 2009).

To ascertain an effective response to severe earthquake events; an organized earthquake risk management planning is necessary at the local level. Realizing this, National Resilience Programme (NRP) under the Ministry of Disaster Management and Relief (MoDMR) of the People's Republic of Bangladesh has taken the initiative to develop a minimum preparedness package for earthquake preparedness for the cities, which are thoroughly described in Annexure A. Activities are implemented in Rangpur City Corporation, and Tangail, Rangamati, and Sunamganj Pourashava. This report contains the earthquake risk management planning of Ward 9 of Rangamati Pourashava.

Rangamati is located at a vulnerable seismic zone near the Sitakunda-Teknaf fault line, Chottogram- Mayanmar plate boundary, and Rangamati-Barkal fault. According to the Revised Seismic Zoning Map of BNBC, Rangamati belongs to Seismic Zone 3 with a Peak Ground Acceleration of the study wards, which range between 0.33-0.39 (Figure 1.2). Another notable feature is that Rangamati district has very high elevation from

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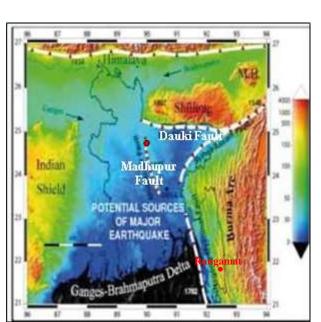




Figure 1.1: Proximity of study area to major fault lines

Figure 1.2: Revised Seismic Zoning of Bangladesh

(Source: Akhter, 2010) (Source: HBRI, 2015)

1.2 Aim and Objectives of the Project

1.2.1 Aim of the Project

The aim of the assignment is "building earthquake resilient community through vulnerability assessment, capacity and awareness building and promoting safe construction practices".

1.2.2 Objective of the Project

The objective of the assignment is to formulate community-based earthquake preparedness and management plan in Rangmati Pourashava. The task includes the participation of community and engagement of their intuitions in assessment, planning, capacity, and awareness building.

1.3 Organization of the Report

There are nine chapters in this report. In chapter one, the background and objectives of the research have been discussed. Chapter two focuses on the profile of the study area, including the geographic, demographic, and other characteristics of the study area. Chapter three and four describes the assessment results of seismic exposure and building vulnerability of the study area, respectively. In chapter five, detailed hazard assessment of a building of this area have been discussed. In chapter six, the socioeconomic vulnerability assessment results of the study area have been discussed. Chapter seven includes components of earthquake contingency planning, including temporary shelters, emergency health facilities, evacuation routes, and ward coordination center. Chapter eight discusses the management and implementation strategies of the contingency plan. Finally chapter nine concludes with some future scopes of this contingency plan during and after an earthquake event.

CHAPTER 2: STUDY AREA PROFILE

Rangamati Pourashava is situated at Rangamati district in Chittagong division which is located on the Seismic Zone-3 of Bangladesh (Figure 1.1). The Pourashava was established in 1984. The population of this area is 84000 and the population density is 228 person per sq. kilometers. Among the 9 wards of Rangamati Pourashava, Ward no. 9 has been selected as one of the study areas for this project.

2.1 Location of the Study Area

Figure 2.1 shows the location of the Rangamati Pourashava in Rangamati district well as the Ward map of Ward 9.

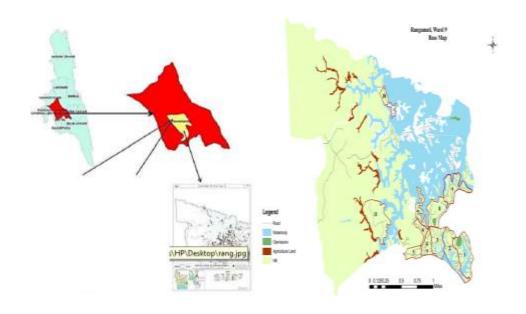


Figure 2.1: Location Map of the study area

2.3 Existing Land Use of the Study Area

Figure 2.2 reveals major land use of Ward 9 of Rangamati Pourashava. In the present study, data reveals that the major land use of Ward no 9 is residential and commercial (89%). Rests of the structures are used for others (3.03%), administrative (1.23%), educational (0.9%), religious (0.71%), industrial (0.62%), community facilities (0.28%) and mixed purposes (0.24%). The hills and road network cover a major portion of land though most of the roads are too narrow to access. A significant number

of water body and open space is found in this Ward. There is also space for sociocultural use in Ward 9.

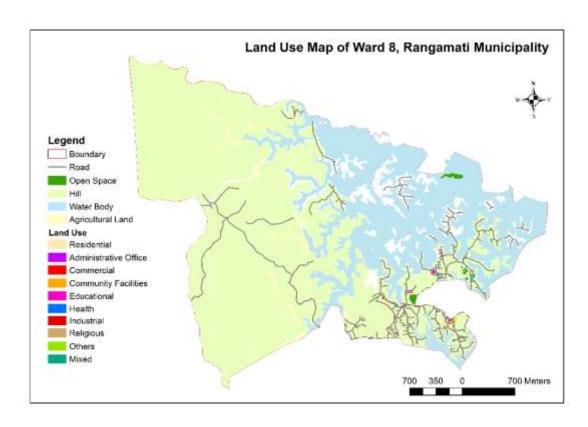


Figure 2.2: Maps showing major land use of the study area

(Source: Field Survey, 2020)

2.4 Profile of Built Structures in the Study Area

If the structures are described according to their types it was found from survey of the present study that 24% of the structures of Ward No. 9 of Rangamati Pourashava are pucca, 22% are semi pucca and the rest are katcha. Number of stories varies from 1 to 7 among the pucca buildings. Distribution of pucca building according to their stories is shown in Table 2.1.

Table 2.1: Distribution of pucca structures according to number of storey

| Number of Story | Number of structures |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------|
| Number of 1 to 3 storied building | 2088 |
| Number of 4 to 6 storied building | 46 |

| Number of 7 or higher storied building | 2 |
|--|------|
| Total | 2136 |

Source: (Field Survey, 2020)

Among the surveyed buildings, 63% are of residential use, followed by commercial uses (5%). Apart from these uses, some buildings are used for urban services and socio-cultural purposes. Figure 2.3 shows frequency distribution of different building uses in Ward 9 of Rangamati Pourashava.

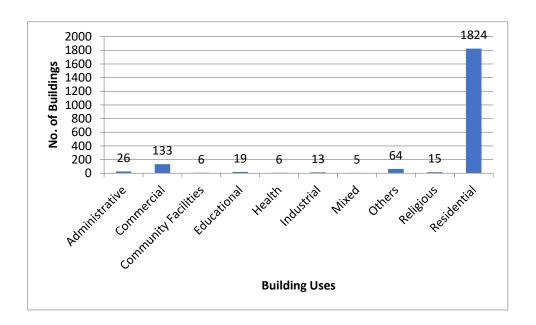


Figure 2.1: Distribution of structures according to building use

(Source: Field Survey, 2020)

There are total 72 institutional buildings in Ward 9 having both public and private ownership. Buildings for administrative purpose, educational and religious use, health facility and community facilities have been considered as institutional building in this project. Among them, six buildings provide community facilities, twenty six buildings are used as administrative offices, nineteen buildings are educational institutes, fifteen buildings are used for religious purpose and six building provides health facilities.

CHAPTER 3: SITE SPECIFIC SEISMIC HAZARD ASSESSMENT

3.1 Introduction

This chapter deals with the borehole location and soil profile for Ward no. 9 of Rangamati Pourashava. It also presents information regarding the microtremor test for determination of natural frequency. It will help to know the local soil condition and local seismic effect.

3.2 Borehole Data (SPT value and Description of Soil)

Figure 3.1 and Figure 3.2 represent the bore logs of the two boreholes of Ward 9 of Rangamati Pourashava. One boring (Bore Hole 1) was done near the college field and another boring (Bore Hole 2) was done near the stadium gate. Bore hole diameter used in these tests was 100 mm. Both disturbed and undisturbed samples were collected from the borings. 20 readings of SPT-N value at 1.5m intervals up to 30 m were taken.

The soil profile of bore hole 1 in Figure 3.1 shows six different layers of soil. The N value up to 7.5m is less than 10. So, the top 7.5m have less strength as both cohesion and angle of internal friction are positively correlated to SPT-N value (Kumar et al., 2016). The N value shows an abrupt increase at 9.0m thus indicates a change in the soil layer. In the following depths the N value keeps on increasing till 18m. Beyond 18m and till 30m, the maximum value of N has been obtained and it is 50. The detailed description of the soil types are shown in Figure 3.1.

On the other hand, the soil profile of bore hole 2 in Figure 3.2 shows four different layers of soil. It is observed that up to 9m, the N values are below 10. So, the soil up to 9m has less strength. Beyond 9.0m the N values keep increasing and become greater than 20 at 12.0m. In the fourth layer, N reaches a value equal to or greater than 50 (from 24m to 30.0m). So, if we compare both the boreholes up to 24m, the soil strength of bore hole 1 is comparatively better than that of bore hole 2.

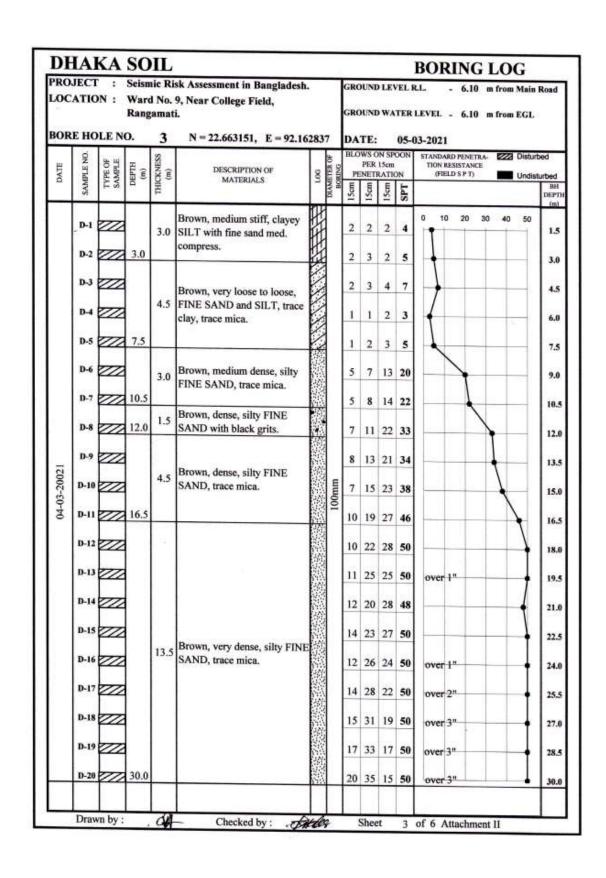


Figure 3.1: SPT data of Bore Hole 1 of Ward no. 9

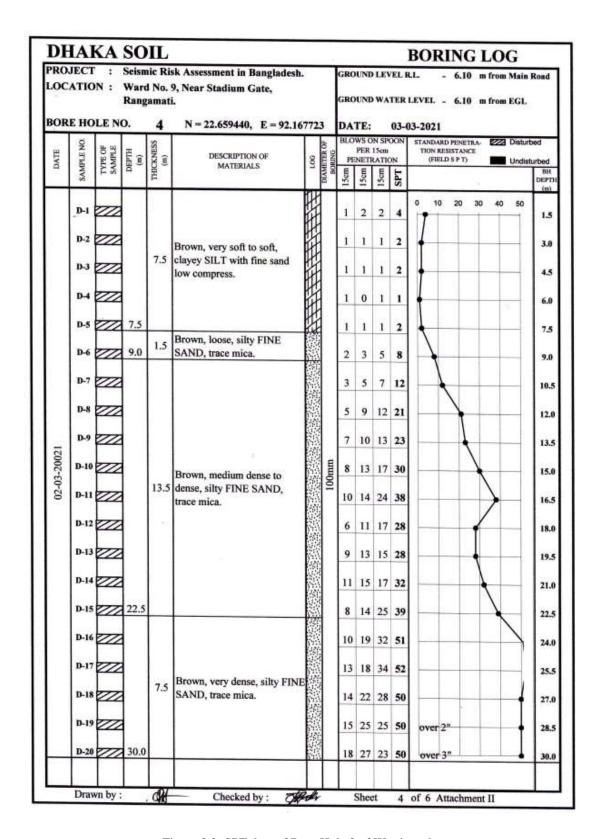


Figure 3.2: SPT data of Bore Hole 2 of Ward no. 9

3.3 Microtremor Test

Microtremor test was conducted at one location of ward no. 9 of Rangamati Paurashava. The methodology has been stated in Chapter 2 of Volume 1.

3.3.1 Result of Microtremor Analysis

For the microtremor test, data was recorded for one hour at a sampling frequency of 100 Hz. For each sensor the data set has been divided into 25 segments, each containing 8192 data points. After segmenting the data set the data was through a band pass filter to eliminate very high and very low frequencies. Fast Fourier Transformation (FFT) has been used to transfer time domain data of each window to frequency domain data.

By dividing the horizontal component (vibrations recorded in N-S and E-W directions) by the vertical component (vibrations recorded in Up-Down direction) we obtained the amplitude. All the graphs have been smoothened by averaging 20 data points and considering it as a single point in the graph. This was repeated for 25 sections and the geometric average of the amplitude ratios was taken to finally plot the Amplitude ratio vs Frequency (Hz) graph.

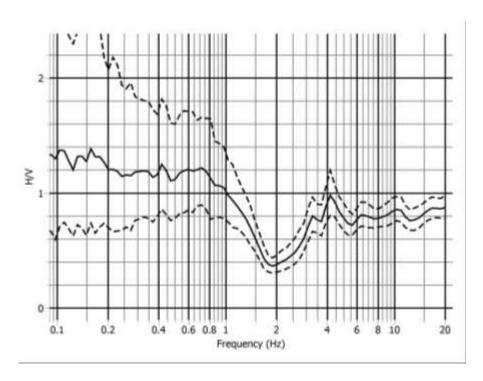


Figure 3.3: Amplitude Ratio vs Frequency graph of Ward no. 9 of Rangamati Paurashava

Figure 3.3 shows the Amplitude ratio vs Frequency graph for Ward 9 of Rangamati Paurashava. From the graph we can observe that the amplitude ratio is maximum at around 4.0 Hz. The frequency at which the amplitude ratio shows a prominent peak is considered to be the predominant/natural frequency of the soil at that location. So, the predominant frequency is around 4.0 Hz. The predominant period is 0.25s. Using empirical equations along with the soil profile obtained from the bore holes, the shear wave velocity of the 30 meter 1-D soil column was found to be around 149.48 m/s (Bore hole-1) and 140.02 m/s (Bore hole-2).

CHAPTER 4: BUILDING VULNERABILITY ASSESSMENT

4.1 Introduction

In this chapter, the seismic vulnerability of the buildings of Ward no. 9 of Rangamati Pourashava has been discussed based on Rapid Visual Screening of 77 buildings.

4.2 Preliminary Assessment using Rapid Visual Screening

The seismic vulnerability assessment of structures in the selected area has been done by RVS (Rapid Visual Screening) method formulated in FEMA P-154. In this method, the main focus was on issues that may cause damage during earthquakes such as identifying building type, plot size and shape, clear distances from surrounding structures, road width and basic information of the building: year of construction, number of storey, overhang, vertical irregularity, plan irregularity etc. Digital photographs of each building from at least two directions were taken.

4.3 Results and Discussion of Preliminary Vulnerability Assessment

In this section, results of the analysis are presented focusing on the main concerning point of the structure which may turn out to be vulnerable during earthquakes.

Ward no. 9 of Rangamati Pourashava has been divided into 10 clusters. This ward falls within the moderately high seismicity zone according to FEMA. Four different types of buildings were obtained during the rapid visual screening of the selected buildings in Rangamati Pourashava. These, according to classification of FEMA are Wood Light Frame (W1), Concrete Shear Wall Building (C2), Concrete Frame with Masonry Infill Walls (C3) and Unreinforced Masonry building (URM). The maximum achievable score for these four types of buildings are 4.1, 2.1 1.4 and 1.2 respectively (as per FEMA requirements). However, as we consider the irregularities and soil class (D) the

scores decline. So, an URM type building cannot receive a score greater than 1.2 in any circumstances. If a cut off score greater than 1.2 is set, it will not represent the true state of vulnerable buildings. Thus, a cutoff score of 1.2 has been selected. It has been observed that the final score of 52% of the total surveyed buildings in ward 9 were below cutoff (1.2) and thus these are vulnerable. Table 4.1 presents the percentage of vulnerable buildings in each cluster.

It was found that among the 77 surveyed buildings, all are Concrete frame with unreinforced masonry infill walls (C3 as per FEMA classification).

Table 4.1: Percentage of vulnerable buildings in different clusters

| Cluster | Number of | Number of | Percentage of |
|---------|-----------|------------|---------------|
| | Building | Vulnerable | Vulnerable |
| | Surveyed | Buildings | Buildings |
| 1 | 19 | 4 | 21% |
| 2 | 15 | 12 | 80% |
| 3 | 16 | 14 | 88% |
| 5 | 3 | 2 | 67% |
| 6 | 2 | 1 | 50% |
| 7 | 7 | 3 | 43% |
| 8 | 4 | 1 | 25% |
| 9 | 9 | 3 | 33% |
| 10 | 2 | 0 | 0% |

Figure 4.1 represents relations between buildings of Ward 9 and their RVS score. This figure indicates that 21% of the buildings have a score less than or equal to 0.3, 10% of the buildings have a score in between 0.4 to 0.6, 21% of the buildings score in

between 0.7 to 0.9, and finally 48% buildings have a score greater than 1.2. Thus, 48% of buildings can be marked as safe during an earthquake.

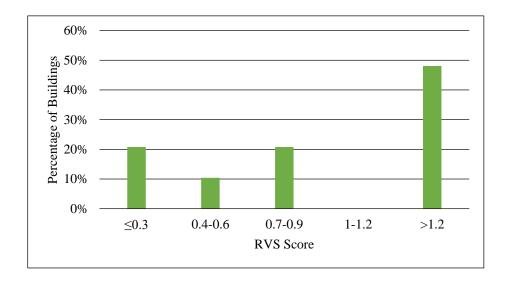


Figure 4.1: Relations between percentage of buildings and RVS score of ward no. 9

Figure 4.2 shows the percentage of buildings against the total number of stories. It was observed that 3 story buildings (including above and below grade) are dominating in this ward and it is 34% of the total sample size. 4 story and 2 story buildings comprise 26% and 18% of the total surveyed buildings, respectively. 13% of the buildings are 1 storied and 8% are 5 storied. Only 1% of buildings are above 5 story.

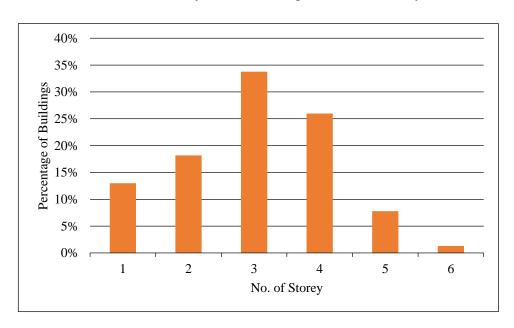


Figure 4.2: Relations between the percentage of buildings and total no. of story of Ward no. 9

Among all the surveyed buildings, 30% had stories below grade. Figure 4.3 shows that 23% of such buildings have 1 story below grade. 6% of them have 2 stories and only 1% of them have 3 stories below grade.

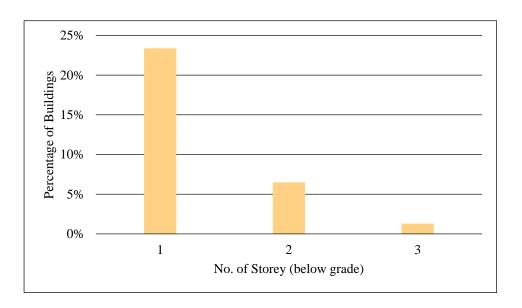


Figure 4.3: Relations between the percentage of buildings and no. of story of Ward no 9 (below grade)

Figure 4.4 represents relation between percentage of buildings and severe vertical irregularity which include any or a combination of the following: short column, soft story/weak story and out of plane setback. It has been observed that 31% of the buildings that were surveyed have severe vertical irregularity.

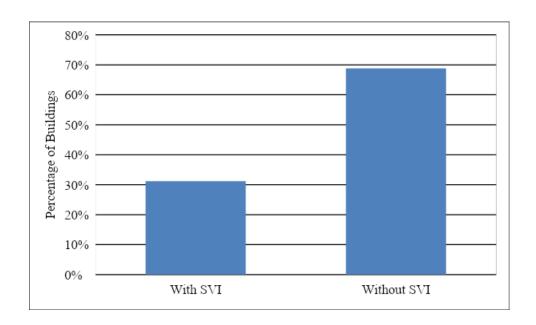


Figure 4.4: Relations between percentage of buildings and severe vertical irregularity

Figure 4.5 represents relation between percentage of buildings and moderate vertical irregularity (e.g. in plane setback, sloping site, split level). It is found that 34% of the total surveyed buildings have moderate vertical irregularity.

Figure 4.6 shows the percentage of buildings against plan irregularity (e.g. torsional irregularity, non-parallel system, reentrant corner, diaphragm opening, out of plane offset). 10% of the buildings have one or more forms of plan irregularity.

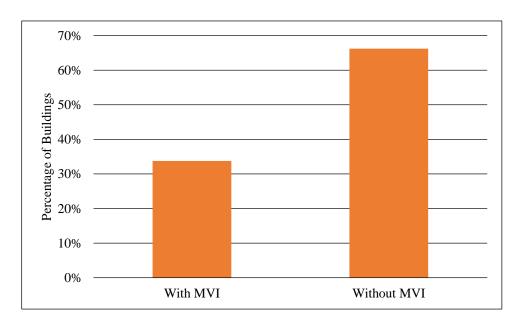


Figure 4.5: Relations between percentage of buildings and moderate vertical irregularity

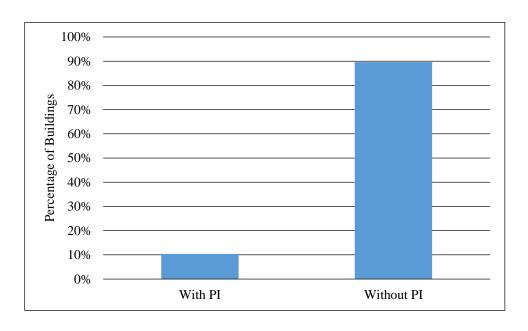


Figure 4.6: Relations between percentage of buildings and plan irregularity

CHAPTER 5 : DETAILED ENGINEERING ASSESSMENT

5.1 Introduction

Rapid Visual Screening (RVS) provides a preliminary idea regarding the condition of the structures. To get a detailed picture of the condition of the structural members further investigations are necessary. With this view, a detailed engineering assessment of one building was conducted in ward no. 9 of Rangamati Paurashava.

The initial approach for selecting a building considered two criteria: it needed to be a public building and needed to be accessible during the time of an earthquake. Based on the mentioned criterions Goudhuly Amanatbag Govt. Primary School building was selected for a detailed engineering assessment (DEA).

A technical team from BUET-JIDPUS visited the building in August 2021 to visually assess the structural condition of the building. They performed some testing to evaluate the existing condition of the building. Core samples were collected to get an idea about the strength of the concrete. Moreover, foundation locations were excavated to make spot examination of the foundation depth and foundation dimensions. Finally, a detailed analysis was done for checking the structural design adequacy of the building. This report provides a summary of the methodology, loading conditions, material properties and parameters used in the analysis of the structure. The report concludes with comments on the structural adequacy of the building.

5.2 Salient Features and Drawing of the Building

No previous drawing of the building was available and thus the following drawings were prepared as a part of the detailed engineering assessment.

- Architectural Floor Plan
- Structural Drawings

The drawings have been attached in Appendix C.

Based on visual observations and drawings, the following features were noted for the building.

(i) Building Usage Type : School Building

(ii) Structural System : Reinforced Concrete Moment Resisting Frame

(iii) Floor System : Beam supported RC slab

(iv) Floor Area : Building plan dimension is 78 ft \times 26.5 ft. Approximately floor

area is 2065 sft per floor.

(v) No. of Stories : 3

(vi) Foundation Type : Reinforced Concrete Foundation (Shallow)

(ix) Construction : Reinforced concrete

Materials No test report of construction materials is available.

5.3 Assessment of As-Built Condition

5.3.1 Assessment of Concrete Strength

Strength of the concrete in the existing beams, columns and slabs has been assessed by extracting concrete core samples. Figure 5.1 shows the extraction of core from a column. Location of core cutting and their respective strength has been provided in Appendix C. Variations have been observed in the concrete strength derived from tests of the core samples. This may have resulted due to the quality control issue and other uncertainties associated with the core collection and testing (Ahsan et al., 2018). Hence, by applying judgment, concrete strength has judiciously been considered between the lowest and mean value. From these results, concrete compressive strength of 1.2 ksi for slab, column and beam of the building has been used for structural analysis.



Figure 5.1: Core extraction from a column

5.3.2 Ferro-Scan Test for Reinforcement Identification

Ferro-scan tests of the building have been done to know the number and size of reinforcement in column, slab and beam. All scanned images of the Ferro-scan results are attached in Appendix C. Figure 5.2 shows ferro-scanning from a column.



Figure 5.2: Ferro-scanning of a column

5.3.3 Checking the Foundation

Foundations of the building were checked by excavating the soil. The size, thickness and depth were measured. Figure 5.3 shows the excavation of footing. Footing details have been attached to the drawing as Appendix C.



Figure 5.3: Footing excavation

5.4 Finite Element Modeling

The following building is analyzed in ETABS 16.0 considering floor finish 25psf, partition wall load 45psf, live load 100 psf for school building and 100psf for stair and lobbies. Required values for analysis have been taken from BNBC 2020. Zone coefficient Z = 0.28 for Rangamati Pourashava according to table 6.2.15 is used. Site coefficient is taken as 1.15 according to table 6.2.16 considering soil type SC (as N value within 20m is >50) for Rangamati Pourashava. The SPT values of two boreholes are shown in Chapter 4. As the structure is used as a school building (Occupancy Category III: table 6.1.1), the importance factor is taken as 1.25 according to table 6.2.17. Response modification factor R= 8.0 has been used according to table 6.2.19 for Special Reinforced Concrete Moment Frame system for Seismic Design Category D according to table 6.2.18. Wind speed (56.7 m/s) is taken for Rangamati Pourashava according to table 6.2.8. The modeling and results of analysis are shown below. Materials properties are taken from the core test result shown in Appendix C. Used load combination according to section 2.7.3.1 are shown below where D=Dead Load, L= Live Load, E= Earthquake Load, W= Wind Load:

- 1. 1.4 D
- 2. 1.2 D+1.6 L
- 3. 1.2 D+ L
- 4. 1.2 D+1.6 W+ L
- 5. 1.2 D+ E+ L

- 6. 0.9 D+1.6 W
- 7. 0.9 D + E

5.5 Results

It is a one-storey government school building. As-built drawings of this building are shown in Appendix C. Figure 5.4 depicts the 3-D view of the finite element model. Figure 5.5 shows the 3-D view of the structure after analysis. In the figure, the red marked columns indicate that they are overstressed and failed due to the applied loading condition. Similarly, the red marked beams indicate that the beams failed in flexure. From the analysis, it is observed that many columns of this building are overstressed (shown in "Red") however no beam failure has been identified.

Figure 5.6 (a-d) depicts the failed columns along different frames in elevation view. Thus to use this building in future as a temporary shelter, retrofitting of inadequate columns will be required.

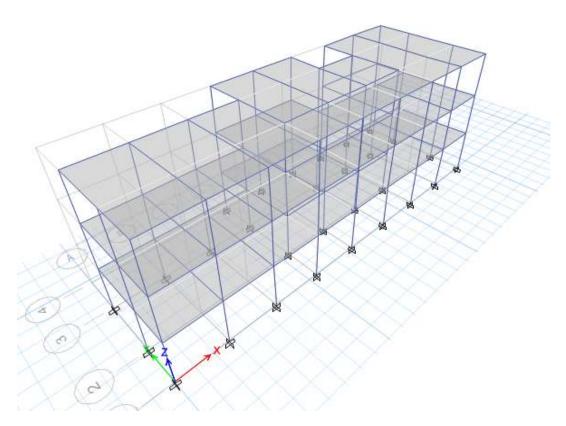


Figure 5.4: 3-D view of the finite element model

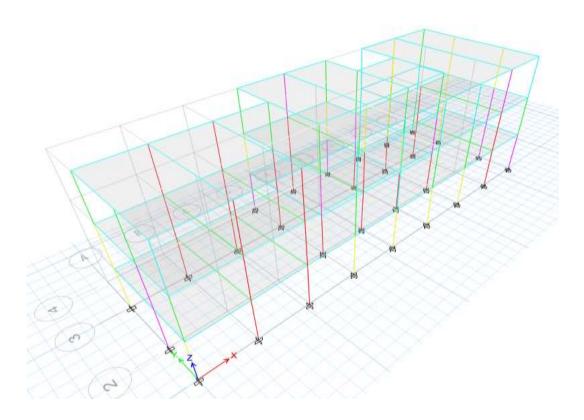
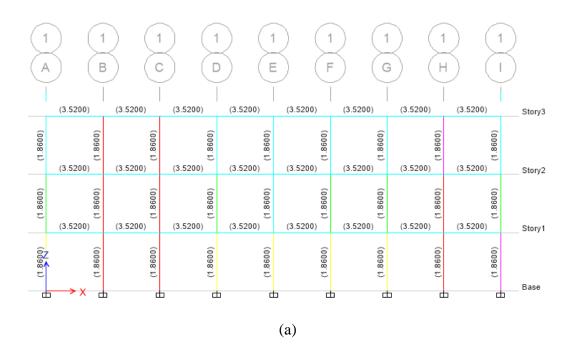
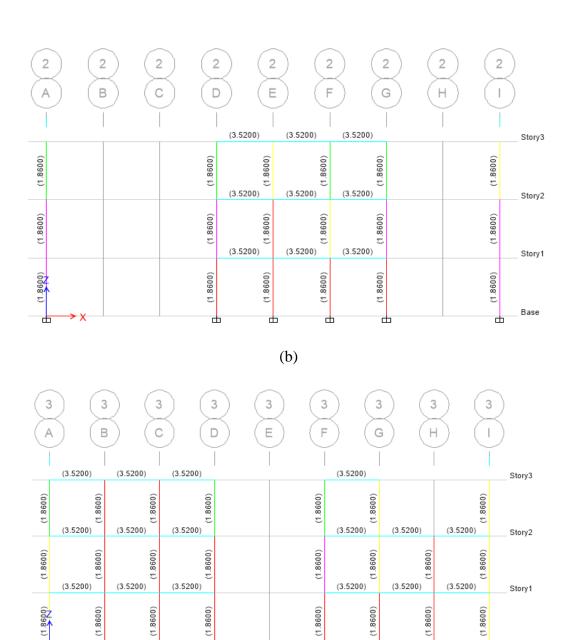


Figure 5.5: 3-D view of the building in FEM after analysis





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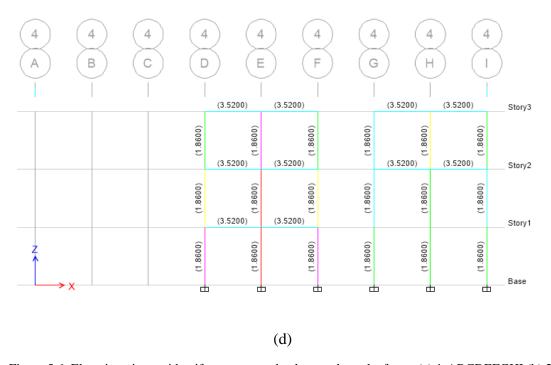


Figure 5.6: Elevation view to identify overstressed columns along the frame (a) 1-ABCDEFGHI (b) 2-ABCDEFGHI (c) 3-ABCDEFGHI (d) 4-ABCDEFGHI

CHAPTER 6: SOCIO-ECONOMIC VULNERABILITY ASSESSMENT

6.1 Introduction

Socio-economic vulnerability of a community is defined as the condition of a community which have unequal participation in decision making process, weak or no community organizations; discriminative economic standard, social norms and values, political accountability, variation of income and production etc. (Mnestudies.com, 2018). Socio-economic vulnerability examines social and economic factors and how the combination of both social context and economic condition influence an area of interest or study (Brouwer, 2018). A devastating earthquake does not only kill people, damage or destroy buildings and infrastructures, but also cause damage and destruction of centers of economic, cultural and social activities. By causing massive destruction to individual buildings, critical facilities, or economic and cultural centers, earthquake disturbs or destroys the existing inter-relationship and interaction between or among the different groups and activities of a society or a nation (ADPC, n.d.). Socioeconomic vulnerability is highest among the poorest people in developing countries because of lack of information and resources. Within this group, children, women and the elderly are considered to be the most vulnerable. To reduce such vulnerability, it is necessary to identify the knowledge and understanding of the local residents (Mnestudies.com, 2018). This chapter focuses on the analysis of socio-economic vulnerability of Ward No. 9 of Rangamati Pourashava. The socio-economic issues considered here include general profile of the respondents and their family members (age, sex, educational qualification, occupation, house ownership, earthquake training, data of physically challenged people etc.), perception regarding earthquake risk, perception about earthquake preparedness and their eagerness to get involve with these type of volunteering works etc. The analysis has been done based on household questionnaire survey of 149 households, which includes total 595 members.

6.2 General Socio-economic Profile of Surveyed Population

To understand socio-economic profile of the study area, gender and age composition, occupation, education level and physical disability status of total 595 members of 149 households were analyzed. Additionally, monthly household income of 149 households was also analyzed.

6.2.1 Gender and age composition

Data of 595 individuals of 149 surveyed households who live in Ward 9 of Rangamati Pourashava were collected for the study through the method described in Chapter Three. It has been observed that distribution of male and female is very close and almost equal. 51% of the total individuals are male and 49% of them are female. So, there is no scope to exclude any gender group rather, special needs and requirements of both groups must be incorporated in different disaster management activities so that they can respond in the case of any disaster.

Table 6.1 shows the distribution of the members from surveyed households of Ward 9 according to their age group. For the convenience of analysis, the members of the surveyed households have been divided into five age groups, i.e. children (<10years), young (11-20 years), young adults (21-30 years), middle aged (31-60 years), and elderly (>60 years). From table 6.1, it is visible that, highest percentages (39%) of the inhabitants of the surveyed households belong to age group 31-60. It is also necessary to note that a significant share of the members are children (12%) and elderly people (6%), who will require assistance after an earthquake.

Table 6.1: Distribution of respondents according to their age group

| Age Group | Number of residents | Percentage |
|--------------------|---------------------|------------|
| Less than 10 years | 71 | 12% |
| 11 to 20 years | 123 | 21% |
| 21 to 30 years | 128 | 22% |
| 31 to 60 years | 234 | 39% |

| More than 60 years | 37 | 6% |
|--------------------|-----|------|
| Total | 595 | 100% |

6.2.2 Occupation

Figure 6.1 shows the distribution of 595 members of the surveyed household according to their occupation. From the figure 6.1, it is visible that almost one third of the inhabitants (31%) of the surveyed households are student and 22% members from surveyed households are homemakers. Therefore, there is a wide scope to engage these students in disaster management activities through awareness building and proper training.

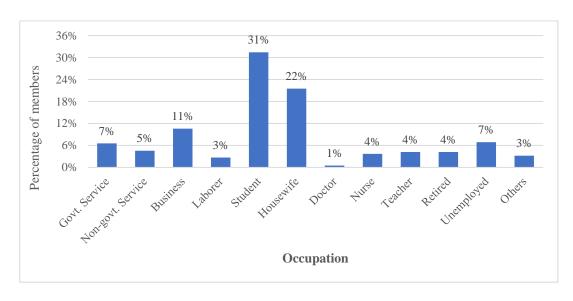


Figure 6.1: Distribution of household members according to their occupation

(Source: Field Survey, 2021)

6.2.3 Educational qualification

Figure 6.2 shows the distribution of educational qualification of 1126 members of 281 households of the ward. The highest percentage of the members of the surveyed households has educational qualification up to secondary level (39%) followed by primary (20%) and higher secondary level (20%). Only 8% of the inhabitants from the surveyed households are illiterate where the national illiteracy rate in Bangladesh is almost 30% (BBS, 2019).

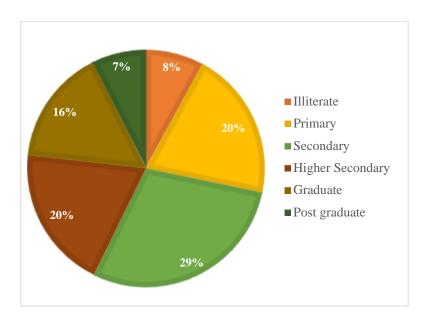


Figure 6.2: Distribution of household members according to educational qualification

6.2.4 Physically/mentally challenged population

Physically/mentally challenged people would need assistance after an earthquake. It has been found from the survey that only 1% (6 out of 595 members) members from the surveyed households are physically or mentally disabled. Though the percentage is very low, still it is important to consider them to ensure proper earthquake response.

6.2.5 Monthly household income

Monthly income of majority portion of the surveyed households (149 households) is less than 50,000 BDT (Figure 6.3). 18% households have monthly income of less than 20,000 BDT. More than 50,000 BDT per month is earned by 18% of the surveyed households.

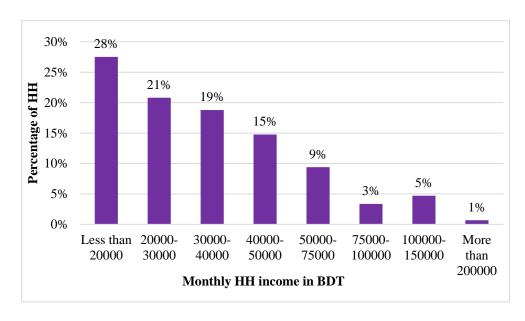


Figure 6.3: Distribution of monthly household income of the surveyed household

6.2.6 Building ownership

Figure 6.4 indicates that the buildings in which the surveyed households resides are mostly (92%) under private ownership (90% personal ownership and 2% joint ownership). The percentage of buildings under government ownership is quite low.

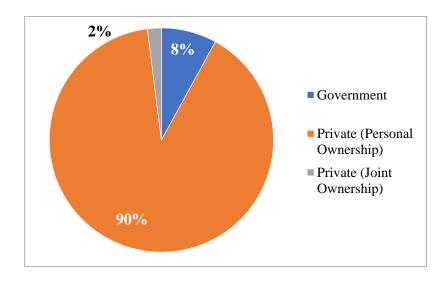


Figure 6.4: Distribution of households according to the ownership of the buildings

6.2.7 Duration of stay in the area

From Figure 6.5 it is visible that, 53% of the surveyed families live in this area for more than 20 years. 21% of them have been living in this area for 11 to 20 years. From this data, it can be concluded that, as majority of the people live here for many years, they have better knowledge about the area and the inhabitants. It is also understood that their sense of belonging to the place and the community bonding are strong.

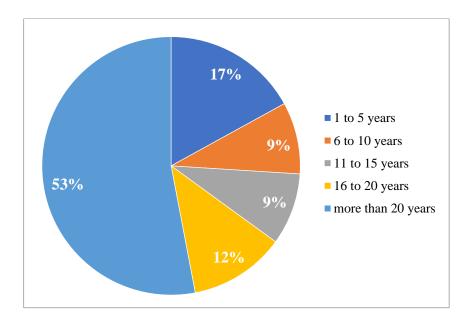


Figure 6.5: Distribution of households according to their duration of stay in the area

(Source: Field Survey, 2021)

6.3 Awareness Status and Knowledge of People about Earthquake

To understand the actual level of awareness of respondents about earthquake, their awareness status has been analyzed with respect to their social context and sources of their awareness.

6.3.1 Awareness status and overall knowledge of people

Among 149 surveyed respondents, 75% have responded that they are aware of earthquake. From Table 6.2, it is visible that, majority of the respondents who are aware of earthquake knows that, earthquake is a natural disaster that causes vibration of the physical structure. 82% of them know that earthquake can cause infrastructural damage and life risk. So,

it can be concluded that majority of them have knowledge about the basic reason and primary impacts of earthquake.

Table 6.2: Detail knowledge of respondents about earthquake

| Knowledge | Frequency | Percent |
|---|-----------|---------|
| It is a natural disaster | 110 | 99% |
| Occurs due to movement of surface plates on | 39 | 35% |
| earth | | |
| Causes vibration of the physical structures | 110 | 99% |
| Can cause infrastructural damage | 91 | 82% |
| Can cause life risk | 91 | 82% |
| None of these | 0 | 0% |

(Source: Field Survey, 2021)

6.3.2 Source of awareness about earthquake

From Figure 6.6 it can be observed that majority of them learned about earthquake from family members. Except these, other important sources are newspaper/leaflet, mass media and social media. The numbers of respondents, who have learned about earthquake from earthquake drill or earthquake related programs, are comparatively lower. This represents that earthquake drill or earthquake related programs are unable to reach the majority of population in the study area.

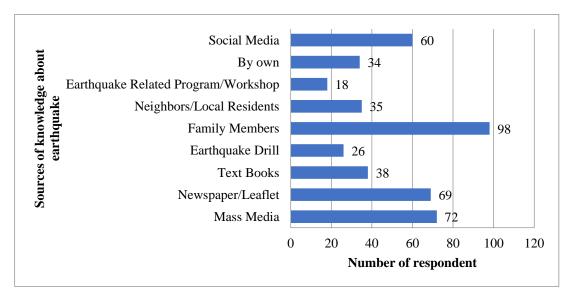


Figure 6.6: Sources of knowledge of earthquake of the respondents

6.3.3 Preferable medium for raising awareness

Now it is important to know which mediums the respondents prefer the most for raising awareness about earthquake and reducing earthquake risk. From Table 6.3, it is visible that, when ranking different options, highest number of respondents (87) prefers mass media (television/radio etc.) as their first preferred medium. Newspaper/leaflet is chosen as 2nd choice by maximum 51 respondents and social media is chosen as 3rd choice by maximum 46 respondents.

Table 6.3: Ranked preference for most effective medium for increasing ability and awareness of earthquake risk by the respondents

| Mediums | 1 st preference | 2 nd preference | 3 rd preference |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Mass media (Television/ | 87 | 37 | 6 |
| Radio etc.) | | | |
| Newspaper/ Leaflet | 7 | 51 | 31 |
| Cultural Events (Song/ | 10 | 8 | 9 |
| Play) | | | |
| Locality based meeting/ | 6 | 9 | 4 |
| workshop | | | |
| Earthquake training/ drill | 18 | 8 | 25 |
| Neighbors/ Local residents | 3 | 17 | 28 |
| Social Media | 18 | 19 | 46 |

(Source: Field Survey, 2021)

6.4 Peoples' Perception about Earthquake

Vulnerability of the Area

The respondents (household representatives who were interviewed) were asked if they were aware of the earthquake vulnerability of their district. It is quite interesting that only 36% of the respondents from respective households (54 of 149) households keep idea about the earthquake vulnerability of their area.

6.4.1 Peoples' perception regarding earthquake vulnerability of the area from socio-demographic context

Among the household representatives, who answered that they are aware of the earthquake vulnerability of their area, 48% are male. From Table 6.4, it can be seen that perception of the respondents about the area being vulnerable is greater among

middle aged people compared to others. The awareness level is lower among the young people which should be taken into account to create awareness among them.

Table 6.4: Distribution of household representatives who answered that they are aware of the earthquake vulnerability of their area according to their age

| Age Group | Percentage of respondents |
|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| Children (<10 years) | 0% |
| Young (11-20 years) | 15% |
| Young Adults (21-30 years) | 18% |
| Middle Aged (31-60 years) | 61% |
| Elderly (> 60 years) | 6% |

(Source: Field Survey, 2021)

Figure 6.7 shows that majority household representatives who answered that they are aware of the earthquake vulnerability of their district who have educational qualification of secondary or higher level. They comprise of more than 80% of the respondents who are aware of earthquake vulnerability of the area. Members from these households can easily help as a strong workforce in disaster management activities through awareness building and proper training to enhance earthquake resilience of the community.

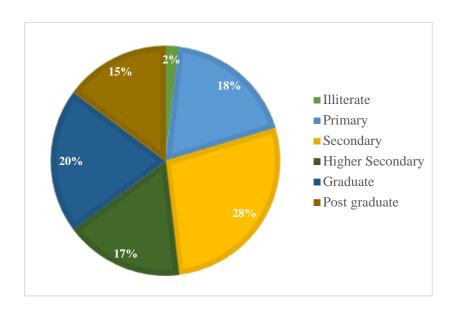


Figure 6.7: Distribution of household representatives who are aware of the earthquake vulnerability of their area according to educational qualification

6.4.2 Peoples' perception regarding earthquake vulnerability of the area with respect to duration of stay

From previous discussion it is evident that, 36% (54 of 149) respondents know about the earthquake vulnerability of their area. It can be assumed that people living in the locality longer period of time are more aware of the vulnerability of the area due to earthquake. However, it was found that there is little or no relationship between living in the area and awareness of the earthquake vulnerability (Table 6.5).

Table 6.5: Distribution of respondents according to their perception regarding earthquake vulnerability of the area and duration of stay

| Perception | | | |
|----------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-------|
| Duration | Area | Area not | T-4-1 |
| of stay | vulnerable to earthquake | vulnerable to earthquake | Total |
| in the area | | | |
| 1 to 5 years | 3% | 14% | 17% |
| 5 to 10 years | 3% | 6% | 9% |
| 10 to 15 years | 3% | 6% | 9% |

| 15 to 20 years | 7% | 5% | 12% |
|--------------------|-----|-----|------|
| More than 20 years | 20% | 33% | 53% |
| Total | 36% | 64% | 100% |

6.4.3 Reasons behind earthquake vulnerability of the area according to the respondents

From previous discussion it has been evident that, 36% (54 of 149) respondents know about the earthquake vulnerability of their area. When they were asked about the reasons of this vulnerability, they have mentioned the reasons in the orders shown in Figure 6.8.

Lack of open space in the area has been ranked as the first reasons by highest number of respondents (19). Presence of narrow roads is chosen as 2nd reason by maximum 17 respondents. Presence of waterbody and landslide as a result earthquake are chosen as 3rd reason by maximum 9 respondents. Geographical condition, geological condition, unplanned settlement, highly dense settlements, old buildings etc. are some other major factors.

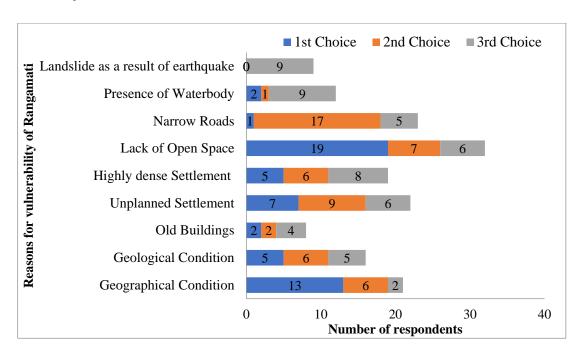


Figure 6.8: Ranked reasons of earthquake vulnerability of the area according to the respondents

6.5 Peoples' Perception about Earthquake Vulnerability of their Building

From previous discussion, it is found that, 54 out of 149 (36%) respondents know about earthquake vulnerability of the area. However, when respondents were asked whether they knew about the earthquake vulnerability of their own buildings, only 9% (13 out of 149 households) of the respondents thought that they consider their buildings vulnerable to earthquake.

6.5.1 Peoples' perception about earthquake vulnerability of their building with respect to land ownership status and duration of stay

Among the 13 respondents who consider their buildings to be vulnerable to earthquake, 9 are the owners of the buildings and the rest are the tenants.

However, it can be assumed that people living for longer period of time in the area are more aware of the vulnerability of their buildings due to earthquake. But, from table 6.6, it can be seen that there is little or no relationship between resident's perception about earthquake vulnerability of their building and their duration of stay.

Table 6.6: Distribution of respondents according to their perception about earthquake vulnerability of their building and their duration of stay

| Perception Duration of stay in the area | Building vulnerable to earthquake | Building not vulnerable to earthquake | Total |
|---|---|---|-------|
| 1 to 5 years | 0% | 17% | 17% |
| 5 to 10 years | 2% | 7% | 9% |
| 10 to 15 years | 0% | 9% | 9% |
| 15 to 20 years | 2% | 10% | 12% |
| More than 20 years | 5% | 48% | 53% |
| Total | 9% | 91% | 100% |

6.5.2 Reasons behind earthquake vulnerability of buildings according to the respondents

When the respondents were asked about the reasons behind earthquake vulnerability of buildings, some reasons have been identified in ranked order (Figure 6.7). As the first reason, two choices were selected by the highest number of respondents (4). These are low quality construction materials/techniques and inadequacy of emergency exists. Old building, short spacing with adjacent buildings, soil type below the building etc. are also major reasons for the building being earthquake vulnerable.

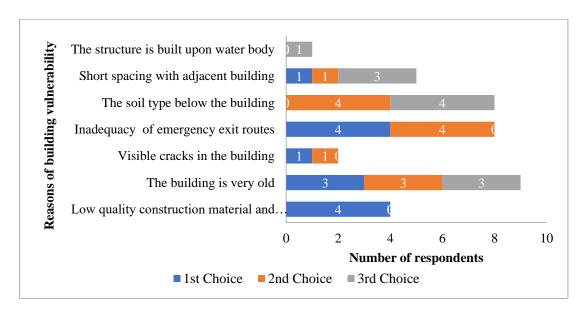


Figure 6.7: Ranked reasons of earthquake vulnerability of the buildings according to the respondents

(Source: Field Survey, 2021)

6.6 People's Perception Regarding Earthquake Response

During earthquake, the knowledge of emergency response is helpful for the people to save themselves. In this study, it has been tried to understand the knowledge of respondents about the safety precaution one needs during and after earthquake.

6.6.1 Experience and response of the respondents to earthquake

From field survey it has been found that, all of the respondents have experienced earthquake. From Figure 6.9, it can be seen that majority of the respondents has last experienced earthquake from 2017 to 2020.

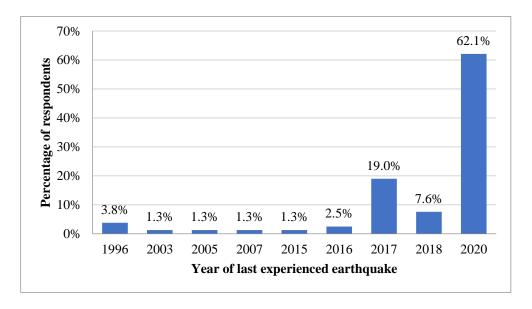


Figure 6.9: Last year when respondents experienced an earthquake

(Source: Field Survey, 2021)

From Figure 6.10 it is visible that, 31 out of 149 respondents went to a safe place (Road) during earthquake. 25 respondents got panicked. About 36 respondents did nothing. Such response may require concern because they either don't know what to do during earthquake or got panicked and showed no response.

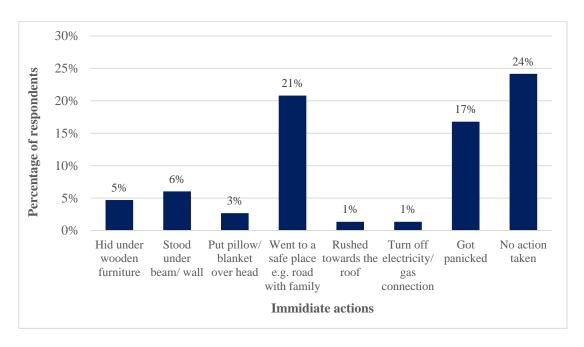


Figure 6.10: Distribution of actions that has been taken during earthquake according to the respondents

6.6.2 People's perception and preference regarding temporary shelter Earthquake may result is collapse of vulnerable buildings or crack in buildings. Such buildings require retrofitting and/or reconstruction which can't be done overnight. Because of earthquake, building structures may collapse or become damaged. In this context, people should not be allowed to stay there anymore and are needed to move to temporary shelter. Thus, the dwellers would need to move to temporary shelter. This study also explored the willingness of respondents to go to temporary shelter during disaster.

When the respondents were asked whether they were interested to go to temporary shelter, 95% (141 of 149) responded positively. Now it is important to know which place they prefer most as temporary shelter. Table 6.7 shows the distribution of the preferences for temporary shelter of the respondents. When compared in total, it is seen that, highest number of respondents (127 out of 149) prefers educational institutions as temporary shelter. About 126 out of 149 respondents preferred open spaces as temporary shelter. When the ranking of these options have been done, it is seen that highest number of respondents (56) prefers educational institutions as their

first preferred temporary shelter. Educational institution is chosen as 2nd choice by maximum 112 respondents.

Table 6.7: Ranked preference for temporary shelter types by the respondents

| Temporary shelter | 1 st preference | 2 nd preference | 3 rd preference | 4 th or 5 th preference | Total |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|---|-------|
| Open space | 54 | 18 | 59 | 0 | 126 |
| Play ground | 10 | 28 | 11 | 64 | 113 |
| Educational Institution | 18 | 74 | 26 | 9 | 127 |
| Religious Institution | 3 | 12 | 8 | 61 | 84 |
| Government Institution | 56 | 9 | 37 | 1 | 103 |

(Source: Field survey, 2021)

6.7 People's Overall Preparation for Earthquake

It is important to know whether the people have any preparation for earthquake within their family. When respondents were asked about their family preparation for earthquake, 32% (47 out of 149) of them responded positively. From Table 6.8, it is visible that 22% of them have discussed with family members what to do if earthquake occurs and 16% of them have designated a relatively safe indoor place to stay during earthquake. 15% of them have also assembled emergency equipment for immediate use and carrying.

Table 6.8: Types of family preparation for earthquake taken by the respondents

| Family Preparations | Frequency | Percent |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|---------|
| Assembled some emergency | 23 | |
| equipment for immediate use and | | 15% |
| carrying | | |
| designated a relatively safe indoor | 24 | 16% |
| place to stay during earthquake | | |
| discussed with family members what | 32 | 22% |
| to do if earthquake occurs | | 2270 |

| Discussed with the neighbor and | 16 | 11% |
|---------------------------------|----|------|
| other people of the building | | 1170 |
| | | |

6.8 People's Eagerness to Participate in Disaster Management Activities

Participation of community people in any disaster related activities is necessary for effective disaster management plan. Community level participation helps integrating with national and international level complement which is very important to ensure proper management after earthquake.

6.8.1 Peoples' willingness to get involved in disaster management related activities of ward

When the respondents were asked their interest to get involved in disaster management work, 4% (6 out of 149) respondents showed their interest to get involved. So if WDMC makes provision of training and assistance for these interested people, they can be of great help during the disaster.

6.8.2 Peoples' willingness to work as a volunteer

In disaster management, volunteers are engaged in various activities during pre and post disaster periods. During or after earthquake it is very important to have local volunteer for temporary mission as they know very well about the residents of the area. So, when respondents were asked it has been identified that, 82% (42 of 149) respondents said that neither they nor their family members are not interested in volunteering works after an earthquake. 42 residents of the rest households are willing to work as a volunteer. So, 7 % residents of the surveyed households are willing to work as a volunteer. If they are provided with proper training, technical and financial facilities, they can be of great help during earthquake

6.9 Perception of Owners about Investment for Building Strengthening

From building vulnerability assessment it has been found that a number of buildings in the study area are vulnerable to earthquake (Chapter Four). To ensure safety of the residents, these buildings should be subjected to emergency retrofit. Strengthening buildings will require owners' knowledge about building vulnerability and willingness for financial investment.

6.9.1 The willingness of the owners to invest in building strengthening with respect to their perception of building vulnerability

It has been found that 31% building owners (33 of 106) are willing to invest money for building strengthening if their buildings have been found vulnerable. From Table 6.9 it can be seen that among 106 owners, 7 of them who have knowledge about their buildings being vulnerable are willing to invest money for building strengthening. On the other hand, 26 owners who don't have any knowledge about building vulnerability are willing to invest money. It is notable that 2 owners know that their buildings are vulnerable but they are not willing to invest money to strengthen their buildings. It can also be seen that 71 owners who are not aware of their building vulnerability are also not willing to invest money.

Table 6.9: Willingness of the owners to invest for strengthening building with respect to their perception about the building being earthquake vulnerable

| Willingness Perception | Willing to invest money for building strengthening | Not willing to invest money for building strengthening | Total |
|---------------------------------------|--|--|-------|
| Building vulnerable to earthquake | 7 | 2 | 9 |
| Building not vulnerable to earthquake | 26 | 71 | 97 |
| Total | 33 | 73 | 106 |

6.9.2 Support required by owners for building strengthening

Figure: 6.11 shows that 20 of the willing building owners want both financial and technical support from the authority for retrofitting of their building if it would be found vulnerable. 13 owners claimed that they would need only financial support and 8 owners have requested only for technical support.

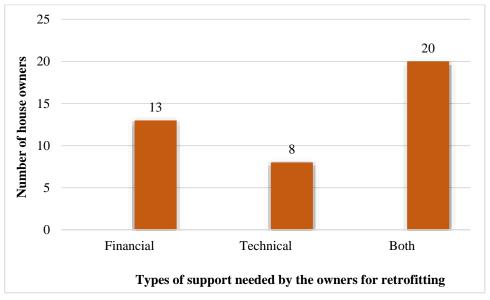


Figure 6.11: Types of support needed by the building owners for building retrofitting

(Source: Field Survey, 2021)

6.10 Perception about Road Widening

From field survey 2020, it has been found that most of the roads of Ward 9 are so much narrow for vehicular movement even for walking. If an earthquake takes place, it will be very difficult for the residents to evacuate safely. Therefore road widening is prerequisite to ensure the safe evacuation of residents. But all residents may not respond equally for road widening; again all roads need not to be widened equally. When the owners of the buildings were asked if they are interested to give away a portion of their land for road widening, 47% (38 out of 81) owners showed their interest.

Table 6.10: Owners willing to give away land for road widening with respect to road width

| Road width (in ft) | No of owner willing to spare land | Percentage of owners among the interested | | |
|--------------------|-----------------------------------|---|--|--|
| <1 | 0 | 0 | | |
| 1 to 5 | 21 | 55% | | |
| 5 to 10 | 11 | 29% | | |
| 10 to 15 | 3 | 8% | | |
| 15 to 20 | 2 | 5% | | |
| >20 | 1 | 3% | | |
| No defined road | 0 | 0% | | |

Table 6.10 shows that 55% owners have adjacent roads with equal or less than 5ft width. Such roads could be unsuitable for any vehicular movement; so these could be prioritized more during widening. Also 37% owners have agreed to give away land having road width between 5 to15ft. These roads could be widened for better accessibility during evacuation. Moreover 3% building owners who have adjacent roads with more than 20ft still interested to spare land for roads.

CHAPTER 7: CONTINGENCY PLAN FOR EARTHQUAKE IN THE STUDY AREA

7.1 Introduction

In this chapter, the earthquake contingency plan prepared to reduce the seismic vulnerability of Ward No. 9 of Rangamati Pourashava has been discussed. The aspects, which were intended to consider, are:

- Temporary shelter: A place for peoples' temporary displacement caused by a disaster (Xu, Okada, Hatayama, & He, 2006; World Bank Institution, 2012).
- Emergency health facility: Formal health services (hospital, clinic etc.) to treat the moderate and severely injured people after an earthquake (CDMP, 2009).
- ➤ Evacuation route: Safe routes in an area for immediate transfer of victims to safer places and shelters, take the injured to health facilities and to transfer relief to the temporary shelters and emergency health facilities after an earthquake (Argyroudis, Pitilakis & Anastasiadis, 2005).
- ➤ Ward Co-ordination Center: Central command and control facility responsible for carrying out the principles of emergency preparedness and emergency management or disaster management functions at a strategic level during an emergency, and ensuring the continuity of operation at Ward level.
- ➤ Debris Accumulation Point: "Temporary Debris Staging and Reduction Sites (TDRS)" for the accumulation of recyclable debris to designated points in order to prevent obstacle to search-rescue, recovery and relief activities after the disaster (Ministry of Disaster Management and Relief, 2015).
- Susceptibility to Secondary Hazard: Assessment of susceptibility to landslide and subsequent impacts following the earthquake.

7.2 Temporary Shelter Planning

Temporary shelter planning for earthquake in the study area of Ward No. 9 of Rangamati Pourashava will be done first. Demand for temporary shelter will be estimated. After estimation, demand and supply of temporary shelter in the study area will be compared to understand deficiency or surplus.

For Ward 9 of Rangamati Pourashava, the demand population for temporary shelter is 1195, which means 1195 people would require temporary shelter in the scenario of structural damage due to earthquake according to the mythology described in Chapter 2, Volume-1 (section 2.9.1). It is evident from prevailing literature that large-park, playground and open space, and religious, educational and public buildings are used as temporary shelter (Xu, Okada, Hatayama, & He, 2006; World Bank Institution, 2012). Additionally, from household questionnaire survey, it has been found that residents of this area prefer open space, playfield, government buildings, educational facilities, socio-cultural and urban service-related community facilities as temporary shelter. Thus, the open spaces and facility buildings (i.e., religious, educational institutions, socio-cultural and urban service related community facilities) have been considered to be used as temporary shelter in the study area.

Accordingly, the sites of temporary shelters were identified considering the preference of the residents and using the data extracted from land use map. The locations of temporary shelter were then finalized (Figure 7.1) during the consultation workshop with the local people. Besides the locations proposed using the land use map, the local people also proposed one more location as temporary shelter namely 'Alutila Uluchara Poura Primary School' (see Figure 7.1). In case of 'Rangamati Govt. College', they have proposed to use the department's buildings for shelter purpose and the administrative building as the Ward Coordination Center. They have also proposed to use the open spaces in 'Rajbon Bihar' as temporary shelter as shown in Figure 7.1.

Among the facility buildings identified to be used for temporary shelter, some are structurally vulnerable (with RVS score less than 1.2) which cannot be utilized as temporary shelter. Figure 7.2 shows the locations of possible temporary shelters in the study area considering safety of public buildings. Table 7.1 shows the supply scenario

of the possible temporary shelters in the study area including supply as a whole, capacity of safe facilities and capacity of unsafe facilities. From the Table 7.1, it can be learnt that 3774 people can be accommodated in the safe buildings, which can meet up the demand of shelters alone. Besides, it indicates that capacity can be increased if

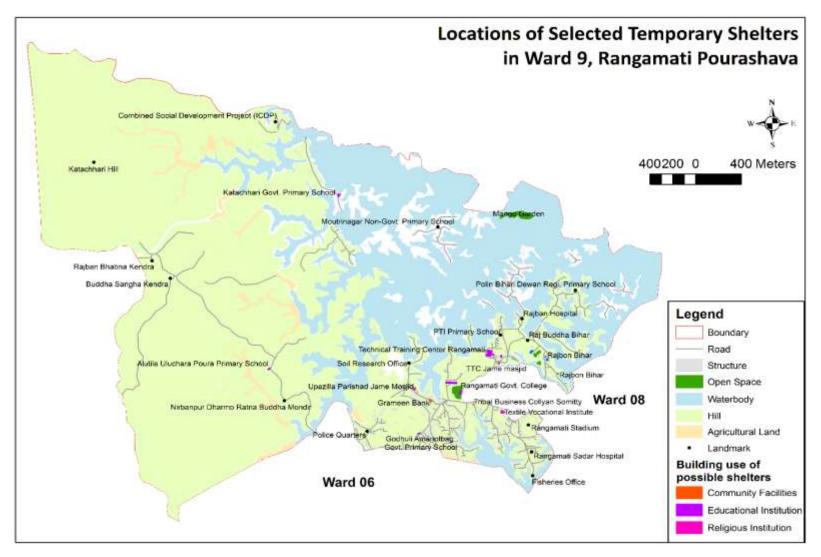


Figure 7.1: Location of possible temporary shelter in the study area

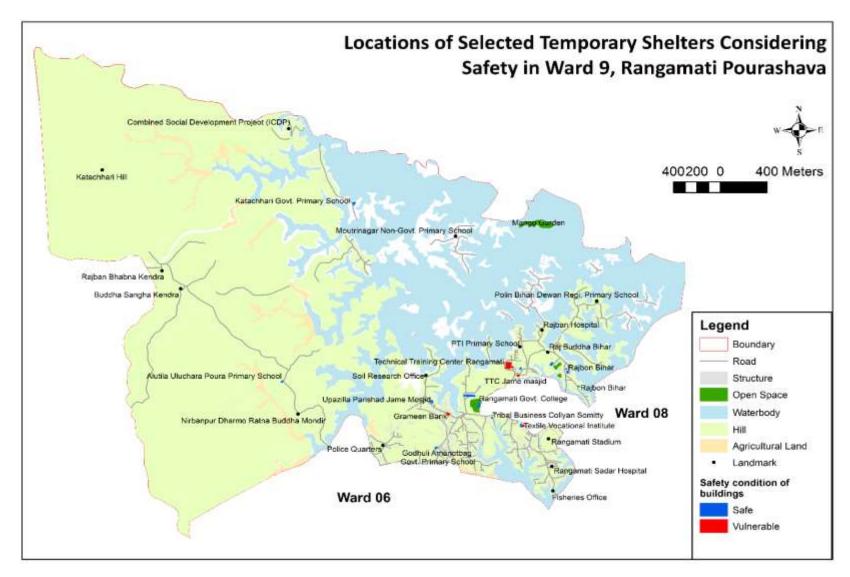


Figure 7.2: Location of possible temporary shelter in the study area considering safety

Table 7.1: Supply scenario of the possible temporary shelters in the study area

| | Total | | | Safe facilities | | | Unsafe facilities | | |
|--------------------------|----------------------------|--|---------------------------|----------------------------|--|---------------------------|----------------------------|--|---------------------------|
| Туре | Number of facilities | Area to be used for shelter purpose (sq. m.) | Capacity (no. of people)* | Number of facilities | Area to be used for shelter purpose (sq. m.) | Capacity (no. of people)* | Number of facilities | Area to be used for shelter purpose (sq. m.) | Capacity (no. of people)* |
| Open space | 5 | 22963.03487 | 12757 | | | | | | |
| Educational Institution | 9 | 7661.623848 | 4256 | 7 | 5482.342 | 3046 | 2 | 2179.28185 | 1211 |
| Religious Institution | 9 | 1494.01724 | 830 | 8 | 1223.151128 | 680 | 1 | 270.866112 | 150 |
| Community Facility | 2 | 506.951472 | 282 | 1 | 85.705424 | 48 | 1 | 421.246048 | 234 |
| Total | 20 | 9662.59256 | 5368 | 16 | 6791.198552 | 3774 | 4 | 2871.39401 | 1595 |

^{*1.8} m² in shelter is required per person according to Sphere Project (2011)

unsafe facility buildings are retrofitted. If the unsafe buildings were retrofitted, they would be able to accommodate 1595 more people.

7.3 Emergency Health Facility Planning

A considerable number of people would be injured in an earthquake. Considering the assumptions mentioned in Chapter-2, Volume-1, possible number of injured people in the study would be calculated corresponding to different severity level, which is shown in Table 7.2. Among the probably injured persons, Severity 1 can be treated in pharmacies or by first aid experts in a temporary shelter without being admitted to hospital. However, the people with higher-level injury (Severity 2 and Severity 3) need treatment from experts in health facilities. Injured people of Severity 4 will be instantaneously killed or mortally injured, for whom further expertise treatments will be required. Thus, total 344 injured people (Severity 2, 3 and 4) will be required to be admitted to the health facilities.

Table 7.2: Need of emergency health facilities in the study area

| Total Pop ⁿ | Injured people: Severity 1 | Injured people: Severity 2 | Injured people: Severity 3 | Injured people: Severity 4 |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 9583 | 402 | 197 | 49 | 98 |

Source: Calculation based on Field Survey, 2021

The emergency health facilities were identified as per the requirement mentioned in Chapter-2, Volume-1. The locations of the health facilities were then finalized during the consultation workshop with the local people as shown in Figure 7.3. The hospital named 'Rajban Hospital' was selected using the land use map, but during the workshop, local people informed that it has restricted accessibility. So, this hospital was deducted from selection. However, they proposed two more health facilities named 'CMH RUMA' (locally known as cantonment hospital) and 'ABC Diagnostic and Doctor's Consultation Center'. They have suggested that the 'Nursing Training Institute' can be used for first aid purpose as well. Among these health facilities buildings, some are structurally vulnerable (with RVS score less than 1.2) which will not be able to serve after the earthquake. Figure 7.4 shows the locations of possible health facilities in the study area considering the safety of the buildings.

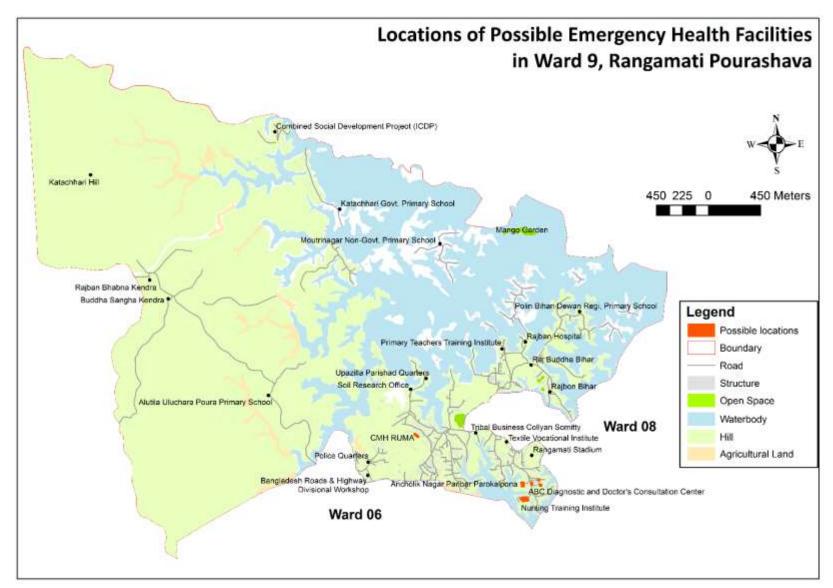


Figure 7.1: Location of possible emergency health facilities in the study area

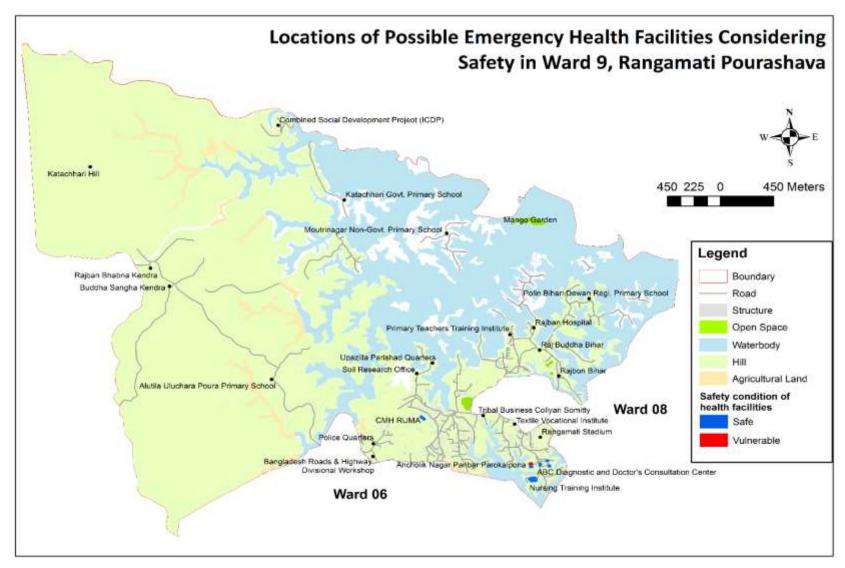


Figure 7.2: Location of possible emergency health facilities in the study area considering safety

Table 7.3: Supply scenario of the possible emergency health facilities in the study area

| | Total | | | Safe facilities | | | Unsafe facilities | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------|---|---------------------------|----------------------------|---|---------------------------|----------------------------|---|---------------------------|
| Туре | Number of facilities | Area to be used for health purpose (sq. m.) | Capacity (no. of people)* | Number of facilities | Area to be used for health purpose (sq. m.) | Capacity (no. of people)* | Number of facilities | Area to be used for health purpose (sq. m.) | Capacity (no. of people)* |
| Pharmacy | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hospital | 5 | 836.840408 | 418 | 4 | 760.463688 | 380 | 1 | 76.37672 | 38 |
| Clinic | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Diagnostic Centre | 1 | 375.980816 | 188 | 1 | 375.980816 | 188 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Training Institute | 2 | 922.212736 | 461 | 2 | 922.212736 | 461 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | 8 | 2135.03396 | 1067 | 7 | 2058.65724 | 1029 | 1 | 76.37672 | 38 |

Source: Field Survey, 2021

^{* 2} m2 in shelter is required per person according to Sphere Project (2011)

Capacity of the health facilities are calculated here for two scenarios. First, there has been considered only structurally safe health facility buildings. In second, structurally unsafe health facility buildings were taken into account. If only safe buildings could not meet the demand, then selected unsafe health facility buildings might be retrofitted to equalize the supply and demand.

Considering the assumptions described in methodology chapter (Chapter-2, Volume-1), the capacity of each of the emergency health facilities were determined which has been shown in Table 7.3. It also shows number of emergency health facilities and their area and the number of persons they could treat considering the space requirement per person (2 square meters) for both safe and unsafe facility buildings. It has been found from Table 7.2 that among the safe health facilities, the training institutes can serve 461 people with first aid, and the hospital and diagnostic center can serve 568 people. If the unsafe building could be retrofitted, 38 more people could have been given health service in hospital. Comparing the probable requirement (Table 7.2) and availability (Table 7.3) it can be concluded that the existing health facilities will be able to serve the estimated demand. Table 7.4 shows the situation between requirement and availability of emergency health facilities in the study area.

Table 7.4: Demand-supply comparison of emergency health facilities in the study area

| Demand-supply components | Number of people | Surplus/ Deficit |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| Person needed to be treated | 344 | _ |
| Person can be treated in safe facilities | 568 | 224 |
| Person can be treated if unsafe facilities are retrofitted and added | 606 | 262 |

(Source: Calculation based on Field Survey, 2021)

7.4 Evacuation Route Plan

Figure 7.5 shows the existing accessibility condition within Ward 9 of Rangamati Pourashava which was validated during the workshop. Most of the urban development of this ward is located in the southeastern portion. Thus, road density is higher in this side and there is hardly any a high storeyed building as well as roads in rest of the

areas. In the southeastern portion, most of the roads have width between 8 to 12 feet and 12 to 25 feet. Roads, which are wide in 8 to 12 feet, can accommodate two ways for rickshaw, van, motorcycle, and bicycle. Four to eight feet roads are seen in a scattered way in the hilly area and isolated areas where density of structure is very low. These roads are accessible for one-way rickshaw, van, and two-way motorcycle. Fortunately, the number of roads which are less than 4 feet is not much. These roads have the lowest accessibility and is generally suitable for walking and one-way, bicycle. As there are roads less than 8 feet in width, it creates a concern because in the case of any emergency, they will not be accessible by emergency vehicles and ambulances.

Figure 7.6 identify the sections of road those would be probably blocked if an earthquake strikes based on the assumptions described in methodology (Chapter-2, Volume-1). Accessibility of the roads for rescue and rehabilitation were identified considering the road width and blockage size after an earthquake. As pucca and high-rise structures are mainly clustered in the locations where density and urbanization is higher, possible blockages of roads are also concentrated in those areas. According to the methodology, no criteria match for partial blockage of roads and 14 locations were found where roads might be fully blocked after an earthquake.

From the maps (Figure 7.5 and 7.6) it can be understood that rescuing from residential building and access to temporary shelter and emergency health facility will be quite challenging due to blockage. The single-lane carriageway, which connects this ward with the surrounding wards, will be blocked at least two locations. These blockages are crucial, as they will trap other roads which will be unable to use for any kind of movements and which will possibly prohibit entrance of any large emergency vehicle or rescuing equipment in the southern portion of the ward. Figure 7.7 provides the final evacuation route map which will be usable for the evacuees to move to designated locations after an earthquake. Additionally, the Kaptai Lake can be used as an alternative route for evacuation using boat facilities. This waterway is able to provide accessibility to almost all areas of the ward according to local people. Thus, actions need to be taken to preserve and protect the lake and there should be necessary arrangement of emergency boat facilities to utilize following an earthquake.

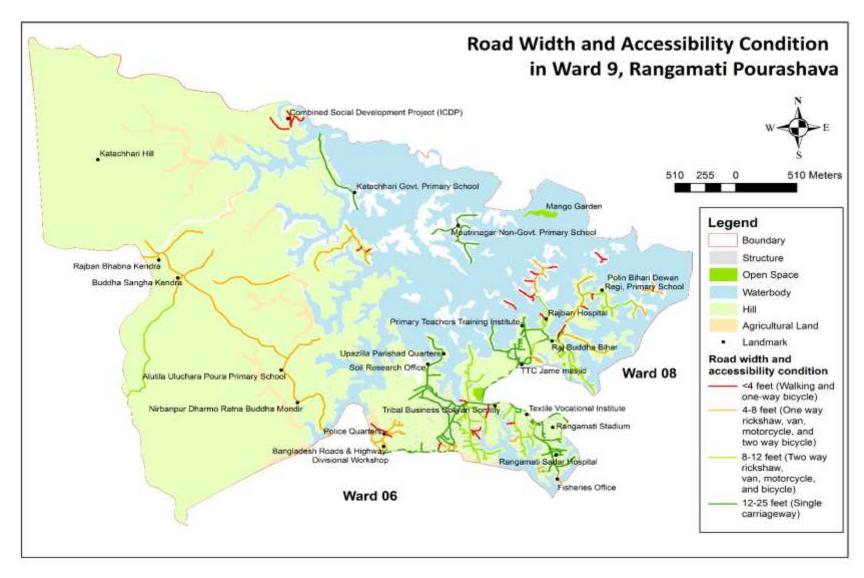


Figure 7.5: Road width and accessibility condition

(Source: Field Survey, 2021)

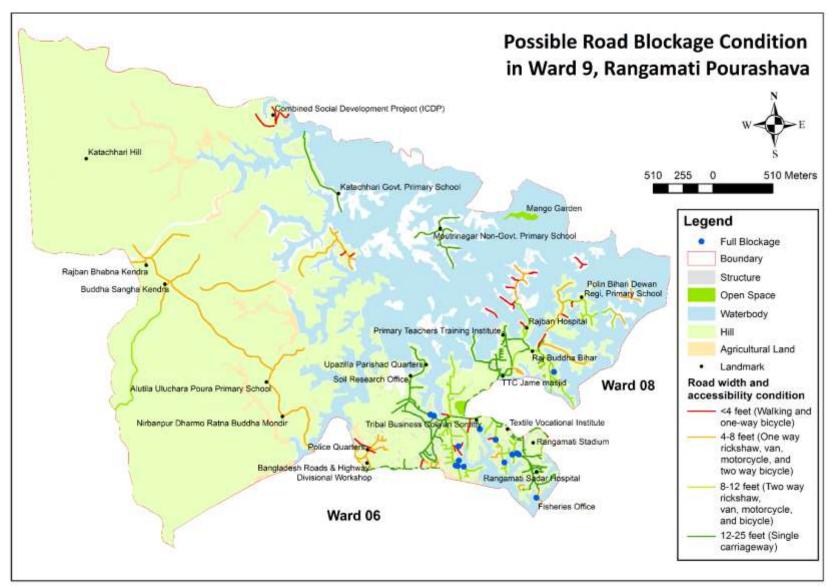


Figure 7.6: Possible road blockage condition (Source: Field Survey, 2021)

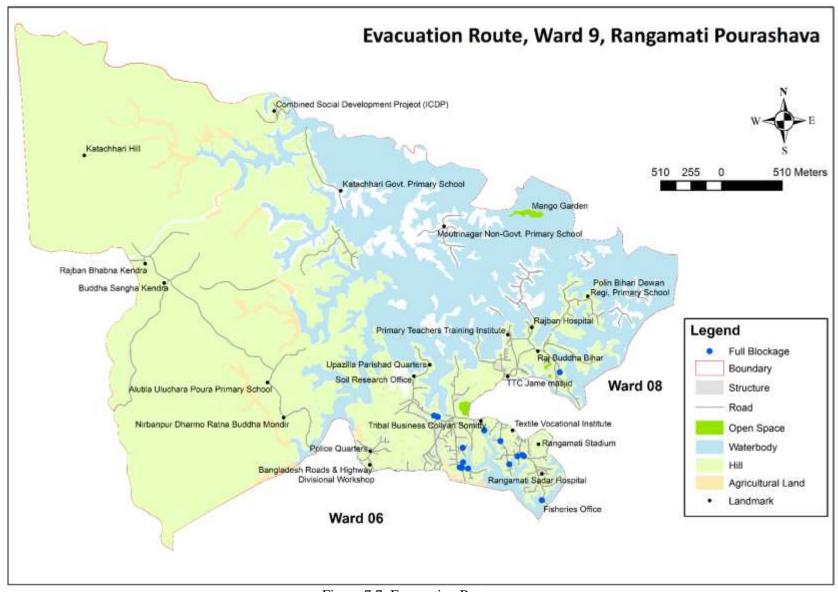


Figure 7.7: Evacuation Route (Source: Field Survey, 2021)

7.5 Ward Co-ordination Center

One of the important tasks during and after any disaster is to coordinate the different activities of management. Tasks performed by different government agencies, private organizations, volunteers, and individuals are needed to be coordinated to get the maximum benefit. In addition, WDMC needed a place to coordinate the works. For this co-ordination, Ward Co-ordination Center (WCC) is proposed to be formed in the study area. In this section, proposed location for Ward Co-ordination Center has been described.

As mentioned in the methodology, the selection criteria considered in this study for Ward Co-ordination Center are: the facility should be in a government building, should be structurally safe, and should be centrally located (Chapter-2, Volume-1). The buildings of 'Rangamati Govt. College' was primarily proposed for the establishment of WCC in this ward. As discussed in section-7.2, during the workshop, the local people proposed to use the administrative building of the college as WCC. Thus, the location was finalized as shown in Figure 7.8. The building is a three storeyed public building, which was proved structurally safe according to RVS. The location of the WCC apparently seems in a corner of the ward however, the location is in the center of the urbanized portion of the ward. The location was chose in a way so that it could be most distant from the roadblocks. Adjacent road width of the building is 12 feet and this road connects the building with the single carriageway, which not only connects this ward with others also most of the major roads in the urbanized portion are originated from this roads. Additionally, most of the emergency health facilities and administrative buildings are in close proximity to it. Therefore, it can be said that, the building has met all the location criteria for WCC and is in an optimal position considering safety, accessibility, and centrality.

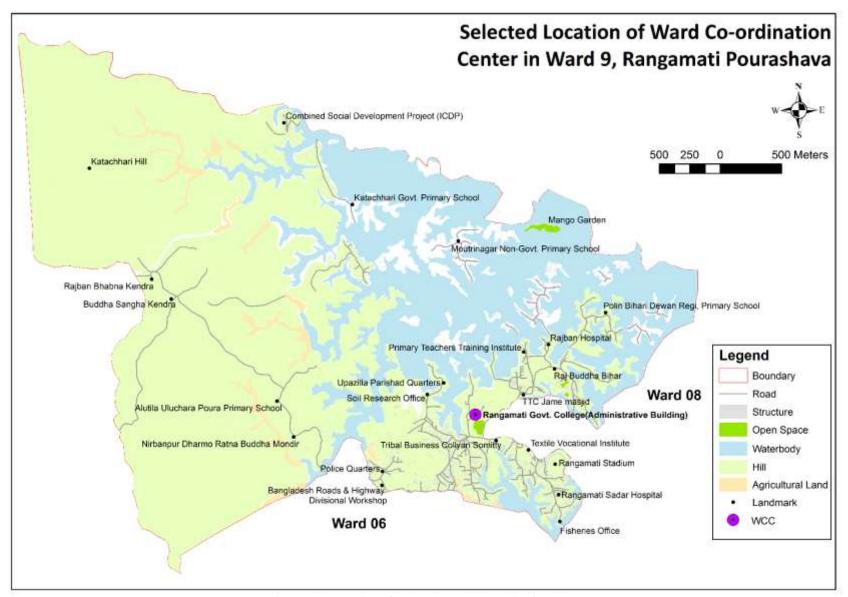


Figure 7.8: Location of selected Ward Co-ordination Center

(Source: Field Survey, 2021)

7.6 Debris Accumulation Point

After an earthquake, building and infrastructure will collapse trapping debris within or outside damaged structure. Again collapse buildings will block the streets which make it difficult to carry out search-rescue, recovery and relief activities. So, identifying temporary accumulation points of debris is essential. As mentioned in the methodology (Chapter-2, Volume-1), non-recyclable debris are to be disposed in the locally authorized landfill or dumpsite while maintaining caution for hazardous debris which have to be disposed of under controlled engineering method. In case of recyclable debris, temporary sites called "Temporary Debris Staging and Reduction Sites (TDRS)" have to be identified following the criteria described in the methodology which has been covered in this section.

None of the area in this ward was found to be suitable as TDRS site using ArcGIS, as the whole area is within 50m from water body. However, during the workshop, the local people has selected some sites which they considered useable as TDRS (see Figure 7.9). According to them, these area are not prone to landslides or water logging. As these sites are within 50m distance from water bodies, using them as TDRS will require special consideration by management authorities.

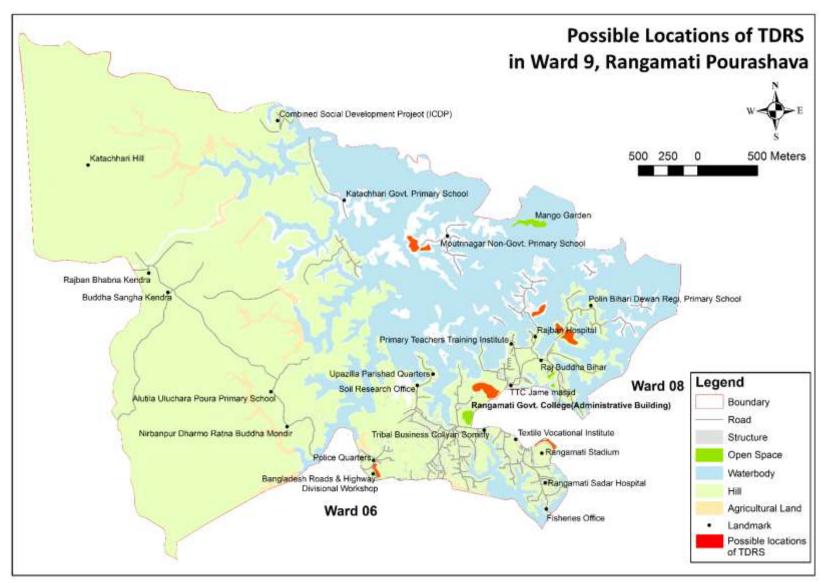


Figure 7.9: Possible locations of TDRS selected by local people

(Source: Field Survey, 2021)

7.7 Susceptibility to Secondary Hazard

Being a hill tract districts, there is high probability of landslide occurrence in Rangamati. Due to gravitational force, observable movement of slope forming soil, rock and vegetation is known as landslide. Slope angle is one of the significant criteria for assessing landslide susceptibility. Normally, higher slope indicates higher probability to landslide. Slope angle data for this ward was collected with an aim to identify the sites with the probability of landslide and subsequent blockage condition (Figure 7.10). In general term, susceptibility of hill is moderate at a slope 20 to 30 degree and high at 40 to 60 degree (Elahi et al., 2018).

Though it is not possible draw conclusion about landslide susceptibility only based on slope angle as many other factors also determine the occurrence, including rainfall, land use-land cover, vegetation, stream distance, altitude, geology etc. Even with higher slope, there may not be possibility of landslide due to the contribution of other factors and vice versa (Elahi et al., 2018). Unfortunately, it was not possible to collect and assess data regarding all these factors because of the ongoing pandemic situation of Covid-19 and scope of the project. Therefore, it has been tried to detect landslide-prone areas based on historical evidences referred by local community.

During the consultation workshop with local people, they were asked to identify landslide prone areas in their ward. According to the local people, there is no area in Ward 9 of Rangamati which is susceptible to landslide.

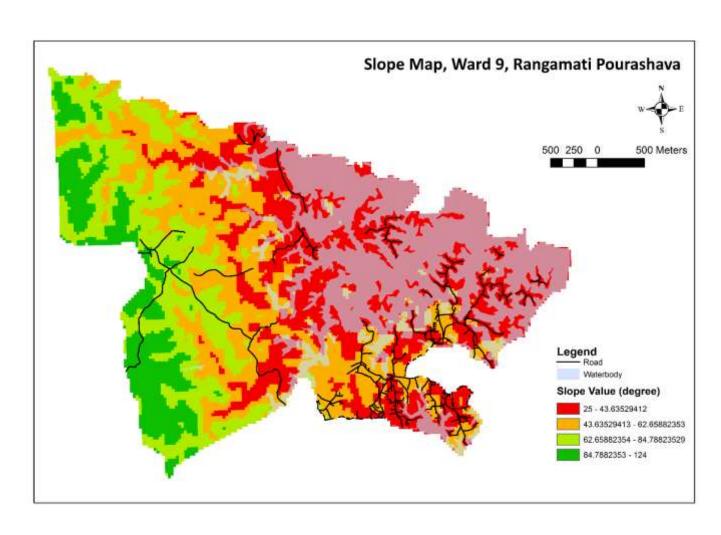


Figure 7.10: Slope map (angle in degree), Ward 9, Rangamati Pourashava (Source: Field Survey, 2021; SRTM, 2021)

CHAPTER 8: IMPLEMENTATION AND MANAGEMENT OF THE CONTINGENCY PLAN

One of the very important tasks during and after any disaster is to coordinate the different activities of management. Tasks performed by different government agencies, private organizations, volunteers, and individuals are needed to be coordinated to get the maximum benefit. For this purpose, according to the Standing Orders of Disaster 2019, broadly two types of committees have been formed at the local level – Disaster Management Committees and Disaster Response Coordination Groups. The tier follows the basic local administrative structure of the country with the Divisional Disaster Management Committee at the top and the ward/union-level committees at the bottom (Figure 8.1). The Disaster Management Committees are responsible for implementing disaster risk reduction functions along with preparedness, emergency response and recovery phase activities. The Disaster Response Coordination Groups act as another umbrella organization to co-ordinate all the small-scale works which will lead to the successful implementation of the complete contingency plan.

The SOD 2019 elaborates on the composition of the aforementioned committees, their compulsory meetings, and their responsibilities and functions. The responsibilities of the Disaster Management Committees have been subdivided as per risk reduction and emergency response functions for pre, during and post disaster stages. Throughout all the stages, it is an imperative responsibility to maintain proper and effective coordination among the committees at different local levels. To reinforce so, the compositions of the committees have been designed accordingly (Appendix G). For instance, the chairpersons of every committee are members of their immediate upper level committee.

As temporary shelters and emergency health facilities are the two major components of the contingency plan, sub-committees with specific list of duties and responsibilities should be formed under the Ward Disaster Management Committee to implement the

plan smoothly. The SOD also mentions the formation of sub-committees under the ward disaster management committees as per required. In this chapter, working procedures and implementing authorities of some necessary committees under this plan have been briefly described.

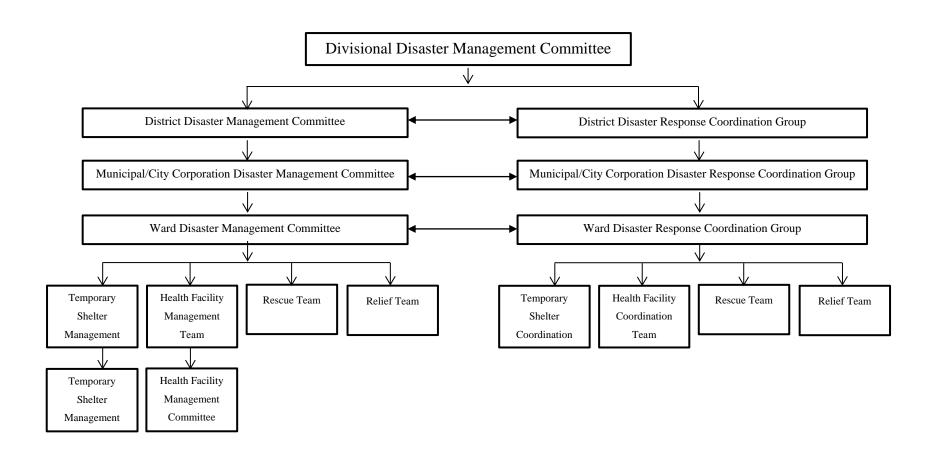


Figure 8.1: The tiers of Disaster Management Committees at local level and the structure of Ward Management Committee

8.1 Activities of Ward Disaster Management Committee at Different Phases of an Earthquake

The composition of WDMC has been detailed in the SOD 2019 (Appendix G). The BUET team suggests the formation of further groups under the WDMC which will work in corporation with it. These are described in the sections ahead. Following the duties and functions of the WDMC outlined in the SOD 2019, the responsibilities/activities of the WDMC have been further detailed and categorized into five phases for specifically in case of an earthquake.

a) Activities before Disaster

- Retrofitting of essential buildings
- A systematic program for the inspection, maintenance, and repair of buildings identified
 as temporary shelters and emergency health facilities at regular interval at the
 community level by building maintenance and rehabilitation team
- Storage of equipment and emergency supplies
- Proper dissemination of the prepared plans at the community level by victim registration and information team
- The training program at community level at a regular interval
- The arrangement of community awareness program at a regular interval such as disaster drills, emergency training, community meetings etc.
- Preparation of volunteer list at the community level and updated it at regular interval
- Distribution of activities of volunteers
- Training of volunteers based on their activities
- Identification of the people at risk and categorizing them based on gender, disabilities, age
- Preparation of checklist of emergency activities

b) Activities within 72 Hours of an Earthquake Event

- Evacuation of the people to the predefined evacuation space.
- Ensuring safety of women and children in the shelters by providing separate rooms
- The arrangement of necessary reliefs by the relief management team.
- Search and rescue of people by the search and rescue team.

- Disaster victim registration and segmentation of the victims according to their need for health facility and shelter requirement.
- Assessment of the suitability of the pre-identified temporary shelters and emergency
 health services by building maintenance and rehabilitation team. If any of the preidentified temporary shelters and emergency health services are proved unsuitable, then
 initiative should be taken to identify alternative places to provide temporary shelter and
 emergency health facility.
- Assessment of the pre-identified evacuation routes (to reach the shelters and health services) to find out whether they are open or not. If required, new evacuation routes should be identified or adjustments should be done. The routes that must be opened to support health, shelter, and relief operation should be given priority while clearing debris.
- The arrangement of the identified shelters with designated TSMC according to the plan for receiving people.
- Preparation of the designated emergency health facilities with designated EHFMC along with all the doctors and nurses to serve the injured people.
- The arrangement of inventory and equipment supply at Ward Co-ordination Center.

c) Activities from 72 Hours to 14 Days of an Earthquake Event

- Continue search and rescue operation
- Continue disaster victim registration
- Initiation of temporary shelter operation. The victims should be brought from the evacuation space and directly from the rescue spot to a temporary shelter. Necessary first aid should be provided to the injured people. The designated shelter management team should manage the shelter along with the help of the evacuees. Need for supplies and equipment should be estimated properly.
- Provide treatment to the injured people accordingly in the designated emergency health facilities.
- Collection of reliefs assigned to the community by the relief team from government agencies, NGOs, international organizations etc. From the center, reliefs should be distributed to the temporary shelters and the emergency health facilities according to the requirement. In the center, there should be food preparation facility. Here food for the victims should be prepared, where food preparation standards should be observed.

The prepared food should be disseminated in nearby shelters and health facilities as required.

- Establishment of necessary extra emergency setups
- It will not be possible to construct permanent houses immediately. Therefore, initiatives to construct transition shelters should be taken.

d) Activities from 14 Days to 60 Days of an Earthquake Event

- Full shelter capability should be maintained.
- The facilities of emergency health facilities should be continued.
- Relief management should be continued
- Construction of transition shelter should be initiated and completed
- Transfer of victims from temporary shelter to transition shelters or the repaired residential houses should be initiated.

e) Activities from 60 Days to One Year of an Earthquake Event

- The transfer of victims from temporary shelter to transition shelters or the repaired residential houses should be completed.
- The temporary shelters should be closed and the regular activities should be started.
- The construction work of permanent shelters should be started. The shelters should be allocated on land where the beneficiaries lived before the earthquake, promoting the return of displaced people to their places of origin.
- The transition of families to permanent housing should be initiated.
- Mental trauma and distress should be addressed by providing psycho-social and mental health services with the help of specialists.
- Progress reports must be sent to the Municipal Committee

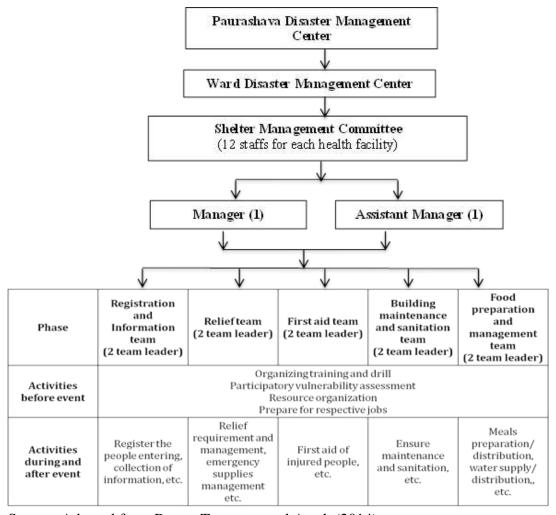
8.2 Institutional Arrangements for Temporary Shelter Management

Management of temporary shelter and health facilities are extremely important for risk reduction as well as an effective management after an earthquake. Temporary shelters provide habitation and protection for the affected people and in the meantime, outcomes of the disaster can be evaluated and rectified. In this study, open space, playground, religious and educational buildings and spaces in public building used for community facilities were considered as

temporary shelters. Therefore, a structured and organized committee will be needed to run these shelters smoothly. This committee will be addressed as Temporary Shelter Management Committee (TSMC). Figure 8.2 shows the structure of Temporary Shelter Management Committee (TSMC) and their activity at different phases of earthquake management. TSMC is responsible to conduct different tasks like food preparation, primary medical care etc. A team of total twelve members headed by a manager and one assistant manager needs to be constituted for one TSMC. Therefore, total number of members will depend on the severity of earthquake as number of temporary shelters after an earthquake will be defined by the severity and damage of an earthquake. It is evident from questionnaire survey that 17% (28 out of 166) of the respondents are willing to be involved in the disaster management activities in their wards (Chapter 6). Therefore, these people will have to be contacted and encouraged to be involved in the management committee.

The manager and assistant manager of this committee would act as leaders to manage the temporary shelter. They would not only co-ordinate tasks among the members of the team but would regularly maintain contact with Ward Co-ordination Center in the aftermath of the earthquake. The manager of TSMC would preferably be a member of Ward Disaster Management Committee (WDMC) (Figure 8.2). All other members of the committee must be residents of the ward. The members should be educated and well informed about the vulnerability of the area. Each member should be familiar with the building or space to be used as temporary shelter: its size, facilities, and day-to-day level of supplies.

For an educational institution, the principal and assistant principal or others designated by them may be the manager or assistant manager of the temporary shelter. The regular staff working in the building such as office and maintenance staff can also be involved in management committee, as they have the complete knowledge of the facility and can best safeguard against damage and misuse. If necessary, volunteers can be engaged to serve the purpose. The members and others involved in the committee should be properly trained and their activities and responsibilities at different phases of disaster should be assigned. Regular monitoring and maintenance should be done. The assigned members should also keep contact with the Ward Co-ordination Center and other agencies and institutions if necessary. All the members of the team should meet at least once in two months to keep updated about the responsibilities.



Source: Adapted from Barua, Tasneem, and Azad, (2014)

Figure 8.2: Structure of Temporary Shelter Management Committee (TSMC) and their

8.2.1 General Responsibilities to fife campains TSM Cthquake

8.2.1.1 Shelter Manager and Assistant Shelter Manager

The manager and assistant manager should be responsible for overall management and decision making about the temporary shelter. Assistant manager should assist the manager to carry on the activities. They should guide all the teams to carry on their activities. The activities of shelter manager and assistant manager are described below:

a) Pre-disaster

- Responsible for the temporary shelter before, during and after a disaster;
- Should be familiar with instructions and responsibilities.
- Keep link with the Temporary Shelter Management Team of WDMC.
- Maintain and update the list of all Shelter Managers and other personnel attached to the shelter with their contact list and keep copies of the list at the shelter.

- Participate in training and make sure about the participation of other staffs of the committee in training program.
- Responsible to form teams for Temporary Shelters Management Committee along with staffs.
- Ensure all personnel are available for duty at shelter and have been fully aware of management system
- Inspect the shelter regularly.

b) Response

- Contact leaders of Community Based Organizations (CBOs) and NGOs in order to arrange for assistance during disaster
- Allocate space for incoming evacuees.
- Move furniture as necessary.
- Keep a 24-hour log of shelter activities.
- Monitor registration, internal distribution, requisition system.
- Oversee maintenance and distribution of the emergency food and water supplies.
- Arrange for the installation of additional temporary facilities: showers and toilets.

c) Post-disaster

- Oversee the sanitation and hygiene of the temporary shelter.
- Establish an in-house health care programme, to be monitored and supervised by a first aid and medical care station within the shelter.
- Establish a social activity programme for evacuees, who due to the extent of the disaster, may be required to remain in the shelter for a longer period.
- Be in charge of requisition and distribution system for supplies.
- Maintain a system of record keeping facilitating returning the building to its original condition upon closing, and document any

8.2.1.2 Registration and Information Team

The team should be responsible for keeping a simple record of every person who is housed in his shelter. All the people coming to the shelter should proceed to the registration desk before going on to their lodging area. It is important that people be registered as soon as they arrive in the shelter, or as soon as practicable.

a) Purpose of registration

- Keep records of all occupants.
- Ascertain useful skills and interests.
- Make work assignments to the occupants.
- Determine sleeping arrangements.
- Determine special requirements.
- Identify persons needing special care.
- Keep the shelter occupants informed of changes in the situation. This will help prevent rumors that could adversely affect morale and shelter occupants.
- Keep link with relief team to inform the team about the supplies required for the occupants.
- Keep link with the first aid team to inform the team about the medical services required for the occupants.

b) Registration Procedures

- All injured and homeless aging 16 years and over are to be registered separately on the approved form.
- Accompanied children less than 16 years of age are to be registered with their parent(s).
- Children under 16 years of age not accompanied by one of their own parents are to be registered separately.
- Required information: Names and ages of all family members, any health problems and pre-disaster address
- When initially registered, each person is to be issued with an identification tag.

8.2.1.3 Relief Team

The team should ensure that the temporary shelter is supplied with required materials. Responsibilities of the team are:

- Contact Relief Team of WDMC.
- Ensure availability of supplies needed
- Make necessary arrangements for receiving supplies
- Arrange for receipts of supplies
- Organize and secure proper storage of supplies

- Check and record supplies
- Maintain a daily count of people fed within shelter and report this information to Relief Team of WDMC.

8.2.1.4 First Aid Team

This team should comprise of persons who have been certified in First Aid by approved agency. If there are persons among the evacuees with training in the medical field, they should be identified and asked to assist the team. First aid team should be responsible for providing adequate medical and nursing services in all the shelters to care for the sick and injured, protect the health of residents, and provide mental support to the occupants. The team should keep link with relief team to inform the team about the instruments and medicines required for the treatment of occupants.

8.2.1.5 Building Maintenance and Sanitation Team

The team should be responsible for the management of the cleanliness of the temporary shelter. The occupants can be involved in the assistance of the team. The team should be responsible for:

- Building maintenance
- Supervision of the sanitation of the shelter
- Waste disposal
- Safety and cleaning activity.
- Prepare and supervise the use of the grounds and yard for parking and recreation, if necessary
- Making the occupants aware about personal and community hygiene to prevent disease.

8.2.1.6 Food Preparation and Management Team

In general, preparation of food for a shelter operation falls into one of two categories:

- (1) preparing food within the shelter, where cafeteria facilities already exist, and (2) preparing food in Ward Co-ordination Center and disseminating in different shelters under its jurisdiction according to requirement. The occupants can be involved in the assistance of the team. The team should be responsible to:
 - Prepare and distribute meals

- Develop simple basic menu in terms of foods available
- Set meal time
- Cleanup meals area
- Keep link with relief team to inform the team about the foods required for the occupants.

8.2.2 Phases for Temporary Shelter Management

The operations and management of a Disaster Shelter will be undertaken in a number of phases. These can be identified as: a) Pre-Activation of Temporary Shelters, b) Opening of Temporary Shelters, and c) Closure and Post-Activation of Temporary Shelters

8.2.2.1 Pre-Activation of Temporary Shelters

This is the preparedness period when no hazard is threatening or has impacted. The building is inspected and the committee team members are identified and oriented to their duties.

a) Meeting of shelter management team

- Organize monthly meeting of the TSMC
- Disseminate necessary updates
- Inform members of when and where to report
- Assign duties and delegate responsibilities

b) Inspection of buildings

- The shelter manager and members of the shelter management team must inspect the buildings regularly.
- Check building to ensure that essential facilities are in good working condition (running water, functioning toilets, power, kitchen, equipment)
- Check for any visible defects (loose connections, bolts and fasteners, roof, leaks, windows and doors).

c) Obtain Keys

- Shelter manager must have keys.
- Duplicate keys should be obtained and kept at an alternative location.
- Ensure that keys are kept securely along with proper labeling.

d) Maintain Communication

- Maintain link with WDMC.
- Assist with public information activities.
- Identify means of communication with community.

8.2.2.2 Opening Pre-Activation of Temporary Shelters

This represents the phase when a warning has been raised or an impact has occurred. The shelter is prepared for and accepts persons threatened or displaced by the impact of a hazard.

a) Pre-Occupancy

- Assess or assist the assessment team to assess the building immediately after an earthquake.
- Open shelter at designated time.
- Prepare shelter to receive evacuees along with marking designated areas.
- Check building to determine condition of facilities.

b) Occupancy

- Start pre-determined activities of the staffs: registration, information, relief management, sanitation, cook etc.
- Review duties, rules, areas and staff introduction to the occupants.
- Occupants should be made aware about personal hygiene and cleanliness along with the shelter cleanliness.
- Women and children should be assigned separate spaces to prevent gender-based violence
- Conduct daily meetings with shelter occupants and ensure proper security.
- Use identification badges for occupants and stuffs.
- Assign tasks of occupants to support the team.
- Identify and select persons to organize and co-ordinate recreation activities from the occupants.
- Identify and select persons to coordinate religious activities from the occupants.

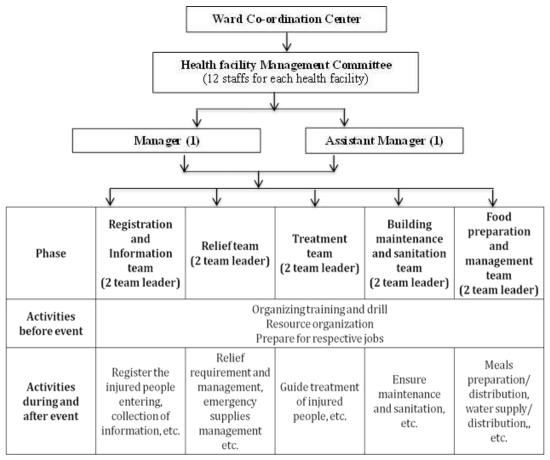
8.2.2.3 Closure and Post-Activation Pre-Activation of Temporary Shelters

This phase represents the period when occupation of the shelter is no longer necessary. At this stage, the shelter is cleaned, repaired, and returned to normal use. The activities include:

- Organize cleanup activity of buildings.
- Restore arrangement of building.
- Close up building and return keys.

8.3 Institutional Arrangements for Emergency Health Facility

Emergency health services are formal health services (hospital, clinic etc.) to treat the moderate and severely injured people after an earthquake (CDMP, 2009). The more the capacity of these facilities, the less risk people will face after a disaster. Therefore, it is important to perform its operation effectively and Emergency Health Facility Management Committee (EHFMC) is proposed to handle corresponding steps. Figure 8.4 shows the structure of Emergency Health Facility Management Committee (EHFMC) and their activity at different phases of earthquake management. A team of total twelve members headed by a manager and one assistant manager needs to be constituted to form one EHFMC. However, the health facilities of the study area already have management committee of their own. Therefore, to avoid conflict, the management of the existing facilities should be incorporated in the EHFMC. The manager and assistant manager of this committee would act as leaders to manage the emergency health facility. They would not only co-ordinate tasks among the members of the team but would regularly maintain contact with Ward Co-ordination Center in the aftermath of the earthquake. The manager of EHFMC would preferably be a member of Ward Disaster Management Committee (WDMC). All the members of the team should regularly meet (at least once in two months) to keep updated about the responsibilities.



Source: Adapted from Barua, Tasneem, and Azad, (2014)

Figure 8.3: Structure of Emergency Health Facility Management Committee (EHFMC) and their activity at different phases of an earthquake

8.4 Institutional Setup of Ward Disaster Response Coordination Group and Center

As it has been mentioned before, tasks performed by different government agencies, private organizations, volunteers, and individuals are needed to be coordinated to get the maximum benefit. In addition, WDMC and Ward Disaster Response Coordination Group need a place to coordinate their works. For this co-ordination, a Ward Co-ordination Center is proposed in the study area. The composition of the Ward Disaster Response Coordination Group has been defined in the SOD 2019 (Appendix G). The BUET team has suggested the formation of further sub-committees under the Group. Figure 8.1 shows the structure of the Ward Disaster Response Coordination Group. Each team should contain two team leaders, but to manage the process properly each team will require subsequent team members. The members must meet prior to and during the onset of disaster. All the members of the committee should meet once in two

months to keep update about the responsibilities and should keep a link with the WDMC, TSMC, and EHFMC.

The committee consists of the following teams.

- a) Temporary Shelter Coordination Team: Co-ordinate with all the TSMC.
- b) Health Facility Coordination Team: Co-ordinate with all the EHFMC.
- c) Rescue team: To take part in the rescue operation
- d) Relief team: To collect, manage and distribute reliefs in temporary shelters and emergency health facilities

8.4.1 General Criteria for Selecting Members of the Sub-Committees

All the members of the sub-committees should be residents of the area and familiar with the area. The committees must also keep a compulsory minimum number of females to better ensure supervision of gender-sensitive issues. It is also desirable that at least one member of the owners of the private medical facilities should be co-opted in the health facility management team under the Ward Disaster Response Coordination Group. The BUET team suggests there should be at least three members from the private medical facilities representing hospitals, clinics, and diagnostic centers accordingly. In addition, at least one of them must be a female. The members and others involved in the committee should be properly trained and their activities and responsibilities at different phases of disaster will be assigned. The assigned members should keep contact with TSMC and EHFMC, other agencies and institutions.

CHAPTER 9: CONCLUSION

It should be bear in mind that contingency plan is neither a stand-alone document nor a static document. It should be an ongoing process integrated and coordinated with activities suggested by other documents. It is well understood that earthquake would cause damaged at regional scale. Therefore, contingency plan at regional scale should be prepared. However, the issue, which bears the highest importance, is to count the effect of an earthquake on spatial dimension at local level. Though this not the first earthquake contingency plan for Rangamati Pourashava, in the previous works, importance was given on institutional activities and less focus on local level panning. The work on this ward is not completed yet, involvement of local level planning and community participation will be ensured in the next stages. However, for successful implementation of the contingency plan, this kind of plan needed to be prepared for the other wards of the Pourashava.

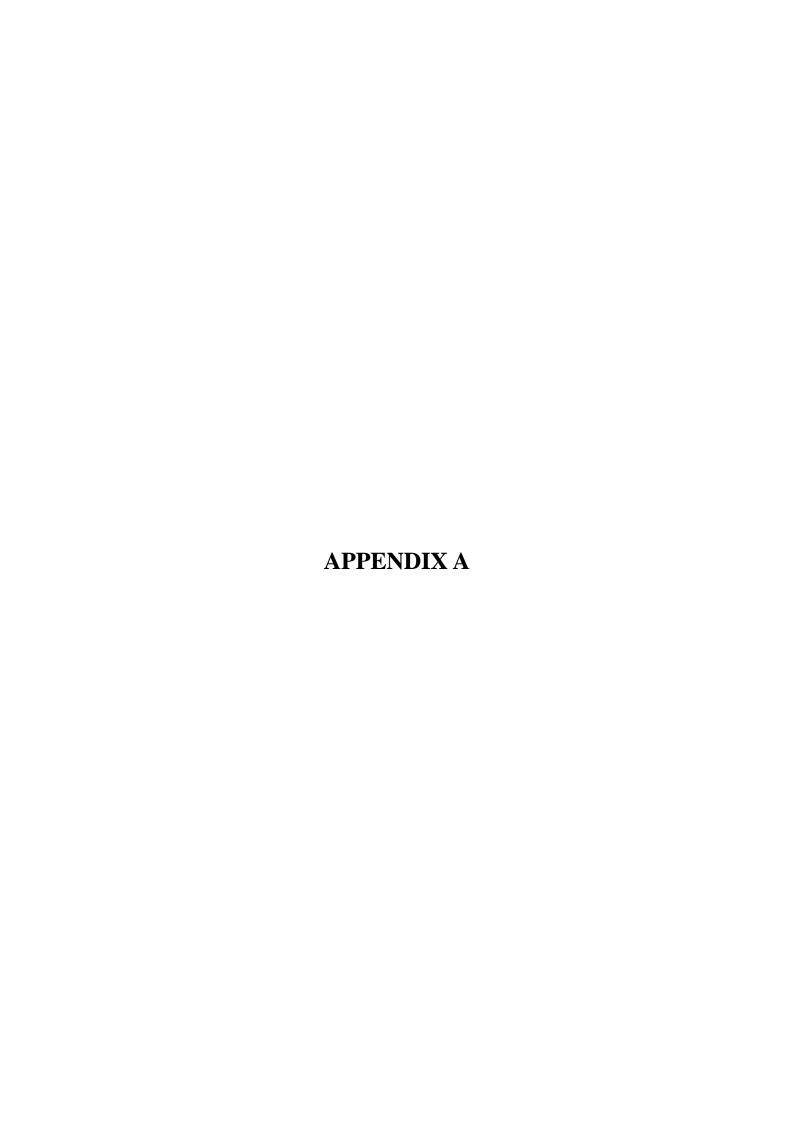
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Project Information

Bangladesh hopes to transform from Least Developed Country (LDC) category to developing Country by 2024 through better health and education, lower vulnerability and an economic boom (UN, 2018). Disaster risk reduction remains a key priority of the Government of Bangladesh, which is reflected in its Five-Year Plans, Perspective Plan, Bangladesh Delta Plan, and various national policies. Bangladesh has also adopted global frameworks like SDGs, Sendai Framework etc. However, Bangladesh has to maintain a holistic approach and to mainstream disaster risk reduction into development planning based on achievements and lessons. Bangladesh government and United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), UN Women and United Nations Office for Project Services (UNOPS) have jointly initiated the National Resilience Programme (NRP) with the financial support of the Department for International Development (DFID) and the Swedish International Development Cooperation Agency (SIDA) to sustain the resilience of human and economic development in Bangladesh through an inclusive and gender responsive disaster management. The programme aims at to provide strategic support to improve national capacity to keep pace with the changing nature of disasters.

The programme consists of four sub-projects or parts. Each sub-project is implemented by one implementing partner from the Government. These implementing partners are: Department of Disaster Management (DDM) of the Ministry of Disaster Management and Relief, Department of Women Affairs of the Ministry of Women and Children Affairs, Programming Division of the Ministry of Planning, and Local Government Engineering Department of the Ministry of Local Government, Rural Development and Co-operatives.

In NRP, DDM part aims to work towards improving community resilience by creating replicable, cost-effective models around DRR inclusive social safety nets, pro-active response solutions, earthquake preparedness, search and rescue, community-based flood preparedness that have shown promise in earlier initiatives. The objectives of the Department of Disaster Management part are:

- To advocate for implementation of the Sendai framework and build necessary capacity to monitor the implementation.
- To strengthen disability-inclusive, gender-responsive national capacities to address recurrent and mega disasters (including training of key personnel).

• To strengthen disability-inclusive, gender-responsive community preparedness, response and recovery capacities for recurrent and mega disasters.

As earthquake is a sudden perilous natural disaster and it can cause large-scale damage, an inclusive earthquake risk management approach is required to minimize the loss.

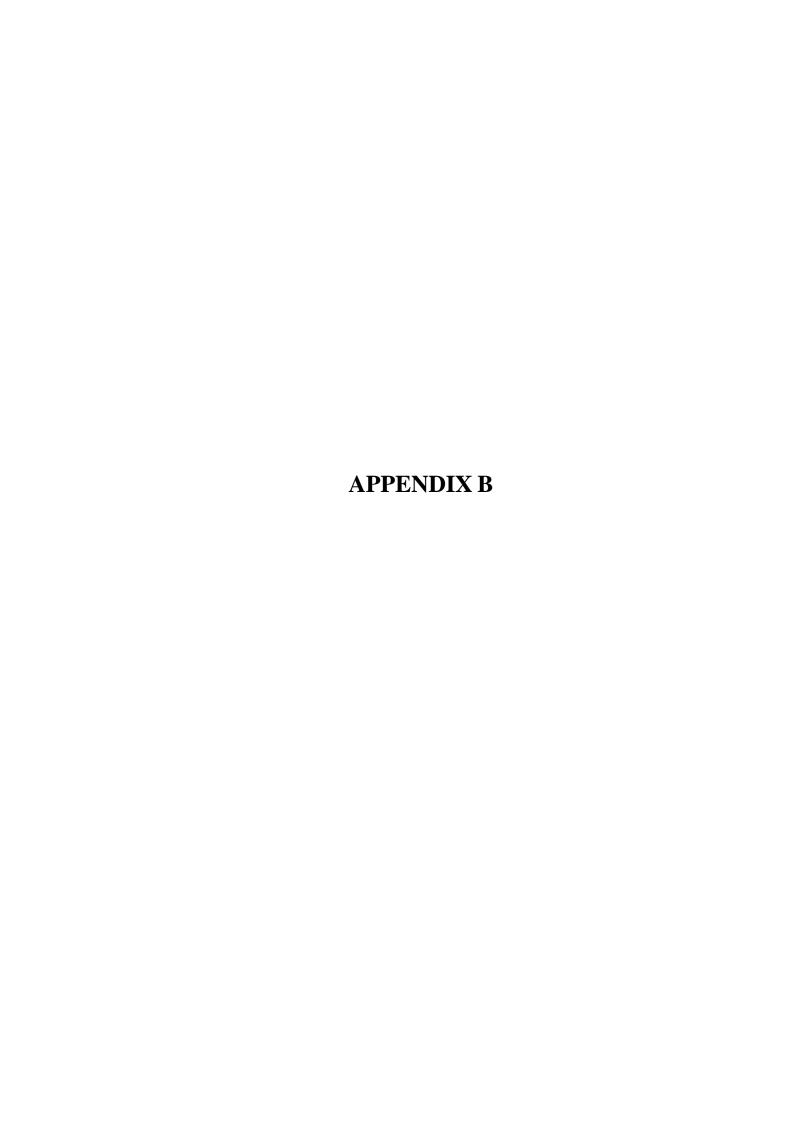


Table: Composition the Divisional Disaster Management Committee

| 1 | Divisional Commissioner | Chairperson |
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| 2 | DIG, Bangladesh Police | Member |
| 3 | Representative, Armed Forces Division | Member |
| 4 | Divisional Officer, DG Health Service | Member |
| 5 | Divisional Officer, Agricultural Extension Department | Member |
| 6 | All Deputy Commissioner of the concerned Division | Member |
| 7 | Divisional Officer, Department of Fisheries | Member |
| 8 | Divisional Officer, Livestock Department | Member |
| 9 | Divisional Officer, Secondary and Higher Secondary Education Department | Member |
| 10 | Divisional Officer, Primary Education Department | Member |
| 11 | Divisional Officer, Department of Women's Affair | Member |
| 12 | Divisional Officer, Department of Food | Member |
| 13 | Divisional Officer, Department of Public Health Engineering | Member |
| 14 | Divisional Officer, Education Engineering Department | Member |
| 15 | Divisional Officer, Water Development Department | Member |
| 16 | Divisional Officer, Department of Public Works | Member |
| 17 | Divisional Officer, Roads and Highways Department | Member |
| 18 | Divisional Officer, Roads and Fighways Department Divisional Officer, Power Development Board | Member |
| 19 | Divisional Officer, Power Development Board Divisional Officer, Rural Electrification Board (where necessary) | Member |
| 20 | Divisional Officer, Rutar Electrification Board (where necessary) Divisional Officer, Department of Youth Development | Member |
| 21 | Divisional Officer, Department of Touth Development Divisional Officer, Department of Cooperatives | Member |
| 22 | Divisional Officer, Department of Cooperatives Divisional Officer, Department of Social Services | Member |
| 23 | Divisional Officer, Department of Social Services Divisional Officer, Bangladesh Ansar and VDP | Member |
| 24 | Divisional Officer, Department of Information | Member |
| | Representative, Border Guard Bangladesh | |
| 25 | i i | Member Member |
| 26 | Representative, Rapid Action Battalion | |
| 27 | Divisional Officer, Bangladesh Fire Service and Civil Defence | Member |
| 28 | Representative, Bangladesh Small and Cottage Industries Corporation | Member |
| 29 | An officer of the State-owned Commercial Bank nominated by the Divisional Commissioner | Member |
| 30 | Representative, City Corporation | Member |
| 31 | Divisional Officer, Bangladesh Meteorological Department | Member |
| 32 | Representative, Bangladesh Red Crescent Society | Member |
| 33 | Representative, Disaster Preparedness Programme | Member |
| 34 | One Male and one Female of socially respectable or civil society member nominated by | Member |
| 34 | the Divisional Commissioner | Member |
| 35 | Three representatives from a Non-Governmental Organization (NGO) that have | Member |
| | activities at local, national or international levels nominated by the Divisional | |
| | Commissioner, where there will be a representative from an organization involved in | |
| | disability-related work. | |
| 36 | President, Press Club at Divisional level | Member |
| 37 | President, Chamber of Commerce and Industries | Member |
| 38 | Divisional Officer, Bangladesh Betar | Member |
| 39 | Divisional Officer, Bangladesh Television | Member |
| 40 | Representative, Electronic Media | Member |
| 41 | Representative, Community Radio | Member |
| 42 | Representative, Bangladesh Road Transport Owners Association | Member |
| 43 | Representative, Bangladesh Road Transport Workers Federation | Member |
| 44 | Representative, Scouts and Rover Scouts | Member |
| 45 | Representatives of organizations that work with persons with disabilities | Member |
| 46 | Organizations (government/non-government) working on mental health and psychosocial issues | Member |
| 47 | Director, Local Government | Member-Secretary |
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Table: Composition the District Disaster Management Committee

| 1 | Deputy Commissioner | Chairperson |
|---|---|-------------|
| 2 | Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Parishad | Member |
| 3 | Chief Executive Officer, City Corporation (where necessary) | Member |

| 4 | Super of Police | Member |
|-----|--|-----------------------|
| 5 | Civil Surgeon | Member |
| 6 | Deputy Director, Local Government | Member |
| 7 | | Member |
| | Deputy Director, Department of Agriculture Extension | |
| 8 | District Fisheries Officer | Member |
| 9 | District Livestock Officer | Member |
| 10 | District Education Officer | Member |
| 11 | District Primary Education Officer | Member |
| 12 | District Women Affairs Officer | Member |
| 13 | District Food Controller | Member |
| 14 | District Officer, Department of Environment | Member |
| 15 | Executive Engineer, Public Health Engineering Department | Member |
| 16 | Executive Engineer, Education Engineering Department | Member |
| 17 | Executive Engineer, Water Development Board | Member |
| 18 | Executive Engineer, Public Affairs Department | Member |
| 19 | Executive Engineer, Roads and Highways Department | Member |
| 20 | Executive Engineer, Local Government Engineering Department | Member |
| 21 | Executive Engineer, Power Development Board/Rural Electrification Board/Dhaka | Member |
| | Electric Supply Company Limited/ Dhaka Power Distribution Company Limited/ West | |
| | Zone Power Distribution Company Limited/Rural Power Association or other | |
| | concerned electricity Distribution Authority (where necessary) | |
| 22 | Deputy-Director, Youth Development Department | Member |
| 23 | Deputy-Director, Bangladesh Rural Development Board | Member |
| 24 | Deputy-Director, Department of Social Services | Member |
| 25 | District Cooperative Officer | Member |
| 26 | District Commandant, Bangladesh Ansar and VDP | Member |
| 27 | District Information Officer | Member |
| 28 | Representative, Border Guard Bangladesh (border district) | Member |
| 29 | Representative, Armed Forces Division (where necessary) | Member |
| 30 | Representative, Rapid Action Battalion | Member |
| 31 | Assistant/Deputy Assistant Director, Bangladesh Fire Service and Civil Defence | Member |
| 31 | Department Department | Member |
| 32 | District Representative, Bangladesh Small and Cottage Industries Corporation | Member |
| 33 | An officer of the State-owned Commercial Bank nominated by the Deputy | Member |
| 33 | Commissioner | Wellibei |
| 34 | All Upazila Parishad Chairperson of the concerned district | Member |
| | | Member |
| 35 | Municipality Mayor of District Headquarters All UNO under the concerned district | Member |
| 36 | | |
| 37 | Representative, Bangladesh Meteorological Department | Member |
| 38 | District Representative, Bangladesh Red Crescent Society | Member |
| 39 | Representative, Disaster Preparedness Programme | Member |
| 40 | One Male and one Female of socially respectable or civilized society nominated by the | Member |
| 4.5 | Deputy Commissioner | 3.5 |
| 41 | Five Representatives of Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs) that have activities | Member |
| | at the local level designated by the Deputy Commissioner, where there will be a | |
| | representative of an organization associated with disability-related work. | |
| 42 | President, District Press Club | Member |
| 43 | President, District Lawyers Association | Member |
| 44 | President, District Chamber of Commerce Industries | Member |
| 45 | District President, Secondary Teachers Association | Member |
| 46 | District President, Primary Teachers Association | Member |
| 47 | A Principal of a college or madrasa nominated by the Deputy Commissioner | Member |
| 48 | District Representative of electronic media, community radio and Betar (one from each) | Member |
| 49 | Representative, Bangladesh Road Transport Owners Association | Member |
| 50 | Representative, Bangladesh Road Transport Workers Federation | Member |
| 51 | District Commander, Freedom Fighter District Command | Member |
| 52 | General Secretary, Scouts and Rover Scouts | Member |
| 53 | Representative of organizations that work with persons with disabilities | Member |
| 54 | Organizations (government/non-government) working on mental health and psycho- | Member |
| 1 | social Issues | |
| 55 | District Relief and Rehabilitation Officer | Member-Secretary |
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| 1 | Deputy Commissioner | Chairperson |
|----|---|------------------|
| 2 | Superintendent of Police | Member |
| 3 | Civil Surgeon | Member |
| 4 | Executive Engineer, Bangladesh Water Development Board | Member |
| 5 | Executive Engineer, Power Development Board | Member |
| 6 | District Food Controller | Member |
| 7 | One representative nominated by the Armed Forces Division | Member |
| 8 | Mayor, concerned municipality | Member |
| 9 | Deputy Director, Department of Agricultural Extension | Member |
| 10 | District Education Officer | Member |
| 11 | District Primary Education Officer | Member |
| 12 | Representative, Cyclone Preparedness Programme (if available) | Member |
| 13 | Representative, Bangladesh Red Crescent Society | Member |
| 14 | One Representative from a local or national NGO, nominated by the Deputy | Member |
| | Commissioner | |
| 15 | One District level officer of the Bangladesh Fire Service and Civil Defense | Member |
| 16 | District Relief and Rehabilitation Officer (DRRO) | Member-Secretary |

Table: Composition of the City Corporation Disaster Management Committee

| 1 | Mayor | Chairperson |
|----|---|-------------|
| 2 | Chairperson, RAJUK/ KDA/ CDA/ RDA | Member |
| 3 | President of the Chamber of Commerce and Industry at city level | Member |
| 4 | Respective Deputy Commissioner | Member |
| 5 | Police Commissioner of respective City Corporation | Member |
| 6 | All Ward Councilor | Member |
| 7 | Chief Engineer, City Corporation | Member |
| 8 | Chief Health Officer, City Corporation (if any) | Member |
| 9 | General Manager (Transportation), City Corporation | Member |
| 10 | Chief Town Planner (if any) | Member |
| 11 | Chief Sanitation Officer, City Corporation (if any) | Member |
| 12 | Representative, Public Works Department | Member |
| 13 | Representative, Road and Highways Department | Member |
| 14 | Representative, Directorate of Primary Education | Member |
| 15 | Representative, Directorate of Secondary and Higher Education | Member |
| 16 | Representative, Directorate of Technical Education | Member |
| 17 | Representative, Directorate of Madrasa Education | Member |
| 18 | Representative, Bangladesh Ansar and VDP | Member |
| 19 | Representative, Department of Geological Survey of Bangladesh | Member |
| 20 | Representative, Department of Bangladesh Fire Service and Civil Defence | Member |
| 21 | Representative, Bangladesh Telecommunications Company Limited (BTCL) | Member |
| 22 | Representative, Department of Disaster Management | Member |
| 23 | Representative, Directorate General of Health Services | Member |
| 24 | Representative, Gas (Titas/ Bakharabad/ Sylhet etc.) Transmission and Distribution | Member |
| | Company Limited | |
| 25 | Representative, Bangladesh Power Development Board /DESA/ DESCO | Member |
| 26 | Representative of Civil Society (social/cultural personality, journalist, religious | Member |
| | personality, nominated by the Chairperson of the committee), 5 persons | |
| 27 | Representative, Voluntary Blood Donation Organizations (Shandhani/ Badhan/ | Member |
| | Quantum etc.) | |
| 28 | Women Representative (nominated by the Department of Women Affairs) | Member |
| 29 | Representative, from national and local level NGOs working in City Corporation Area, | Member |
| | 3 persons (nominated by the Chairperson of the committee) | |
| 30 | Representative, BNCC | Member |
| 31 | Representative, Bangladesh Scouts | Member |
| 32 | Representative, Girls in Scouts | Member |
| 33 | Representative, WASA (if any) | Member |
| 34 | Representative, organization working for the development of persons with disabilities | Member |
| 35 | Representative, Anjuman Mufidul Islam | Member |
| 36 | Representative, Bangladesh Red Crescent Society | Member |
| 37 | Relief and Rehabilitation Officer of the respective district | Member |
| 38 | Representative, Department of Youth Development | Member |
| 39 | Representative, Press Information Department | Member |

| 40 | Representative, Bangladesh Inland Water Transport Authority (where applicable) | Member |
|----|--|------------------|
| 41 | Representative, Bangladesh Road Transport Authority | Member |
| 42 | Representative, BCIC | Member |
| 43 | Representative, Cyclone Preparedness Programme (CPP) (if any) | Member |
| 44 | Representative, Water Development Board | Member |
| 45 | Representative, Civil Aviation Authority of Bangladesh | Member |
| 46 | Representative, Bangladesh Railway | Member |
| 47 | Representative, Organization working on Mental Health and Psycho-social issues | Member |
| | (government/NGO) | |
| 48 | Chief Executive Officer, City Corporation | Member-Secretary |

Table: Composition of the City Corporation Disaster Response Group

| 1 | Mayor | Chairperson |
|----|---|------------------|
| 2 | Representative nominated by the Divisional Commissioner (in terms of divisional city corporations) - 1 | Member |
| 3 | Representatives nominated by the Chairman of Rajdhani Unnayan Kartipakkha, Khulna Development Authority, Chattogram Development Authority, Rajshahi Development Authority (as applicable) - 1 | Member |
| 4 | Representative nominated by the Deputy Commissioner - 1 | Member |
| 5 | Representative nominated by the Metropolitan Police Commissioner and Superintendent of Police (as applicable) - 1 | Member |
| 6 | Representative nominated by the Armed Forces Division - 1 | Member |
| 7 | Representative nominated by the concerned District Civil Surgeon - 1 | Member |
| 8 | Chief Engineer, representative nominated by the Public Works Department | Member |
| 9 | Executive Engineer, representative nominated by the Department of Public-Health Engineering | Member |
| 10 | Executive Engineer, representative nominated by the Education Engineering Department | Member |
| 11 | One representative, nominated by the Director General of Bangladesh Fire Service and Civil Defence | Member |
| 12 | District Relief and Rehabilitation officer (DRRO) of the concerned district | Member |
| 13 | Representative, Bangladesh Red Crescent Society | Member |
| 14 | Chief Executive Officer, concerned city corporation | Member-Secretary |

Table: Composition of the City Corporation Ward Disaster Management Committee

| 1 | Ward Councilor | Chairperson |
|----|--|------------------|
| 2 | Female Councilor in reserved seat (one nominated by Mayor) | Vice-Chairperson |
| 3 | Four representatives, each from the government emergency services provider (gas, water, electricity and telephone) located at the ward level | Member |
| 4 | Representative from the Department of Health (nominated by the office of the District Civil Surgeon/Divisional Director) | Member |
| 5 | Representative of Ansar and VDP (nominated by the district/divisional office) | Member |
| 6 | One Imam and one Purohit or two leaders of any other religious groups nominated by the Ward Councilor | Member |
| 7 | Representative of registered social/cultural organization | Member |
| 8 | Representatives of teachers (school, madrasa and college) (nominated by district/divisional office), total 3 | Member |
| 9 | Representative of Bangladesh Red Crescent Society (nominated by district/city unit) | Member |
| 10 | Representative of Fire Service and Civil Defence (nominated by district/city unit) | Member |
| 11 | Representative of local press club / local media person | Member |
| 12 | Representative of the organization, which deals with persons with disability | Member |
| 13 | Persons with disability at the local level | Member |
| 14 | Representative of freedom fighters (nominated councilor or local commander) | Member |
| 15 | Representative of women's organization nominated by the Councilor | Member |
| 16 | Ward social worker nominated by the district social service officer | Member |
| 17 | Representative of police (nominated from the local police station) | Member |
| 18 | Two trained urban volunteers nominated by the Councilor | Member |
| 19 | Local BNCC Representative | Member |
| 20 | Local SCOUTS Representative | Member |
| 21 | Representative of Anjuman Mufidul Islam | Member |
| 22 | Two local esteemed persons nominated by the Councilor | Member |

| 23 | Two representatives of NGOs (national and international NGOs) | Member |
|----|--|------------------|
| 24 | Representative of Post-Office (if available) | Member |
| 25 | Representative of the engineering department of the City Corporation | Member |
| 26 | Representative of immigrants (if available) | Member |
| 27 | Ward Secretary, City Corporation | Member-Secretary |

Table: Composition of the City Corporation Ward Response Coordination Group

| 1 | Councilor of the concerned ward | Chairperson |
|----|---|-------------------|
| 2 | Elected female councilor of the concerned ward | Vice- Chairperson |
| 3 | One representative each from government emergency service agencies (gas, water, | Member |
| | electricity and telephone) located in the ward | |
| 4 | Representative, Bangladesh Red Crescent Society (if available) | Member |
| 5 | Representative, Cyclone Preparedness Programme (if available) | Member |
| 6 | Two NGO representatives, nominated by the Group | Member |
| 7 | Two representatives from the religion community (imam/priest) | Member |
| 8 | Representative (disability organization) of people with special needs | Member |
| 9 | Two representatives from the local Scouts (leader or rover scouts or girls scouts) | Member |
| 10 | Media representative | Member |
| 11 | Representative of the local business community | Member |
| 12 | Two urban volunteers (1 male, 1 female) | Member |
| 13 | Representative, Bangladesh Fire Service and Civil Defence (if available) | Member |
| 14 | Representative of teachers from local educational institutions | Member |
| 15 | Secretary, City Corporation Ward (where necessary) or the representative nominated by | Member-Secretary |
| | the Ward Group | |

Table: Composition of the Municipal Disaster Management Committee

| 2 Panel-Mayor Vice-Chairperson 3 Councilor (All) Member 4 Representative, District Administration Member 5 Medical Officer or Sanitary Inspector, Municipality Member 6 Executive Engineer/Assistant Engineer, Municipality Member 7 Upazila Project Implementation Officer (PIO) Member 8 Officer in Charge of the concerned Thana Member 9 Representative, Bangladesh Red Crescent Society (if available) Member 10 Station Officer, Upazila Fire Service and Civil Defence (if available) Member 11 One Representative, Bangladesh Red Crescent Society (if available) Member 11 One Representative and Council Member 12 Three representatives (nominated by the Mayor) from Non-Governmental Member 13 Representative of gas supply / distribution company (if the concerned area is under the gas transmission network) Member 14 Representative, Power Development Board Member 15 Representative, Executive Engineer, Public Health Engineering Department Member 16 Representative, | 1 | Mayor | Chairperson |
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| Medical Officer or Sanitary Inspector, Municipality Member | | Councilor (All) | Member |
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| | 25 | Representative, Executive Engineer, Rural Electrification Board, Rural Electrification | Member |
| | 26 | | Member |

| 27 | Representative, Upazila or District Ansar VDP officer (where applicable) | Member |
|----|---|------------------|
| 28 | Representative, Zilla or Upazila Parishad (where applicable) | Member |
| 29 | Representative, forum or association for persons with disabilities (if available) | Member |
| 30 | Representative, Deputy Director, Department of Family Planning | Member |
| 31 | Chief Executive Officer or Secretary of Municipality | Member-Secretary |

Table: Composition of the Pourashava (Municipal) Disaster Response Coordination Group

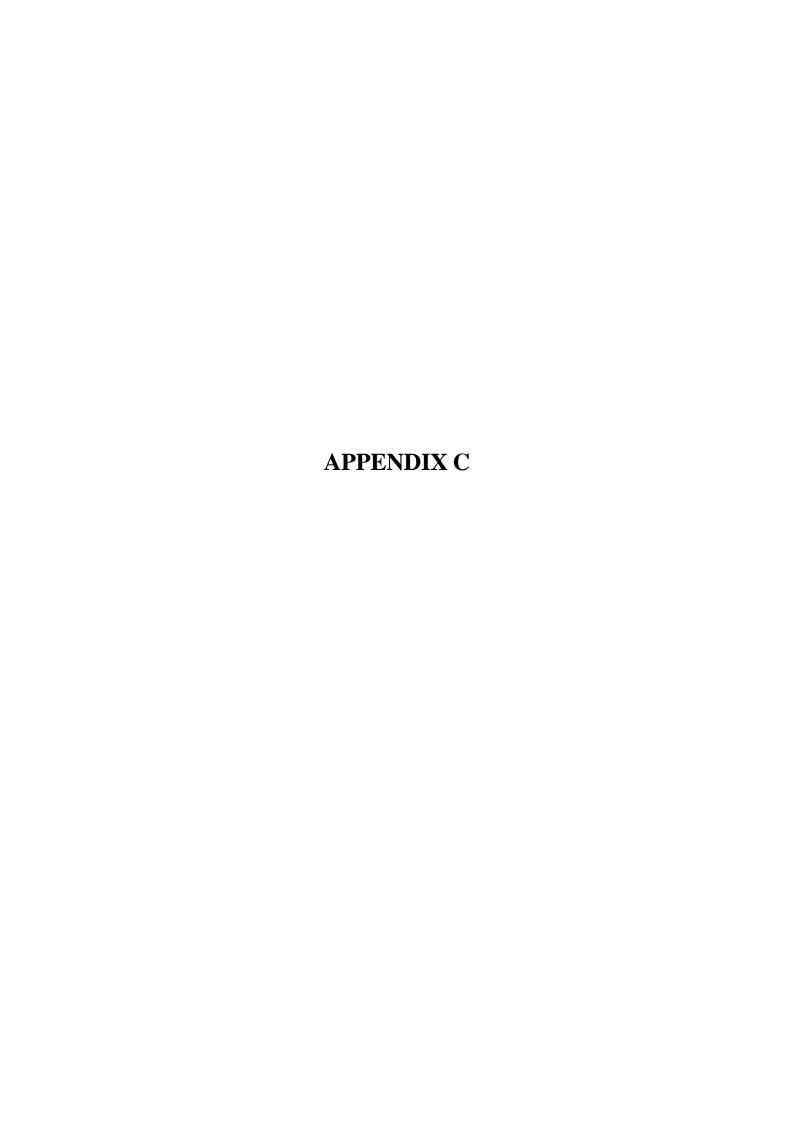
| 1 | Mayor | Chairperson |
|----|---|------------------|
| 2 | One representative nominated by Upazila Health and Family Planning Officer | Member |
| 3 | One representative nominated by Upazila Education Officer | Member |
| 4 | Project Implementation Officer (PIO) | Member |
| 5 | One representative nominated by the police station of the upazila | Member |
| 6 | One representative from Bangladesh Fire Service and Civil Defence | Member |
| 7 | One representative nominated by Public Health Engineering Department | Member |
| 8 | One representative from Bangladesh Red Crescent Society (if available) | Member |
| 9 | Representative, Cyclone Preparedness Programme (if available) | Member |
| 10 | One Representative from a local or national NGO working locally, nominated by the | Member |
| | Mayor of the Pourashava | |
| 11 | Representative of volunteers organizations (Bangladesh Scouts, BNCC, BDRCS) | Member |
| 12 | Chief Executive Officer or Secretary | Member-Secretary |

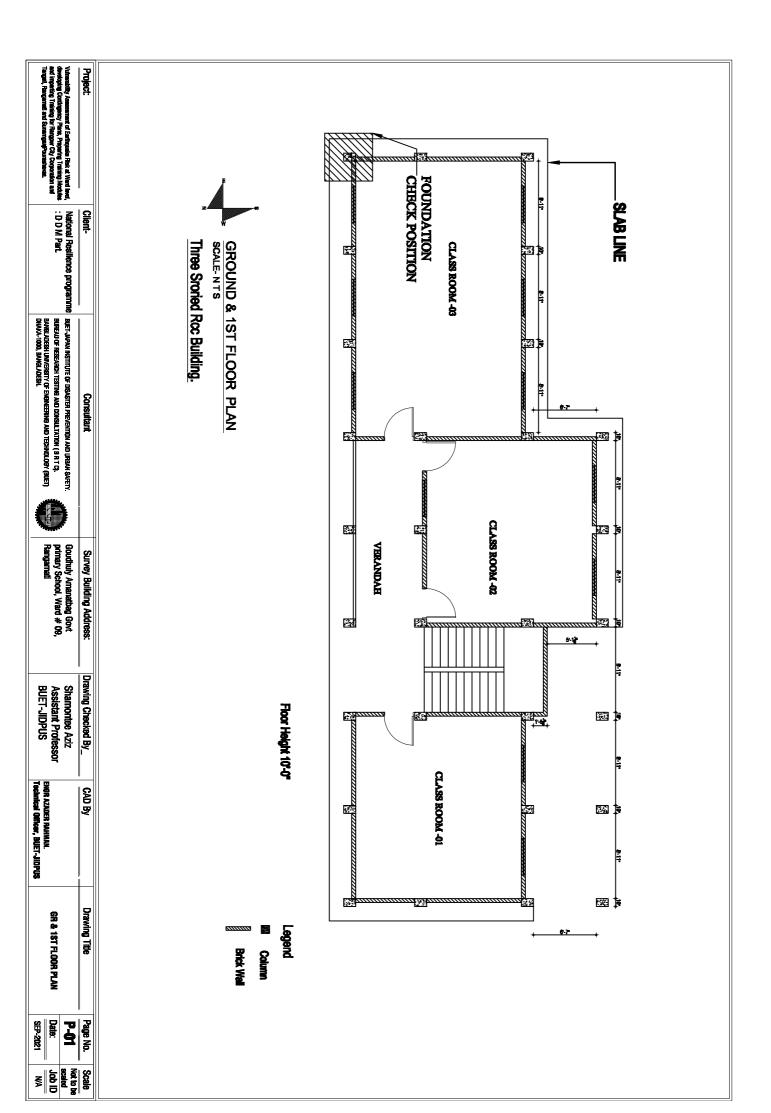
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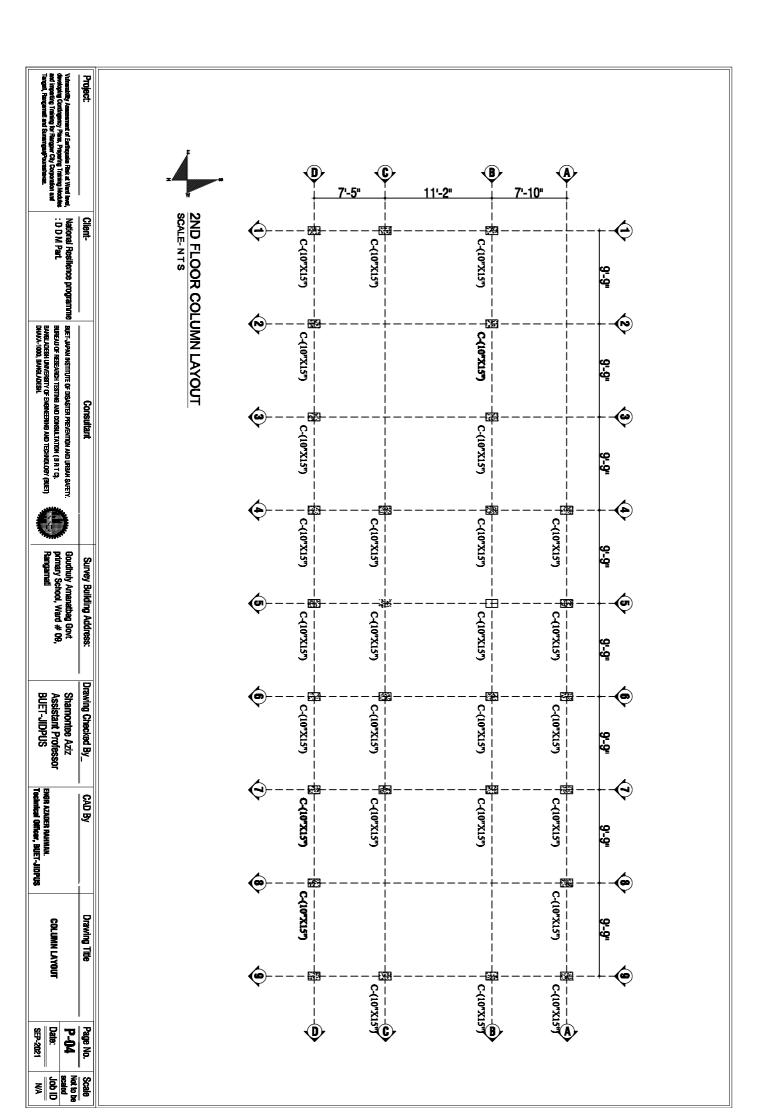
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| 1 | Councilor of the concerned ward | Chairperson |
| 2 | Female Councilor of the concerned ward | Advisor |
| 3 | Teachers representative nominated by the committee | Member |
| 4 | Two Government officers/employees working at the ward level | Member |
| | Representative, Bangladesh Red Crescent Society (if available) | Member |
| 6 | NGO representative nominated by the committee (which has activities at the local | Member |
| | level) | |
| 7 | Two religious representatives (Imam/Purohit) | Member |
| 8 | One representative from the population with special needs (representative of persons | Member |
| | with disabilities) | |
| 9 | Representative of mass media (if available) | Member |
| 10 | Representative of the local business community | Member |
| 11 | Representative of tribal/indigenous community (if available) | Member |
| 12 | One representative nominated by the Ward Committee | Member-Secretary |

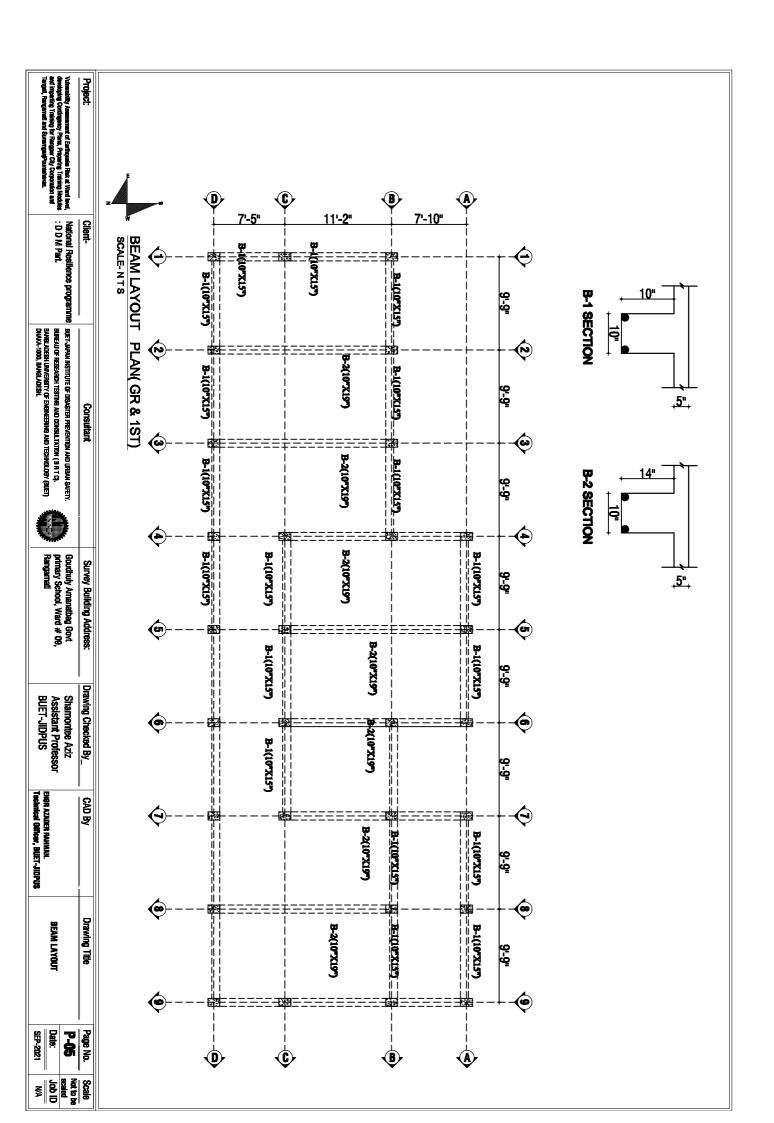
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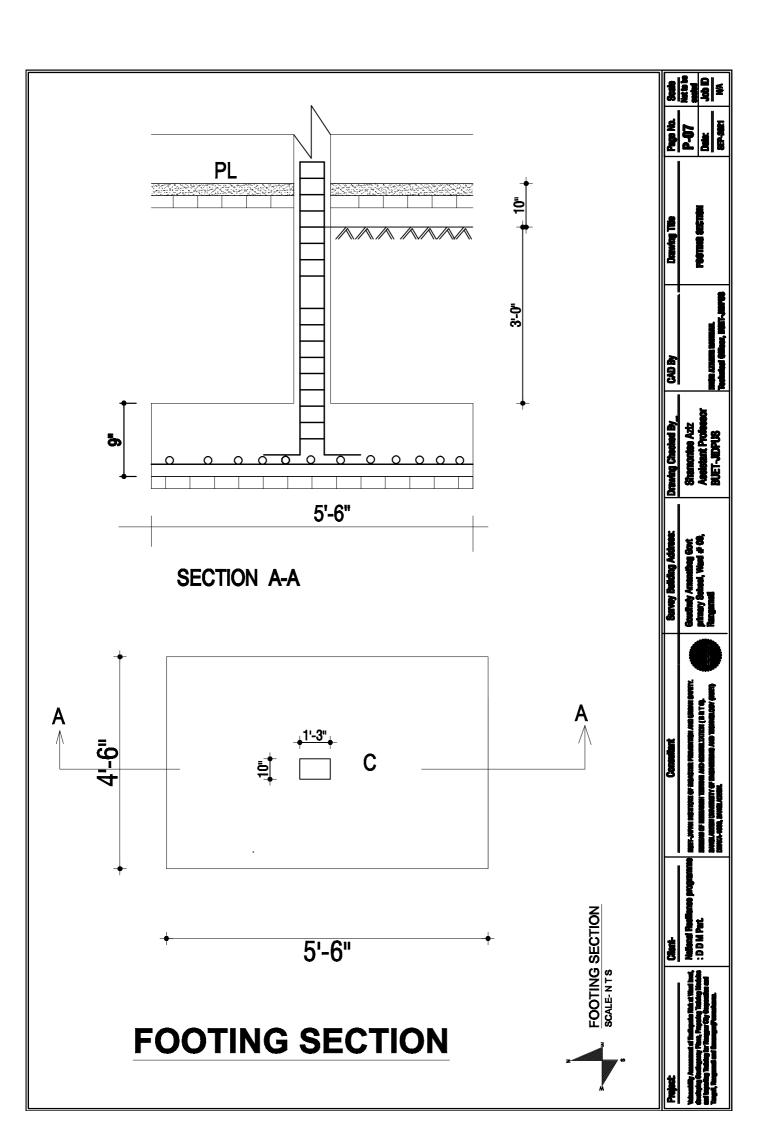
| 1 | Councilor of the concerned ward | Chairperson | | |
|----|---|------------------|--|--|
| 2 | Elected Female Councilor of the concerned Ward | Member | | |
| 3 | One Representative each from government emergency service agencies (gas, water, | Member | | |
| | electricity and telephone) located in the ward | | | |
| 4 | Representative, Bangladesh Red Crescent Society (if available) | Member | | |
| 5 | Representative, Cyclone Preparedness Programme (if available) | Member | | |
| 6 | Two NGO representatives, nominated by the group | Member | | |
| 7 | Two representatives from religion groups (Imam/priest) | Member | | |
| 8 | Representative (disability organization) of people with special needs | Member | | |
| 9 | Two representatives from local Scouts (leader or rover or girls scout) | Member | | |
| 10 | Media representative | Member | | |
| 11 | Representative of the local business community | Member | | |
| 12 | Two urban volunteers (1 male, 1 female) | Member | | |
| 13 | Representative, Bangladesh Fire Service and Civil Defence (if available) | Member | | |
| 14 | Representative of teachers from local educational institutions | Member | | |
| 15 | Representative nominated by the Ward Group | Member-Secretary | | |

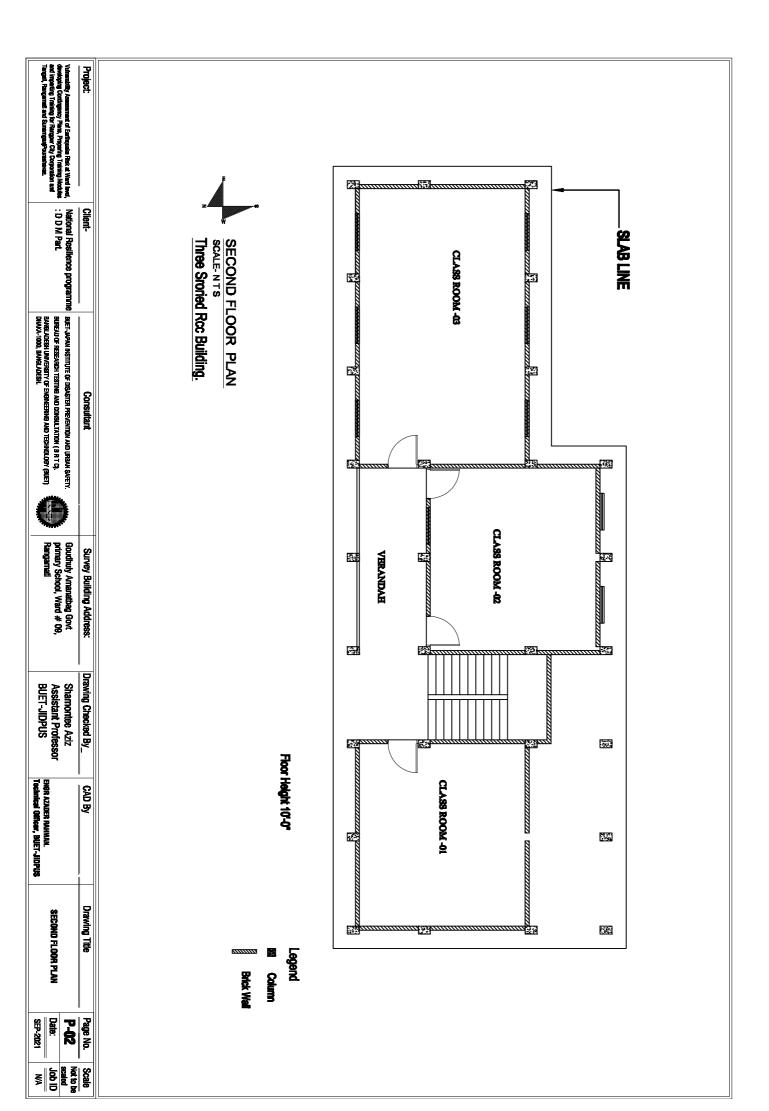


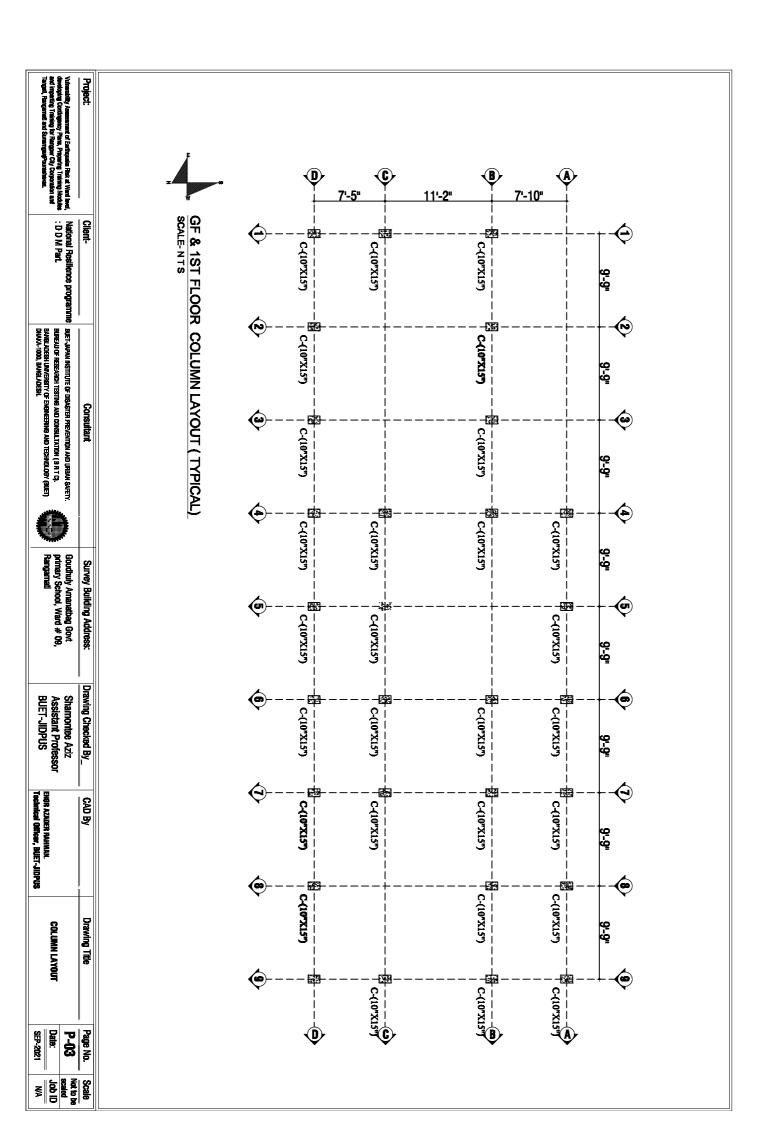


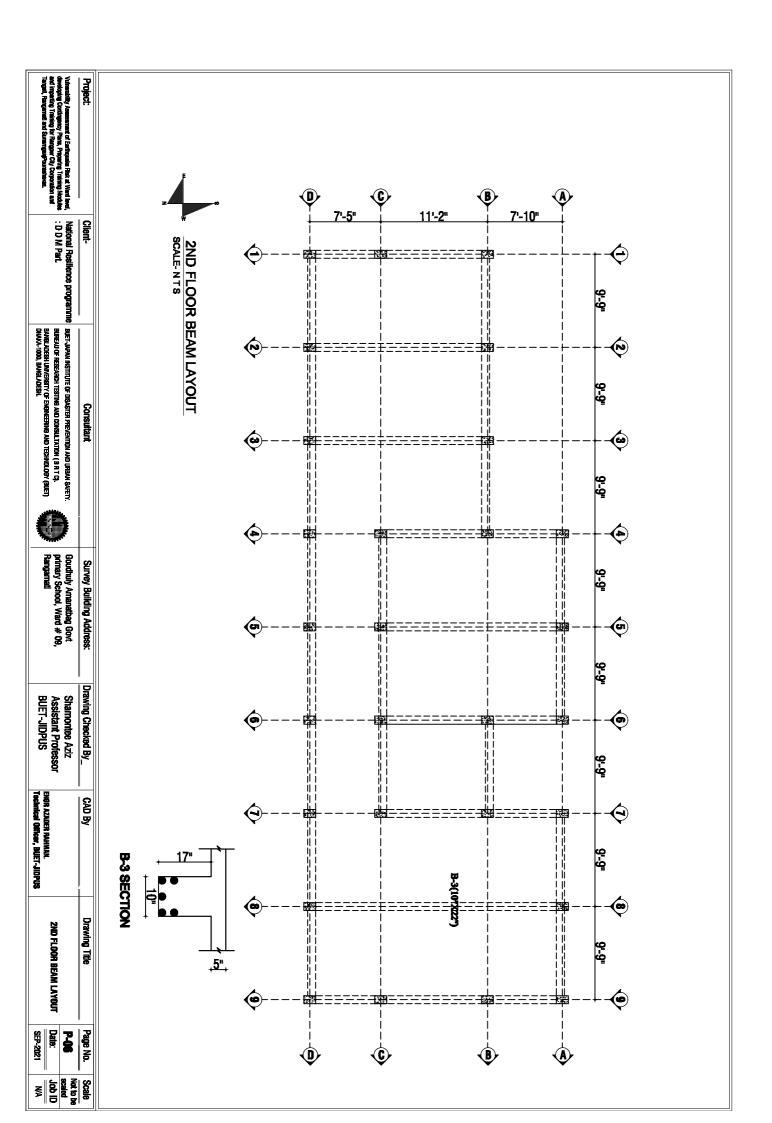












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Project

: Vulnerability Assessment of EQ Risk at Ward Level, Rangpur, Tangail, Rangamati, Sunamgani

Sample

: Concrete Cylindrical Core [Mix Proportion (as quoted): Not Mentioned]

Year of Construction: Not Mentioned

No. of Floors = Not Mentioned

Sample Collected by: Client **

Date of Sample Collection: / /2021

Test

Compressive Strength of Concrete Cylindrical Core [ASTM C 42/C 42M]

Date of Test

: 23/10/2021

TEST REPORT

| SI. No. | Location | Sample Identification Mark | Length of Sample | Diameter of Sample | Average Cross Sectional Area | Ultimate Load | Crushing Strength | Type of Failure |
|---------|------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
| | | | in. | in. | sq. in. | lb. | | |
| 1 | RAJA-1st-COL-A/5 | 19 | 4.7 | 2.64 | 5.47 | 2,942 | 540 psi (3.7 MPa) | Mortar (Brick Chips) |
| 2 | RAJA-1st-S+B | 20 | 3.2 | 2.64 | 5.47 | 24,318 | 4090 psi (28.2 MPa) | Combined * (Brick Chips) |
| 3 | GPS-GF-B1 | 21 | 5.3 | 2.64 | 5.47 | 6,992 | 1280 psi (8.8 MPa) | Combined * (Brick Chips) |
| | | | | | | | | |

^{**}Samples were received by BRTC in unsealed condition.

NOTE 1 — The diameter of core specimens for the determination of compressive strength in load bearing structural members shall be at least 3.70 in. [94 mm]. For non-load bearing structural members or when it is impossible to obtain cores with length-diameter ratio (L/D) greater than or equal to 1, core diameters less than 3.70 in. [94 mm] are not prohibited.

NOTE 2 — The compressive strengths of nominal 2-in. [50-mm] diameter cores are known to be somewhat lower and more variable than those of nominal 4-in. [100-mm] diameter cores. In addition, smaller diameter cores appear to be more sensitive to the effect of the length-diameter ratio.

COMMENT — Please compare the results with your corresponding design values and consult with your design engineer.

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Date of Test

23/10/2021

TEST REPORT

| SI. No. | Location | Sample Identification Mark | Length of Sample | Diameter of Sample | Average Cross Sectional Area | Ultimate Load | Crushing Strength | Type of Failure |
|---------|--------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
| | | | in. | in. | sq. in. | lb. | | |
| 1 | SCGS-1st-C10 | 28 | 2.8 | 2.64 | 5.47 | 11,042 | 1780 psi (12.3 MPa) | Combined * (Stone Chips) |
| 2 | APS-1st-S+B | 29 | 4.7 | 2.64 | 5.47 | 18,468 | 3370 psi (23.2 MPa) | Combined * (Brick Chips) |
| 3 | GPS-GF-C1 | 30 | 4.7 | 2.64 | 5,47 | 6,317 | 1150 psi (7.9 MPa) | Combined * (Brick Chips) |
| | | | | | | | | |

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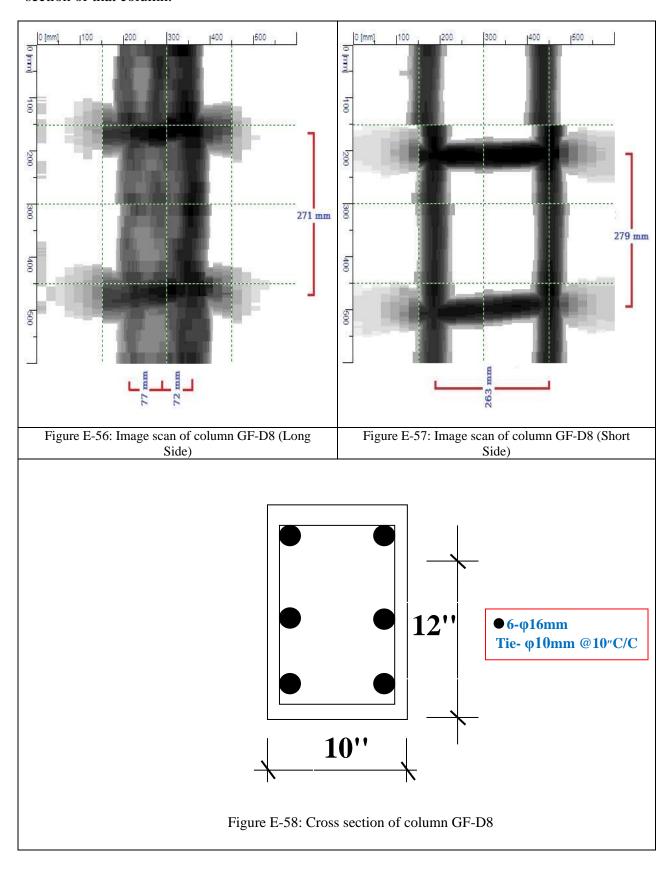


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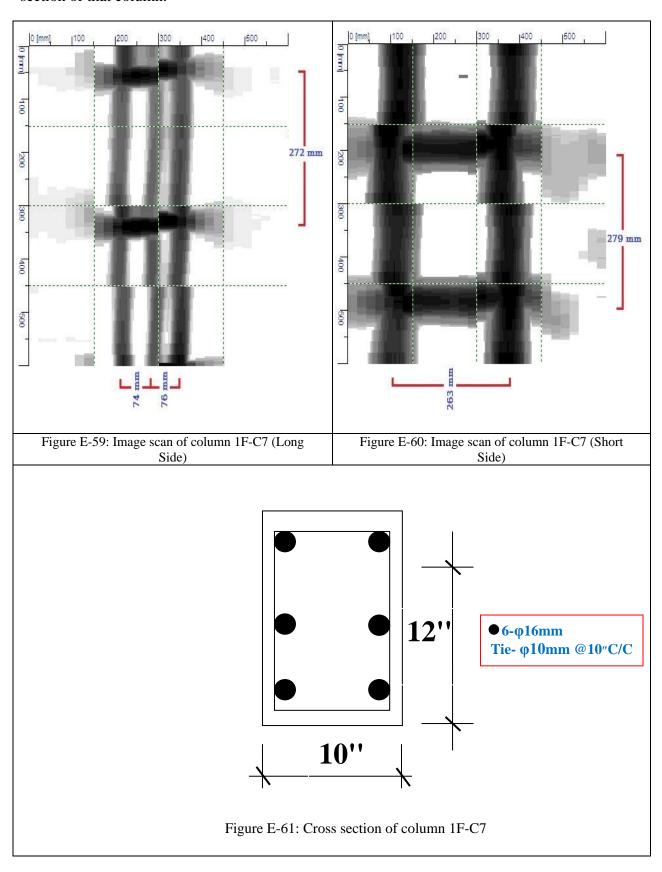


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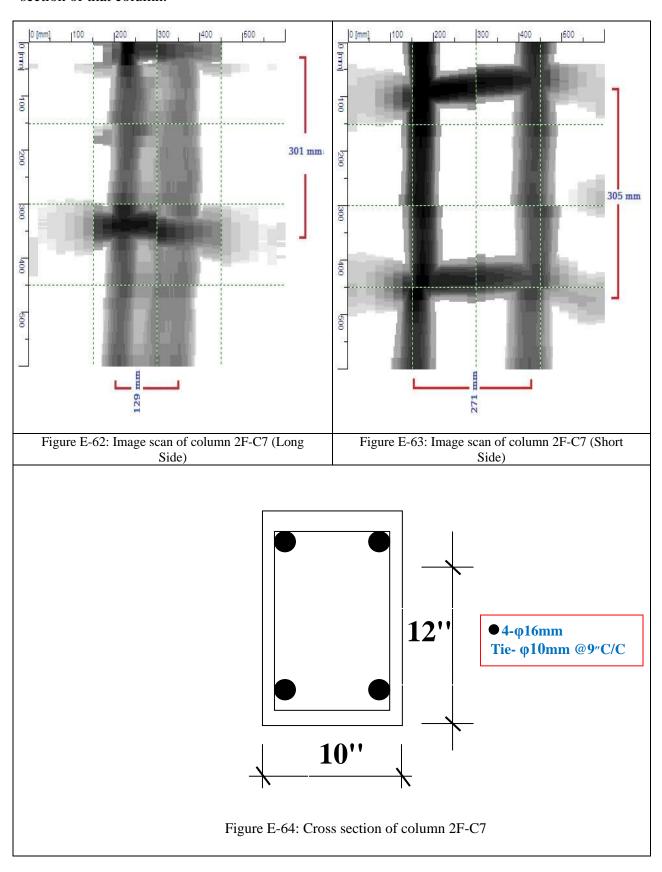


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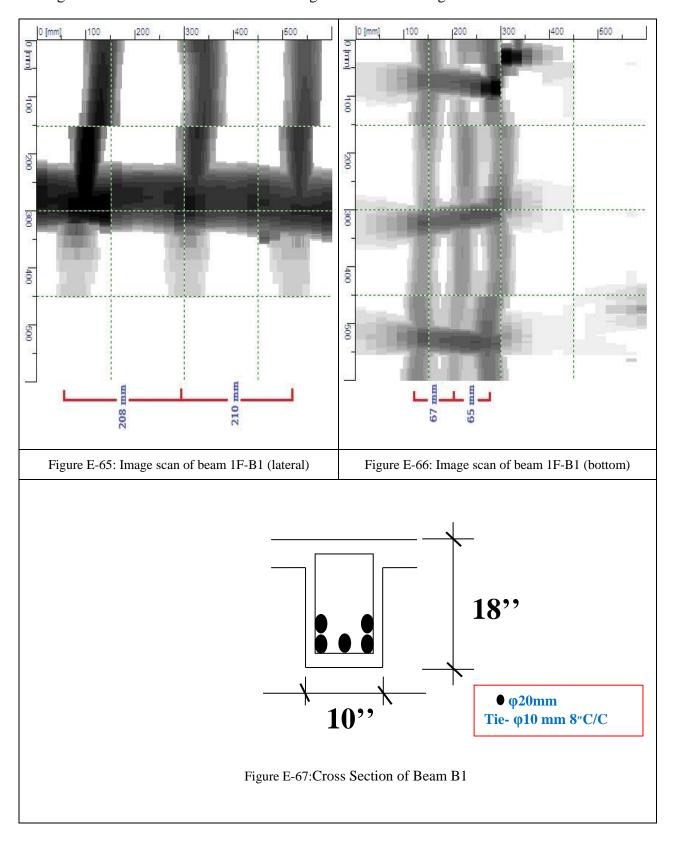
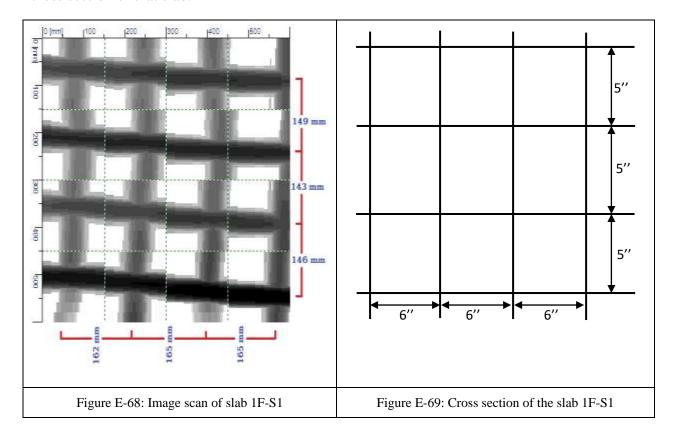


Figure E-68 is showing the image scan of Slab 1F-S1 of grid BC67. Figure E-69 is showing the cross section of that slab.



• φ10mm@6"C/C in long direction & 6"C/C in short direction