

**A meeting on controlling the usage of plastic bags held in Karbook**

A meeting was conducted on controlling the usage of plastic bags was held at the conference hall of Karbook Sub-Divisional Magistrate's office today. SDM Partha Das, SDPO Raju Reang, Karbook Block BDO David Halam, Silachari Block BDO C. Lalfaksanga, Medical Officer In-charge of Karbook Public Health Centre Dr Dhanmani Tripura, Tehsildars of different Tehsils, Secretary and Presidents of different Bazar Committees of the sub-division joined the meeting. SDm Partha Das said, all kinds of one-time plastic and thermocol items will be banned starting from July 1, for which awareness will be generated in every market under the sub-division. Banners and leaflets will be pasted in important places. He also said, legal action will be taken if any businessman or person is found to use plastic bag from July 1. He asked everyone present in the meeting to use other locally available resources as an alternative to plastics. He hoped for cooperation from the members of Bazar Committee.

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