

# WELCOME

Presentation with regard to decongestion of Udhampur and Kathua Towns



Municipal Council Udhampur



Municipal Council Kathua

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## **UDHAMPUR TOWN**

### **About Udhampur Town**

Udhampur is a Town situated on Jammu Srinagar National Highway (NH1) and is located at 32.93<sup>0</sup> N 75.93<sup>0</sup> E about 68 km ahead of Jammu city towards Srinagar. The town is named after Raja Udham Singh. The significance of the town is due to the fact that Northern Command Head Quarter of Indian Army is based in Udhampur. The holy river Devika flows through the Town. The Municipal Council Udhampur was established in 1934 & caters to the sanitation needs of the Udhampur town which is divided into 21 wards (12020 households) covering an area of 24 Sq Km.

### **Demography**

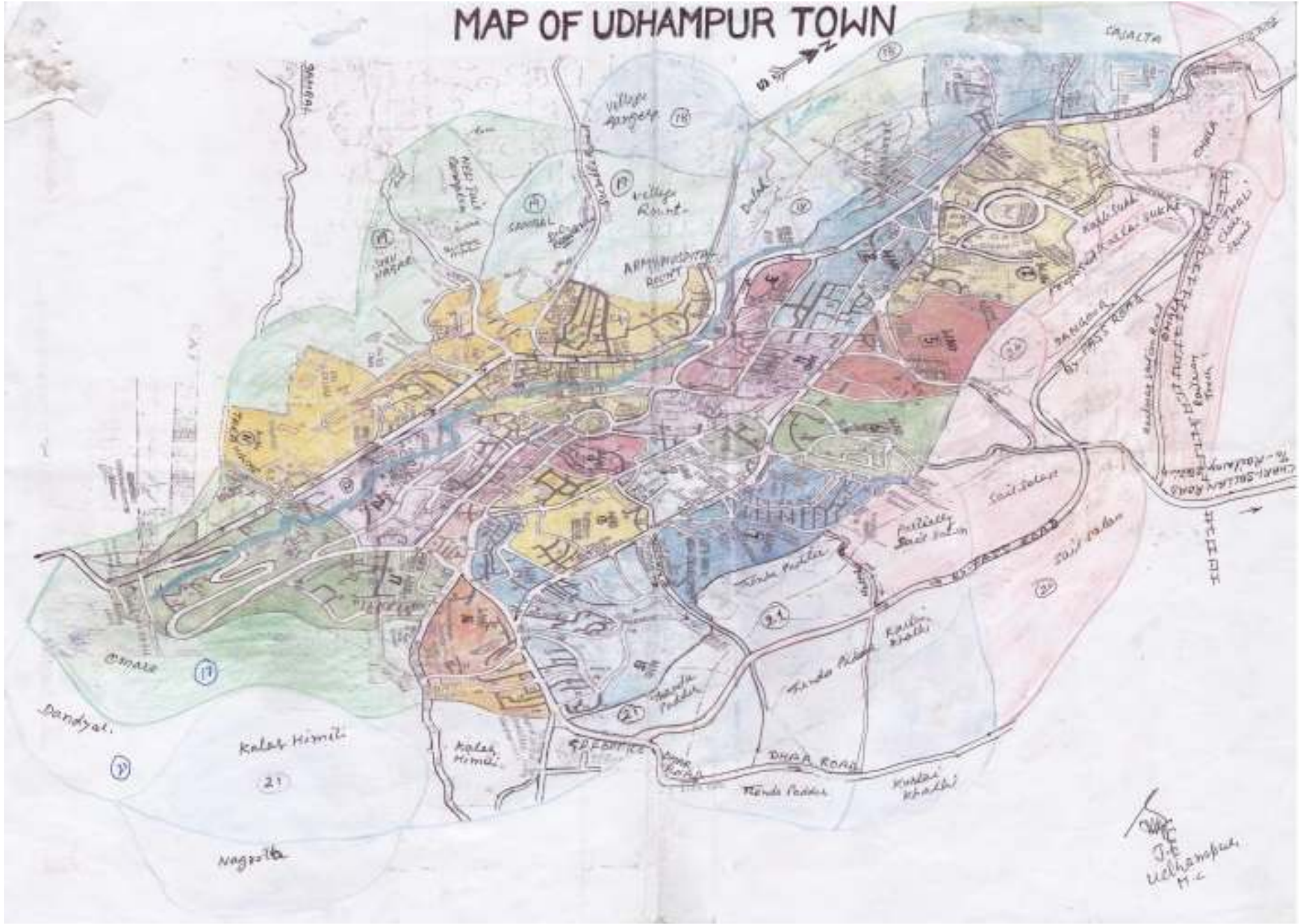
According to 2011 census population of Udhampur Town is 56543 excluding Army Establishments, the floating population of the town ranges between 60000 to 80000 on an average putting immense pressure on the narrow roads of the Town. According to 2011 census, The density of the population in the District was 211 persons per Sq Km as compare to 124 persons per Sq Km for the state.

# Northern Command Head Quarter of Indian Army





# MAP OF UDHAMPUR TOWN



# Arial View of Udhampur Town



## **Employment/Occupation**

Main occupation of the Udhampur town is business, Hotels and Industries and Tourism.

## **Roads and Communication**

Roads are mainly built by State Public Works (R&B Deptt) in the District. Some important roads are strategic in nature and are maintained by MES. Road length maintained by PWD in the District was 929.30 Km ending March 2014.

## **No. of vehicles registered in Udhampur District**

As on today more than 45000 vehicles are plying in the town around under different categories i.e heavy vehicles, Light motor vehicles. This doesnot include the Army vehicles which frequently use these roads resulting into the congestion in the town and is adding to the vehicular density on the roads.



## Congestion at main entry of bus stand of Udhampur Town





# Congestion at the entrance of Udhampur Town





## Pictures showing congestion in the Town



## **Proposals for decongestion of the town.**

Parking lots to be developed in the town.

- ✓ Old Municipal Building to be demolished.
- ✓ Three tier parking in the town hall building.
- ✓ City school building to be shifted.
- ✓ Two tier parking to be developed in the city school building.
- ✓ Plying of e-rikshaws only in the city.

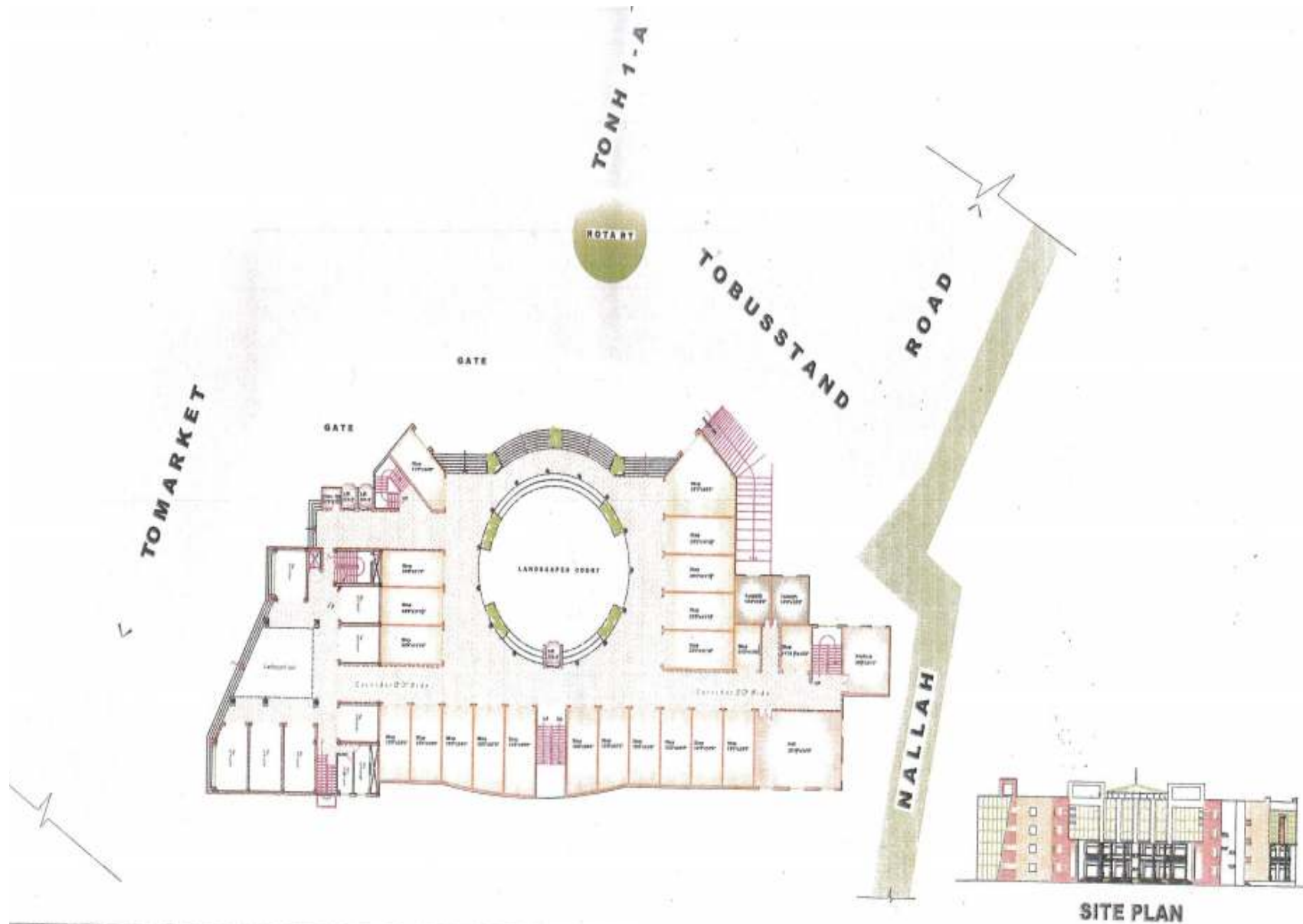
**Proposed shopping complex at Udhampur with the three tier parking**



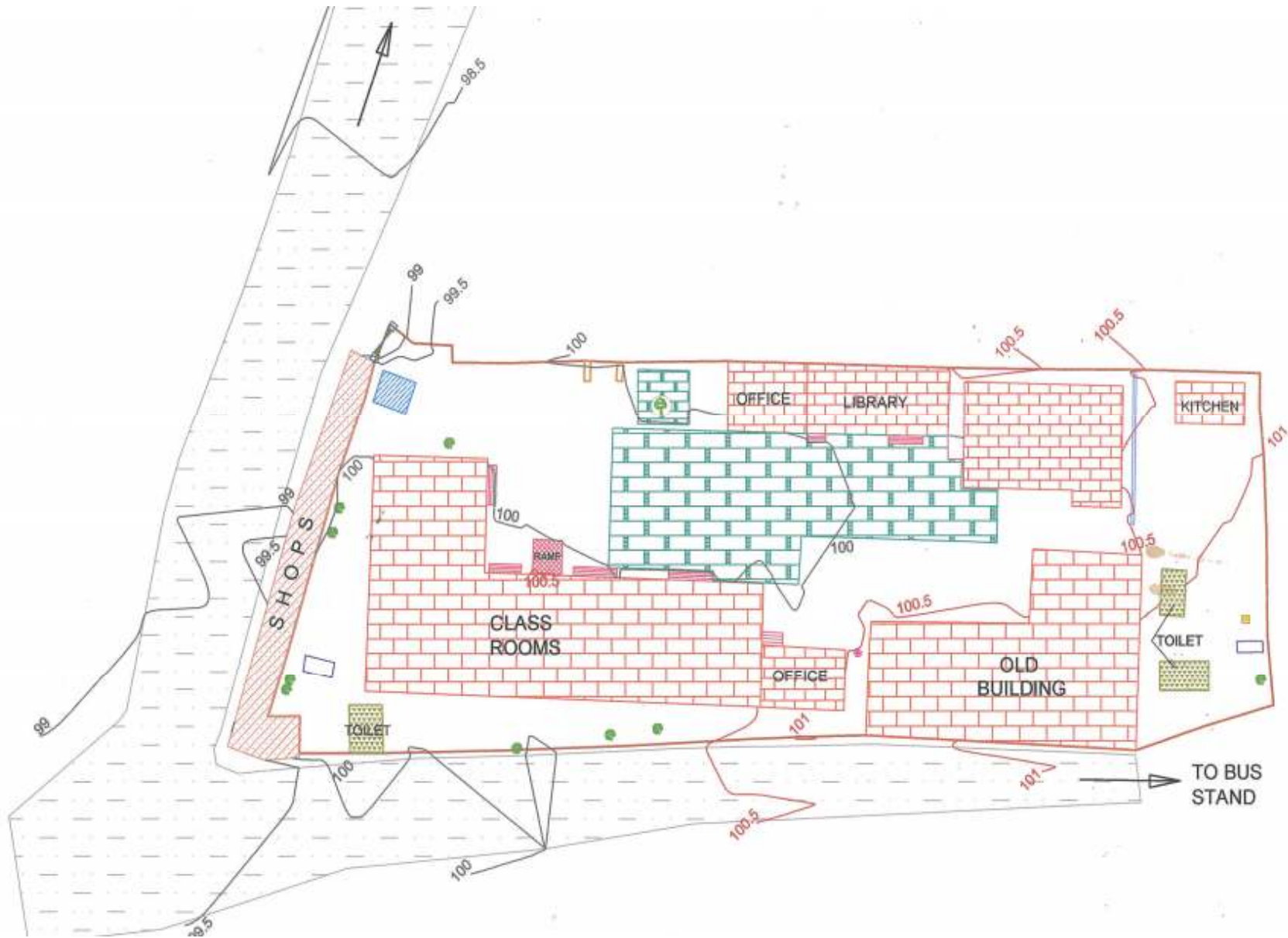
**FRONT ELEVATION**



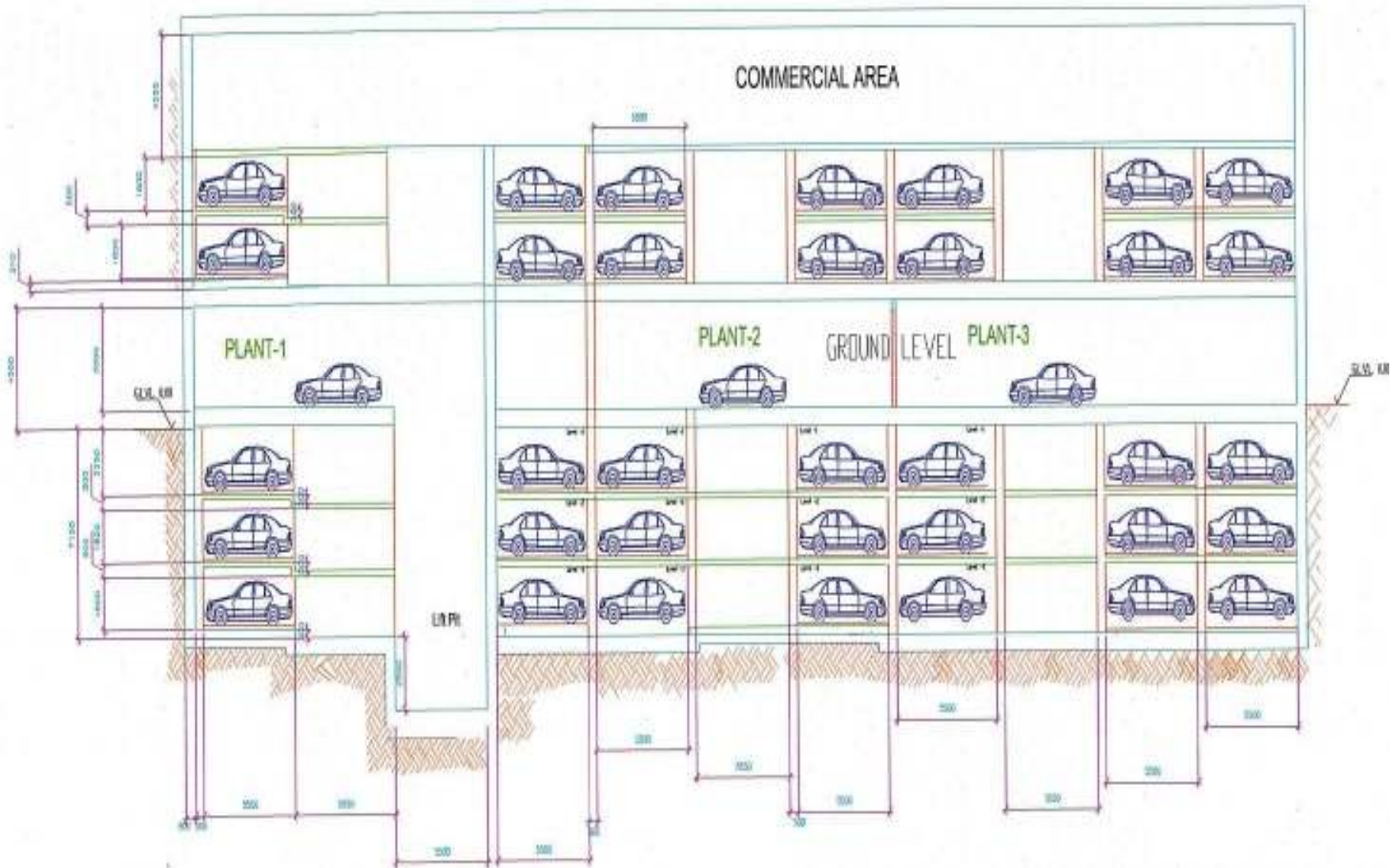
# Proposed shopping complex at Udhampur with the three tier parking



## Site Plan of Middle School Udhampur where two tier parking is proposed

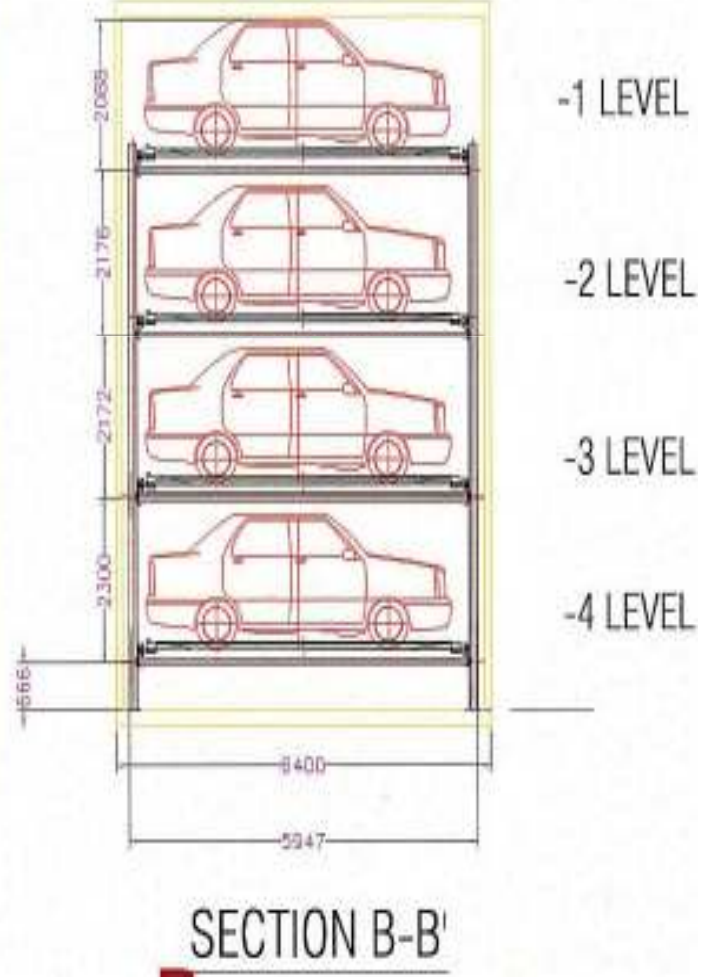
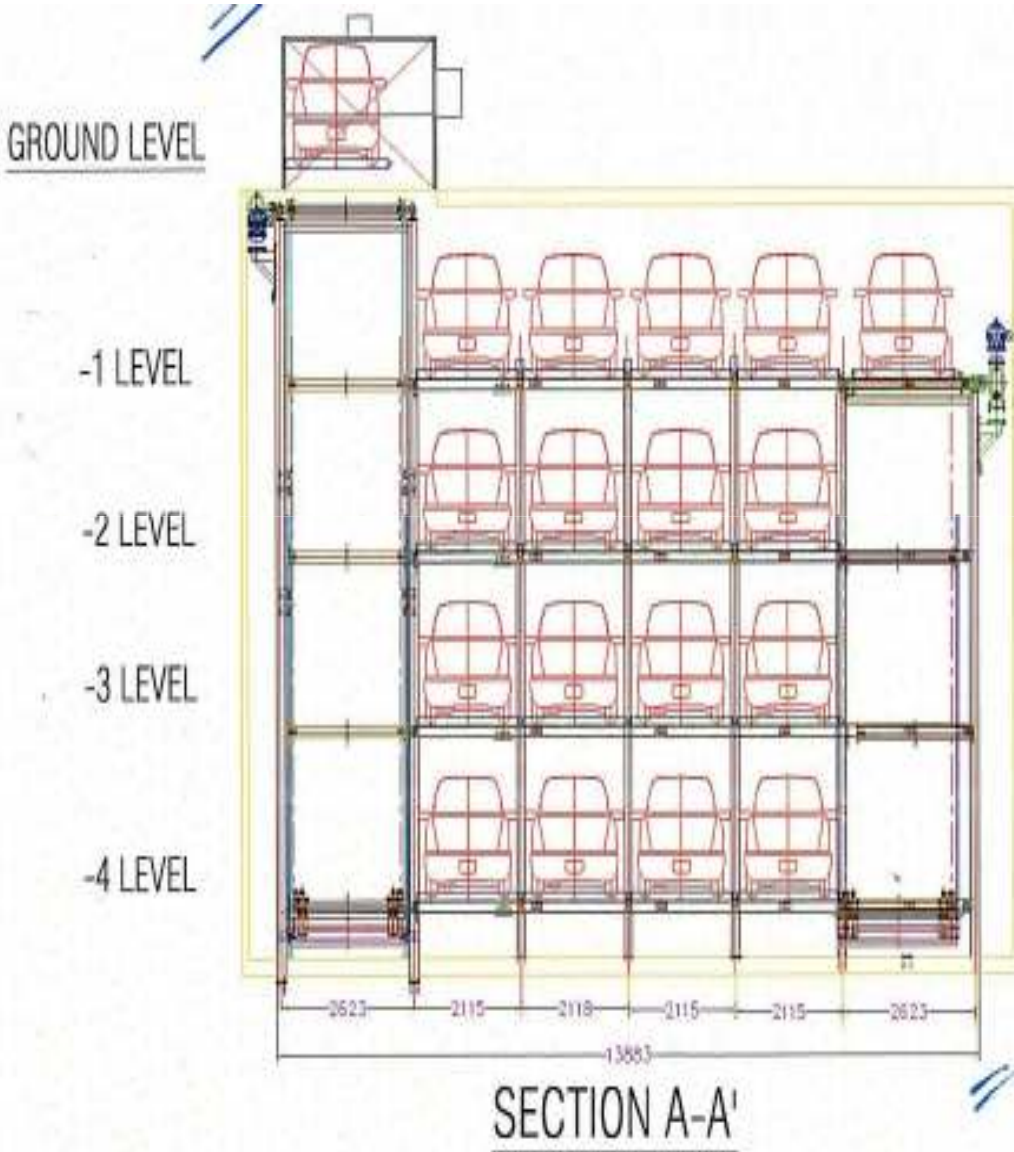


# Three tier parking in the town hall building.





**Two tier parking to be developed in the city school building.**



# KATHUA TOWN

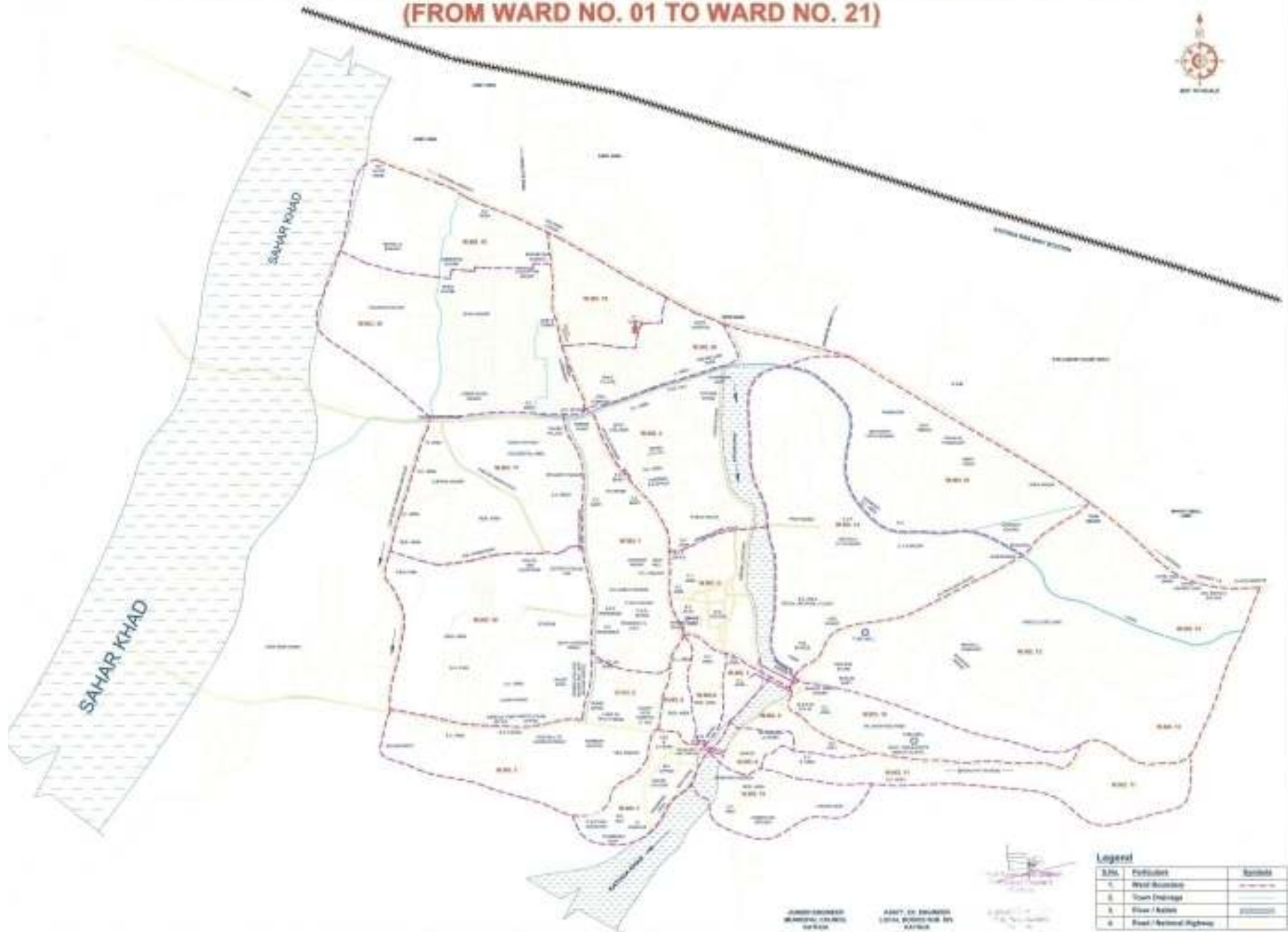
## **About Kathua Town**

Kathua is a Town situated on National Highway (NH1) and is located at 32° 17' to 32° 55' North Latitude and 75° 70' to 76° 16' East longitude. It is often referred as gateway of J&K. The District is surrounded by Punjab in the South-East, Himachal Pradesh in North-East, Doda and Udhampur in North and North-West, Jammu in the West and Pakistan in the South-West. The Municipal Council Kathua was established in 1935 & caters to the sanitation needs of the Kathua town which is divided into 21 wards (10436 households) covering an area of 16 Sq Km.

## **Demography**

According to 2011 census population of Kathua Town is 51995, the floating population of the town ranges between 60000 to 80000 on an average putting immense pressure on the narrow roads of the Town. According to 2011 census, The density of the population in the District was 232 persons per Sq Km as compared to 124 persons per Sq Km for the state.

# SITE PLAN SHOWING WARDWISE BOUNDARIES OF KATHUA MUNICIPAL COUNCIL (FROM WARD NO. 01 TO WARD NO. 21)



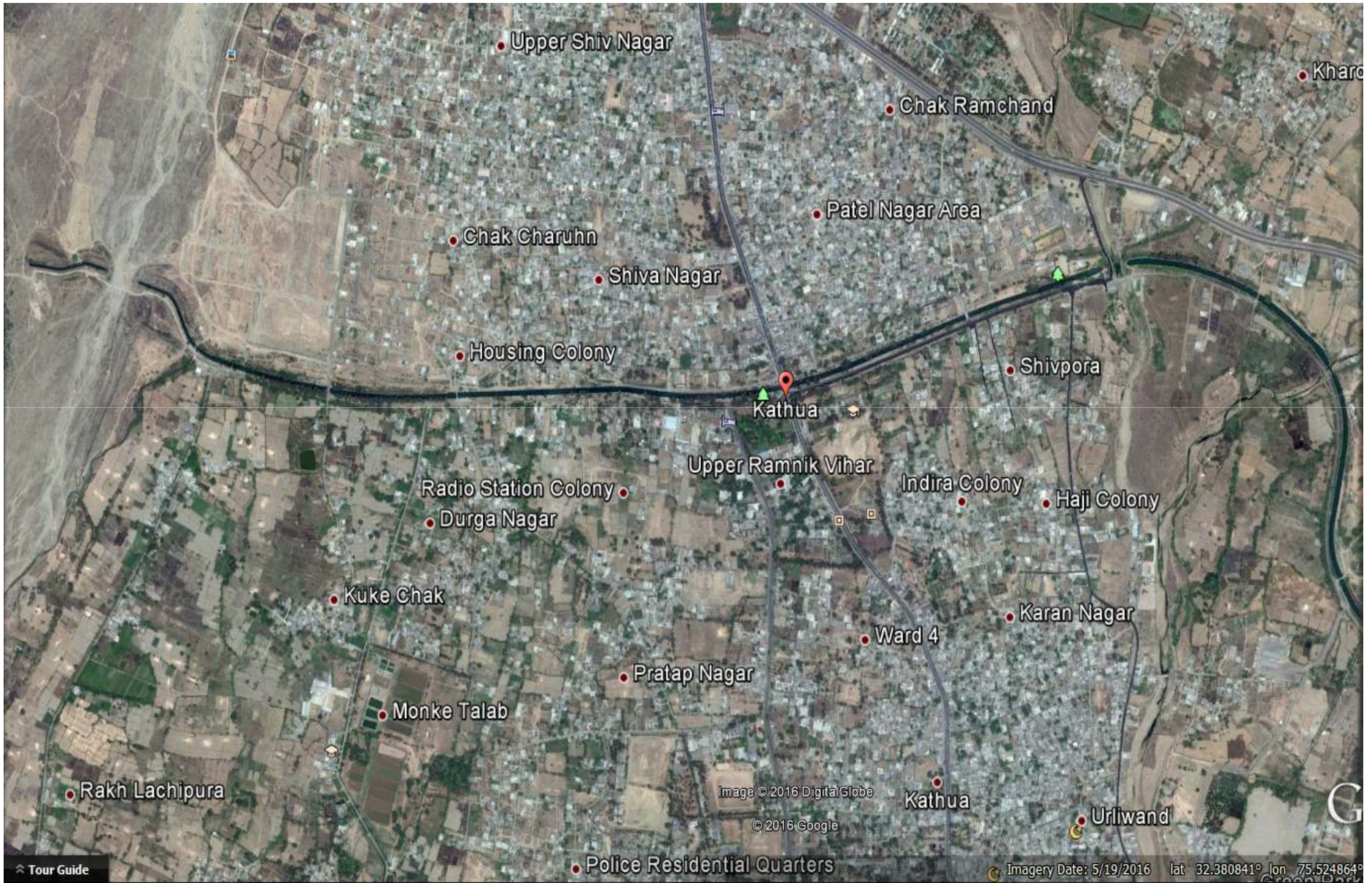
**Legend**

S.No.	Particulars	Symbol
1.	Ward Boundary	-----
2.	Town Drainage	-----
3.	Sewer / Water	-----
4.	Road / National Highway	-----

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 MAPS



## Arial view of Kathua Town



## **Employment/Occupation**

Main occupation of the Kathua town is business, Hotels and Industries and Tourism.

## **Roads and Communication**

Roads are mainly built by State Public Works (R&B Deptt) in the District. Some important roads are strategic in nature and are maintained by MES. Road length maintained by PWD in the District was 1400 Km ending March 2015.

## **No. of vehicles registered in Kathua District**

As on today more than 65000 vehicles are plying in the town around under different categories i.e heavy vehicles, Light motor vehicles. This doesnot include the Army vehicles which frequently use these roads resulting into the congestion in the town and is adding to the vehicular density on the roads.



# Congestion in the Mukherjee Chowk at Kathua Town





## Congestion in the main bazar of the Kathua Town

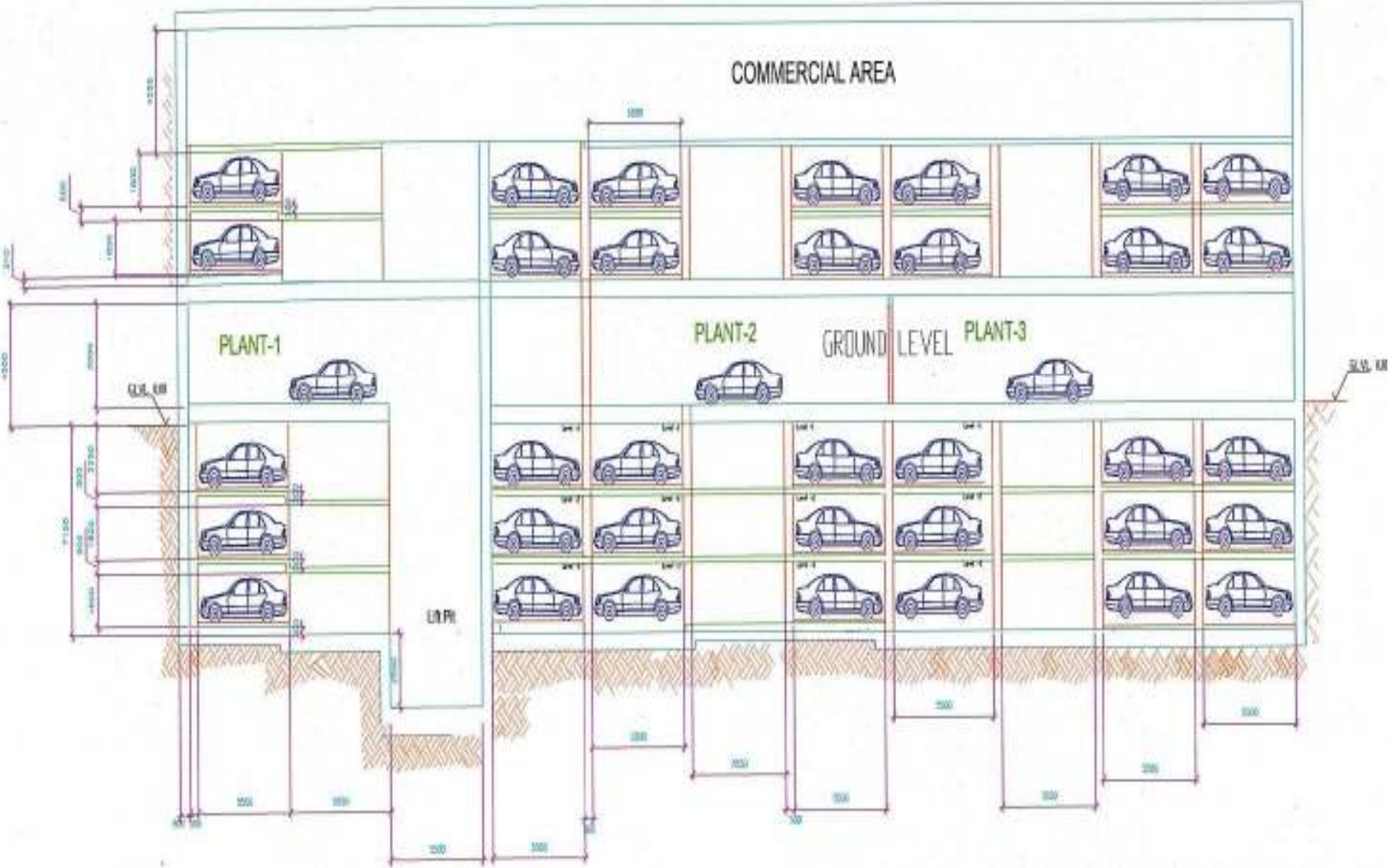


# Congestion in the Bazar of Kathua Town





# Two tier parking to be developed in the Mukherjee Chowk.





## **Proposals for decongestion.**

Parking lots to be developed in the town.

- ✓ Area behind Municipal Office kathua.
- ✓ Two tier parking to be developed in the Mukherjee Chowk.
- ✓ Plying of e-rikshaws only in the city.

# Additional Slides

# **Municipal Council Udhampur Town**

There are lot of encroachment the footpath. The mobility and parking of vehicles on the roads is totally disorganized in Udhampur Town







# **Municipal Council Katua Town**

The footpaths has been encroached by the shopkeepers as a result the pedestrian walk on the road and bazaars have become accident prone areas. The markets are totally disorganized.











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