



## COMMUNITY STORIES OF IMPACT

### Theme: Right to work(MNREGA).

**Year:** 2019 | **Location:** Basapura village, Watagal Grampanchayat, Maski Taluka

#### [SI.No. 7] Success story of MNREGA in Basapura village

JMS intervention and advocacy with CEO, Raichur District helped to access new job cards and 66 agricultural families got first access to work under MNREGA in Basapura village .



#### JMS Introduction:

Jagrutha Mahila Sanghatan (JMS) is a Dalit Women's Collective that is owned and managed by Dalit women from 20 years in the district of Raichur and reaches out to 3000 households in four Talukas (Manvi, Sindhanur, Maski, Sirwar). JMS works with Dalit households, agricultural labourers and those who belongs to economically and socially backward community. JMS works to defend and protect the Human Rights of Dalit community in general with a special focus on Dalit women, who by and large are daily wage labourers. JMS intervenes in facilitating the rights and entitlements of the rural working class communities focusing on the right to food & nutrition, right to work, right to education, rights and dignity of Dalit women, right to health, civil rights of Dalit communities, and citizen rights in general. These interventions are done through various campaigns.

#### CONTEXT:

Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act (MNREGA) launched in 2006 Under Indian Labour law which gives the social security and aims "Right to Work" by creating rural employment. Contrary to this Act. JMS has reached out to some villages where the community members have not got job cards in their hands yet and have not received work. So history is created in these villages as they got work for the first time. Basapura Village, Watagal Gram Panchayat.

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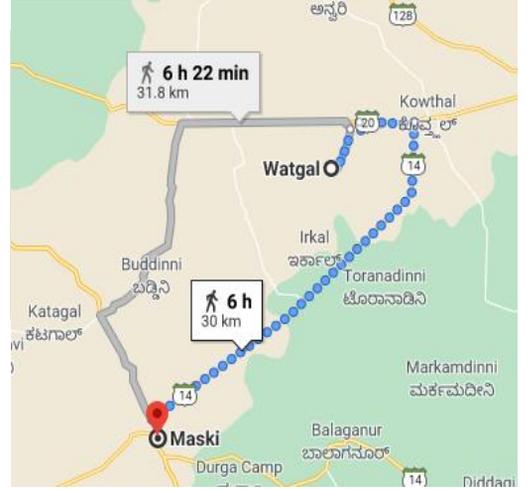
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# JAGRUTHA MAHILA SANGATANE

## ISSUE:

Basapura village comes under Watagal gram panchayat which is located about 30kms from the Maski Taluk . There were people in Basapura village who haven't heard or seen the Job Card for 13years. By keeping the Job cards of Villagers Gram Panchayat members used to conduct the work using JCPs and thereby consuming the 14 person-days of work by finishing in one day for each NMR generated. A similar situation was also identified in Basapura village. Seeing this deprived right to work scenario and also closely observing the migration of people from this village to different states across the country in 2019.



## JMS INTERVENTION:

JMS Karyakarta decided to work in Basapura and stop migration by supporting people to get work under the MNREGA program. With support of JMS Volunteer, mobilized all labour groups through the campaign and continuous regular dialogues with people on the importance of the MNREGA program. JMS took all the details and required documents (AadharCard, Ration card, etc.) and applied freshly and issued new Job cards and made access to work for 66 families in Basapura village. Through the continued interventions and several advocacies at Taluk and District level.

## IMPACT:

Due to the intervention of JMS and regular follow up with authorities, new job cards were created and made first time access to work under MNREGA for 66 families in Basapura village.



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