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## Awareness cum training programme on different developmental programmes in Santirbazar

An awareness cum training programme on PMAY-G and other rural development programmes like digital and online payments was organized on 23<sup>rd</sup> November in the Panchayat Samiti conference hall of Bokafa RD Block under Santirbazar Sub-Division. Addressing the participants BDO Rupon Das hoped that this programme would be helpful to the members of Gram Panchayat, Village Committee, beneficiaries and other present in implementing the schemes. The objective of the workshop and training programme is to enable officers, members of panchayat, beneficiaries to create awareness among below poverty line rural masses about Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana and to acquaint the participants with the latest concept of government initiatives.

Panchayat Samiti Chairman of Bokafa RD Block, Sridam Das urged the Panchayat officials to ensure wide publicity on various components of PMAY-G. He stressed upon the participants to prepare a schedule and ensure timely execution of the schemes so that the people would be benefited. The Block Development Officer of the concerned Block highlighted the urgent need for implementation of various guidelines related to PMAY-G. He urged the participants to work with missionary zeal to ensure benefit to the needy

Furthermore, through MGNREGA, each beneficiary will be provided 95 mandays. Under the scheme each beneficiary is provided with Rs 1.30 lakhs in three installments. During the training program, the technical staffs and engineers of Bokafa RD Block demonstrated on how to construct house by using eco-friendly materials and design. While speaking to the beneficiaries BDO Rupon Das pointed out that the allotted fund should be used only for construction of the house and can take help from panchayat bodies when required. So far, 1,731 beneficiaries under Bokafa RD Block have received fund from the government under the direct benefit transfer (DBT) mechanism said Chairman of Bokafa RD Block Sridam Das while addressing the media.

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