

# **Pimpri-Chinchwad Municipal Corporation (PCMC)**



Comprehensive Mobility Plan (CMP) for PCMC

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## PREFACE

The Ministry of Urban Development has issued instructions to the effect that each city proposing an urban transport project through JNNURM shall develop a Comprehensive Mobility Plan (CMP). The CMP should be compliant with National Urban Transport Policy, indicating the plan for satiating the current service need as well the future service need. Finally the CMP should focus on the mobility of people rather than on movement of vehicles.

The Comprehensive Mobility Plan aims at overall improvement in the movement of people within the city as well as into and out of it. Therefore the proposals in this plan have to consist of a wide range of interventions targeted at various segments of travel demand, public transport being one of them, albeit the most important. The present report is a Comprehensive Mobility Plan for the city of Pimpri-Chinchwad.

Pimpri Chinchwad is one of the most vibrant industrial and urban settlements in Maharashtra. Its developed industrial sector, proximity to Pune and the growing IT sector draws a large group of people and businesses to settle in the city, temporarily or permanently. This creates a growing demand for urban infrastructure, especially for urban transport infrastructure and public transport.

Pimpri Chinchwad Municipal Corporation (PCMC) has undertaken an exercise of identifying the service need for urban transport by preparing a Comprehensive Mobility Plan (CMP). As part of this exercise, PCMC has profiled the current transportation network and patterns in the city and has projected them for the future. Based on these, the needs for urban transport solutions along various corridors of the city have been identified.

Road network improvement measures such as road-widening, construction of fly-over and bridges have been recommended. A bus-based rapid transit system (BRTS) has been chosen as the solution to the public transport service needs of PCMC.

The report has been structured to profile the city and the current transportation system to start with, followed by the projected traffic patterns and a forward looking comprehensive mobility plan which tries to integrate land-use planning with the proposed transportation system.



## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

The city of Pimpri-Chinchwad is situated northeast of Pune and is 160 km from Mumbai, the capital of state of Maharashtra. It is predominantly an industrial area, which has developed during the last four decades. Industrialisation in Pimpri area commenced with the establishment of Hindustan Antibiotics Limited in 1956. The establishment of the Maharashtra Industrial Development Corporation (MIDC) in 1961-62 considerably facilitated industrial development in the area. The establishment of large-scale core industries has led to the growth of ancillary and small-scale industries in and around this industrial belt. With a current population estimated at 13.35 lakhs in Pimpri-Chinchwad, it is expected to reach about 15.07 lakhs by 2011. As the city continues to grow, the Pimpri-Chinchwad Municipal Corporation (PCMC), which is responsible for provision of all municipal services to the citizens, is preparing itself to provide quality services to its citizens. Many projects have been taken up towards this objective.

To address most of the urban transport problems being faced by PCMC currently and those anticipated in the future, a Comprehensive Mobility Plan (CMP) study has been undertaken. The study captures both the traffic as well as the land-use scenario of the city. As a recommendation of this study, a Bus-based rapid transit system has to be implemented by PCMC to improve the public transportation system in Pimpri-Chinchwad. Improvement of network of existing roads in order to provide good quality of service to commuters has also been proposed with fly-overs and bridges at important locations. As part of the Traffic study, primary surveys were conducted to capture the travel characteristics of the citizens of PCMC. This data was used to develop a transportation model and forecast the future demand for a public transportation system in the city. The land-use study was conducted to capture the current level of development in the city, future growth prospects and the impact it will have on the transportation system. The concept of transit-oriented development with integration of land-use and transportation has been addressed in the study.

### **Growth of Pimpri - Chinchwad**

The city of Pimpri-Chinchwad has seen a high rate of population growth and development in the recent past. Due to its proximity to Pune and its significance as an industrial hub of the region, the city is expected to continue its growth in the future.

There has been an increase of 84% in area under development in the region in the period between 2000 and 2007, most of it within PCMC limits. Considerable portion of the development in the last decade has occurred towards Pune city in the south and Hinjewadi IT Park in the south-western direction. Further impetus to development has been given by the westerly by-pass connecting Mumbai to Pune and the improvements of the Aundh-Ravet road. Talwade IT Park in the north-western corner of the city is another pull factor in PCMC area. Improvements to the Dehu-Alandi road and the NH50 will bring about development in the northern and the north-western region. The new international airport at Chakan to the north will further enhance growth in these directions.

Besides major developments outside the city, transformations have been seen extensively along the NH4 with industrial and residential uses getting converted to commercial uses. Therefore some intensification of development is also expected.

In the last two decades, the population of PCMC has grown at a decadal growth rate of about 100% while the previous two decades witnessed population growth of around 150%. As per the 2001

census, population of Pimpri-Chinchwad was 1,006,417 persons and the current population is estimated to be around 13.35 lakh persons.

Year	CAGR
2001-2011	4.12 %
2011-2021	3.62 %
2021-2031	3.06 %

Census Year	Population	Decadal Change	Decadal Growth Rate (%)
1991	520,639	268,870	106.79
2001	1,006,417	485,778	93.30
2011	1,507,243	500,826	49.76
2021	2,150,317	643,074	42.67
2031	2,907,757	757,440	35.22





Currently there are more than five lakh registered vehicles plying on the roads of PCMC. A steep increase in the ownership of private vehicles has been observed over the last five years. According to a norm by Central Institute for Research in Transportation (CIRT), there should be about 40 public transport buses for every one lakh population. Before the formation of PMPML (the agency responsible for public transport in Pune and Pimpri-Chichwad), there

were about 202 buses in PCMC area catering to about 12 lakh population. This is only 50% of the required norm of 480 buses.

Growth rate of registration of vehicles in PCMC					
Year Two Auto Cars / Heavy Others Others					Others
AACGR (%)	13.31	4.76	16.57	9.40	12.57

### **Comprehensive Mobility Plan**

The existing developments and proposed land-use indicate high potential for growth in the city. This is creating pressure on the basic infrastructure facilities in Pimpri-Chinchwad. The Pimpri-Chinchwad Municipal Corporation (PCMC) is working towards improving basic facilities to its citizens and taking up large and ambitious projects towards this. Urban transport is one such sector which is being addressed.

The public transportation system in Pimpri-Chinchwad has not been able to provide the best services to its citizens. This has lead to steep increase in private ownership of vehicles, especially motorised two-wheelers. Poor connectivity and poor frequency of public transport has also encouraged large size auto-rickshaws (seven-seaters) to ply along the main corridors in the city, which has lead to a thriving para-transit mode of transport. These factors are leading to congestion of roads in the city. In order to have an efficient public transport system, it has become necessary to also have physical infrastructure with high levels of service.

There is urgent need to address the main issues of patronage of public transport, poor level of service of the road network in PCMC and future traffic congestion on city roads caused by private vehicles. To address most of these urban transport problems being faced by PCMC currently and those anticipated in the future, a Comprehensive Mobility Plan (CMP) study has been undertaken, which proposes a bus-based rapid transit system spread across the city of Pimpri-Chinchwad along a road network with high levels of service. The two main components of the CMP are – Traffic study and Land-use study.

As a part of the traffic study, the following primary surveys have been conducted, in order to capture the current traffic patterns in the PCMC area:

- 1. Classified Traffic Volume Counts at Outer Cordon points,
- 2. Classified Traffic Volume Counts on the Internal Road Network of PCMC area,
- 3. Opinion surveys at Outer Cordon points,
- 4. Opinion surveys at Local Railway stations and the Inter-City bus terminus,
- 5. Intersection turning movements counts at important junctions in PCMC area, and

6. Speed and Delay surveys along important corridors in the city.

House-hold surveys with a sample size of 5,000, spread uniformly across all the election wards in PCMC area, were conducted to capture the current travel characteristics of the citizens.

Location No	Location Detail	Total Passenger traffic volume
V1	Dapodi Bridge (on NH-4 going to Pune)	4,66,672
V2	Aundh Bridge (on Aund-Ravet Road)	4,13,078
V3	Bangalore Highway (after Wakad Junction)	1,32,345
V4	Mumbai Pune Expressway	86,734
V5	Nashik Highway (NH-50) before Toll Plaza	1,49,451
V6	On NH-4 before Nigdi Junction	3,21,828
V7	Between Nigdi Junction & Chinchwad Jn	1,68,137
V8	Between Pimpri Jn & Kasarwadi Jn	1,78,697
V9	Before KSB Chowk (after Thermax)	81,219
V10	On Telco Road - between KSB Chowk & NH-50	78,688
V11	Between Kalewadi Chowk & Dange Chowk	80,951
V12	On Dehu-Alandi Rd	11,700
V13	On Nigdi Jn to Dehu-Alandi Rd	18,415
V14	On NH-50 at Bhosari	86,264
V15	Small bridge parallel to Dapodi bridge (Bopodi)	96,118

The following table presents a summary of Passenger traffic volume at the survey locations.

The above data was used to build a traffic model to arrive at the base year traffic scenario. Per Capita Trip Rate (PCTR) of 0.83 was observed, with a vehicular trip rate of 0.78.

A four stage travel demand model was developed to estimate Internal – Internal trips within PCMC Area, with the following models in each of the four stages:

- (i) Trip Generation Model
  - a. Trip Production Model Multiple linear regression model
  - b. Trip Attraction Model Multiple linear regression model
- (ii) Trip Distribution Model Gravity model with zone influence factors
- (iii) Mode Split Model Multinomial Logit Model
- (iv) Traffic Assignment Model All-or-nothing for Transit Trips and Multinomial Logit based Multipath Assignment Model for other trips

The following table presents the total number of passenger trips estimated per day in the base-year.

S.No.	Section of corridor	Bus trips (passenger trips per day)
BRT – 1:	Aundh Rawet	
1	Rajiv Gandhi bridge to Sangvi phata	57,381
2	Sangvi phata To Kalewadi phata	37,490
3	Kalewadi phata To Dange Chowk	13,342
4	Dange Chowk To Thatawade	12,151
5	Thatawade To Punawale	8,433
6	Punawale To Mumabai/Bangalore Expressway	8,381



BRT – 2:	Old NH-4	
1	Dapodi to Nashik phata	1,89,427
2	Nashik phata To Pimpri Chowk	1,11,857
3	Pimpri Chowk To Finolex Cable	1,02,159
4	Finolex Cable To Chichwad Chowk	96,065
5	Chichwad Chowk to Nigdi	80,310
BRT – 3:	Telco Road	
1	Nashik road to Landewadi	19,031
2	Landewadi To Sadan Chowk	9,333
3	Sadan Chowk To Balaji Nagar	16,489
4	Balaji Nagar To Gavali Math	16,551
5	Gavali Math To Tata Motors	13,146
6	Tata Motors To KSB Chowk	13,912
7	KSB Chowk To Thermax	12,699
8	Thermax To Triveni Nagar	12,757
BRT – 4:	Dehu Alandi	
1	Dehu to Talwade	11,558
2	Talwade To Chikhali	3,475
3	Chikhali To NH 50 junction	12,952
4	NH 50 junction To Alandi junction	16,051
5	Alandi junction To Alandi Bus stand	12,841
BRT – 5:	NH – 50	
1	Kasarwadi to Telco road junction	27,167
2	Telco road junction To Bhosari	24,697
3	Bhosari To Spine road junction	14,669
4	Spine road junction To Moshi gowthan	36,184
5	Moshi gowthan To Moshi-Borhadewadi	40,629
6	Moshi-Borhadewadi To Dehu Alandi road	39,418

An extensive land-use survey of PCMC area was conducted as part of the study. While in the case of traffic study, the election wards were taken as the traffic analysis zones, sub-ward level surveys were conducted for land-use in order to provide more disaggregate information of the built area and building condition. This information was also collected along predefined corridors which serve as the primary road arteries for the city. These surveys were used with the objective of:

- Gaining insights to planning transit routes so that they connect concentrations of origins and destinations within the wards/traffic analysis zones.
- Assigning of routes and decisions on road & network improvements can be made more practical when information on transformation/redevelopment potential is available.
- Systematic changes to the land use and density regime can be proposed so as to align development along corridors and nodes.

A land use map was plotted from the primary survey of the city and the following observations were made for the PCMC area:

- 1. Commercial zones and mixed uses are distributed mostly along major corridors and around nodes.
- 2. Commercial districts of the kind proposed in the DP have not come up primarily owing to the road structure in the city.
- 3. Concentrations of residential zones are around villages and in newly developed areas.
- 4. New residential construction is seen mostly between the river and the Aundh-Ravet road and in and around Wakad.



- 5. Location decisions of high order institutional zones such as hospitals, colleges, etc seem to have been based on a function of market values and connectivity rather than zonation as specified in the DP.
- 6. Industries have come up in the MIDC area. Some transformations from industrial to commercial are seen along major spines like the NH4.

Through detailed analysis of demand on high-density corridors, the following information was arrived at using the traffic model. It presents the demand for a public transit system along important road corridors in PCMC area.

Corridor	Corridor Peak traffic – Number of Bus-passenger Trips				
	2008		20	21	
	PPD	PHPDT	PPD	PHPDT	
Aundh-Rawet road	57,381	3,682			
Old NH-4	1,89,427	12,156			
Dehu Alandi	16,051	1,030	36,540	2,345	
NH – 50 (Nashik phata to Moshi)	40,629	2,607	1,01,374	6,505	
Kalewadi to Delhu-Alandi	33,219	2,132	56,112	3,601	
Pune to Alandi	3,057	196	6,492	417	
Nashik Phata to Wakad	41,532	2,665	83,662	5,369	
Kiwale to Bhakti Shakti	10,355	664	23,243	1,492	

The following table indicates total number of trips that would be undertaken by residents of PCMC area and the number of public transportation trips that are expected out of the total trips.

S. No.	Year	Total Trips	PT Trips
1	2008	21,14,001	5,57,103
2	2011	27,66,328	6,61,477
3	2021	58,56,034	10,61,487
4	2031	1,46,32,552	19,49,632

Public transportation trips as well as total passenger trips are likely to grow at a rapid pace from 2015 onwards and the following table presents the rate of growth of the same.

	Growth Rate (%)		
Year	Total Trips	PT Trips	
2007	-	-	
2011	6.95	4.39	
2021	7.79	4.84	
2031	9.59	6.27	

## Proposed BRT system

Based on the current traffic and forecast demand, a bus-based rapid transit system was found to be the appropriate public transportation system for the city of Pimpri-Chinchwad.

The road structure within PCMC was also analysed as part of this study for its hierarchy, continuity and topology and it was observed that the existing road network of PCMC is highly fragmented at primary and secondary levels.



Through this study, PCMC is proposing to improve its existing road network and also provide a public transportation system in the form of a BRT system along its major roads. The proposed BRT system consists of a network of corridors across PCMC area. The corridors have been selected based on criteria such as travel demand, hierarchy of road, existing bus-routes. The following are the corridor details.



#### Improvements to Road network

#### Road network details

S.No.	Road Name	Length proposed (km)	ROW proposed (m)			
Level 1 Corr	Level 1 Corridors (Trunk Routes)					
1	Aundh Ravet Road	14.4	45.0			
2	NH4	14.6	61.0			
3	Telco Road	12.0	61.0			
4	Dehu-Alandi Road	14.5	45.0			
5	Nashik phata to Moshi (NH-50)	10.4	61.0			
6	Hinjewadi to Dehu-Alandi Road	13.3	30.0			
7	Kalewadi-KSB Chowk-Dehu Alandi Rd	13.2	45.0			
8	Vishrantwadi/Pune-Alandi	11.6	60.0			
9	Nashik phata to Wakad	7.8	45.0			
10	Kiwale to Bhakti Shakti	11.8	30.0			
Level 2 Corridors (Feeder Routes)						
A	Hinjewadi to Tata motors	10.3	30.0			
В	Bhakti Shakti to Talwade	11.3	45.0			
С	Pradhikaran	10.6	45.0			
D	Road Parallel to Aundh Ravet	8.4	30.0			



As a part of re-development of land along corridors, with the objective of having a transit-oriented development along the BRT corridors, it has been proposed to modify certain land-use policies prevalent in PCMC. PCMC has initiated the process by presenting to its General Body for allowing a maximum FSI of 1.8 within the influence zone of the BRT corridors. Once approved, developers will be able to utilise more FSI along the BRT corridors. It is also planned by PCMC that transfer of development rights (TDR) from other existing zones in the area would be allowed in the buffer zones along BRT corridors. This is expected to drive the more development along the public transport corridors in future years. Developers will have to pay a premium for tranfering the development rights onto the new zone.

## Proposed design of corridors

In terms of the configuration of road and BRT corridors, the following recommendations have been made in the study:

- 1. Dedicated bus-lanes have been located in the middle of the carriageway, on either sides of the median,
- 2. Bus-stops are located at a distance of about 250 m on either side of junctions and at midblock locations at distances of 500-700 m beyond junctions,
- 3. In order to have least hindrances for pedestrians to cross roads to reach bus-stops, it has been recommended that the bus-stops be located at grade with the pedestrian lanes provided at the edge of RoW. The through traffic lanes on either sides of BRT lanes would be elevated to a minimum height of the buses. This would enable pedestrians to reach bus-stops with minimum impedance.
- 4. Provision of separate lanes for pedestrians and non-motorised vehicles on either ends of RoW,

Based on the width of RoW of the corridors, the above components have varying widths. A number of alternate designs were studied and discussed with PCMC officials. The detailed designs have been presented in the report.

## **Project Phasing and cost estimates**

As a first phase, PCMC proposes to take up the implementation of following road projects for improvement, which will also form the BRT system, while the others roads would be taken up at later stages.

S.No.	Road Name	Length proposed (km)	Project Cost (Rs crores)	Year of commissioning
Level 1	Corridors (Trunk Routes)			
1	Aundh Ravet Road	14.4	194.4	2009
2	Old NH4	14.6	197.1	2008
3	Telco Road	12.0	180.0	2009
4	Dehu-Alandi Road	14.5	128.7	2011
5	Nashik phata to Moshi (NH-50)	10.4	280.2	2010
6	Hinjewadi to Dehu-Alandi Road	13.3	197.6	2011
7	Kalewadi-KSB Chowk-Dehu	11.2	218.9	2010

### **BRTS Corridors – Construction Cost**



S.No.	Road Name	Length proposed (km)	Project Cost (Rs crores)	Year of commissioning
	Alandi Rd			
8	Vishrantwadi/Pune-Alandi	11.6	187.4	2011
9	Nashik phata to Wakad	8.04	205.6	2010
10	Kiwale to Bhakti Shakti	11.8	144.9	2011
Level 2	Corridors (Feeder Routes)			
А	Hinjewadi to Tata motors	10.3	92.7	2013
В	Bhakti Shakti to Talwade	11.3	101.7	2013
С	Pradhikaran	10.6	95.4	2012
D	Road Parallel to Aundh Ravet	8.4	75.6	2014

The corridors of Aundh-Rawet road and NH-4 have already been approved under JNNURM and construction work is in different phases. While the NH-4 corridor is more than 90% complete, works contracts have been awarded to contractors for the Aundh-Rawet road. The Telco Road has been taken up for improvement by PCMC through its own funds. Six other corridors are proposed to be taken up by PCMC in the near future.

#### **BRTS Corridors**



#### **Institutional Framework**

In order to cope with the increasing investments in infrastructure development in Pimpri-Chinchwad, PCMC feels that an innovative institutional framework has to be adopted. A separate study was conducted to study various options and creation of a Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV) model for implementation of projects was finalised. Through a resolution in the governing body of PCMC, the Pimpri Chinchwad Infrastructure Company (PCIC) has been formed which is a wholly owned entity of



PCMC. This company will be responsible for implementation of the first phase of the CMP, which involves 8 main corridors of the road network.

To ensure long term sustainability of the BRTS project, PCMC has created an Urban Transport Fund (UTF), which will be managed by the SPV. This Urban Transport Fund has been created to capture the benefits of the BRTS projects for long term sustainability and as a means of self financing for the future. The UTF has identified 100 m on either side of the BRTS corridors as BRTS influence zone which will be densified as per Ministry of Urban Development's policy of corridor densification. PCMC has already approved grant of higher FSI on all BRTS corridors. The UTF has been assigned revenues that include building permission development charges, incremental property tax, advertisement rights, lease on utilities ducts etc. In addition, PPP revenues viz. premium charges for loading of Transfer of Development Rights and sale of incremental FSI emerging from real estate development and corridor densification have also been assigned to the UTF.

PCIC will manage the UTF as well as project development, construction and management of BRTS corridors. PCIC will be a company under the Companies Act of 1956. This company will be managed by a board of Directors comprising of elected representatives and key officials of PCMC. Professional staff either nominated from PCMC or appointed from external sources will manage the day to day operations of the company related to construction of BRTS corridors, financial management and management of UTF. For the balance funds for project corridors, PCMC will approach ADB, IFC, IIFCL and other banks through PCIC with BRTS influence zone earnings as collateral to funding agencies. A substantial portion of the project funding will be provided by PCMC in the form of equity into this company. This will be generated by commercializing key parcels of land on PPP basis along the project corridor.

Pune Mahanagar Parivahan Mandal Limited, a company jointly owned by Pune Municipal Corporation and Pimpri Chinchwad Municipal Corporation will operate the BRTS system that will be common for both the cities.

### **Financial Planning**

To support the capital expenditure to be incurred for the projects, the following revenue streams would be considered by the SPV which would be through the Urban Transport Fund (UTF). These charges would be collected from developments along a buffer area of 100 m width on either sides of the corridors.

- Development Charges;
- Revenue through incremental FSI TDR loading;
- Incremental Property Tax;
- Advertisements, and
- Lease Rentals of Utility Ducts

Detailed discussions were held with various departments of PCMC and based on some assumptions, revenue generation from above streams was estimated as presented below.

	-		-	(in Rs Crores)
Revenue/ Year	In 2010	In 2016	In 2020	In 2024
DCs	67.7	50.5	50.9	50.9
Additional FSI (TDR Loading)	69.9	52.0	52.4	52.4
PTs	1.0	6.0	10.1	13.4
Advertisements	8.1	13.5	19.1	19.1

#### Expected Revenue (in each year)



Revenue/ Year	In 2010	In 2016	In 2020	In 2024
Utility Charges	8.5	6.1	6.1	6.1
Total Revenue	155.2	128.1	138.6	141.9

PCMC is working on strategies for procuring funding for the projects from various sources such as multi-lateral agencies, financial institutions and banks.



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# ABBREVIATIONS

AACGR	Annual Average Cumulative Growth Rate
BRTS	Bus Rapid Transit System
IPT	Intermediate Para Transit
MoUD	Ministry of Urban Development
NH	National Highway
NUTP	National Urban Trasnport Policy
PCMC	Pimpri-Chinchwad Municipal Corporation
PCMT	Pimpri-chinchwad Municipal Trasnport
PMC	Pune Municipal Corporation
PMT	Pune Municipal Transport
PMPML	Pune Mahanagar Parivahan Mandal Ltd
PPP	Public Private Partnership
PT	Public Transport



## **1 INTRODUCTION**

Pimpri-Chinchwad is a major industrial centre of the Pune region and also of the entire country. It has witnessed a high population growth rate of around 100% in the last two decades. The population is estimated to reach about 15.07 lakhs by 2011 from the current level of 12.8 lakhs. As the city continues to grow, the Pimpri-Chinchwad Municipal Corporation (PCMC), which is responsible for provision of infrastructure services, needs to prepare itself for providing quality services to its citizens in all areas of infrastructure, including provision of a reliable public transport system.

As part of the JnNURM, PCMC is committed to implement various reforms as part of a tripartite Memorandum of Agreement. These reforms include e-Governance set-up, shifting to accrual-based Double-entry accounting system, Property Tax reforms, recovery of user-charges, dedicated fund allocation for provision of basic service to urban poor, etc. PCMC has also taken up a number of infrastructure projects in water-supply, sewerage systems, municipal solid-waste management, urban transport, integrated housing infrastructure provision for urban poor, etc. It has already received approvals to the tune of Rs 1,761 crores for the implementation of above project.

Urban transport forms an important part of development projects. It is the means of providing transportation facilities to the residents in developing cities. Given the current status of public transport services and unplanned road networks, the mobility needs of the people are seldom met. This has led to the unprecedented increase in the number of private vehicles plying on roads. In order to provide effective and efficient transport facilities to the public, the transport authorities are looking at alternative systems which can meet the mobility needs of the people. Increasingly, such alternative systems like Mass Rapid Transit Systems (MRTS) are being planned in the major cities of the country.

PCMC, through a Comprehensive Mobility Plan, has tried to explore and identify various steps that have to be taken towards improvement of its transportation systems with the objective of providing better quality of service to its citizens through better quality of infrastructure. As large quantum of funds would be required to create the network, PCMC is exploring the possibility of accessing funds through the Jawaharlal Nehru Urban Renewal Mission (JNNURM) in addition to assessing ways and means of increasing its own revenue streams to contribute towards this project.

The present study is aimed at developing a comprehensive mobility plan for the city and at the same time proposing a mass rapid transit system in the city of Pimpri-Chinchwad along with an integrated land-use development of the city. For this purpose traffic surveys were conducted to capture the present scenario in Pimpri-Chinchwad. A transportation model was developed for the city, which was used to identify the traffic flows in the road network of the city and used for estimating future traffic. A comprehensive land-use study of the city was also conducted and using the concept of Transit-Oriented-Development, proposals have been made for undertaking re-development of existing land-use patterns as well as encouraging new development in the city. These proposals have been made keeping in mind the growing nature of the city of Pimpri-Chinchwad, which needs to have an integrated land-use and transportation system as part of its planned growth.

This report presents the results obtained from the traffic and land-use study conducted and proposes the corridors along which a BRT system can be taken up by PCMC for implementation. It provides a financial feasibility for the system as well as the institutional framework required for the implementation and operations and management of the new system.

## **1.1 Profile of the City**

The city of Pimpri-Chinchwad is situated northeast of Pune and is 160 km from Mumbai, the capital city of Maharashtra. It is predominantly an industrial area, which has developed during the last four decades.



### 1.1.1 Historical Background

Pimpri was basically established as a centre for refugees from Pakistan. Industrialisation in Pimpri area commenced with the establishment of Hindustan Antibiotics Limited in 1956. The establishment of the Maharashtra Industrial Development Corporation (MIDC) in 1961-62 considerably facilitated industrial development in the area. The establishment of large-scale core industries has led to the growth of ancillary and small-scale industries in and around this industrial belt. The landscape in the region has seen significant changes over the years with agricultural land giving way to enclosed factory campuses. Today, Pimpri-Chinchwad is a major industrial centre of the Pune region and of the entire country.

## **1.1.2 Physical Characteristics of the City**

Pimpri-Chinchwad is situated near the western margin of the Deccan Plateau on the leeward side of the Sahyadri ranges and Western Ghats, 560 m above sea level. The rivers Mula, Pawana and Indrayani form boundaries on three sides of the city. The city lies in the seismically active zone of Koyna Region, which is about 100 km. south of Pune.

Pimpri-Chinchwad being an extension of Pune, enjoys the excellent connectivity that Pune has. The city is well connected by road, rail and air to almost all important cities in India. Pimpri-Chinchwad is along the National Highway, NH-4 leading to Mumbai.

Pimpri-Chinchwad experiences three distinct seasons of summer, monsoon and winter. Typical summer months are from March to May, with maximum temperatures ranging from 35 to 39 °C. The city often receives locally developed heavy thundershowers with sharp downpours in May. The nights however, are significantly cooler compared to most other parts in this region owing to its high altitude. The cities of Pune and Pimpri-Chinchwad receive moderate rainfall with an annual average of 722 mm, mainly between June and September as the result of southwest monsoon. July is the wettest month of the year. The weather is very pleasant in the city with average temperatures ranging from 20 to 28 °C. The city experiences winter from November to February. The day temperature hovers around 29 °C while night temperature is below 10 °C for most of December and January, often dropping to 5 or 6 °C.

## 1.1.3 Demographic and Socio-Economic Profile

Development of the Pimpri-Chinchwad Municipal Corporation dates back to the establishment of industries such as Bajaj Auto and Telco, in the middle of the 20th century. The establishment of the Pimpri-Chinchwad New Town Development Authority (PCNTDA) in the 1980s helped the development of residential colonies in the 1990s to an extent. With the booming IT and ITeS sector in neighbouring Pune in the 1990's, Pimpri-Chinchwad has seen large scale development of residential areas.

Pimpri-Chinchwad has a literacy rate of 74% as per the 2001 Census. More than 60% of the population growth in Pimpri-Chinchwad has been on account of migration largely due to the employment opportunities prevailing in the region. Pimpri-Chinchwad has a sex ratio of 916 females for every 1000 males as per Census 2001.

#### 1.1.3.1 Population growth

Pimpri-Chinchwad provides employment to industrial workers and of late has emerged as an affordable urban destination for residential purposes. The increasing demand for industrial and residential areas led to continuous addition of areas and upgradation of the erstwhile Municipal Council to a Municipal Corporation. For the last two decades, the decadal growth rate of population has been in the range of 100% while the previous two decades witnessed population growth of around 150%. As per the 2001 census, population of Pimpri-Chinchwad was 1,006,417 persons and the current population is estimated to be around 13.35 lakh persons.



#### 1.1.3.2 Existing population distribution

The existing population in the 105 wards of PCMC as per the Census of 2001 is attached in **Annexure 1**. Based on details of area of wards collected, the population density in these wards has also been calculated.

# Refer Map 1.1 for Ward wise population distribution and Map 1.2 for Ward wise population density.

1.1.3.3 Spatial Patterns of Growth

Analysis of the extent of development in the Pimpri-Chinchwad region was carried out from LanSat and images available on the Google Earth website. An 84% increase in area under development has been noticed in the period between 2000 and 2007. A good portion of this growth has happened in and around Pimpri-Chinchwad (**Refer MAP 1.3. Urban Sprawl**).

Ctores Image Data Course		Area			9/ in areas	
Stage	image Data Source	Sq. m	Sq. km	Increase	<sup>%</sup> increase	
I	TM Image (1989)	15,11,19,740.85	151.12	-	-	
II	ETM Image (2000)	17,98,20,938.00	179.82	28.70	18.99	
	Google Image					
	(2007)	33,20,98,555.76	332.10	152.28	84.68	

#### Table 1 Analysis of spatial growth over time

*Note: The year given in the image data source is an approximation* 

Sizeable portion of the development in the last decade is towards Pune city in the south and Hinjewadi IT Park in the south-western direction. Further impetus to development is given by the westerly by-pass connecting Mumbai to Pune and the improvements of the Aundh-Ravet road.

The other major pull factor is the Talwade IT Park in the north-western corner of the city. Improvements to the Dehu-Alandi road and the NH50 will bring about development in the northern and the north-western region. The new international airport at Chakan to the north will further enhance growth in these directions.

Besides major developments outside the city, transformations have been seen extensively along the NH4 with industrial and residential uses getting converted to commercial uses. Therefore some intensification of development is also expected. (**Refer MAP 1.4. Directions of growth**)

In the view of rapid urbanization in the Pune Metropolitan Region, a base scenario for spatial growth scenarios has been prepared for Pimpri-Chinchwad and its context in the next twenty years. This Base Scenario envisages a population of 21.5 lakhs by 2021 & 29 lakhs by 2031 respectively (from CDP). The present trends in spatial growth have been followed in making projections. This scenario assumes that no land use or transport intervention is carried out. The average density in the case of both 2021 and 2031 has been assumed in the range of 9000 to 10000 persons per sq. km. (**Refer MAP 1.5. Base scenario for 2021 & 2031**)

#### 1.1.3.4 Population Projections for the next 20 years

The City Development Plan (CDP) of Pimpri-Chinchwad, prepared by CRISIL Infrastructure Advisory, has been closely followed for estimating future population projections in the region. With an estimated CAGR of 4.12%, for 2001-2011 and 3.62% for 2011-2021, the population of the city is estimated to reach 15.07 lakhs by 2011 and 21.50 lakhs by 2021 and 29 lakhs by 2031.



#### **Table 2: Population Growth in PCMC**

Census Year	Population	Decadal Change	Decadal Growth Rate (%)
1951	26,367	-	-
1961	39,654	13,287	50.39
1971	98,572	58,918	148.58
1981	251,769	153,197	155.42
1991	520,639	268,870	106.79
2001	1,006,417	485,778	93.30
2011	1,507,243	500,826	49.76
2021	2,150,317	643,074	42.67
2031	2,907,757	757,440	35.22



The dynamic process of population growth is largely the function of real estate development, land prices and ease of accessibility to work place, and availability of basic services. As a result,

population growth is being witnessed in the fringe areas of the city and just outside the PCMC limits. The population of Pimpri-Chinchwad in the last two decades grew at an annual average rate of over 7% against the national average of 2.1% and state average of about 3.3%. Considering the proximity of industrial area like, Chakan, Talegaon and Vadgaon, the population and workforce at Pimpri-Chinchwad is likely to grow

Year	CAGR
2001-2011	4.12 %
2011-2021	3.62 %
2021-2031	3.06 %

significantly. To take care of this growth, an efficient transit system, like, the present proposal for BRTS is mandatory.

The above estimates of CAGR have been used for projecting the population in each of the 105 wards in PCMC area. The detailed methodology used for estimating ward-wise population group is discussed in Section 4.2.2 of this report.

#### 1.1.3.5 Socio-Economic Profile

Pimpri-Chinchwad has a literacy rate of 74% as per the 2001 Census. More than 60% of the population growth in Pimpri-Chinchwad has been on account of migration largely due to the employment opportunities prevailing in the region. Pimpri-Chinchwad has a sex ratio of 916 females for every 1000 males as per Census 2001.

Data collected during the House-hold surveys gives information about the socio-economic and other demographic indicators of the city of Pimpri-Chinchwad, which is being presented in later chapters.



## MAP 1.1. WARD WISE POPULATION DISTRIBUTION





## MAP 1.2. WARD WISE POPULATION DENSITY









## **MAP 1.4. DIRECTIONS OF GROWTH**

CMP for PCMC





## MAP 1.5. BASE SCENARIO FOR 2021 AND 2031

CMP for PCMC





## 1.2 Urban Land Use Structure/Activity Distribution

## 1.2.1 Development Plans in force

The first development plan for the erstwhile Municipal Council had been prepared and sanctioned by the State Government in the year 1978. Following the constitution of the planning authority, the Pimpri-Chinchwad Municipal Corporation in 1982, a Development Plan was prepared for the then PCMC area of 86.01 sq km and sanctioned by the Government on 18th September 1995. The Plan came into force with effect from 2nd November 1995. In 1997, certain areas, which were under the planning control of PCNTDA, were merged with PCMC. Different surveys have been carried out for the purpose of the preparation of the development plan for these newly added areas, such as housing, traffic and transportation, industrial trade and commerce, water supply, sewage and waste disposal, slums, environment, health and medical, education and recreation.

The area under the Municipal Corporation was further increased through the addition of 18 new villages in part or full, constituting an extended area of 84.51 sq km in the year 1982. Thus, the total area under the jurisdiction of PCMC measured 170.51 sq km. The draft DP for these newly merged areas has been submitted to the state government and approval for the same is awaited. Revision of the Development Plan for the old PCMC area of 86.01 sq km. is due in 2007. It is considered necessary that a comprehensive Development Plan for the entire area of 170.51 sq km be drawn up. Hence, the draft DP for the newly added areas has to be merged into the revised DP to ensure a comprehensive plan for the PCMC area.

#### 1.2.1.1 Proposed Land Use

From the Development Plan documents for PCMC old area, PCNTDA and PCMC newly added areas, the areas under different land uses has been estimated and presented in the table given below. As is evident from the map (refer MAP 1.6. Combined land use map of Old PCMC, PCNTDA & New PCMC areas), in the respective Development Plans, the MIDC industrial estates were zoned as predominantly industrial zones while other uses were assigned to areas around them. In terms of land use zoning, status quo was maintained for village areas and the refugee camps also. Plots have been reserved both in the old DP as well as the DP for the added areas for public utilities and social infrastructure as per recommendations of the UDPFI guidelines. Commercial zones have been assigned in blocks as commercial districts, equidistantly placed around the residential areas. Buffers along the rivers and reserve forests were meant to provide the green spaces in the city.

S.No.		Proposed Land Use		
	Head	Area (Sq.km)	% to Developed area	% to Total Extent of Town
1	Residential	84.22	62.72	49.39
2	Commercial	2.97	2.21	1.74
3	Industrial	18.82	14.02	11.04
4	Public Utilities	1.74	1.29	1.02
5	Public & Semi- public	5.79	4.32	3.40
6	Transportation/ Circulation	16.42	12.23	9.63
7	Open Spaces/ Recreation	4.32	3.22	2.53
8	Barren/ Vacant Lands		0.00	0.00
9	Water Bodies	4.96		2.91
10	Quarry			0.00
11	Agriculture & Reserve	31.27		18.34
	Sub-Total (Developed Area)	134.28	100.00	78.75
	Sub-Total (Un-Developed Area)	36.23		21.25
	Total	170.52		

#### **Table 3 Proposed Land Use Areas**



#### 1.2.1.2 Proposed Density Regime

The generic pattern of FSI (as per the development control rules) corresponding to the land use is as shown below. The over-all variation in FSI is from 1 to 2.25 across the city, which is quite low. However in the context of the old DP the FSI variation works well with the central areas (old gaothans) having higher FSI and peripheral areas having lower FSI. In the changing context the FSI regime must be reviewed. At present however the development control rules apply to the entire PCMC area (refer MAP 1.7. Proposed FSI pattern (as per DCR)).

#### Table 4 FSI Corresponding to Use as Prescribed in the DCR in force

Use	Min FSI	Max FSI
Gaothan		
Residential	1.5	
Mixed	2	
Commercial	2	
Institutional	1.5	2.25
Other		
Residential	1	
Commercial	1	
Institutional	1	1.5
Industrial	1	

#### Transfer of Development Rights

PCMC also follows a TDR policy for appropriating land to be developed as roads or for appropriating land and assets to be developed as public amenities. The commissioner of PCMC issues a Development Rights Certificate (DRC) stating the FSI credit and this is based on the allowable FSI on the area of land/ asset surrendered to the authority. There are regulations on where these development rights can or cannot be transferred. Typically transfer of development rights is allowed from a congested area to a less dense fabric. Transfer of development rights is not allowed along national highways.

#### 1.2.1.3 Proposed Road Structure

About 12.23% of developed area has been proposed under road and circulation which is good in comparison to the UDPFI recommendation of 10 to 15%. The proposed road network was classified by hierarchy (**refer MAP 1.8. Proposed road network pattern**). The length by hierarchy matrix of the proposed primary road network is as follows:

Hierarchical class	Proposed length (Km)	% to total length of road
upto 12 m	46.2	3.56
12 to 24 m	157	12.10
Above 24 m	1094	84.34
TOTAL	1297.2	100.00



## MAP 1.6. COMBINED LAND USE OF OLD PCMC, PCNTDA & NEW PCMC AREAS




### MAP 1.7. PROPOSED FSI PATTERN [as per DCR in force]









#### **1.2.2 Existing City Structure**

For the preparation of a Comprehensive Mobility Plan and designing a BRT system, the election wards were taken as the traffic analysis zones. However, modal distribution and assignment of trips to roads at the ward level does not reveal the real concentration of origins and destinations within the ward, as development is not homogenous throughout the ward. In order to provide more disaggregate information, two types of land use surveys, **built area** and **building condition surveys** were undertaken – at the sub ward level and along predefined corridors which serve as the primary road arteries for the city. These surveys were used to arrive at information to enable and informed decision making in the following ways:

- While the trip generation from the traffic & household analysis will assign trips on existing roads, the land-use survey may give further insights to planning transit routes so that they connect concentrations of origins and destinations within the wards/traffic analysis zones.
- Assigning of routes and decisions on road & network improvements can be made more practical when information on transformation/redevelopment potential is available.
- Systematic changes to the land use and density regime can be proposed so as to align development along corridors and nodes.

The following sections describe in detail, the steps carried out for modelling the existing land-use patterns in Pimpri-Chinchwad.

1.2.2.1 Methodology for identifying current land use

#### Step 1 – Primary Survey of Existing Land Use, No. of Floors & Building Condition

The layers of information provided by the Growth Lab<sup>1</sup> have been utilized to prepare a base map for this exercise. Each election ward/traffic zone was sub-divided into survey blocks. (Survey block boundaries mostly followed road alignments. In one or more places a survey block may have been demarcated so as to have portions of more than one ward.) A primary survey of these survey blocks was carried out and each of these blocks was assessed for their use (commercial, residential, industrial, etc), no. of floors (of buildings) (G, G+1, G+2...) and the general condition of buildings (good, bad, poor) in the survey block. Contiguous built forms of similar use, number of floors and condition were demarcated within each survey block.

#### Step 2 – Calculating Built-up Area and Applying Factor of Correction

The data from the primary survey was overlaid on the available layers of information on a GIS platform. Polygons were created within each survey block where the characteristics of the built form were more or less homogenous. The area of building footprint layer falling within each polygon has been calculated to obtain the ground cover and this was multiplied by number of floors to obtain the built-up area under each type of use.

#### Step 3 – Determining Space Utilization Factor

The objective is to determine the residential population, number of jobs and visitors and hence the trip generation potential of each survey block. The space utilization factor for different uses needs to be determined. However within a use there may be more than one typology of built-form or there may be sub-categories in the use. For example; residential use may include the following typologies –

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Science and Technology park of Pune has a facility called Growth Lab which has been awarded the work of preparing detailed basemaps for Pimpri-Chinchwad based on Satellite Image interpretation and ground truthing. Quickbird (April 2006) was used for this purpose and several layers of information have been provided to us through PCMC. These include – administrative boundaries, road networks, natural features, building foot prints, etc.



bungalows, apartments, high density LIG blocks, slums, housing in the Gaonthan, etc. In each of these sub-categories, the Space Utilization Factor (SUF) will vary. To give another illustration, the area between the NH4 & the Telco road has many high end factories such as Tata Motors, Telco, Mercedes, etc. However along the Dehu-Alandi road, there are many manufacturing units, which are not really high-end. Therefore the SUF varies although the built typology may be the same. Therefore the following Space Utilization factors have been assumed. *(There is an element of subjectivity in this assumption).* 

Use/	Sub	SUF					
Туро	category	for	SUF for	SUF for	Pomarke/Accumptione		
Туре	שו	0005	nesidents	VISILOIS			
Commercial							
	C_A	0.05	0	0.3	Large floor plate high end		
A	Assumption – 1 job for every 20 sq m and 1 visitor for every 3 sq m. Inorbit in Mumbai directly employs 2500 people over 45000 sq m and has an ave foot fall of 30000 people. Over the same area, while the employment ratio w similar, the footfall will be about 50% considering that Pimpri is a smaller and primarily an industrial area.						
	C_B	0.2	0	0.5	Small shops		
В	– 1 job fo is lesser i	or every 5 sq i in small shops	m and 1 vis s, while the i	itor for every 2 sq m. The average foot fall is greater.			
					Mixed Residential & Commercial		
	C_M	0.05	0.0375	0.125	small shops		
Mixed	Assumption – 1 job for every 5 sq m and 1 visitor for every 2 sq m. Mixed uses are allowed where the percentage of commercial to the total is about 25% as per the development control rules. Therefore in the space utilization factor to be applied 75% of the built up area is deducted.						
Industrial							
۵	IND_A	0.1	0	0.01	Large high end (Tata motors, Mercedes)		
	Assumption -	– 1 job fo	r every 10 sq	m and 1 vis	itor for every 100 sq m.		
	IND B	0.2	0	0.005	Small factories		
В	Assumption – 1 job for every 5 sq m and 1 visitor for every 200 sq m. The space standards are expected to be lower and visitors are fewer						
Residential							
	R_A	0.01	0.02	0.00125	Bungalows, HIG		
A	Assumption – Dwelling unit size is 200 sq m for a family of 4 employing 1 domestic help. A visitor is expected once in every 4 days. Here it is assumed that the total area on the upper floors will be equal to the ground cover of the building. Therefore a factor of correction has been applied to the built up area for those polygons which belong to use sub-category R_A and has' G+1' floors. Here the built-up area has been reduced by twenty percent						



Use/ Type	Sub category ID	SUF for Jobs	SUF for Residents	SUF for Visitors	Remarks/Assumptions	
	R_B	0.01	0.033	0.00208	Apartments - MIG	
В	Assumption - Dwelling unit size is 120 sq m for a family of 4 employir domestic help. A visitor is expected once in every 4 days					
	R_C	0	0.06	6 0.00357 LIG housing		
С	Assumption - Dwelling unit size is 70 sq m for a family of 4. A visitor is expected once in every 4 days					
	R_D	0	0.15	0.00833	Slums	
D Assumption - Dwelling unit size is 30 sq m for a family of 4.5. A visitor is expension once in every 4 days. It is assumed that 80 percent of the land area demarc					family of 4.5. A visitor is expected rcent of the land area demarcated por. The net FSI is taken as 1.	
CINEMA	C_CIN	0.01	0	0.4		
HOSPITALS	INS_HOS	0.03	0	0.1		
COLLEGES	INS_COL	0.03	0	0.2		
Other Inst	INS_OT	0.02	0	0.125	Here again the built up area has been reduced by 10 percent	

#### Step 4 – Calculating Jobs, Residents, Visitors & Trip Generation Potential

Utilizing the SUF as stated above, the jobs, residents & visitors will be calculated for the city. However there are various other factors to be considered. The above does not factor in the interdependency of Pune and Pimpri-Chinchwad. Many people live in Pune and travel to Pimpri-Chinchwad for work and vice-versa.

#### 1.2.2.2 Land Use

A land use map was plotted from the primary survey of the city (refer MAP 1.9. - Existing land use pattern). The following observations were made:

- 7. Commercial zones and mixed uses are distributed mostly along major corridors and around nodes.
- 8. Commercial districts of the kind proposed in the DP have not come up primarily owing to the road structure in the city.
- 9. Concentrations of residential zones are around village and in newly developed areas.
- 10. New residential construction is seen mostly between the river and the Aundh-Ravet road and in and around Wakad.
- 11. Location decisions of high order institutional zones such as hospitals, colleges, etc seem to have been based on a function of market values and connectivity rather than zonation as specified in the DP.



12. Industries have come up in the MIDC area. Some transformations from industrial to commercial are seen along major spines like the NH4.

The extent of developed area under each use sub-category is indicated in Table 5.

Land Use Category	Land Use Sub- Category	Developed Area (Sq Km)	% of total developed area
	C_A	0.76	1.13
	C_B	2.36	3.52
Commercial	C_CIN	0.01	0.02
	C_M	2.02	3.03
	C_REC	0.09	0.14
Industrial	IND_A	5.51	8.23
industrial	IND_B	7.37	11.01
	INS_COL	0.08	0.13
Institutional	INS_HOS	0.34	0.51
	INS_OT	0.94	1.40
	R_A	13.33	19.92
Posidontial	R_B	15.45	23.09
nesidentiai	R_C	17.44	26.08
	R_D	1.07	1.61
Open		0.13	0.19
TOTAL		66.90	100

Table 5	Extent of develo	ped area in PCM	MC based on Land	I Use sub-category

1.2.2.3 Density

The built density distribution map (refer MAP 1.10 – Existing pattern of FSI consumption) shows that the city has predominantly low density and with very minor variation. The average FSI consumed is about 0.75. The loading of TDR has also been erratic. The major roads cannot be loaded with TDR from the inner areas. This is counter-intuitive considering that demand for real estate is higher on major corridors than in the inner areas.

#### Table 6 FSI consumed by land area

FSI Range	Developed Area	% to total
Upto 0.5	43.7	65.3
0.5 to 1.0	16.3	24.3
1.0 to 1.5	5.4	8.1
1.5 to 2.0	1.0	1.5
2.0 to 2.5	0.2	0.3
above 2.5	0.3	0.5
TOTAL	66.9	100

1.2.2.4 Road Structure

PCMC area is characterised by the old MIDC and the newly extended areas. Most of the developed area of PCMC has a good road network connecting the main roads and arterial roads in a planned manner. The central areas of the city comprising old PCMC areas and MIDC areas have a dense and narrow road network in comparison to the new areas to the north and west of the city where the roads are comparatively wider. The road network in the PCMC area functionally comprises arterial roads, sub-arterial roads, collector roads and local streets. Most of the arterial roads have few



encroachments, which however is not the case with sub-arterial and collector roads (**refer MAP 1.11 Existing road network pattern**). The peripheral areas that have been newly added to PCMC are lacking in sufficient coverage.

The present length of the road network is 757 km., of which 667 km. is of BT surfacing, 4.95 km. has cement concrete surface and 85 km. are WBM roads. Though the national highways (NH) and state highways (SH) run across a significant length through the city, the maintenance of the same has been now taken over by PCMC. The length by hierarchy matrix of the road network is as follows:

#### Table 7 Existing road hierarchy

Hierarchical class Existing length (Km)		% to total length of road
upto 12 m	1179.0	90.89
12 to 24 m	106.0	8.17
Above 24 m	12.2.0	0.94
TOTAL	1297.2	100.00



### MAP 1.9. EXISTING LAND USE PATTERN





### MAP 1.10. EXISTING PATTERN OF FSI CONSUMPTION





### MAP 1.11. EXISTING ROAD NETWORK PATTERN



40,000

30,000

20.000

10,000

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#### 1.2.2.5 Employment distribution by Traffic Zones and Activity Areas

The highest distribution of jobs is in the MIDC area between the Old Mumbai Pune road and the Telco road. This area houses big factories such as Bajaj, Telco, Tata Motors and numerous other small and large scale manufacturing industries. A map of distribution of job density by survey blocks is attached. (**Refer Map 1.12 – Distribution of jobs by survey block**). However this pattern of jobs is likely to undergo a conspicuous shift in the next 5 to 10 years as the IT and ITES sector is being widely promoted. The existing distribution of jobs, visitors and residents and the highest concentration of all 3 are shown in the **MAPS – 1.13, 1.14, 1.15 & 1.16**. A table of jobs in each traffic analysis zone is given in **Annexure 2**.





Government of India has decided to construct a new international airport on the outskirts of PCMC. MIDC has developed the Chakan Industrial Area, the Talegaon Industrial Area with a Floriculture Park, the Talewade IT Park and the Rajiv Gandhi IT Park at Hinjewadi. The IT Park at Hinjewadi is one of the biggest IT centres in the country. This has completely changed existing traffic movement logistics and stresses the immediate need for improving connectivity in the peripheral areas and hinterland of the city.

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1.2.2.6 Activity Areas

#### The Commercial Zones and the High Streets

The gaonthan areas and the camp area provide for wholesale shopping in the city. New malls and large format retail development are coming up in the central city areas along the industrial belt on the old Mumbai pune highway and at the junction of NH4 & NH50. Small format commercial development is also seen spread through the neighbourhood as the development control rules allows for mixed use on roads having ROW 18 m or more (refer MAP 1.13 – Distribution of Activity Areas). This is advantageous in reducing some of the shopping trips.



#### **Recreation & Worship**

Recreational areas are few in the city despite the presence of large water bodies. Some of the neighbourhood chowks serve as recreational spaces with informal markets and eateries. Important temples like the Gnaneshwar Maharaj temple at Alandi are visited by people from the entire region and the city place host to lakhs of people during festive occasions.

#### 1.2.3 Evaluation with respect to Land Use and Transport Integration

The key economic driver of the city has so far been the automobile industries located in the industrial zones. Residential locations have come up around these industrial belts and around existing gaonthans. Thus, clear corridors of origins and destinations can be demarcated within the city. However two other considerations are important with respect to preparation of a mobility plan for the city. Pimpri-Chinchwad and Pune city are inextricably linked with each other, with substantial number of workers travelling from Pune to Pimpri every day. At the same time, Pune functions as the educational and cultural centre for the citizens of Pimpri-Chinchwad. The urban sprawl map clearly reveals that the distinction in the agglomeration between the two cities is steadily diminishing. The second consideration is that, new order economic activities such as IT & ITES are rapidly becoming important. These are located in the periphery of the city. This will greatly change the pattern of residential concentration in the coming decade and subsequently the interrelationships between origins and destinations.

At the city level, it is seen that residential clusters and activity areas are located along clear corridors. As the regulation allows for mixed land use many of the non-work trip lengths are also shortened. These are preliminary steps towards land use and transportation integration already present in the city.

Typically land prices are higher near major corridors and lower in the pockets in between. Commercial or industrial uses, typically, are willing to pay a higher price for location near access points. Therefore in the combined DP to be prepared, corridors of higher order commercial with nodes of industrial activity may be considered.







### MAP 1.13. DISTRIBUTION OF ACTIVITY AREAS





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### MAP 1.15. DISTRIBUTION OF FLOATING POPULATION/VISITORS BY SURVEY BLOCK

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### MAP 1.16. TRIP GENERATION POTENTIAL BY SURVEY BLOCK

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Providing substantial opportunities for employment, PCMC attracts a large migrant populatiom. This coupled with the natural growth in the city leads to a high rate of population growth in the city putting pressure on the existing road network and transport infrastructure. Additionally the growing incomes of the residents have led to an increase in the ownership of personal vehicles, leading to greater load on the existing infrastructure.

Currently the use of roads in PCMC is driven by the industrial clusters in the area. This might change with the development of IT sector in the overall region, along with the Pune area. It has also been observed that some industries are moving out of the city limits leading to a change of the land-use of their estates from industrial to residential or commercial. All these factors impact the transportation profile of PCMC. The following chapter profiles the existing transportation systems and traffic characteristics.



### 2 EXISTING TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM IN THE CITY

### 2.1 Introduction

As described in earlier sections, Pimpri–Chinchwad has been a major industrial area not only in the State of Maharashtra, but also in India. The industrial belt of Pimpri-Chinchwad includes a wide range of industries like automobiles, pharmaceutical and biotechnology with various national and multinational companies being a part of it. The list includes companies like, Bajaj Auto, Telco (Tata Motors), Thermax, Forbes-Marshall, Thysenkrupp and Alfa Laval, Sandvik, Finolex, SKF. Etc.

However, in recent years, Pimpri–Chinchwad Municipal Area (PCMA) has been going through a major transformation, with residential, retails and commercial activities growing at a rapid pace. With the population of the PCMA crossing a significant one million mark (as per 2001 Census), it holds nearly a quarter of the population of Pune Urban Agglomeration, thereby becoming a major residential hub in the Pune region. Accordingly, the demand for real estate market, in both commercial and residential sector has increased manifold.

The above resulted in a steep growth in vehicular population and traffic in PCMA. This chapter addresses the existing transportation scenario in Pimpri-Chinchwad area. The secondary data for understanding the prevailing transportation system in PCMA has been collected from various departments, such as the Regional Transport Authority, Pimpri-Chinchwad Municipal Transport (PCMT), etc, to understand the traffic scenario in the region. To start with, the following section presents a brief on vehicular growth in PCMA.

### 2.2 Vehicular growth and composition

As on date, there are more than five lakh registered vehicles plying on the roads of PCMC. Apart from these, there are vehicles from PMC area using the roads of PCMC on a daily basis. Table 8 below indicates the number of registered vehicles in PCMA, over the last five years.

Year *	Two Wheelers	Auto	Cars / LMVs	Heavy Vehicles	Others <sup>#</sup>	Total
2002	211,837	5,288	27,811	6,709	16,940	268,585
2003	236,301	5,415	30,242	6,925	18,188	296,999
2004	271,319	5,588	35,009	7,501	20,511	339,928
2005	308,601	6,052	42,255	8,304	22,829	388,041
2006	352,111	6,471	50,391	9,206	26,571	444,750
2007	395,757	6,671	59,856	10,513	30,619	503,397
AACGR (%)	13.31	4.76	16.57	9.40	12.57	13.39

#### Table 8 Registered Vehicles in PCMC

Source: RTO, Pimpri-Chinchwad;

\*- as on Mar 31 of that year;

# - Private vehicles/ambulances/delivery vans, school buses, tractors

As given in the above table, the registered two wheelers at PCMC have grown at a rate of 13.3% and cars have grown at 16.6%. This growth is similar to that observed in many growing townships in India.



Growth of personal modes at this rate will lead to severe traffic congestion at PCMC soon, and only a well planned transit system can arrest this growth.



There are more than 5.03 lakh registered vehicles in PCMC as on March 31, 2007. The vehicles have registered an annual growth of over 14% during the last five years. As the above figure indicates, about 79% of vehicles registered in PCMC are two-wheelers. Figure 2 shows the trend in the growth of two-wheelers and passenger four-wheelers (cars and light motorised vehicles) over the past five years.

Figure 2: Trend in Growth of Two-wheelers and Cars in PCMC



**Table 9** indicates the growth in the registration of new vehicles in the Pimpri-Chinchwad region. The high growth rates in the numbers of two-wheelers (mopeds and motorcycles) and four-wheelers (cars and light-motorised vehicles) indicate a growing dependence on private and own transport in PCMC.

Year	Two Wheelers	Auto	Cars / LMVs	Heavy Vehicles	Others <sup>#</sup>	Total
2002-03	25,625	263	3,223	470	1,793	31,374
2003-04	34,518	173	4,839	578	2,323	42,431
2004-05	30,481	384	6,166	991	1,900	39,922
2005-06	41,296	419	8,136	3,702	893	54,446
2006-07	43,626	200	9,465	4,048	1,308	58,647

#### **Table 9 New Registrations of Vehicles in PCMC**

Source: RTO, Pimpri-Chinchwad





### 2.3 Road network Characteristics

The city of Pimpri-Chinchwad is bisected by the old National Highway 4 which connects Mumbai and Pune. This road forms the spine of the road network of the city and most of the commercial activities have grown along this road. The other major roads of the city are either parallel to the NH-4 or are perpendicular to it. The following are the major roads in PCMC area which run along the East-West direction:

- 1. Aundh Rawet road
- 2. Telco Road, and
- 3. Dehu-Alandi Road

The following are the major roads in PCMC area which run along the North-South direction:

- 1. Moshi Bhosari Kasarwadi Hinjewadi,
- 2. The MDR 31 (Major District Road No 31),
- 3. KSB Chowk Kalewadi, and
- 4. Bhakti Shakti Dange Chowk Hinjewadi



Divided carriageway of Mumbai-Pune Highway



PCMC is working towards the improvements of its existing road network through a number of projects.





### 2.4 Analyzing Road Structure

The conventional approach to analyzing road network is to examine traffic volumes on specific road alignments and propose road width, flyovers, etc commensurate with the traffic volume projections. However, the overall efficiency of a road network depends on other factors as well. There are three important elements of overall network planning that have been analyzed in this study. These are hierarchy, continuity and topology.

*Hierarchy* – When categorized into primary (24 m and more), secondary (12 - 24 m) and tertiary (<12 m) roads, the pattern of road network reveals the lack of contiguous roads at each level. It is important that a road of certain width, say 24 m lead to roads of equal or higher widths at both ends. While there are roads belonging to different width categories, a clear hierarchy is absent.

*Continuity* – The DP road network diagram reveals many missing inter linkages. These are marked in dotted lines. In the absence of complete network of roads, roads of big widths become meaningless.

**Topology** – It is important that the road network pattern tends to a grid topology in order to provide alternate routes of movement. While an overall grid network is seen with more prominent roads in the north-west to south east direction, perpendicular roads are not very conspicuous.

As indicated in Figure 5, the existing road network of PCMC is highly fragmented at primary and secondary levels. Figure 6 indicates that when all the proposals in the Development Plans are implemented, the overall pattern will improve considerably.







As it stands, the road network is highly fragmented at primary and secondary levels.

Figure 6 Proposed Road Network by Hierarchy



The map above indicates that when all the proposals in the Development Plans are implemented, the overall pattern will improve considerably.



Figure 7 Proposed Network highlighting roads with ROW 24 m or more

However, if in the proposed network, the primary roads with ROW 24 m or more are isolated, then what is left is disjointed with many loose ends.

## Figure 8 Proposed Road Network highlighting roads with ROW 24 m or more & loose ends removed



If the loose ends are also removed and only complete loops are considered, then the 'primary road' network covers only a portion of the city and that too in an incomplete manner.



Thus it is evident that even after the implementation of all Development Plan proposals; neither the primary roads nor the secondary roads create complete networks. Varying road width along the length of a single alignment will considerably limit the traffic carrying capacity of that alignment and of the network as a whole.

### 2.5 Major Transportation Nodes

Considering that PCMC Area provides large scale basic employment, it attracts considerable amount of traffic from surrounding area, particularly from:

- Pune City
- Dehu Gaon
- Dehu Road
- Vadgaon
- Talegaon
- Alandi
- Villages surrounding PCMA

The following figure presents the location of the above traffic generators, with respect to PCMA.

#### Figure 9 Major Trip Generators around PCMC Area



All the above contribute large quantum of traffic in the PCMC Area. Maharashtra State Road Development Corporation has recently developed the Wadgaon – Chakan Road as a toll road with private participation (Built, Operate & Transfer, BOT). Since then, there is considerable development happening all along this road, with Chakan area attracting lot of new industrial development. With further industrial development at Chakan, PCMC is likely to become a major residential hub, sandwiched between Pune and Chakan. Even today, there is considerable interaction between Pune and Chakan, and all the traffic due to this passes through PCMC Area.

Currently, there are three roads to cater to the road traffic between Pune and PCMC, These are:



- Old NH4 (Old Mumbai Pune Road)
- Aundh Ravet Road
- NH4 Bypass

In addition to the above, a sub-urban/local train service exists between Pune and Lonavala, which passes through PCMC limts. This forms a part of the services being provided by the Central Railways. Along this route, there are five railway stations within PCMC. These are:

- Dapodi
- Kasarwadi
- Pimpri
- Chinchwad, and
- Akurdi

The railway service provides an important means of transportation to daily commuters of Pimpri-Chinchwad to Pune and nearby areas. However, as presented in later chapter (desire-line diagrams), it can be seen that the influence area of this service is limited.

NH50 (Pune – Nashik Road) which originates at Nashik Phata in PCMC Area caters to most of the current traffic between Pune and Chakan, and PCMC Area and Chakan. With the sort of growth happening at and around Chakan, this road (NH50) will become a bottleneck to traffic flow in PCMC Area, and necessitates development of North-South Corridors parallel to NH50.

The Inter-City Bus Station of the city is located in Sant Tukaram Nagar and caters to the State Transport bus services to various cities and towns across the state of Maharashtra.

Currently, there is no separate airport for the city of Pimpri-Chinchwad. The airport in Pune is situated in Lohegaon, and is used by all commuters in the region including Pimpri-Chinchwad. Connectivity to the airport is along routes which pass through the Military Cantonement area of Pune. Apart from the daily traffic in Pune limits, there is no major bottle-neck in terms of connectivity to the airport.

There is a proposal for construction of an international airport at Chackan. Connectivity to the new airport would be along the existing NH-50 from PCMC limits.

Within PCMC, as of now, the following are major traffic attractors:

- Bajaj Auto,
- Tata Motors (formerly Telco), and Bhosri Industrial Area,
- Kinetic Engineering,
- Force Motors (formerly Bajaj Tempo),
- DaimlerChrysler,
- Mercedes Benz India Itd. (at MIDC Bhosari),
- Hindustan Antibiotics Limited (HAL)
- Forbes-Marshall,
- Alfa Laval,
- Sandvik,
- Finolex,
- SKF, and
- Birla Hospital

Old Pimpri and Chinchwad, Nigdi, and Sant Tukaram Nagar contain most of the current residential area, which is growing rapidly. Pimpri-Chinchwad has today become the most sought after residential location for middle income as well as higher income groups in Pune Region, and future will make it one of the most coveted residential zones in the state.

### 2.6 Pedestrian and NMV Facilities

No dedicated facilities are available for the non motorized vehicles and pedestrian, though they form a significant mode of travel, especially for non-work trips. However attempts are being made as part of



road improvement proposals as well as the BRT system design to integrate pedestrian pathways and bicycle tracks into the design of ROW of the main corridors. A separate bicycle master plan has also been prepared as part of this proposal.

### 2.7 Traffic Management Including Parking Management

Except for Old NH4 and few stretches in Old Pimpri and Chinchwad, traffic speeds on all other roads are quite comfortable. With increasing vehicular population, without any intervention, this situation could change quickly. With the ongoing improvements to Old NH4 the traffic flow on this road will improve and a good level of service can be anticipated. With the proposed BRTS and the Comprehensive Mobility Plan, there will be considerable improvement to the road network and Public Transit Operations.

Currently, parking supply in the city is quite poor with very few off-street parking facilities. PCMC is planning to implement a parking policy. During the study, while studying the city structure, some locations have been identified where parking complexes can be set-up by PCMC. A Draft Parking Poliy has been presented at the end of this report.

### 2.8 Traffic Safety

Table 10 indicates the accidents that have occurred in the PCMC limits.

		Fatal Acc	idents	Majo	r Accidents
S.No.	Year	No. of accidents	No. of Deaths	No. of accidents	No. of injured persons
1	2000	117	118	102	108
2	2001	99	100	88	79
3	2002	102	102	51	54
4	2003	117	119	65	68
5	2004	134	135	118	120
6	2005	144	147	97	98
7	2006	155	158	111	113
8	Until Oct 2007	156	157	121	124

Table 10: Details of accidents in PCMC area

Source: Accidents Department, Traffic Police, Pune

The following figure presents the variation of accidents since year 2000.



Figure 10 Fatal Accidents details in PCMC Area



Figure 11 Major Accidents details in PCMC Area



The above two figures illustrate that there is no definite trend in number of accidents in PCMC Area, and they do not also indicate any significant growth (considering the population and traffic growth in PCMC Area) in accidents.

An area which receives less attention, which is the case in PCMC too, is the lack of a system and awareness to record accidents. There is a requirement to develop an Accident Information System to record accidents as per relevant IRC Codes, which can be used to identify accident black-spots and develop remedial measures. A special cell within the city traffic police shall be created and trained for this purpose.

### 2.9 Intermediate Public Transit System

Auto-rickshaws play a major role as an Intermediate Transit mode in PCMC Area also. Though their percentage of the total number of registered vehicles is a low 2%, their patronage is considerable. This is due to their short trip lengths and high frequencies along the major arterial roads in the city.



Year	No. of vehicles
2002	5,288
2003	5,415
2004	5,588
2005	6,052
2006	6,471
2007	6,671

#### Table 11: Auto-rickshaws in PCMC

Source: RTO, Pimpri-Chinchwad

Since there is no strong transit system at PCMC Area, auto rickshaws also currently do not have any definite routes or schedules and are mostly driven by demand. When BRTS becomes operational, the movement of the auto rickshaws should be regulated so that they act as feeders to BRTS rather than competing with it.

Most of the auto rickshaws that run in PCMC are of 6 to 8-seater type, and are run as a shared auto concept. Because of their high frequency, and availability as and when required, in future, these auto rickshaws will attract considerable patronage from city buses. A long term impact of this will be high losses to Public Transit and accelerated growth of private vehicles and trips. When a comprehensive transit network is developed, it is worthwhile to organise the IPT on feeder routes.

### 2.10 Public Transportation System

With respect to public transport facilities, Pimpri Chinchwad Municipal Transport (PCMT) is the provider of the service and has been in operation since 1974. The transport committee, set up under section 25 of the Bombay Provincial Municipal Corporations Act, 1949, manages PCMT.

The fleet size of PCMT, as on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2007 was 212 buses. Of these, 160 buses are on the road on a daily basis. These buses operate along a total of 63 routes which have a total of 183 schedules which includes the routes covered in rural areas also. Since 1989, PCMT has been allowed to ply buses to cater to the needs of city and peri-urban inhabitants up to 20 km beyond the municipal limits. PCMT is now operating on 30 routes which also lie in the Pune Municipal Corporation (PMC) limits.

Year	No. of Buses	Buses on Road	Avg No. of Passengers / Day
1995-96	248	158	1,30,985
1999-2000	237	130	60,727
2000-01	239	142	60,989
2001-02	239	121	54,684
2002-03	239	111	59,192
2003-04	219	109	75,626
2004-05	219	123	83,153
2005-06	254	146	96,562
2006-07	212	160	1,08,209
Upto Oct 2007	202	151	1,01,102

Table 12:	Fleet size	and Pa	ssenger	base	of	PCMT
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Source: PCMT







At present, there are two municipal transport authorities operating in the area of PCMC, name PCMT and Pune Municipal Transport (PMT). A number of their routes are overlapping, which is also a reason for poor financial performance of both the agencies. A merger of the two entities has taken place recently, to form a new entity called PMPML (Pune Mahanagar Parivahan Mahamandal Ltd). This company has been formed

to run the public transportation of both the cities of Pune and Pimpri-Chinchwad. A similar and greater coordination is essential between PMC and PCMC so that the proposed BRTS and PMT operations complement each other rather than competing.

The above figure shows, in spite of no major increase in the number of PCMT buses on road, there is an appreciable bus passenger traffic growth. Though the share of Public Transit is not very high in Pimpri-Chinchwad Municipal Area, it is essential to sustain this growth so as to control the rapidly increasing growth of private vehicles.

### 2.11 Issues and Prospects

A summary of the issues is provided below.

- (i) PCMC Area is transforming from a major industrial area to a mixed land use city with high residential development. This is likely to add to the already growing private vehicle population and private trips, unless major initiatives are taken to promote public transit.
- (ii) Currently, there are only few corridors which can be classified as major arterials. Most of the roads in PCMC Area have varying widths (both ROW and Pavement), which would limit the capacity and hamper traffic flow. The implementation of the DP Proposals would improve this situation considerably, but will not be sufficient to create a topology that is required for the city of the size of PCMC Area. It is anticipated that, in future, due to developments at Hinjewadi, Talawade and Chakan, the city will grow perpendicular to the current development along Old NH4. It is suggested that the proposed future network takes this aspect into account.
- (iii) While the riding quality of roads in PCMC Area is maintained to good standards, considering the likely increase in the future road network and traffic, it is essential to develop an efficient Pavement Management and Budget Allocation System for the City.
- (iv) The growth of accidents (in absolute numbers) and traffic safety is not an alarming issue. However, to derive purposeful solutions in future, it is important to develop and implement an efficient Accident Information System.
- (v) There are very few off-street parking facilities available in PCMC Area. Multi storied parking complexes need to be developed at major transport nodes, like, local railway stations, Inter City Bus Terminus at Sant Tukram Nagar, and at major traffic generators in PCMC Area. A combination of traditional (manual), semi automatic and fully automatic parking systems would be required for parking.



- (vi) No NMV facilities are available at present. As part of the road improvements projects being taken up by PCMC, separate lanes for non-motorised vehicles and pedestrians are being proposed in the RoW design.
- (vii) Public Transit services of PCMT and PMT, and IPT (particularly 6/8-seater Auto Rickshaws) presently compete with each other on major corridors in PCMC Area. While PMT and PCMT services are being clubbed together in PMPML, PT and IPT would need to be organised so that each mode complements the other.



### **3 TRAVEL CHARACTERISTICS**

### 3.1 Introduction

In the past, a number of studies have been conducted in the Pune Metropolitan Region. The important ones have been listed below:

- 1. Mass Rapid Transit System for Pune Metropolitan Area, January 2001
- 2. Comprehensive Traffic & Transportation Study, 2003
- 3. Detailed Project Report Sky bus, July 2004
- 4. Comprehensive Study of Integrated Traffic Dispersal System for PCMC & PMC, July 2004
- 5. Common Wealth Youth Games Report
- 6. DPR on Tramways, Consult Team Bremen, 2007
- 7. Master Plan for Bus Rapid Transit System, CIRT, March 2008
- 8. DPR for Metro Rail in Pune Metropolitan Area, DMRC, February 2008

It has been observed that in all the studies, PCMC area has not been covered extensively. The PCMC area figures in the form of a few survey points in these studies. Therefore, most of the studies do not present recommendations in terms of improvements to be taken up in the PCMC area. Therefore, as part of the Comprehensive Mobility Plan, extensive primary surveys were conducted covering the entire PCMC area. This Chapter presents details of these surveys and some preliminary analysis. It also presents detailed methodology used for determining the existing traffic and travel characteristics of citizens in Pimpri-Chinchwad. Based on the field data collected from various primary surveys conducted across the PCMC area and the house-hold survey, a traffic model was developed to mathematically represent the current traffic scenario in the city. A travel demand model was developed to forecast traffic patterns in future years. A gravity-based trip distribution model was developed to distribute total future traffic estimated across the zones of PCMC area. The trips were then assigned onto the road network of PCMC to determine traffic along each road.

### 3.2 Approach

In order to estimate travel demand for the present and the future, the following procedure has been considered:

**Step 1:** In addition to the secondary data collected and presented in Chapter 2, extensive primary traffic surveys have been carried out to obtain data on baseline traffic and travel characteristics

**Step2:** Travel demand model has been calibrated and validated to mimic the prevailing traffic and travel pattern in PCMC Area

**Step3:** Future travel demand has been estimated based on anticipated growth in the city (population and land use)

In the following sections, an out line of the proposed methodology for travel demand estimation has been presented, followed by details on travel demand estimation carried out.



#### Figure 12 Methodology of Traffic study



### 3.3 Outline of the Proposed Methodology

#### 3.3.1 Baseline Scenario

In order to assess the baseline scenario for travel demand analysis, the first step is to thoroughly understand the baseline traffic and travel characteristics. It involves, in addition to collecting and analysing secondary data, carrying out of detailed primary traffic surveys, and analysis of the traffic data collected from these primary traffic surveys for baseline traffic and travel characteristics. The following figure presents a summary of baseline data collected and analysed.



Historic data on vehicle registration	
Vehicle growth and composition	E
Road network inventory	X
Hierarchy, land use, major trip generators	
Lane configuration, link lengths	5 T
<ul> <li>constrained sections</li> <li>Junctions, grade separators, etc.</li> </ul>	I T
Major transportation hubs	I N
Pailway stations hus stations airport ata	N C
• Kanway stations, bus stations, an port, etc.	G
Existing pedestrians & NMV facilities	S
Dravailing traffia management	C S
Prevaining traffic management	E
Prevailing traffic scenario	N
• Speeds, bottlenecks, traffic volume, etc.	Δ
Prevailing IPT & PT Characteristics	R
• Routes, schedules, patronage, etc.	Ĩ
Screen-line and Outer Cordon Flows	0
Server mile wild Outer Cordon Frows	(Mobility & Safety
Accident Records	

#### Figure 13: Study of Existing Scenario at PCMC Area

#### 3.3.2 Development of Travel Demand Model

The following travel demand model has been developed.

- Trips generation models, to understand the trip making behaviour of travellers. It involves estimation of number of trips originating and destining in a zone by developing the following two sub-models:
  - Trip production model, and
  - Trip attraction model
- Trips distribution model, to estimate the number of trips between a pair of zones from trips productions and attractions of each zone
- Mode choice model, to split the total trips between a pair of zones among various modes available, and
- Assignment of transit trips, to finally estimate corridor wise demand for transit

The following figure summarises the travel demand model to be developed for the study.







The following sections present details on (i) various primary traffic surveys carried out, (ii) the baseline traffic and travel characteristics, and (iii) travel demand model developed for the study.

# 3.4 Details of traffic and transportation studies undertaken for PCMC

This section outlines the various traffic surveys conducted and the range of data collected and analysed to estimate travel demand which is required for developing a comprehensive mobility plan for PCMC Area. The data will be incorporated into a comprehensive travel demand model, developed specifically for PCMC as the study area.

#### 3.4.1 Data Collection

The data required for developing a comprehensive traffic and transportation model and to estimate the travel demand for the proposed BRTS at PCMC Area has been collected from various secondary sources as well as from primary traffic surveys. The secondary data collected includes:

- Master plans of PCMC,
- Road network maps of PCMC,
- Previous study reports,
- Ward maps of PCMC Area,
- Ward wise population and activity details, and electoral voters list,
- Vehicle registration data from RTO
- Accident records in PCMC Area,
- Bus schedules and fare charts from PCMT, etc.

To understand the baseline traffic and travel characteristics, trips in the PCMC Area have been divided into the following classes:





- Internal to Internal Trips (I to I), where both ends of a trip (i.e., origin as well as destination) lie with in PCMC,
- Internal to External Trips (I to E), where trips have origin in PCMC and destination outside,
- External to Internal Trips (E to I), where trips have destination inside PCMC and origin outside, and
- External to External Trips (E to E), where both ends of trips lie outside PCMC

In order to collect information for estimating the above four types of trips, a range of traffic surveys have been conducted in the PCMC area. The objective was to capture the travel patterns of road users, their origins and destinations and traffic flows along the important corridors in the city. A reconnaissance of PCMC area was undertaken for identifying homogeneous traffic sections and their catchments. On the basis of the reconnaissance, survey locations for various surveys to be conducted were identified.

Various types of primary traffic surveys carried are given first in the following sections, followed by findings from the primary surveys.

#### 3.4.2 Types of Primary Traffic Surveys Carried Out and Their Locations

3.4.2.1 Home Interview Surveys (HIS)

This survey was carried out to collect information required for estimating I to I trips, and home based<sup>2</sup> I to E and E to I trips, or any trip undertaken by a resident of PCMC area to travel beyond PCMC Area. Home interview surveys have been carried out at 5,000 randomly chosen houses covering the entire PCMC area. The number of households chosen in each ward was proportional to the population of that ward.

Considering the 105 election wards in PCMC area as the traffic zones, population and residential properties data was collected from PCMC. This data was used to calculate the average number of houses to be surveyed in each of the 105 election wards, which was proportional to the population of the respective wards. This also considered that the total number of surveys would amount to 5,000.

All individuals of selected home were interviewed for socio-economic and travel details. The information collected included:

• House ownership, area of the house, type of house, number of persons in the family and vehicle ownership and usage details,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Home based trips are those trips which have at lest one end (i.e., origin or destination) at home.


- Personal details of each individual in the house, including, age, gender, marital status, educational qualification, employment details, and family income,
- Travel information, including the number of trips undertaken by each individual in the house, origin of each trip, destination of each trip, mode used for each trip, ingress/egress details of each trip, time and money spent on each trip, etc., and
- User preferences about the proposed BRTS.

3.4.2.2 Classified Traffic Volume Counts at Outer Cordon Points

This survey was conducted to capture information on I to E, E to I and E to E trips, i.e., vehicles flowing from zones external of the PCMC area to zones part of PCMC area and vice versa, , and trips among external zones. The points for this survey were located on the outer limits of the study area. Number of vehicles, by classification, crossing the survey location in both directions of the traffic was counted at these points, for 16 hours on a working day, starting from 6:00am in the morning to 10:00pm in the night. A thorough reconnaissance survey of the city of Pimpri-Chinchwad was carried out to identify locations for these outer cordon counts as well as for other primary traffic surveys (like, O-D surveys, Turning Movement Surveys, etc). The outer cordon counts as well as other primary surveys have been carried out by trained enumerators under careful and close supervision by transport planners and traffic engineers. The outer cordon counts will be analysed for the volume of traffic entering or exiting PCMC area, hourly variation in traffic, directional distribution (for identifying tidal flows if any) and peak hour factors. The following table presents locations and schedule of Outer Cordon Counts.

S.No.	Location	Survey Dates
V1	Dapodi Bridge (on NH-4 going to Pune)	November 1, 2007
V2	Aundh Bridge (on Aund-Ravet Road)	November 2, 2007
V3	Bangalore Highway (after Wakad Junction)	November 2, 2007
V4	Mumbai Pune Expressway	November 2, 2007
V5	Nashik Highway (NH-50) before Toll Plaza	November 1, 2007
V6	On NH-4 before Nigdi Junction	November 2, 2007

#### Table 13: Locations and Schedule of Outer Cordon Counts

3.4.2.3 Classified Traffic Volume Counts on the Internal Road Network of PCMC Area

Classified traffic volume has been counted in both directions manually on all major arterials in PCMC Area. This data will be useful for calibrating and validating the base-year travel demand model. Number of vehicles, by classification, crossing the survey location in both directions of the traffic was counted at these points, for 16 hours on a working day, starting from 6:00am in the morning to 10:00pm in the night.

The following table presents locations and schedule of classified traffic volume counts carried out on major arterial network in PCMC Area.

S.No.	Location	Survey Dates
V7	Between Nigdi Junction & Chinchwad Jn	November 5, 2007
V8	Between Pimpri Jn & Kasarwadi Jn	November 7, 2007
V9	Before KSB Chowk (after Thermax)	November 5, 2007
V10	On Telco Road - between KSB Chowk & NH-50	November 6, 2007
V11	Between Kalewadi Chowk & Dange Chowk	November 5, 2007
V12	On Dehu-Alandi Rd	November 8, 2007
V13	On Nigdi Jn to Dehu-Alandi Rd	November 8, 2007
V14	On NH-50 at Bhosari	November 7, 2007

#### Table 14: Locations and Schedule of Counts on major arterial network of PCMC

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S.No.	Location	Survey Dates
V15	Small bridge parallel to Dapodi bridge (Bopodi)	November 7, 2007

#### 3.4.2.4 Opinion Surveys at Outer Cordon Points

Opinion surveys at outer cordon points were carried out to collect origins and destinations of I to E, E to I, and E to E trips. These surveys were carried out by roadside interview method. For these surveys, vehicles were stopped randomly at all the cordon points. Interviewers also conducted the surveys by boarding buses to capture users of public transport in Pimpri-Chinchwad. In addition to the trip origins and destinations, information on trip purpose, vehicle occupancy, trip lengths, etc. were collected. These surveys were also carried out for 16 hours simultaneously with volume counts at the same outer cordon points given in Table 15. This has been analysed for O-D matrices as well as other travel data, like, trip length frequencies, mode split, etc. The following table presents the O-D survey locations, sample size at each survey location and survey schedule.



S.No.	Location	Sample Size (No of interviews)	Survey Dates
OD1	Dapodi Bridge (on NH-4 going to Pune)	2,000	November 1, 2007
OD2	Aundh Bridge (on Aund-Ravet Road)	2,000	November 2, 2007
OD3	Bangalore Highway (after Wakad Junction)	1,000	November 2, 2007
OD4	Mumbai Pune Expressway	1,000	November 2, 2007
OD5	Nashik Highway (NH-50) before Toll Plaza	500	November 1, 2007
OD6	On NH-4 before Nigdi Junction	500	November 2, 2007
	TOTAL	7,000	

#### Table 15: Locations, Sample Size and Schedule of Opinion Surveys

3.4.2.5 Opinion Surveys at Local Railway Stations and the Inter City Bus Terminus

# Origin-Destination surveys were also conducted at Railway Stations along the local train line of Pune to Lonavala at the stations indicated in

Table 16. The objective was to capture the travel patterns of train users and estimate the possible shift to the proposed BRT System. About 1,000 Origin-Destination interviews were also conducted at the Inter-city Bus Terminus in PCMC located at Sant Tukaram Nagar.



Fable 16: Origin-Destination Surv	eys conducted at Railway Stations
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S.No.	Location	Sample Size (No of interviews)	Survey Dates
1	Akurdi	400	November 7, 2007
2	Chinchwad	400	November 7, 2007
3	Pimpri	400	November 6, 2007
4	Kasarwadi	400	November 6, 2007
5	Dapodi	400	November 7, 2007
	TOTAL	2,000	

#### Table 17: Origin-Destination Surveys conducted at Inter-City Bus Terminus

S.No.	Location	Sample Size (No of interviews)	Survey Dates
1	Sant Tukaram Nagar Bus Depot	1000	November 7, 2007

#### 3.4.2.6 Intersection Turning Movement Counts on the Internal Road Network of PCMC Area

Peak period intersection turning movement counts have been carried out at major intersections in PCMC Area. Morning 7:00 am to 11:00 am and evening 4:30 pm to 8:30 pm have been considered as peak periods. Classified traffic in all directions has been counted for intersection turning movements. The turning movements will be analysed for current volumes, available capacity and for deciding necessary capacity augmentation schemes. The following table presents locations considered for intersection turning movement counts and survey dates.

#### Table 18: Locations of Turning Movement Surveys

S.No.	Location	Intersection Type	Survey Date
T1	Nigdi Jn including Fly-over	Х Туре	November 8, 2007
T2	Chinchwad Jn	Х Туре	November 12, 2007
T3	Morwari Jn including Underpass	Х Туре	November 12, 2007
T4	KSB Chowk	Х Туре	November 13, 2007
T5	Dange Chowk	Х Туре	November 12, 2007
T6	Kasarwadi Jn	Т Туре	November 12, 2007
T7	Kalewadi Jn	Т Туре	November 13, 2007

#### 3.4.2.7 Speed & Delay Surveys

Speed and delay surveys have been carried out along major corridors across the city to understand prevailing traffic speeds. The survey has been carried out as per moving observer method, wherein the test car has been advised to travel with the stream speed. The survey was carried out during peak and off-peak periods to understand temporal variation in traffic congestion.

For ready reference, the survey locations have been marked on a map and presented in the following figures.



#### Figure 15: Survey Locations



Figure 16: Locations of Origin-Destination Surveys at Railway and Bus Stations







### 3.4.3 Data Analysis for Baseline Traffic & Travel Characteristics

#### 3.4.3.1 Traffic Zones

To understand the distribution of trips in PCMC Area, the area in PCMC and around has been divided into 134 traffic zones. Out of these, 106 zones have been defined in PCMC Area itself, and remaining 28 zones outside PCMC Area. While defining the zone boundaries, the following have been considered:

- Elections ward boundaries in PCMC Area. As of now, there are 105 election wards in PCMC Area, and each of these wards are considered as traffic zones. In addition, Tathwade area has been added to PCMC Area recently. Accordingly, Tathwade has been considered as a zone (Zone 106).
- MES Area has been considered as Zone 108.
- Major roads in Pune have been considered for defining zone boundaries in PMC Area. In PMC Area 10 Zones (Zone 107, and Zones 109 to 117) have been defined.
- Rest of Maharashtra State and Rest of India constitute remaining zones from 118 to 134.

The traffic zones considered for the study are given in **Annexure 3**.





3.4.3.2 Analysis of Home Interview Survey Data

As described earlier, home interview surveys have been carried out at 5000 house holds.

Figure 17 presents the segmentation of households considered for HIS by the ownership of the house.



Figure 17: Distribution of Residences at PCMC Area by Type of Ownership

As given in the above figure, about 62% of the houses in PCMC are own houses and 36% are rented. All other types constitute a very small proportion of total households.

Figure 18 presents segmentation of households by the area of the house (in sq. m)



Figure 18: Distribution of Residences at PCMC Area by Area

As given in the following figure, 69% of the houses considered for HIS are independent houses, where as about 21% are apartments. Others constitute about 10%.



Figure 19: Distribution of Residences at PCMC Area by Type of the Building



Data from a total of 4,861 households (out of 5,000 interviewed) was found complete and free from errors. This data was analysed for the number of occupants, by gender as well as total. The following summarises the analysis.

 Table 19: Distribution of HIS Sample by Gender

Number of Households	Occupants			
Number of Householus	Male	Female	Total	
4860	7594	6222	13816	

Table 19 indicates an average family size of 2.84, with a gender distribution of about 820 females for every 1000 males, i.e., a distribution of 54.96% males and 45.04% females. As of 2001 India Census this distribution was 54:46. This indicates that the sample considered for Home Interview Survey reasonably represents the population of PCMC Area.

As part of the HIS, the vehicle ownership details were also collected. The following table presents the vehicle ownership details as obtained from the HIS.

#### Table 20: Distribution of Vehicle Ownership as per HIS Survey

Number of Households	Two Wheelers	Cars	Auto Rickshaw	Taxi	Cycle	Others
4860	3806	839	22	25	564	68





#### Figure 20: Vehicle Composition as Observed in HIS

The vehicle composition presented in the above figure, i.e., composition derived based on the HIS sample is quite similar to that for the PCMC Area. This further corroborates that the HIS sample selected at random across all the wards represents the population, and is good enough to capture travel pattern and other socio-economic characteristics of PCMC Area.

The home interview data has been analysed for trip frequency. The analysis reveals the following:

Person in the Household	1 trip in a day	2 trips in a day	3 trips in a day	4 trips in a day	Total Trips
1st	2	4456	3	37	9071
2nd	37	812	0	4	1677
3rd	14	309	0	2	640
4th	0	5	-	-	10
5th	-	2	-	-	4
6th		2	-	-	

#### Table 21: Trip Rates Distribution

The above indicates a Per Capita Trip Rate (PCTR) of 0.83, with a vehicular trip rate of 0.78.

While the vehicular trips are in line with the PCTR observed in many other similar cities, surprisingly, being an Industrial City, the walk trips are less with only 5.8% of total trips.

The origins and destinations of various trips collected as part of the HIS have been analysed for base year trip distribution. The following table summarises the total trips produced and attracted in each of the traffic zones.

The following modal split has been observed in the home interview surveys.

#### Table 22: Modal Split

S. No	Mode	Mode Split (%)
1	Two Wheeler	67.8
2	Car	11.6



S. No	Mode	Mode Split (%)
3	IPT	2.7
4	Public Transport	4.2
5	Cycles	7.9
6	Walk	5.8
	Total	100.0

The above details cover Internal-internal trips in PCMC limits and exclude trips between PCMC and PMC limits. The Public Transport trips are those originating and destining within PCMC area.

Table 23: Trip Generation (Productions and Attractions) in the Study Area

Zone No	Zone Name	Total Trip Productions	Total Trip Attractions
1	Talawade Gaothan	4086	3475
2	Rupeenagar	5473	5621
3	Triveninagar	3048	3036
4	Krishnanagar	4208	5540
5	Morewasti	5734	6045
6	Ganeshnagar	4913	4820
7	Chikhli Gaothan	3673	4303
8	Kudalwadi	2980	2739
9	Moshi-Borhadewadi	3908	4088
10	Moshi Gaothan	6656	4412
11	Wadmukhwadi	3558	3593
12	Charholigaon	2485	3328
13	Dighi Gaothan	6764	5133
14	Sadguru nagar	3520	3580
15	Chakrapani Wasahat	6959	6247
16	Ramnagar	8948	11510
17	Sandvik Colony	6829	6411
18	Gawalinagar	5976	8263
19	Gavanewasti	4614	4491
20	Vitthal Rakhumai Temple	7504	7726
21	Dhawade wasti	6057	6190
22	Landewadi	20698	23829
23	Gulwewasti	12863	12147
24	Indrayaninagar	9503	10092
25	Balajinagar	8987	9114
26	Mahatma Phule Nagar	2319	2424
27	Late. Annasaheb Magar Stadium	8680	8741
28	Swapnanagari	8498	5933
29	Ajmera Colony	9195	10913
30	H. A. Colony	1695	1627
31	Y. C. M. Hospital	3541	2092
32	Sant Tukaram Nagar	8712	8954
33	Kharalwadi	22068	22409



Zone No	Zone Name	Total Trip Productions	Total Trip Attractions
34	Gandhinagar	21297	21995
35	Morwadi	24874	26129
36	Anant nagar	8839	9797
37	Chinchwad Station	8178	7937
38	Sanggvi Kesari College	8084	8767
39	H. D. F. C. Colony	5096	4797
40	Mohananagar	7430	7713
41	Kalbhornagar	8698	5807
42	Sambhaji Nagar	8392	7726
43	Ajanthanagar	4878	4125
44	Yamunanagar	4485	4318
45	Someshwar Temple	2405	1968
46	Madhukarrao Pawale Highschool	4570	3760
47	Nigdi Octroi Post	5249	3945
48	Nigdi Gaothan	15708	23330
49	Transport nagar	4085	3818
50	Lokmanya Hospital	7157	6898
51	Dattawadi	10396	15365
52	Tuljaiwasti	3003	2806
53	Akurdi Gaothan	7727	7793
54	Ganganagar Vitthalwadi	6015	6478
55	Pimpri Chinchwad Polytechnic	5683	6661
56	Vikasnagar	7322	4649
57	Kiwle-Mamurdi	5067	2974
58	Ravet-Punawale	7766	7246
59	Walhekarwadi	7128	4004
60	Chinchawade nagar	6755	5749
61	Pawananagr	13539	14508
62	Dalvinagar	11380	11849
63	Udyognagar	11880	11752
64	Chinchwad Gaothan	4685	4713
65	Keshavanagar	5625	5484
66	Darshan Hall	7060	4883
67	Ramkrishna More Prekshagriaha	8052	8031
68	Bhatanagar	19263	20031
69	Vegitable Market	8959	9244
70	Jijamata Hospital	3740	3725
71	Vaishnavdevi Temple	9578	9697
72	Ashok Theatre	2147	1771
73	Nav Maharashtra Vidyalaya	4303	3934
74	Bhairavnath Temple	4178	4192
75	Pimple Saudagar	1001	715



Zone No	Zone Name	Total Trip Productions	Total Trip Attractions
76	Rahatni Gaothan	3964	4224
77	Shreenagar	5159	5440
78	Tapkirnagar	5038	4872
79	Kalewadi	11655	11916
80	Jyotibanagar	3575	3352
81	Vijaynagar	4574	4228
82	Thergaon Gaothan	5440	5463
83	Sai Temple	4616	4388
84	Belthika Nagar	7934	7855
85	Padamji Paper Mill	8556	9697
86	Santosh Marriage Hall	3574	3636
87	Wakad Gaothan	8792	9254
88	Wakad-Venunagar	5470	3704
89	Jagtap Dairy	6930	7084
90	Pimple Nilakh	4204	4872
91	S.T. Colony	3206	2715
92	Sangvi Gaothan	6123	5487
93	Madhuban	6563	5489
94	Kirtinagar	7202	5465
95	Kawadenagar	3370	2802
96	Katepuram	2243	2073
97	Pimple Gurav Gaothan	1519	1549
98	Vaidu Wasti	4564	3974
99	Shankarwadi	3494	3272
100	Kasarwadi	6086	6102
101	Phugewadi	4241	4229
102	Dapodi Gaothan	10726	10832
103	Hutatma Bhagatsingh Vidyalaya	13	67
104	Siddharthnagar	5936	7191
105	Bopkhel	4719	2971
106	Tathawade	42	50
107	MIDC	2539	2542
108	Hinjewadi and Balewadi Area	6259	5669
109	Bopodi, Chikalwadi, Gadhi Adda, Khadki Bazar	9602	10132
110	Aundh, Sindhi Colony, NCL Colony	39489	39658
111	Mandalelines, Range Hill, Ganeshkhind, Ashoknagar, Yaswantnagar, Premnagar, Beratwadi, Vaiavadi, Rabhoshivadi, Wadervadi, Gokhalenagar	1943	2040
112	Kothurd, Ganeshnagar, Karve Nagar, villages to the south- west of Pune	17897	18323
113	South Pune - Swar Gate and Area to the South	832	848
114	Central Pune - Shanivar Peth, Narayan Peth, Peth, etc.	10196	11704



Zone No	Zone Name	Total Trip Productions	Total Trip Attractions
115	East Pune - Pune Station, Sadar Bazar, Koregaon Lines, Kavade Mala, etc.	1608	1922
116	Vishrantvadi, Lohegaon, Airport Area, etc	1415	988
117	Katraj, and villages to the south of Pune	3037	3047
118	Dehu Road	1189	964
119	Talegaon, Sheralwadi, Somante	672	672
120	Wadgaon	224	224
121	Lonavla Area	248	111
122	Mumbai	150	150
123	Dehugaon	224	224
124	Chakan and Ambethan	898	898
125	Alandi	1192	1192
126	Pashan, Sutarwadi	75	75
127	Khed & Rajgurunagar	225	225
128	Peth, Manchar, Sangamner, Nashik and Maharashtra to the North of Nashik	1793	1793
129	Shikrapur, Ahmednagar and East Maharashtra	0	0
130	South Maharashtra	0	0
131	Northern India	0	0
132	Western India	0	0
133	Eastern India	0	0
134	Southern India	0	0

The following pictorially presents distribution of trip generation across various zones.







From the above figure it can be seen that Bhosri, Pimpri, Chinchwad, Nigdi and Central Pune Area generate most of the trips which originate in PCMC, i.e. trips made by individuals who reside in PCMC. The trips given in Table 23, and shown in Figure 21 do not include the trips made by those residing outside PCMC Area.

#### 3.4.3.3 Analysis of Cordon Counts

Classified traffic volume was counted for 16 hours at six cordon locations. The following table summarises traffic intensity at the cordon points in vehicles and PCUs (Passenger Car Units). For estimating PCUs, the PCU Factors as given in IRC: 106-1190 have been used.

Count Location	Total Vehicles	Total PCUs
V1	129710	145251
V2	98044	133747
V3	64686	76775
V4	34472	44809
V5	50384	64186
V6	75531	93397

#### Table 24: Summary of Traffic Counts at Outer Cordon Points

The traffic intensity presented in the above table includes both goods and passenger trips. In the above table, the following can be seen:

- Of all the cordon points, traffic at Dapodi Bridge (on Old Mumbai Pune Road) and Aundh Bridge (Aundh – Baner/Ravet Road) is considerably higher than that at other points.
- The traffic volume between Pune and PCMC Area (cordon counts V1, V2 and V3) is very high, and needs attention while planning transportation in PCMC Area.
- Except for at V4 (the location on NH4 Bypass on Mumbai Side), the traffic intensity at all the other outer cordon points is in excess of a 4-lane road service volume at LOS C.

The following table presents classified volume of passenger traffic at the six cordon points.

#### Table 25: Passenger Traffic Volume (in Vehicles and PCUs) at Outer Cordon Points

	Car.									
Location	Jeep, Van	2- Wheeler	Auto Rickshaw	Minibus	Local Bus	Bus	Cycles	Cycle Rick.	l otal Vehicles	l otal PCUs
V1	35145	50938	20079	1209	3142	2265	7684	65	120527	130408
V2	23932	26384	20233	3742	2547	3854	6395	0	87087	106260
V3	31689	18863	1071	1159	194	1984	163	0	55123	53601
V4	21784	5425	514	177	284	658	93	0	28935	28827
V5	15940	17502	4643	958	764	1018	670	0	41495	40798
V6	23693	20041	14366	374	3714	1229	5426	13	68856	81281

The above analysis of volume counts at outer cordon points reveals that:

- At Dapodi Bridge, Aundh Bridge and Nigdi (locations V1, V2 and V6) there is an even distribution of all passenger vehicles, including buses and cycles
- At other three outer cordon points private trips (cars and two wheelers) constitute most of the passenger trips.

#### 3.4.3.4 Mid Block Counts on Major Arterials

Classified traffic volume was counted for 16 hours at nine mid-block locations on major arterial roads of PCMC. The following table summarises traffic volume observed in vehicles and PCUs (Passenger Car Units) at these nine locations. As earlier, for estimating PCUs, the PCU Factors as given in IRC: 106-1190 have been used.

The following table presents a summary of traffic volume on major arterials of the PCMC Area:

Count Location	Total Vehicles	Total PCUs
V7	73798	86572
V8	84792	90241
V9	55211	61817
V10	57122	59776
V11	40988	41638
V12	10636	10636
V13	13414	12152
V14	47683	50313
V15	50992	49123

Table 26 Summary of Mid-block Counts on Major Arterials

From Table 25 and Table 26 it can be seen that ttraffic volumes observed at count locations (V1 to V6) are generally higher than those observed on major arterials at V7 to V14. This indicates that the interaction between Pune and PCMC area generates most of the trips observed in PCMC Area. The following figure presents variation in traffic intensity across all count locations, including outer cordon and mid-block locations.







The following table presents classified volume of passenger traffic at the nine mid-block count locations.

Location	Car, Jeep, Van	2- Wheeler	Auto <u>Rickshaw</u>	Minibus	Local Bus	Intercity Bus	Cycles	Cycle Rick.	Total <u>Vehicles</u>	Total PCUs
V7	19224	30211	8776	1261	2026	1512	3429	0	66439	70355
V8	18564	42152	10555	891	2049	2083	2912	10	79216	79736
V9	12293	25522	9036	330	321	528	3288	0	51318	53214
V10	9791	28096	6836	304	325	749	5742	0	51843	49863
V11	6897	19183	5257	352	899	537	4140	1	37266	35220
V12	1717	5983	965	26	1	5	524	7	9228	7632
V13	2811	6737	934	191	24	92	1797	9	12595	10419
V14	11003	23617	5235	281	853	316	1495	1	42801	39600
V15	13790	19770	5138	330	985	185	6342	0	46540	41370

Table 27 Passenger Traffic Volume (in Vehicles and PCUs) at Mid-block Count Locations

From Table 26 and Table 27, it can be seen that except for the two locations on Old NH4, i.e., Locations V7 and V8, the passenger traffic volume is quite close to the total traffic volume, which indicates that all the other arterials in PCMC Area primarily cater to the passenger traffic.

#### 3.4.3.5 Speed & Delay Studies

Speed and Delay studies carried out on all major corridors have been analysed for journey speeds during morning peak, evening peak and off-peak periods. The following table summarise journey speeds on each of the corridors considered for Speed & Delay Study.

	Corridor		Speed (kmph)			
No	Name	Length (km)	Morning	Afternoon	Evening	
1	Aund Bridge to Mumbai/Bangalore Expressway	11.4	28.5	31.1	26.3	
2	Nigdi Chowk to Dapodi	7.8	33.9	28.3	25.1	
3	Dehu to Alandi	16.7	32.3	27.8	25.1	
4	Telco Road	9.0	26.0	22.5	20.8	
5	MDR 31	11.6	17.0	15.7	19.7	
6	Hinjewadi Police Naka to Talwade	15.7	19.6	31.2	21.4	
7	KSB Chowk to Kalewadi	5.1	14.6	13.8	18.0	
8	Moshi - Bhosari - Nashik Phata - Hinjewadi	25.7	26.6	30.2	25.7	

#### Table 28 Journey Speeds on Major Arterials in PCMC Area

From the above table the following can be inferred:

Traffic speeds in PCMC Area are generally high indicating reasonably free flow conditions



 Low speeds on MDR31, Hinjewadi – Talwade and KSB Chowk – Kalewadi roads are because these roads pass through the old Pimpri and Chinchwad area where they have narrow ROW and pavement widths

## 3.5 Travel Characteristics

The road side interview surveys (O-D Surveys) carried out at (i) outer cordon points, (ii) local railway stations, (iii) Intercity Bus Station have been analysed for travel pattern. The zoning system presented in the **Annexure 3** has been considered in the derivation of travel pattern (O-D Matrices).

To derive / understand travel pattern, the vehicular trips have to be converted to passenger trips. The vehicular trips have been converted into passenger trips by applying the vehicle occupancies observed during the O-D surveys. The following table presents the average occupancies of vehicles in PCMC Area

Location	Car, Jeep, Van	2- Wheeler	Auto Rickshaw	Minibus	Local Bus	Cycles	Cycle Rick.
V1	2.76	1.39	4.06	23.11	57.79	1.04	1.41
V2	3.16	1.48	6.11	15.82	42.76	1.02	0.00
V3	2.45	1.34	3.32	16.00	37.20	1.05	0.00
V4	2.89	1.44	3.56	14.89	40.23	1.01	0.00
V5	2.46	1.30	5.35	21.98	53.60	1.06	0.00
V6	2.28	1.45	3.00	21.10	49.07	1.02	1.38
V7 to V15 (for PCMC Area)	1.42	1.09	1.86	13.82	34.86	1.03	1.72

#### Table 29 Average Occupancies of Vehicles at Outer Cordon Points and in PCMC Area

The total number of passenger trips at outer cordon points and on major arterials of PCMC Area, estimated based on the traffic volume presented in Table 27 and the above occupancy values in

Table 29 are produced in the following table.

Table 30 Total number of passenger trips in PCMC Area

Location	Car, Jeep, Van	2- Wheeler	Auto Rickshaw	Minibus	Local Bus	Cycles	Cycle Rick.	Total Passengers
V1	96874	70731	81472	27946	181567	7991	92	4,66,672
V2	75712	39051	123671	59206	108916	6523	0	4,13,078
V3	77669	25186	3560	18541	7217	171	0	1,32,345
V4	62943	7806	1829	2635	11427	94	0	86,734
V5	39175	22723	24840	21053	40950	710	0	1,49,451
V6	53922	29134	43098	7891	182231	5535	18	3,21,828
V7	27298	32930	16323	17427	70626	3532	0	1,68,137
V8	26361	45946	19632	12314	71428	2999	17	1,78,697
V9	17456	27819	16807	4561	11190	3387	0	81,219
V10	13903	30625	12715	4201	11330	5914	0	78,688
V11	9794	20909	9778	4865	31339	4264	2	80,951
V12	2438	6521	1795	359	35	540	12	11,700



Location	Car, Jeep, Van	2- Wheeler	Auto Rickshaw	Minibus	Local Bus	Cycles	Cycle Rick.	Total Passengers
V13	3992	7343	1737	2640	837	1851	15	18,415
V14	15624	25743	9737	3883	29736	1540	2	86,264
V15	19582	21549	9557	4561	34337	6532	0	96,118

For deriving a consolidated O-D matrix for the PCMC Area, the following procedure has been considered:

- (i) The road side interviews at outer cordon points have been converted into location wise O-D matrices. These sample matrices, based on RSI Samples, have been expanded to match the passenger trips at cordon points given in the above table. The location wise O-D matrices derived at six cordon points have been combined using the following procedure:
  - If an O-D pair can be observed at only one location, its value from that location has been considered for that pair. For example trips between Chakan and Moshi zones can be observed only at location 5 (i.e., Location OD5). Therefore in the combined matrix, for the O-D pair between Chakan and Moshi the O-D pair from OD5 has been considered.
  - If an O-D pair can be located at more than one location, average has been considered for Combined O-D Matrix. For example, trips between Central Pune and Chakan can be observed at Locations OD1 and OD5. Therefore, for the pair Central Pune to Chakan the average of this pair from OD1 and OD5 has been considered.
- (ii) The opinion surveys at the five local train stations have been analysed for sample O-D matrices at local train stations. These matrices have been expanded to match the total passenger counts at these stations. For location wise local train passenger matrices have been added to derive the combined local train passenger O-D matrix,
- (iii) Similarly, the opinion surveys at ISBT have been used to derive the O-D matrices of bus passengers at ISBT.
- (iv) The sum of all the above three O-D matrices (i.e., combined cordon O-D matrix, combined local train O-D matrix and ISBT O-D matrix) gives the combined O-D matrix for I-E, E-I and E-E trips.
- (v) The I-I trips from HIS have been added to the above combined O-D Matrix to obtain the consolidated O-D Matrix for the PCMC Area.



#### Figure 23: Desire Lines for car Traffic



The desire lines for car trips reveal the following:

- Primarily, the car traffic interaction is between Pune and all the zones along Old NH4
- High car trips between Hinjewadi and Pune, Talawade and Pune and Bhosari Industrial Area and Pune.
- Good spread of car trips all over PCMC Area





#### Figure 24 Desire Lines for Two Wheeler Traffic

From the two-wheeler desire lines the following can be seen:

- Even distribution of two wheelers all over PCMC Area.
- High two wheeler traffic along Aundh Ravet Road, Aundh Baner Road, Old NH4 and Pune Nashik Road (NH50)

The spread of two wheeler trips indicates that almost a door to door transit service is essential to divert two wheeler trips to transit. While deriving transit routes, effort will be made to penetrate the transit system into the localities of PCMC Area through elaborate feeder system.





Figure 25 Desire Lines for Three Wheeler Traffic

From the above figure it can be seen that three wheeler trips are primarily along Old NH4 and along NH50. This corroborates the high auto rickshaw counts in the volume counts on Old NH4 and NH50. The auto rickshaw trips between Hinjewadi/Wakad and Pune were also very high. With a high frequency transit system along these roads, it is possible to attract significant diversion from three wheelers to auto rickshaws. One way achieving this could be by creating high-capacity transit corridor with low capacity transit system, like, a high frequency minibus system.



#### Figure 26: Desire Lines for Bus Traffic



The desire lines for bus passenger traffic reveals high bus traffic intensity along Old NH4, NH50 and Pune – Hinjewadi corridors. The above desire lines also indicate less interaction perpendicular to these corridors. For a balanced transit system, and to attract car and two wheeler trips (particularly those perpendicular to Old NH4) to transit system, developing corridors transverse to old NH4 will be critical.



#### Figure 27 Desire Lines for Local Train Traffic



From the above desire lines, it can be seen that the geographical spread of local trains is in a narrow band along the local train corridor. This figure emphasises the failure of rail based transit systems or of isolated corridors to attract high passenger traffic. As the PCMC area grows, the trip lengths would increase with corresponding increase in ingress and egress lengths, which makes corridor based transit systems even less attractive.



#### Figure 28 Desire Lines for Total Traffic



The desire lines for total passenger trips in PCMC Area, presented in Figure 28, reveal an even distribution of trips all over PCMC Area with predominance along Old NH4 and NH50, and a network of transit routes with efficient feeder system is required for providing an efficient and accessible transit system.

## 3.6 Intersection Turning Movements

Intersection turning movements observed at important junctions have been analysed for peak hour flows. The following figure present peak hour turning flows at Nigdi Junction on old NH4.





Figure 29 Peak Hour Turning Movements at Nigdi Junction in Vehicles per Hour





Figure 30 Peak Hour Turning Movements at Nigdi Junction in PCUs per Hour

As shown in the above figure, the traffic in Mumbai to Pune and Pune to Mumbai are predominant movements at Nigdi Junction. There is already a grade separator at this junction in Mumbai – Pune direction.

The following two figures present traffic flow at Chinchwad junction on old NH4. As given in these figures, due to the ongoing construction for grade separator at Chichwad Junction, the traffic in Chinchwad – KSB and Pune – KSB directions is temporarily blocked.





#### Figure 31 Peak Hour Turning Movements at Chinchwad Junction in Vehicless per Hour





Figure 32 Peak Hour Turning Movements at Chinchwad Junction in PCUs per Hour

At this junction also, the traffic in Mumbai – Pune and Pune – Mumbai directions is predominant. The total peak hour flow at this junction is 8865 PCUs per hour reaching the warrant of 10,000 PCUs per hour for grade separator at a junction. The construction of underpass in Mumbai – Pune direction is already on. This underpass would vastly enhance traffic flow on old NH4.

Analysis has been carried out for turning movements at Morewadi Junction. The following two figures present peak hour turning movements at Morewadi Junction. As given in the figure, the peak is between 10:00 and 11:00am.





#### Figure 33 Peak Hour Turning Movements at Morewadi Junction in Vehicles per Hour





Figure 34 Peak Hour Turning Movements at Morewadi Junction in PCUs per Hour

At this junction also, the traffic in Mumbai – Pune and Pune – Mumbai directions is predominant. As shown in the above figure, the total peak hour traffic at the junction is 10,391 PCUs per hour. As per the requirement, there is already an underpass at this junction. The underpass at this junction is catering to Mumbai to Pune and Pune to Mumbai directions.

KSB Chowk is another major junction in PCMC. The following two figures present turning movements at KSB Chowk in vehicles per hour and PCUs per hour respectively.





Figure 35 Peak Hour Turning Movements at KSB Junction in Vehicles per Hour





Figure 36 Peak Hour Turning Movements at KSB Junction in PCUs per Hour

As shown in the above figure, 18:00 to 19:00 hr is the peak hour at KSB Chowk. As shown in the figure, in the peak hour, there are about 9,600 PCUs. The traffic volume at this junction needs a grade separator. Considering the PCMC will grow in the North – South direction in future, a flyover in Chinchwad – Chikli direction is desirable.

DAnge Chowk on Aundh – Ravet road is another busy junction in PCMC. Therefore, intersection turning movements have been observed at this junction. The following two figures present peak hour intersection turning movement diagrams.





Figure 37 Peak Hour Turning Movements at Dange Chowk in Vehicles per Hour





Figure 38 Peak Hour Turning Movements at Dange Chowk in PCUs per Hour

As shown in the above two figures, 18:00 to 19:00 hour is the peak hour at Dange Chowk with 8,525 PCUs as total junction flow per hour. Though this is less than the warrant of 10,000 PCUs per hour which necessitates grade separator, it is suggested to start planning a grade separator at this junction. Considering that considerable growth is anticipated all along side of the Aundh – Ravet Road, a grade separator in this direction, with ramps towards Hingewade side may be planned.

Though a three legged junction, Nashik Phata is one of the most busiest junctions in PCMC. The following two figures present peak hour turning movements in vehicles and PCUs respectively.





Figure 39 Peak Hour Turning Movements at Nashik Phata in Vehicles per Hour

#### Figure 40 Peak Hour Turning Movements at Nashik Phata in PCUs per Hour



As shown in the above figure, the peak hour traffic at Nashik Phata is very high and warrants a grade separator immediately. Please note, the peak hour traffic at this junction is nearly 10,000 PCUs per hour. Leaving the traffic on Mumbai – Nashik directions, the turning traffic in all the other directions is quite high.



The Kalewadi Chowk is the final major junction in PCMC where turning traffic was studied. The following two figures present turning traffic at Kalewadi Chowk.





Figure 42 Peak Hour Turning Movements at Kalewadi Chowk in PCUs per Hour




The peak hour turning traffic at this junction, i.e., at Kalewadi Chowk is moderate and does not warrant a flyover immediately. However, considering the growth prospects in the influence area of this junction, it is recommended to acquire land for a flyover in near future.

# 3.7 Travel Demand Analysis

### 3.7.1 Introduction

As explained in Section 3.3, a four stage travel demand model has been developed to estimate Internal – Internal trips within PCMC Area, with the following models in each of the four stages:

- (i) Trip Generation Model
  - a. Trip Production Model Multiple linear regression model
  - b. Trip Attraction Model Multiple linear regression model
- (ii) Trip Distribution Model Gravity model with zone influence factors
- (iii) Mode Split Model Multinomial Logit Model
- (iv) Traffic Assignment Model All-or-nothing for Transit Trips and Multinomial Logit based Multipath Assignment Model for other trips

For trips with one end outside PCMC Area (i.e., I-E, E-I and E-E trips) elasticity of travel demand approach has been used for trip generation/distribution. The following sections present details on the travel demand model.

### 3.7.2 Trip Generation Models

To model trip generation, two sets of models, namely, trip production and trip attraction models have been calibrated. While trip production models are for estimating the number of trips produced in a zone, trip attraction models are for deriving the number of trips that come to a zone.

#### 3.7.2.1 Trip Production Models

The number of trips produced in a zone generally depends upon a number of factors, important among them being:

- Population of the zone
- Accessibility of the zone
- Income level of people
- Vehicle ownership,
- Age, gender, etc.

In this study, population and accessibility of a zone have been considered for modelling trip productions. The distance of a zone from the nearest commercial zone has been considered as proxy for the accessibility of zone.

A stepwise linear regression modelling approach has been considered. Models have been calibrated both with and without intercepts. The following table summarises results from regression analysis.

#### Table 31 Summary of Regression Analysis for Trip Production Model



S. No:	Case	Regression Results	Remarks
1	<ul> <li>Population as independent variable</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Intercept: -964.317; t- stat:0.1395</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>The relation is statistically not significant</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Regression with Intercept</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Population coefficient: 0.812; t-stat: 1.128</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>correlation is very poor</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>R-square: 0.012</li> </ul>	
2	<ul> <li>Population as independent variable</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Population coefficient: 0.712; t-stat: 16.18</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>The relation is statistically significant</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Regression without Intercept</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>R-square: 0.716</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>correlation is good</li> </ul>
3	<ul> <li>Accessibility as dependent variable</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Intercept: -9723.506; t-stat: -14.823</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>The relation is statistically significant</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Regression with intercept</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Accessibility coefficient: -909.412; t-stat: - 5.413</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>correlation is not good</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>R-square: 0.221</li> </ul>	
4	<ul> <li>Accessibility as dependent variable</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Accessibility coefficient: 1129.233; t-stat: 6.642</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>The relation is statistically significant</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Regression without intercept</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>R-square: 0.298</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>correlation is not good</li> </ul>
5	<ul> <li>Population and Accessibility as dependent variable</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Intercept: 5199.018; t- stat: 0.831</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Intercept and population coefficients are</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Regression with intercept</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Population coefficient: 0.468; t-stat: 1.920</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>correlation is not good</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Accessibility coefficient: -897.011; t-stat: - 5.300</li> </ul>	
		<ul> <li>R-square: 0.210</li> </ul>	
6	<ul> <li>Population and Accessibility as dependent variable</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Population coefficient: 0.999; t-stat: 14.806</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>The relation is statistically significant</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Regression without intercept</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Accessibility coefficient: -870.895; t-stat: -5.244</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>correlation is good</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>R-square: 0.780</li> </ul>	



Of the six combinations considered for trip production model, the models with population as independent variable or with population and accessibility as independent variables and without intercept in both the cases are statistically significant and have good correlation.

Based on the t-statistic and R-square, the model without intercept and with population and accessibility as independent variables (Model 6 in the above table) has been considered for trip production.

Figure 43 shows correlation between the observed and estimated trip productions.



#### Figure 43 Correlation between Observed and Estimated Trip Productions

Except for few points, the above figure presents a close agreement between the observed and estimated trip productions.

#### 3.7.2.2 Trip Attraction Models

Like trip productions, the number of trips attracted in a zone generally depends upon a number of factors, like:

- Commercial area in a zone
- Basic employment in a zone
- Accessibility of the zone
- Vehicle ownership,
- Facilities in a zone, etc.

In this study, the number of workers and accessibility of a zone have been considered for modelling trip attractions. As in the case of trip productions, the distance of commercial zones from residential zones has been considered as proxy for the accessibility of zone.

A stepwise linear regression modelling approach has been considered. Models have been calibrated both with and without intercepts. The following table summarises results from regression analysis.

S. No:	Case	Regression Results	Remarks
1	<ul> <li>Number of Workers as independent variable</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Intercept: 6726.014; t- stat:0.11.314</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>The relation is statistically not significant</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Number of Workers</li> </ul>	

#### Table 32 Summary of Regression Analysis for Trip Attraction Model



S. No:	Case	Regression Results	Remarks
	<ul> <li>Regression with Intercept</li> </ul>	coefficient: 0.009; t- stat: 0.221 R-square: 0.001	<ul> <li>correlation is very poor</li> </ul>
2	<ul> <li>Number of Workers as independent variable</li> <li>Regression without Intercept</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Number of Workers coefficient: 0.258; t- stat: 5.451</li> <li>R-square: 0.213</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>The relation is statistically significant</li> <li>correlation is good</li> </ul>
3	<ul> <li>Accessibility as dependent variable</li> <li>Regression with intercept</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Intercept: 10058.13.506; t-stat: 13.331</li> <li>Accessibility coefficient: -1019.2; t- stat: - 5.274</li> <li>R-square: 0.205</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>The relation is statistically significant</li> <li>correlation is not good</li> </ul>
4	<ul> <li>Accessibility as dependent variable</li> <li>Regression without intercept</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Accessibility coefficient: 1089.608; t-stat: 5.974</li> <li>R-square: 0.246</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>The relation is statistically significant</li> <li>correlation is not good</li> </ul>
5	<ul> <li>Number of Workers and Accessibility as dependent variable</li> <li>Regression with intercept</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Intercept: 10159.36; t-stat: 12.578</li> <li>Number of Workers coefficient: 0.031; t-stat: 0.901</li> <li>Accessibility coefficient: -1154.11; t-stat: -5.578</li> <li>R-square: 0.219</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Number of Workers coefficients are statistically not significant</li> <li>correlation is not good</li> </ul>
6	<ul> <li>Number of Workers and Accessibility as dependent variable</li> <li>Regression without intercept</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Number of Workers coefficient: 0.158; t- stat: 3.036</li> <li>Accessibility coefficient: 771.376; t- stat: 3.772</li> <li>R-square: 0.301</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>The relation is statistically significant</li> <li>correlation is average and better than other combinations</li> </ul>



Of the six combinations considered for trip production model, the model with number of workers and accessibility as independent variables without intercept is statistically significant and has better correlation. Accordingly, this model has been considered for trip attraction estimation.

The following figure shows correlation between the observed and estimated trip productions.



Figure 44 Correlation between Observed and Estimated Trip Attractions

The above figure presents a reasonable agreement between the observed and estimated trip productions.

### 3.7.3 Trip Distribution Models

Gravity model, the most commonly used technique, is used in this assignment to model trip distribution.

When gravity model was calibrated, the model was unable to replicate the travel pattern, probably because PCMC is primarily an industry dominated city with large scale industrial establishments in few zones. Therefore, a convex combination of proportional model and gravity model has been considered for modelling trip distribution. The following model has been used for trip distribution.

$$T_{ij} = 0.5P_i \frac{A_j d_{ij}^{\ \beta}}{\sum_{kj \in OD} A_k d_{kj}^{\ \beta}} + 0.5 \frac{T_{ij}^{obs}}{O_i A_j}$$

In the above equation,

 $T_{ii}$  is estimate of trips between Zones *i* and *j* 

 $P_i$  are the trips produced at Zone i

- $A_i$  are the trips attracted at Zone j
- $d_{ii}$  is the impedence (distance) between ij

 $\beta$  is the model parameter

 $T_{ii}^{obs}$  is the observed trips between Zones *i* and *j* 



The above model has been calibrated (by method of least squares; grid search) and the estimate for  $\beta$  is 1.151. The following figure presents estimated trips against observed trips. The figure presents a good correlation between observed and estimated trips.





### 3.7.4 Mode Split Model

Multinomial logit model has been used for mode split analysis. The model considered is given below.

$$P_i^m = \frac{e^{V_i}}{\sum_{j \in N} e^{V_j}},$$
$$V_i = \sum_{k \in K} a_k X_{ik}$$

In the above model,  $P_i^m$  is the probability of choosing mode *i* by an individual *m*,  $a_k$  is the model coefficient,  $X_{ik}$ . Is the  $k^{th}$  the utility variable for mode *i*.

The model coefficients, estimated using maximum likelihood estimation procedure are given below:

Variable	Coefficient
Time	-0.2242
Cost	-0.2678
Local Train	1.8649
Car Bias	0.0814
Two Wheeler Bias	0.1423
Auto Bias	-0.0763

### 3.7.5 Traffic Assignment

Multinomial logit model based multi-path traffic assignment (Dial's STOCH) has been considered for assigning trips onto the network. All-or-nothing assignment has been considered for assigning transit assignment. The network considered for traffic assignment with details of link lengths is presented in **Annexure 4. Annexure 5** presents direction wise transit trips assigned onto the above network for the base year (2008).





The following table presents peak hour traffic volumes expected on various important corridors in PCMC under no intervention scenario. The traffic referred here does not include bus traffic, but covers all other passenger modes and goods modes. The purpose of excluding the bus traffic is to determine the number of lanes required for other traffic, when dedicated bus lanes are declared for BRTS in PCMC.

Corridor	Section	2007	2011	2021
	Near Dapodi	10559	14638	27703
	Near Morewadi	6438	9701	22802
	Near Bajaj	6180	9244	21623
	Nigdi	6587	9644	22015
Aundh Bayet	Near Aundh	9286	12600	23356
Aunum navet	Near Tathwade	3059	4516	10286
Telclo Boad	Telco	4576	6729	15229
Telcio Tidad	Thermax	4760	6977	15766
	Rupee Nagar	930	1414	3366
MDR 31	Dange Chowk	4272	6437	15130
	Hingewadi	4642	7045	16754
Dehu Alandi Road		863	1298	3030
	Nashik Phata	4549	6904	16418
	Bhosri	3809	5781	13747

#### Table 33 Traffic Volume on Various Major Arterials in PCMC

Considering a lane capacity of 2,200 PCUs per hour, at capacity, the following numbers of lanes are required for the traffic other than bus traffic.

Table 34 Number of Lanes Required for General Tra	ffic
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Corridor	Section	2007	2011	2021
	Near Dapodi	8	10	20
	Near Morewadi	6	8	16
	Near Bajaj	6	8	16
	Nigdi	6	8	16
Aundh Bayet	Near Aundh	8	10	16
Aunum navel	Near Tathwade	4	4	8
Telco Boad	Telco	4	6	12
Teleo Hoad	Thermax	4	6	12
	Rupee Nagar	2	2	4
MDR 31	Dande Chowk	4	6	12
	Hingewadi	4	6	12
Dehu Alandi Road		2	2	4
	Nashik Phata	4	6	12
	Bhosri	4	4	10

From the above table it can be seen that, by 2010, old NH4 needs 10 lanes (in both directions put together) up to Nashik Phata and 8 lanes for the remaining section. Most of the other corridors require 4 or 6-lane divided carriageway for the general traffic other than bus traffic.



From the above table it can be seen that, under no intervention scenario, the traffic on East – West corridors will grow significantly and will lead to severe congestion and traffic management problems. It is therefore, recommended to improve the accessibility and mobility in the North-South direction so that there is an even demand on the road network. The accelerated growth of PCMC in the North – South Direction is already taking place due to developments at Hingewadi, Talawade and Chakan. In this regard, the development of Pune – Alandi – NH50 corridor is essential, as this is likely to bypass the entire traffic from Eastern Pune and considerable amount of Central and South Pune Traffic that goes to Dehu, Alandi, Chakan, Talawade and Nashik side, like, Rajguru Nagar.

S.No.	Section of corridor	BRTS trips (passenger trips per day)
<b>BRT</b> – 1	: Aundh Rawet	
	Rajiv Gandhi bridge to Sangvi phata	57,381
	Sangvi phata To Kalewadi phata	37,490
	Kalewadi phata To Dange Chowk	13,342
	Dange Chowk To Thatawade	12,151
	Thatawade To Punawale	8,433
	Punawale To Mumabai/Bangalore Expressway	8,381
BRT – 2	: Old NH-4	
	Dapodi to Nashik phata	1,89,427
	Nashik phata To Pimpri Chowk	1,11,857
	Pimpri Chowk To Finolex Cable	1,02,159
	Finolex Cable To Chichwad Chowk	96,065
	Chichwad Chowk to Nigdi	80,310
BRT – 3	: Telco Road	
	Nashik road to Landewadi	19,031
	Landewadi To Sadan Chowk	9,333
	Sadan Chowk To Balaji Nagar	16,489
	Balaji Nagar To Gavali Math	16,551
	Gavali Math To Tata Motors	13,146
	Tata Motors To KSB Chowk	13,912
	KSB Chowk To Thermax	12,699
	Thermax To Triveni Nagar	12,757
BRT – 4	: Dehu Alandi	
	Dehu to Talwade	11,558
	Talwade To Chikhali	3,475
	Chikhali To NH 50 junction	12,952
	NH 50 junction To Alandi junction	16,051
	Alandi junction To Alandi Bus stand	12,841
BRT – 5	: <u>NH – 50</u>	
	Kasarwadi to Telco road junction	27,167
	Telco road junction To Bhosari	24,697
	Bhosari To Spine road junction	14,669
	Spine road junction To Moshi gowthan	36,184
	Moshi gowthan To Moshi-Borhadewadi	40,629
	Moshi-Borhadewadi To Dehu Alandi road	39,418

The following tables present the base-year traffic scenario along the important corridors in the city.

The preceding sections profile the traffic characteristics in comprehensive detail. The purpose of profiling the traffic characteristics was to understand the patterns of the traffic within and across the city and to provide a basis for the identification of the service needs. Based on these profiles and the identified service needs, the next stage would be to propose the best possible solution to the service needs. This is undertaken through the preparation of the Comprehensive Mobility Plan (CMP). The CMP for the city of Pimpri Chinchwad is presented in the following chapter.



# 4 TRAVEL DEMAND MODELLING

Once the traffic and transportation characteristics of the city have been profiled, the next step is to identify the interventions and solutions to satisfy the current and the future service needs. While doing so, it is very important that the solutions to satisfy the service needs in different corridors are integrated with each other and all such solutions are integrated at the city level. Such a city level identification of service needs and the consequent strategy of integrated corridor level solutions and interventions are known as the Comprehensive Mobility Plan.

This Chapter is organized to present the pattern of travel demand is projected over a two decade period in a Business As Usual Scenario – assuming that the Development Plans and regulations currently in force remain as they are and current development trends continue. Having laid out this scenario, the objectives for a planned transformation were set out. The options available were then analyzed. The following section lays out all the key elements of a strategy for rational reorganization of both transportation systems and land use in the city of Pimpri-Chinchwad. While planning for transportation systems (from road network to mass transport) constitutes the supply management side of the intervention, the modulation of land use constitutes demand management. The effect of the Integrated Land Use – Transportation Plan on projected travel demand has then been assessed. The changes proposed in land use and density can only be realized through statutory processes leading to change in the Development Plan and Development Control Regulations. This is dealt with in the last section.

In the transportation planning exercise of this study, two broad scenarios have been considered for making population forecasts and their subsequent use in predicting travel patterns:

- 1. <u>Business As Usual Scenario</u>: the Land Use Zoning and Development Control Regulations continue to remain as they are today
- Integrated Land Use Transport Scenario: the Land Use Zoning and Development Control Regulations are modified to encourage higher density of built up area and location of higher order uses/ activities along proposed transport corridors and at nodes on such corridors.
- 4.1.1.1 Business-As-Usual (BAU) Scenario

In this scenario, the notional/ implied 'Carrying Capacity' of resident population in each ward has been estimated on the basis of the following factors:

- 1. Observed population density in wards that appear to be 'fully developed'
- 2. Observed population density in built areas of wards that are partly developed
- 3. Land use and built form typology in all the wards
- 4. Prevalent Development Control Regulations

The urban planners have relied substantially on their experience and intuitive understanding of urban development processes while interpreting the observations and arriving at notional carrying capacities for each ward.

A simple Excel Worksheet based model was developed for distributing the city level increment in population (as estimated in the City Development Plan) for each time period. The increment in city level population is distributed in direct proportion to the available 'spare capacity' in each ward.



#### 4.1.1.2 Integrated Land Use – Transport (ILUT) Scenario

Based on various considerations elaborated in the relevant chapters of this report, the main transportation corridors have been identified. A proposed land use and density zoning plan has been prepared to complement and strengthen these corridors. Higher density (Higher Floor Space Index - FSI) and higher order land uses (such as commercial) have been proposed along the proposed transportation corridors, with emphasis on nodes on these corridors. It is anticipated that these zones will be provided with higher level of services.

In a simplistic sense, the impact of this proposed land use and density zoning on the estimated population distribution is that it will increase the notional carrying capacity of wards in which these zones fall. The increased capacity in each ward has been calculated on the basis of (1) proposed Development Control Regulations and (2) an intuitive understanding of the nature of development likely along the corridors. The rest of the methodology remains the same as in the BAU Scenario.

The estimated population distribution in the ILUT Scenario is presented in Section 4.3.1.

### 4.2 Future Travel Demand Scenarios – Business as Usual

The current travel demand scenario has been described in detail in Chapter 3. The model developed on the basis of historic and current data has been used to simulate the changing travel demand pattern over 5-year intervals up to 2031.

### 4.2.1 Methodology for Population Projections

The electoral ward is the spatial unit used for population forecast as it is also the spatial unit used as Traffic Analysis Zone. 2001 has been taken as the base year with census population for the 105 wards as the base population. Population has been estimated for the years 2006 and projected for the years 2011, 2016, 2021, 2026, and 2031 (five year intervals from Census year 2001) using the methodology described below.

#### 4.2.1.1 City level population projection

At the city level, the components of population change are as follows:

- 1. Natural growth of resident population
- 2. In-migration
- 3. Out-migration
- 4. Incorporation of peripheral/ new areas into the city's jurisdiction
- 5. Removal of any areas from the city's jurisdiction

Typically, the largest components are natural growth and in-migration. A multitude of factors affect these two components, such as socio-economic characteristics, economic growth in the city, availability of land for development and the push factors in the hinterland (for example, rural poverty). While it is not realistically possible to model the effects of all such factors, it has been observed that a trend based projection usually suffices for most planning purposes. Such a trend based projection has already been carried out for Pimpri-Chinchwad Municipal Corporation during the preparation of the City Development Plan. This projection has been used for estimating the city's infrastructure requirements. The same projections have been used for the transportation planning exercise also.

#### 4.2.1.2 Ward level population projection

At ward level, however, a trend based projection proves inadequate as the growth trends are different in different parts of the city. It has generally been observed that the growth rate of population decreases in an area as it approaches a notional/ implied carrying capacity. 'Modified exponential' is the statistical method that comes closest to describing such a growth pattern.



However, 'carrying capacity' of an urban area is not a constant. It is determined partly by the regulatory system (Development Control Regulations) and by space standards in the real estate market. The Development Control Regulations (DCR) of the city determines the quantum of built up area permissible per unit area of land – in other words, density of built up area. Since the size of a dwelling unit is not constant, the density of built up area in combination with the average size of dwelling unit, translates this 'density of built up area' into 'density of resident population'. The size of dwelling unit is in turn affected by socio-economic characteristics of the predominant demographic group in the locality as well as by prevalent land and property prices. To some extent, the ability of the city to service an increasing population also affects the 'carrying capacity'.

As in the case of city level population projections, it is not possible to accurately model all factors affecting the notional/ implied carrying capacity of an area. However, based on (1) a close observation of the land use characteristics of each ward of the city, (2) assessment of the real estate market trends and (3) an understanding of the Development Control Regulations in force, it is possible to make an educated guess as to the carrying capacity of each ward. In a simplistic sense, the distribution of the periodic increment in city population can be assumed to happen in each ward in direct proportion to the 'spare capacity' remaining in the ward. That is, the ward with maximum 'spare capacity' will get the largest share of the growth in population. Though this approach does not take into account various micro level factors/ ground realities in the short term, for long term planning, this gives a fair approximation of what is likely to happen.

### 4.2.2 Ward wise distribution for BAU scenario

Based on the above methodology, the ward-wise population distribution has been estimated and attached in **Annexure 6**.

### 4.2.3 Future Travel demand in BAU scenario

Future Traffic has been estimated using the following methodology:

- Estimate traffic productions for Internal to Internal trips for years 2011, 2021, 2031 using the population projections given in Annexure 6 and the trip production model presented in Section 3.6 For other trips, the trips have been projected based on the past growth rates.
- In PCMC, trip attraction is mostly due to the basic employment in various zones, because PCMC is primarily an industrial city with more residential and commercial development in recent times. Since the future basic employment in each of the zones cannot be estimated accurately, for trip attractions the same distribution as in the base year (2007) has been used for future projections.
- Trip distribution model presented in Section 3.6 has been used to estimate travel pattern for the future.
- The total trips among various zones, estimated by the Trip Distribution model, have been segmented into private, IPT and PT trips by using the mode split model. PT trips estimated by using the mode split model have been assigned onto the transit network by all-or-nothing assignment to estimate transit trips on various corridors and feeder routes.

The following table presents the total and transit trips in PCMC Area (including I-I, I-E, E-I and E-E trips).

S. No.	Year	Total Trips	PT Trips
1	2007	21,14,001	5,57,103
2	2011	27,66,328	6,61,477
3	2021	58,56,034	10,61,487
4	2031	1,46,32,552	19,49,632

#### Table 35: Total and PT Trips in PCMC Area under BAU Scenario



The following figure presents trends in the growth of total and PT passenger trips in PCMC Area. As shown in the figure, PT as well as total passenger trips are likely to grow at a rapid pace from 2015 onwards. For easy understanding of the anticipated growth of the passenger trips in PCMC Area, growth rates have been derived based on traffic forecasts presented in the above table and are given in Table 36.



Figure 46 Growths of Total and Transit Trips in PCMC AREA under BAU Scenario

#### Table 36: Growth rates for traffic forecast under BAU Scenario

	Growt Rate (%)			
Year	Total Trips	PT Trips		
2007	-	-		
2011	6.95	4.39		
2021	7.79	4.84		
2031	9.59	6.27		

Detailed estimates of total trips, PT Trips and Corridor flows for years 2007, 2011, 2021 and 2031 are presented in **Annexure 7**.

Based on the above results from the traffic model, detailed analysis was carried out for some of the main transport corridors in PCMC for determining the Peak Hour Peak Direction Traffic numbers. The following table presents these details.

Table 37: Peak traffic derived for important corridords in PCMC area

Corridor	Corridor Peak traffic – Number of Bus-passenger Trips			
	2008		2021	
	PPD	PHPDT	PPD	PHPDT
Aundh-Rawet road	57,381	3,682		
Old NH-4	1,89,427	12,156		
Dehu Alandi	16,051	1,030	36,540	2,345
NH – 50 (Nashik phata to Moshi)	40,629	2,607	1,01,374	6,505
Kalewadi to Delhu-Alandi	33,219	2,132	56,112	3,601
Pune to Alandi	3,057	196	6,492	417



Corridor	Corridor Peak traffic – Number of Bus-passenger Trips			
	2008		2021	
	PPD	PHPDT	PPD	PHPDT
Nashik Phata to Wakad	41,532	2,665	83,662	5,369
Kiwale to Bhakti Shakti	10,355	664	23,243	1,492

It can be observed that while some corridors have immediate requirement for improvements, the others will achieve higher traffic over a period of time.

# 4.3 Future Travel Demand Scenario – Integrated Land Use and Transportation

### 4.3.1 Detailed population distribution Analysis

Population projections for the Integrated Land-use and transportation scenario have been presented in **Annexure 8**.

# 4.3.2 Future Travel demand in Integrated Land Use and Transportation scenario

For estimating future traffic under this scenario, the procedure that is similar to that used in the case of BAU Scenario has been considered.

The following table presents total and transit trips in PCMC Area (including I-I, I-E, E-I and E-E trips) under the changed land use scenario.

S. No:	Year	Total Trips	PT Trips
1	2007	21,17,339	5,56,165
2	2011	27,66,328	6,61,477
3	2021	58,65,426	10,56,721
4	2031	1,46,32,552	19,40,810

#### Table 38: Total and PT Trips in PCMC Area under Integrated Land-Use scenario

The Figure 47 presents trends in the growth of total and PT passenger trips in PCMC Area. As shown in the figure, PT as well as total passenger trips are likely to grow at a rapid pace from 2015 onwards. For easy understanding of the anticipated growth of the passenger trips in PCMC Area, growth rates have been derived based on traffic forecasts presented in the above table and are given in Table 39.



# Figure 47 Growth of Total and Transit Trips in PCMC AREA under Integrated Land-Use Scenario



Note: Poly – polygon curve corresponding to the peaks of trips

#### Table 39: Growth rates for traffic forecast under Land-use integration Scenario

	Growth Rate (%)			
Year	Total Trips PT Trips			
2007	-	-		
2011	6.91	4.43		
2021	7.81	4.80		
2031	9.57	6.27		

Traffic forecasts under the BAU and Changed Land Use Scenario are quite similar except for redistribution of trips. It may be noted that, while estimating transit trips a wide network of transit routes with feeder network covering almost entire PCMC Area has been considered. Therefore, even in the case of transit trips there is no appreciable difference in traffic forecasts under the two scenarios considered. Detailed estimates of total trips, PT Trips and Corridor flows for years 2007, 2011, 2021 and 2031 are given in **Annexure 9**.

### 4.4 Proposed Land Use and Density Zoning

The basic premise of aligning land use and density is to load higher order uses and higher density on corridors with higher investment in infrastructure, in other words; 'corridors with higher carrying capacity will have higher intensity of uses'. The trunk routes as mentioned in Section 5.1.1.1 will have commercial uses of greater FSI while the feeder corridors may have lower order commercial and residential uses in comparison. Residential and other uses of decreasing density will be aligned with increasing distance from these corridors. A schematic land use and density maps is shown in **MAPS 5.4 and 5.5 - Proposed Land Use Plan, Proposed Density Plan**. These plans are only schematic and are intended to give inputs to the preparation of a Development Plan for the city.

It is proposed that a variable FSI regime be applied on the corridors. A base FSI of one will be given as a matter of right to all and additional development rights may be bought to be used on predefined pockets along the corridor.



## 4.5 Challenges and opportunities, goals and objectives

With the goal of achieving a coherent relationship between land use and transportation systems, this section sets forth the agenda for improving various components of mobility in the city.

### 4.5.1 Improving road network structure

In Section 2.1, the inadequacies of the road network as it stands presently and as proposed in the Development Plans have been discussed. The Development Plans have been prepared at three points in time for three different parts of the city. The challenge is to articulate a holistic approach to road network, building on the strength of the existing network. Currently, there is a paradoxical situation wherein the north-south arterial roads function both as the spine of the city with its major activities aligned along their length and as the principal regional traffic routes. A long term vision for the city has to consider the transformation of these arterials into high capacity traffic carriers for the city and its main connections to Pune. This requires the creation of alternate routes for regional through traffic on the periphery. The road network in Pimpri-Chinchwad has a grid structure. The simplest approach would be to extend the grid outwards, the outermost grid roads taking the regional traffic. The internal grid is however, incomplete and needs to be strengthened in terms of hierarchy, continuity and topology.

### 4.5.2 Diversifying and integrating transportation systems

Currently PCMC is served by bus transport being provided by PCMT, PMT (both these mow merged in PMPML) and Local Trains. IPT is also a predominant mode, but on few corridors in Pune – Mumbai direction. However, there is no coordination among these modes and therefore some of these modes are under utilised.

The local trains running between Pune and Lonavla currently cater to only about 80,000 passengers per day. Its share is likely to go down further as PCMC City grows further away from the local train corridor, particularly the growth of the City transverse to Mumbai – Pune direction. The capacity available on this corridor can be utilised better, if sufficient feeder network is provided both in PCMC and Pune and better parking facilities at stations. High frequency local trains, with integrated ticketing (for local trains and bus transit) would greatly enhance the utilisation of local trains and relieve congestion on Old NH4 in Dapodi Area.

Currently buses run on few major arterials and important streets. An efficient feeder system needs to be provided for enhancing the reach public transit into whole of PCMC Area.

### 4.5.3 Integration of Land Use and Transportation at City Level

The land use zoning proposed in the three Development Plans in the city have also been configured on a need basis at different points in time and do not take a holistic view for the city in totality. The Comprehensive Mobility Plan provides an opportunity to reorganize land use and density in coordination with the proposed road network and transportation systems proposed.

#### 4.5.4 Development of East-West Corridors

It was shown earlier that, at present, the movement of traffic in PCMC area is predominantly in North – South direction, parallel to Old NH4. There are five corridors in PCMC to cater to this traffic, namely,

- 1. Old NH4
- 2. Aundh Ravet Road
- 3. NH4 Bypass
- 4. Telco Road
- 5. Spine Road



In addition to the above, Dehu – Alandi road is also available for North – South Traffic. However, due to following reasons, the travel pattern in the East-West direction is expected to grow significantly.

- (i) growth of Chakan as another industrial hub in the region,
- (ii) large number of SEZs and industrial estates that are being planned on Vadgaon Chakan Road, and
- (iii) growth of Hingewadi and Talawade area

To organise this growth from the beginning, it is essential to develop East – West corridors in PCMC area including transit operations.

### 4.6 Alternative Analysis

To manage mobility in PCMC area, the following options have been considered:

- (i) Plan the land use in such a way that the overall necessity for travel goes down. This will require mixed land use in all zones. Further, as described earlier, plan major developments close to Public Transit Corridors so that one can access transit without much difficulty and without using a feeder system. In this assignment, proposals have been made to this effect.
- (ii) Provide high capacity transit, like, metro system on Old NH4 and a feeder system in Pune and PCMC Area. While this may address the traffic between Pune and PCMC, for the network spread of PCMC, considering the failure of metro rail systems at other places, one or few metro lines may not suffice.
- (iii) Provide high frequency high capacity bus transit on all important corridors and develop new corridors between Pune and PCMC. Right now, Old NH4 and Aundh – Ravet road carry most of the traffic between Pune and PCMC Area. With the growth of PCMC towards Chakan these two corridors will not be effective to handle the future traffic between Pune and PCMC. The extension of the road network grid proposed in this study into Pune will reduce congestion on Old NH4 significantly.

### 4.7 Stake holder consultations

The present study involved a comprehensive study of the PCMC area. The various organisations/departments with whom consultations were held are:

- 1. The Commissioner, PCMC
- 2. The Additional Commissioner, PCMC
- 3. The City Engineer, PCMC
- 4. The Deputy Engineer, PCMC
- 5. Election Department at PCMC
- 6. Town Planning Department at PCMC
- 7. Property Tax Department at PCMC
- 8. General Manager, Pimpri-Chinchwad Municipal Transport (PCMT)
- 9. Dy. Managing Director, PMPML



10. Asst Commissioner Office, Regional Transport Authority, Pimpri-Chinchwad

- 11. Asst Commissioners Office, Traffic Police, Pune
- 12. Team working on GISDA, Science & Technology Park

Secondary data was also collected from most of the above departments in order to complement primary traffic surveys.

Meetings were also held with officials in Pune Municipal Corporation to understand their plans for mass transit systems. Interactions were also held with the consultants of PMC which are working on these projects. They were appraised about the current study.

A meeting was also held with members of the builder association in the region to get their inputs on future growth of Pimpri-Chinchwad.

A number of meetings were held with technical consultants of PCMC who are working on various infrastructure projects in the city.

At various stages of the study, members of the General Body of PCMC, which is the decision making authority with all Corporators of the city as its members, were apprised about the concept and approach towards the projects. Their concurrence was taken for finalising city-level issues related to the road improvement projects and the BRT system.



# **5 TRANSPORT MASTER PLAN**

The proposed Transportation Master Plan consists of three major components

- 1. Proposed road network,
- 2. Proposed transportation system, and
- 3. Proposed land use and density zoning.

This Chapter presents details of projects that have to be taken up by PCMC in order to develop a comprehensive transportation system in the city.

### 5.1 Strategy for Proposed Transportation System

As presented in Chapter 4, a detailed traffic model was constructed for projecting the traffic characteristics in the city of Pimpri-Chinchwad. The following map indicates classifications of corridors in terms of capacity of traffic.



#### Figure 48 Road network by traffic density



### 5.1.1 Proposed Road Network

The objective is to articulate a network of arterial roads which follows the topology of a grid, is hierarchically structured with respect to function and capacity of each road in the grid, and is complete and continuous at each hierarchical level. To achieve this, the method involved creating a pattern from the existing network and then proposing the following kinds of interventions:

- 1. Widening of existing roads where required to ensure hierarchy and continuity
- 2. New link roads to complete missing links for establishing desirable patterns
- 3. Entirely new road alignments in the periphery to serve future development and to carry regional traffic

The maps attached herewith explain the process followed and present the proposed road network when completed (**refer MAP 5.1 – Proposed road network for PCMC & its region**). The tables give details of the land requirements for implementing the proposed improvements and new roads. About 733 ha of land must be appropriated to complete the road structure as proposed in MAP 5.1.

	Tatal		Length of		Land Requirements		
Road Name	length proposed (km)	ROW proposed	roads where ROW has to be extended	Length of new roads	For ROW extensions (in ha)	For new roads (in ha)	Total Area (in ha)
Aundh Ravet Road	14.4	45.0	13.9	0.5	45.7	1.9	47.6
Old NH4	14.6	61.0	Already in	possession	or will be acqu	uired in the s	hort term
Telco road	12.0	61.0	Already in	possession	or will be acqu	uired in the s	hort term
Pradhikaran	10.6	45.0	Already in	possession	or will be acqu	uired in the s	hort term
Dehu Alandi	14.5	45.0	10.8	3.7	41.1	16.5	57.6
Nashik phata to Moshi	10.4	61.0	Already in	possession	or will be acqu	uired in the s	hort term
Nashik phata to Wakad	7.8	45.0	Already in	possession	or will be acqu	uired in the s	hort term
Kalewadi-KSB Chowk-Dehu Alandi Rd	13.25	45.0	8.9	12.7	28.5	57.0	85.5
Ravet Punawale to Bhakti Shakti to Talwade	11.8	30.0	12.5	7.7	24.6	23.1	47.7
Hinjewadi to Dehu-Alandi Road	13.3	30.0	10.9	2.4	18.2	6.9	25.1
Hinjewadi to Tata motors	16.7	30.0	14.6	2.1	28.6	5.5	34.1
Outer Grid	68.7	60.0	54.8	13.9	74.2	329.0	403.2
Road Parallel to Aundh Ravet	8.4	30.0	5.6	2.8	20.3	12.1	32.4
Vishrantwadi- Alandi	11.6	60.0	-	-	-	-	-

#### Table 40 Land consolidation requirements for improving road structure



*NOTE:* This table corresponds to the road network proposed as part of this exercise and therefore includes those lengths of proposed roads that go beyond the existing jurisdiction of PCMC.

#### 5.1.1.1 Transport Corridors

Based on the analysis of existing traffic patterns and travel demand forecasts, the arterial road alignments have been categorized into major transport corridors at two hierarchical levels, considering overall vehicular movement as well as public transport requirements (refer MAP 5.2 – Proposed road network with main road corridors and feeder routes).

Corridor Name	ROW existing or proposed in Development Plans (m)	ROW proposed in this Transportation Master Plan (m)	
Level 1 Corridors (Trunk Routes)			
Aundh Ravet Road	45	45	
NH4	61	61	
Telco Road	61	61	
Dehu to Alandi road	30	45	
NH50 (Nashik phata to Moshi)	61	61	
Nashik phata to Wakad	60	60	
Hinjewadi to Dehu-Alandi Road	45	45	
Kalewadi-KSB Chowk-Dehu Alandi Rd	30	45	
Vishrantwadi-Alandi	60	60	
Kiwale to Bhakti Shakti	Less than 30 m	30	
Level 2 Corridors (Feeder Routes)			
Pradhikaran	75	45	
Hinjewadi to Tata motors	Less than 30 m	30	
Bhakti Shakti to Talwade	30	30	
Road Parallel to Aundh Ravet	Less than 30 m	30	

#### Table 41 Main Road Corridors and Feeder Routes

5.1.1.2 Modes of Public Transport with Hierarchy

The mode and hierarchy of public transport to be used in the above Corridors has been conceptualized as follows:

#### Short and Medium term:

In the short and medium term, the public transport system will have the following hierarchical levels (in functional terms and not correlating with road alignments on a one-to-one basis)

Level 1: Trunk Routes of Bus Rapid Transit System in "Open System" configuration

- Level 2: Feeder Routes of Bus Rapid Transit System
- Level 3: Para transit and non-motorized vehicles supporting the BRTS

#### Long term:

In the long term, as the Corridors get well established, land use gets reorganized, densities get loaded and the travel demand gets intensified along corridors, it is anticipated that the rider-ship along the major Corridors will increase to a point where the following becomes viable:

Level 1: Rail based Mass Transit System (Metro), or

Light Rail Transit System, or

Monorail System, or



Tramway System, or

Trunk Routes of BRTS in "Closed System" configuration (recommended)

- Level 2: Trunk Routes of Bus Rapid Transit System in "Open System" configuration
- Level 3: Feeder Routes of Bus Rapid Transit System
- Level 4: Para transit and non-motorized vehicles supporting the BRTS

The North-South Corridors connecting to Pune are the prime candidates for conversion to a high capacity system such as the options mentioned for Level 1 above, primarily due to high trip rate between the two fast growing urban areas.

The transportation demand along high-density road corridors in Pimpri-Chinchwad was studied in detail and peak-hour traffic demand was calculated for a bus-based transit system. The following table presents the total Passengers Per Direction (PPD) and the Peak Hour Peak Direction Traffic (PHPDT) along these corridors.

Corridor	Corridor Peak traffic – Number of Bus-passenger Trips				
	2008		20	21	
	PPD	PHPDT	PPD	PHPDT	
Aundh-Rawet road	57,381	3,682			
Old NH-4	1,89,427	12,156			
Dehu Alandi	16,051	1,030	36,540	2,345	
NH – 50 (Nashik phata to Moshi)	40,629	2,607	1,01,374	6,505	
Kalewadi to Delhu-Alandi	33,219	2,132	56,112	3,601	
Pune to Alandi	3,057	196	6,492	417	
Nashik Phata to Wakad	41,532	2,665	83,662	5,369	
Kiwale to Bhakti Shakti	10,355	664	23,243	1,492	

#### Table 42: Peak traffic derived for important corridors in PCMC area

It can be observed that most of these corridors have a significant demand for a public-transit system. As per general norms, a bas-based rapid transit system (BRTS) with dedicated bus-lanes may be provided in cases where the PHPDT is more than 2,000. In the case of corridors where the traffic observed is lesser, an open BRT system may be introduced initially which can be modified into one with dedicated bus-lanes at a later date. It is therefore proposed to introduce a BRT system along the major road corridors in Pimpri-Chinchwad.





#### Figure 49 Map showing road network

#### 5.1.1.3 Pedestrian and NMV network

The Bus Rapid Transit System has a complementary and synergistic relationship with facilities for pedestrians and non-motorized vehicles such as bicycles – one enables the other to function efficiently. Facilities for pedestrians and Non-Motorised Vehicles (NMVs) are not just appendages to roads, but need to be conceptualized as independent networks which are continuous and complete in themselves, but also integrating well with the road network and public transport system.

Like most cities, Pimpri-Chinchwad also has a network of natural drains (nala). These drains form a network to discharge their legitimate function of carrying storm water. On preliminary analysis, it is observed that the nala network in Pimpri Chinchwad follows alignments parallel and perpendicular to the proposed grid of arterial roads. It also appears that this network is well connected to relatively high density low income residential neighbourhoods. The residents of such localities are the most likely to benefit from using these routes for short trips, to reach bus stops or even to go all the way on work trips.

Therefore it is proposed that these nalas be redeveloped as Greenways which accommodate, in addition to the drains themselves, pathways for pedestrians and bicycles/NMV's. A preliminary mapping based on available secondary information has been done. Detailed study of ROW, encroachment, physical conditions, etc needs to be carried out (refer MAP 5.3 – The bicycle and pedestrian master plan).

#### 5.1.2 Fly-over Projects

Based on the results from traffic surveys and the turning movement surveys, fly-overs are beign proposed at the following locations in Pimpri-Chinchwad:

#### Table 43 Locations of fly-overs

S.No.	Location
1	NH-50 at Moshi junction
2	Kasarwadi – Nashik phata
3	Telco Chowk, Chinchwad
4	Over Spine road
5	Westerly Bypass intersection with MDR 31
6	Bhakti-Shakti, Nigdi
7	Over Aundh-Rawet road at Sangvi

These fly-overs are expected to relieve the traffic flow along one direction while leading to reduction in loads along the other direction.

### 5.1.3 Bridges and Rail-over-bridges

There are two rivers in the vicinity of Pimpri-Chinchwad, namely Pawana in the South West and Indrayani in the North. The Indrayani River forms a physical boundary to the PCMC area in the North. In order to provide better connectivity to regions beyond PCMC limits in the North, a major bridge over this river is proposed in Talawade area.

The Pawana river passes through the *gaothan* areas of PCMC where the population density is high. Currently, major bottle-necks in traffic occur in these areas due to narrow lanes and small bridges over the river. Two major bridges are proposed along this river in order to reduce the traffic congestions.

#### Table 44 Locations of major-bridges

S.No.	Location
1	In Talawade, over Indrayani River
2	In Pimpri, over Pawana River
3	In Walekarwadi, over Pawana River

The Pune-Lonawala railway line passes through the PCMC area. Currently, there are small railwayunerpasses which allow traffic to cross the railway line. In order to clear the bottle-necks and provide better throughfare for traffic, rail-over-bridges have been proposed at the following locations:

#### Table 45 Locations of Rail-over-bridges

S.No.	Location
1	In Pimpri
2	In Akurdi





#### Figure 50 Map showing proposed fly-overs, briges and ROBs

### 5.2 Integration of Master Transport Plan into the Master Plan of the city

#### 5.2.1 Revision of Development Plans

The Land Use Zoning Plan and Development Control Regulations form part of a statutory document known as the Development Plan prepared under the Maharashtra Regional and Town Planning Act, 1966. In the case of Pimpri Chinchwad Municipal Corporation jurisdiction, the Development Plans currently in force were prepared for three parts at different points in time:

- 1. DP for old PCMC jurisdiction covering about 66 sq.km sanctioned in 1995
- 2. DP for PCNTDA jurisdiction covering about 20 sq.km merged with PCMC in 1997
- 3. DP for new areas added to PCMC covering about 85 sq.km currently awaiting sanction

The changes proposed with respect to land use zoning and density in this report have to eventually find appropriate endorsement in the revisions of all the above plans. The revision of a Development Plan requires many statutory procedures to be followed including mandatory stakeholder consultations. At the end of the statutory process, the plans have to be approved by the state government.

In the short term, it is possible to achieve the objectives of land use – transport integration partially by notifying changes in the Development Control Regulations alone, giving additional development rights and use change permission along the corridors, subject to conditions such as payment of Impact Fees, Development Charges, Use Conversion Fees, etc. However, these are ad hoc solutions and not to be perpetuated in a de facto manner. It is far more appropriate and desirable that the three Development Plans be revised together and one combined Development Plan prepared for the entire jurisdiction of PCMC. At such time, the extension of the boundaries of PCMC to include fast growing peripheral areas may also be considered.



### 5.2.2 Detailed Plans for Redevelopment along Corridors

The proposed changes in land use and density along the Corridors, while generating benefits for transit rider-ship and reducing travel distances, also create additional demand for infrastructure services as well as for additional space in the public domain. Therefore one needs to plan for these additional demands.

Ideally, Additional Development Rights should be conferred (against payment of Impact Fees) only on properties having a minimum plot size (about 1500 to 2000 sq.m). At present, properties along the corridors vary greatly in plot size. It follows that if coherent built form following certain urban design principles is to be achieved along the Corridors, then some level of detailed planning is required, accompanied my mechanisms for land management that result in consolidation of land. One of the most powerful tools available in Maharashtra for land management is the "Town Planning Scheme" mechanism mandated by the Maharashtra Regional and Town Planning Act. This mechanism allows the Authority to prepare and implementing a land reconstitution scheme for clearly delineated area. This mechanism has been used with admirable efficacy in Gujarat in recent times. It is also possible to achieve the same objectives (though to a lesser extent and in piecemeal fashion) by creating incentives for consolidation of land by the private sector.

It is proposed that Detailed Redevelopment plans be prepared for all the land falling in the 500 m buffer of the BRT Corridors with the following principal objectives:

- 1. Appropriation of land for widening the ROW where required
- 2. Appropriation of land for secondary roads to serve the redevelopment area
- 3. Appropriation of land for public facilities such as gardens, park, public plazas, informal markets, facilities for health and education, law enforcement, communications, power supply, water supply, sanitation and paid public parking near bus stops.
- 4. To plan for enhanced level of services in the Corridor, commensurate with the changes in land use and density.







### MAP 5.2. PROPOSED ROAD NETWORK WITH MAIN CORRIDORS & FEEDER ROUTES

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### MAP 5.3. THE BICYCLE & PEDESTRIAN MASTER PLAN









### MAP 5.5. PROPOSED SCHEMATIC DENSITY PLAN





## 5.3 Integration of the system with Pune

Pune is large city adjoining Pimpri-Chinchwad. As mentioned earlier in the report, both cities together form the Pune Metropolitan Region (PMR). Historically, as well as on date, both cities co-exist with a synergy in most of the activities. Traditionally, Pimpri-Chinchwad has been an industrial zone providing employment to all strata of the society. Pune has been the residential area for the people working in PCMC area. However, the trends have been changing lately, with good facilities being available within PCMC limits also.

Though a study has not been conducted to consider the two cities as a single entity and propose transportation systems, it has been appreciated by authorities of both the cities that basic facilities need to be integrated. The formation of PMPML, which is the combined public transportation authority for the two cities, is a step towards achieving integrated systems.

As a part of the present study, efforts have been made to understand the integration of the two cities in terms of the public transportation system. This was achieved by strategically locating primary survey points to capture traffic across the two cities.

A number of meetings were also held with the officials of Pune Municipal Corporation (PMC) to share the results from the traffic studies. The following table presents details of meetings held with PMC and its Consultants.

Date	Agenda	Members present representing PMC		
Nov 6, 2007	Preliminary discussion with PCM regarding the project and their inputs required	Addl. City Engg, PMC Dy MD, PMPML		
Feb 05, 2008	To share details of CRISIL study with PMC	Addl. City Engg, PMC IL&FS team		
Feb 27, 2008	Meeting with all Consultants of PMC; Sharing of traffic study details with PMC	Teams from DMRC, IIT Bombay, IL&FS, Wilbur Smith Associates, CIRT		

#### Table 46 Details of meetings held with PMC

During the discussions, it was understood that the following corridors seamlessly integrate the two cities:

- 1. Old NH-4 : Nigdi to Dapodi and connecting Pune at the Harris Bridge
- 2. Rawet Aundh : Connecting Pune at the Raji Gandhi bridge

During one of the meetings, it was highlighted that PMC is proposing the road from Pune city towards Alandi, a major religious centre, for the BRT system. After further deliberations with PCMC officials, it was felt that the Pune-Alandi corridor which lies within PCMC limits would form an important traffic corridor in the long run. The analysis undertaken in this study incorporates this corridor as part of the BRTS network.

The CMP for Pimpri Chinchwad identifies the strategy for resolving the present and future needs for urban transport infrastructure and services in the city. The following chapters proposed physical design considerations and implementation plans to operationalise the strategies identified in the CMP for the city.



## MAP 5.6. INTEGRATION OF BRT CORRIDORS WITH PUNE AREA





# 6 BRT SYSTEM DESIGN – NETWORK AND ROADWAY

The major intervention identified in the CMP is the development of a Bus based Rapid Transit System (BRTS) in Pimpri Chinchwad. There are several components in the physical form of the BRTS, grouped as either BRTS infrastructure or rolling stock. The primary component of BRTS infrastructure is the BRTS network and roadway. The following sections discuss the various policy and implementation issues related to roadway design and the conceptual design framework to operationalise BRTS in the city.

### 6.1 Network/Corridor Assessment & Selection

### 6.1.1 Criteria for corridor selection

The selection of corridors from among the road network of PCMC was undertaken using the following parameters.

- 1. Travel Demand
- 2. Hierarchy of Roads
- 3. Availability of Right of Way
- 4. Ownership of the Right of Way
- 5. Existing Bus Routes
- 6. Integration with Pune's system
- 7. Ongoing projects for road development
- 8. Other Mass Transit System Proposals

Elaborate discussions were held with PCMC and its technical consultants involved in road improvement projects. Based on these discussions and the traffic and land-use analysis undertaken as a part of this study the BRT corridors have been suggested.

#### 6.1.2 Corridor Assessment

As observed in the traffic model, the transportation demand along high-density road corridors in Pimpri-Chinchwad was studied in detail and peak-hour traffic demand was calculated for a bus-based transit system. The following table presents the total Passengers Per Direction (PPD) and the Peak Hour Peak Direction Traffic (PHPDT) along these corridors.

#### Table 47: Peak traffic derived for important corridors in PCMC area

Corridor	Corridor Peak traffic – Number of Bus-passenger Trips				
	2008		2021		
	PPD	PHPDT	PPD	PHPDT	
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Nashik Phata to Wakad	41,532	2,665	83,662	5,369	



Corridor	Corridor Peak traffic – Number of Bus-passenger Trips				
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Pune to Alandi	3,057	196	6,492	417	
NH – 50 (Nashik phata to Moshi)	40,629	2,607	1,01,374	6,505	
Expressway to Bhakti Shakti	10,355	664	23,243	1,492	

Of the above corridors, the following have high-density passenger traffic and can be taken up for implementation of a BRT system immediately:

- 1. Aundh-Rawet road,
- 2. Old NH-4,
- 3. Nashik Phata to Wakad,
- 4. Kalewadi to Dehu-Alandi road,
- 5. Nashik phata to Moshi (NH-50), and
- 6. Dehu-Alandi road.

The other corridors, though with a comparitvely lesser traffic, have very high seasonal patronage. The corridors from Dehu to Alandi and Pune to Alandi connect very important local pilgrimage centers. The corridor Pune to Alandi has been taken up by Pune Municipal Corporation for the implementation of a BRT system. It would serve the purpose of connecting the city of Pune with the pilgrim center of Alandi better if the same corridor is taken up in PCMC limits also. **Map 6.1** presents the BRT corridors to be taken up for implementation.

### 6.2 Land Ownership of the Corridor ROW

Except for NH 50, the existing ROW of all other BRT Corridors are under the possession of PCMC. NH 50 is currently with the National Highways Authority, but is expected to be handed over to PCMC. Dehu-Alandi Road and Kalewadi - KSB Chowk to Dehu Alandi road are at present 30 m ROW. They are proposed to be widened to 45 m in this plan.

### 6.3 Corridor design

This section presents various options for RoW configuration to incorporate the BRT system within the RoW widths available. All the options were discussed in detail and the final selected set of RoW configurations have been presented at the end of this section.

### 6.3.1 Location of Bus Stops

To avoid traffic management complications at the junction, to improve efficiency of the bus system and to ensure passenger safety, it is proposed to have mid-block bus stops. The bus stops are placed about 250 m away from the junction and at a distance of 500 to 700 m on all the trunk corridors. The bus stops are mid-block and away from road junctions. The distance of the nearest bus stop from any road junction is not more than 250 m (**refer MAP 6.2 – Location of bus stops and bus terminals**). The location of a bus stop in each corridor and its size is determined by the ROW of the corridor and the ROW design. Land uses and density are also aligned similarly with higher FSI around bus stops.



Three kinds of bus stops have been conceptualized – (1) At-grade bus stops placed under elevated carriageway of mixed traffic, accessed directly from footpath, (2) Underground bus stops placed under at-grade carriageway of mixed traffic, accessed directly from footpath and (3) At-grade bus stops placed on the median between bus lanes and accessed through Foot Over-Bridges. Of the above, with detailed discussions with the Authorities in PCMC, the At-grade bus stops placed under elevated carriageway of mixed traffic has been finalised for all roads except NH4 and NH50.

### 6.3.2 Typical street sections and bus stop design

As mentioned earlier, the design options of Corridors are primarily based on ROW, functional character (through traffic) and whether bus lanes are dedicated or not. The design considerations are as follows:

- 1. Efficient movement of buses in the bus lanes
- 2. Safety and comfort of bus passengers while boarding, alighting and transferring
- 3. Safety and comfort of pedestrians
- 4. Efficient flow of mixed traffic

As mentioned above, three kinds of bus stops have been conceptualized;

- 1. At-grade bus stops placed on the median between bus lanes and accessed through Foot Over-Bridges,
- 2. Underground bus stops placed under at-grade carriageway of mixed traffic, accessed directly from footpath,
- 3. At-grade bus stops placed under elevated carriageway of mixed traffic, accessed directly from footpath.

A number of options have been considered in this study and after elaborate discussions, some configurations have been finalised for implementation, which were used for estimating the project costs.

### 6.3.3 61m ROW Design

ROW: 61 m

Refer Map No. 6.3

#### Salient features:

- Central lanes currently exist for through traffic, with flyovers and underpasses at critical junctions (more are under construction or proposed).
- Dedicated bus lanes are provided on either sides of the through traffic lanes, segregated by a landscaped area between them.
- Beyond the Bus lanes is a two-way service lane.
- Cycle track and footpath have been provided on the sides of the service lane.

#### Advantages:

• Dedicated and unhindered through traffic lanes.

#### Disadvantages:

• The efficiency of the bus services on these corridors will be much lower than those with dedicated bus lanes.


## 6.3.4 45m ROW Design

ROW: 45 m

Refer Map No. 6.4 and 6.5

### Salient features:

- Central dedicated bus lanes, separated by a median.
- Mixed traffic lanes provided on either side of bus lanes four lanes on either side.
- At bus stops two mixed traffic lanes are elevated while two remain at-grade to function as service lanes.
- Buses which have to stop at the bus stop shall move under the flyover, hence mixed lanes are elevated.
- Median bus stops are at-grade and positioned below the elevated mixed traffic lanes.
- Cycle track, footpath and a landscaped area has been provided adjoining the mixed traffic lanes.
- At the bus stops, the bus shelter has been provided in the landscaped area between the through traffic lane and dedicated bus lane.

This would provide easy access for vehicles from perpendicular roads.

# 6.3.5 At-grade bus stops placed on the median between bus lanes and accessed through Foot Over-Bridges

ROW: 61m, 45m

Refer Map No. 6.6 and 6.7

#### Salient features:

- Central dedicated bus lanes, separated by a median.
- Dedicated bus lanes flare up at the median at-grade bus stop.
- Mixed traffic lanes provided on either side of bus lanes.
- Cycle track and footpath provided adjoining the mixed traffic lanes.
- The median bus stops can be accessed by a foot over-bridge from the footpath to the central median.

#### Advantages:

- All bus stops will be at-grade and hence no subways or flyovers need to be constructed.
- FOB's will ensure that pedestrians will not have to cross any traffic lanes high safety for pedestrians.

#### Disadvantages:

- Passengers have to climb the foot over bridge, which may be a deterrent for usage of the system
- The flaring of bus lanes and concomitant flaring of the mixed traffic lanes at the bus stops would cause some turbulence in the flow of mixed traffic and also reduces the width of the footpath on the sides.

#### **Recommendation:**

- This option is to be used only where sub-way bus stops and at-grade (elevated carriageway) options are not feasible
- Elaborately designed FOB's with escalators and vending spaces on the FOB may be considered at a later stage



# 6.3.6 Underground bus stops placed under at-grade carriageway of mixed traffic, accessed directly from footpath

ROW: 61m, 45m Refer Map No. 6.8 and 6.9

### Salient features:

- Central dedicated bus lanes, separated by a median.
- Median to be removed for overtaking lane at sub-way bus stops provided under carriageway for mixed traffic.
- The bus lanes will go down by about 3.5 m at sub-way bus stops.
- Mixed traffic lanes provided on either side of bus lanes.
- Cycle track and footpath provided adjoining the mixed traffic lanes.
- Cycle track and foot path merge into a "Pedestrian-NMV Priority Zone" at bus stops. This zone will have provision for cycle parking, seating, kiosks and space for informal activities and staircases, escalators or lifts for sub-way bus stops.
- The service lines are to be shifted to the shoulders of the road, under the footpath and cycle track

#### Advantages:

- All bus stops will have direct access from footpath high safety for pedestrians.
- Widening of mixed traffic lanes in future will be possible.
- Commercial space can be created in the bus stop to recover capital and recurring costs

#### Disadvantages:

- The bus lanes will have a gentle roller coaster feel as they will go down by about 3.5 m at bus stops
- The operating costs of the bus stops will be higher as they are underground.

# 6.3.7 At-grade bus stops placed under elevated carriageway of mixed traffic, accessed directly from footpath

ROW: 61m, 45m

Refer Map No. 6.10, 6.11 and 6.12

#### Salient features:

- Central dedicated bus lanes, separated by a median.
- Median to be removed for overtaking lane for at-grade bus stops under mixed traffic carriageway.
- Mixed traffic lanes provided on either side of bus lanes.
- At-grade bus stops under elevated carriageway for mixed traffic.
- Cycle track and footpath provided adjoining the mixed traffic lanes.
- Cycle track and foot path merge into a "Pedestrian-NMV Priority Zone" at bus stops. This zone also provides access to by-lanes if any for mixed traffic.

#### Advantages:

• All bus stops will have direct access from footpath – highest safety for pedestrians.

#### Disadvantages:

- The mixed traffic lanes will have a gentle roller coaster feel as they will rise by about 3.5 m at bus stops.
- Widening of mixed traffic lanes in future will be difficult.



Of the above options, with detailed discussion with the Authorities at PCMC, the '*at-grade bus stops placed under elevated carriageway of mixed traffic, accessed directly from footpath*', has been selected for implementation for all roads. The details of the design for each ROW shall be illustrated below.



## MAP 6.1. PROPOSED ROAD NETWORK WITH MAIN CORRIDORS & FEEDER ROUTES

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## MAP 6.2. LOCATIONS OF BRT BUS STOPS & BUS TERMINALS





# Map No. 6.3: Approved RoW Design - 61m

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# Map No. 6.4: Approved RoW Design - 45m



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CROSS SECTION FOR 45 m. ROAD



# Map No. 6.6: At-grade Bus Stops Placed On The Median Between Bus Lanes And Accessed Through Foot Over-bridges





# Map No. 6.7: At-grade Bus Stops Placed On The Median Between Bus Lanes And Accessed Through Sub-ways





# Map No. 6.8: Bus Stops Placed Under At-grade Carriageway Of Mixed Traffic, Accessed Directly From Footpath





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**SECTION 1-1** 







# Map No. 6.10: At-grade Bus Stops Placed Under elevated Carriageway Of Mixed Traffic, **Accessed Directly From Footpath**







# Map No. 6.11: At-grade Bus Stops Placed Under At-grade Carriageway Of Mixed Traffic, Accessed Directly From Footpath







# Map No. 6.12: At-grade Bus Stops Placed Under At-grade Carriageway Of Mixed Traffic, Accessed Directly From Footpath







## 6.3.8 Integration of Pedestrian and NMV facilities with the Bus System

The integration of pedestrian and NMV facilities has been incorporated in the RoW design. Over and above this, the network of pathways for pedestrians and NMVs will also be connected to the busway system at strategic locations.

## 6.4 Pavement design

The design of pavement for the corridors proposed has been undertaken by the Technical Consultants engaged for preparation of the Technical DPR's by PCMC. The details are being presented in the individual DPR's being submitted for the projects.

## 6.5 Street Lighting, Furniture

Street lights are proposed have been placed at 30 m interval on all corridors. The design proposal consists of 3 lamp posts with 2 lights on each side. One lamp post is on the central median and 2 lamp posts on the curb between the bicycle track and the mixed lane (one on each side of the road). The street light on the central median is staggered by 15m [centre to centre] as shown in the figure.



### Figure 51 Street light lamp posts at 30 m centre to centre

Kiosks and seating spaces have been provided on the foot path near bus stops. Schematic designs for landscaping are as shown in the images below. The central median between the bus lanes can also be utilized for landscaping. Detailed designs of appropriate street signages need to be done.

# 6.6 Relocation of existing services/utilities

The location of services and utilities has been shown in each design option described above. The engineering details of relocation are being worked out in detail.

Usually, basic utilities such as water pipelines and electrical cables are laid underground. One of the important phases of road construction is the shifting of these utilities to safer locations. As a part of the carriageway design, underground ducts are being provided by PCMC in order to accommodate the utilities. The details of these are being covered in the technical design proposals attached with this report.

# 6.7 Block Cost Estimates for Roadway Development

PCMC has engaged technical consultants to prepare DPRs for some roads in the city. In consultation with them, cost estimates were arrived at for some corridors. The Detailed Project Reports for each of the corridors being taken up have been attached as separate parts of this submission.



S.No.	Road Name	Length proposed (km)	Project Cost (Rs crores)				
Level 1 Corridors (Trunk Routes)							
1	Aundh Ravet Road	14.4	194.4				
2	NH4	14.6	197.1				
3	Telco Road	12.0	180.0				
4	Dehu-Alandi Road	14.5	128.7				
5	Nashik phata to Moshi (NH-50)	10.4	280.2				
6	Hinjewadi to Dehu-Alandi Road	13.3	197.6				
7	Kalewadi-KSB Chowk-Dehu Alandi Rd	11.2	218.9				
8	Vishrantwadi/Pune-Alandi	11.6	187.4				
9	Nashik phata to Wakad	8.04	205.6				
10	Kiwale to Bhakti Shakti	11.8	144.9				
Level 2 Corr	Level 2 Corridors (Feeder Routes)						
А	Hinjewadi to Tata motors	10.3	92.7				
В	Bhakti Shakti to Talwade	11.3	101.7				
С	Pradhikaran	10.6	95.4				
D	Road Parallel to Aundh Ravet	8.4	75.6				
	TOTAL		2300.5				

#### Table 48 Block cost estimates of road development

Of the above corridors, Aundh-Rawet and Old NH-4 have already received approvals from the MoUD for an estimated project cost of Rs 312.14 crores. The Telco Road is already been taken up for improvement throught PCMC's own funds.

# 6.8 Integration of BRT with Other Transit Services

In addition to the ticket integration suggested above, physical integration of BRTS with other systems which are already operational is very important so that all these systems complement each other rather than competing with each other. The proposed BRT corridors connect all important regions in the city of Pimpri Chinchwad, such as the inter-state bus terminus, the commercial areas and the residential areas. There is also a suburban railway system in the region along the Mumbai-Pune route. The stations along this route are close to proposed BRT routes and easily accessible, thus integrating the BRT system with the suburban railway system.





### Figure 52 Inter-modal transfer points in PCMC

# 6.9 Setting up of Common Utility Offices

Common utilities offices would be set-up in order to provide facilities to the passengers, at bus terminals, major interchange points, etc.

## 6.10 Fare Fixation and Collection System

As described earlier, initially fare will be collected inside buses by a conductor on board. Later, as system patronage picks up and most of the corridors have closed BRTS fare will be collected at Stations. Fare shall be as per the prevailing rates and linked to WPI for future increase.

## 6.10.1 Cost Estimates

A detailed study is to be undertaken by PCMC in order to estimate the costs involved for having an extensive information system for the BRTS.

# 6.11 Parking For Para Transit Facilities

Auto rickshaws are common in the city and account for a considerable percentage of the trips made. Until robust systems of feeder routes are implemented it is expected that the auto rickshaws will provide as feeders from origins and destinations to the system. Even after implementation of a feeder system it is expected that a large number of short trips will be made by auto rickshaws.

As a principle in the design of the BRT corridors, designated auto rickshaw stops have been provided within a distance of 200 m from every alternate bus stop (near the larger bus stop of higher capacity). However these are meant only for temporary stoppage to facilitate alighting and boarding of passengers. Therefore a mechanism to control the parking time of the auto rickshaws must be devised. The location of the designated auto rickshaw stops with respect to the bus stops are shown below:



#### Figure 53 Parking for auto rickshaws near sub way bus stops



Figure 54 Parking for auto rickshaws near at graded bus stops

FLYOVER	PARKING FOR P <mark>ARA</mark> TRANSIT FACILITIES AT AT-GRADE BUS STOPS
BUS STOP BELOW	

## 6.12 Hawkers & Vendors Reorganization

In the detailed survey undertaken along the major corridors, activity on the street was also documented.

The following figure shows indicative locations of hawker activities in the city.

In the BRT corridor design, informal vendor kiosks have been placed on NMV and pedestrian lanes close to bus stops on either side. Besides in the underground corridor alternative, large commercial spaces have also been provided in the subway station. A schematic design is shown below:

## Figure 55 Location of vendor kiosks near bus stop





# 7 INTEGRATING LAND USE & TRANSPORTATION AND USING LAND AS A RESOURCE

In this section, actions to achieve Transit Oriented Land use Structure are contemplated. While doing so, opportunities for using land as a resource for mass transit development are also explored. The guidelines suggest that a buffer zone of 500 m on either side of the proposed corridors have to be studied for such a potential. This has been followed in this Chapter.

As mentioned elsewhere in the report, a more detailed analysis has been undertaken for a smaller influence zone of width 100 m on either side of the proposed corridors. The characteristics of the land within the 100 m buffer zone (on either side of corridors) has been considered for estimating the revenue potential that will be generated from the development due to the construction of better infrastructure facilities along the proposed corridors. The details of these are presented in Chapter 10. The General Body of PCMC has approved, through a resolution, that revenue from the 100m influence zone on either side of the corridors shall be transferred to an Urban Transport Fund (UTF), which will be managed by the SPV.

# 7.1 Concepts in Land Use and Transportation Integration

## 7.1.1 Transit Oriented Development

The idea behind land use and transportation integration is to enable large sections of people to travel efficiently from one place to another and as far as possible reduce travel time. In coherence with this, is the concept of transit oriented development. Higher order and higher density uses are located around transit nodes and transportation corridor. This in turn improves ridership of the public transport over time. A graphical representation of this concept is presented below (source: ITDP's guide to BRT).



## Figure 56 Transit oriented development

The benefits of transit oriented development as presented in the ITDP's BRT planning guide are:

Transit Users Benefits	Transit Operators Benefits	Benefits to Society
<ul> <li>More destinations near transit stations</li> <li>Better walking conditions</li> <li>Increased security near transit stations</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Increased ridership</li> <li>Lower costs per rider</li> <li>Better image</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Reduced traffic problems</li> <li>Reduced public infrastructure and service costs</li> <li>Community liveability</li> <li>Increased property values, business activity and tax revenues</li> </ul>

Thus a regime of use, density and building typology may be prescribed for the PCMC area such that transit oriented development is achieved. For example, along the primary road network, high density,



high rise commercial development may be proposed with highest densities around node (junctions, near transit terminals, etc).

## 7.1.2 Integration of Multiple Modes of Transport

The BRT is an integrated system of movement of buses, pedestrians and non-motorized traffic. The routes of movement of each of these modes may have to be worked out individually and integrated based on various parameters so as to provide good accessibility to the majority of people in the city.

In the case of Pimpri -Chinchwad it may be impractical for all major roads to have bicycle tracks and pedestrian pathways. As an alternative, a system of green ways along existing *nalas* and drains with pedestrian pathways and bicycle tracks may be explored and this network may be integrated with locations of bus stops and terminals. This could be integrated with the existing green areas in the city. To prioritize, this network may first cover locations of low income and Economically Weaker Sections (EWS) residential.

## 7.1.3 Channelizing Market Forces for Redevelopment

Implementing the various aspects of the BRT system cannot be the prerogative of the PCMC alone. Public-private partnerships may have to be sought for different bundles of services. For the TOD, consolidation of land for bus routes, terminals, pedestrian and NMV movement, etc may be required. From the detailed spatial analysis at the sub traffic zone level, it will be possible to demarcate areas likely to undergo transformation in the short-term and mid-term. Rapid transformations in use and typology of built-up are seen even today. Therefore there is substantial potential to channelize market forces to appropriate land and assets for the implementation of the BRT. Transfer of Development Rights (TDR) may also prove a useful tools in implementation of transit oriented development.

# 7.2 Analysis of 500 m buffer of the corridors

A buffer width of 500 m on either side of each corridor has been considered for this part of the study. Within this area, approximate calculations have been undertaken in order to calculate possibilities of revenue generation through various streams such as real estate development, TDR, etc. The following sections are very broad estimates of revenues, which are highly market driven and would happen over a long period of time (say 10 years).

## 7.2.1 Value capture from Public Real Estate Assets

A preliminary inventory of public real estate assets has been carried out for all the Corridors. For the purpose of preparing 'order of magnitude', all public land that is currently in the possession of PCMC or reserved for acquisition in the Development plan have been inventoried. An assumption has been made that 30% of the land thus available can be leveraged for Public Private Partnership projects.

No	Name of Corridor	Total public land available/ reserved (Sq.m)	Developable land (Sq.m)	Land available for PPP (assuming 30%) (Sq.m)
1	Aundh Ravet Road	4,95,123	4,86,320	1,45,896
2	NH-4	11,82,252	8,93,202	2,67,961
3	Telco	4,82,125	3,50,323	1,05,097
4	Dehu-Alandi	15,78,266	14,91,450	4,47,435
5	NH50	9,04,563	7,51,943	2,25,583
6	Kalewadi phata – KSB Chowk – Dehu Alandi road	6,31,968	5,32,410	1,59,723
7	Hinjewadi – Dehu Alandi Road	5,72,358	5,16,675	1,55,003
7	Punwale – BhaktiShakti – Talwade	8,79,367	7,70,624	2,31,187

#### Table 49 Estimated area along corridors (in 500m) - Public real estate assets



No	Name of Corridor	Total public land available/ reserved (Sq.m)	Developable land (Sq.m)	Land available for PPP (assuming 30%) (Sq.m)
8	Hinjewadi -Tata Motors	4,65,964	4,00,551	1,20,165
	Total	71,91,986	61,93,499	18,58,050

If the redevelopment of corridor buffer areas is accomplished using the Town Planning Scheme or similar land reconstitution/ land pooling mechanisms, then there exists the possibility of appropriating additional/ alternative land for the PCMC, leveraging higher value.

## 7.2.2 Value capture from new development (including redevelopment)

Along the BRT Corridors, there are considerable expanses of land that are vacant as of now. The implementation of the BRT will give impetus to the development of these areas. Moreover, the proposed regime of higher FSI along the Corridors will create an incentive for redevelopment of properties that consume low FSI. Both these situations create possibilities for value capture.

## 7.2.2.1 Analysis of Potential for Development/Redevelopment along corridors

The map given below provides an overview of the potential for development/ redevelopment along all the BRT corridors. The patches of green colour indicate relatively vacant land. Red colour in lighter and darker shades indicate developed areas in fair and poor building condition implying a possibility of redevelopment. The patches of light yellow colour denote developed areas that are unlikely to redevelop in the short or medium term. As is evident from the map, there are substantial areas that are potential for development or redevelopment.



### Figure 57 Potential for development/re-development along BRT corridors

Based on the proposed hierarchy of BRTS Corridors, a conservative estimate has been prepared for the likely quantum of development in areas where value capture can be related in a reasonable manner to the implementation of the BRT System. The table below gives a summary of this "order of magnitude" estimate.



Name of selected Corridor	Vacant land within (sq.km)	Developed land likely to redevelop (sq.km)	Gross develop- able area (sq.km)	Deducting 50% for roads & open spaces (sq.km)	Assuming 50% will develop in the next 10 years (sq.km)	Average FSI	Built-up area (Million sq.m)
NH4	9.20	0.07	9.3	4.6	2.3	2	4.6
Aundh Ravet Road	9.70	0.02	9.8	4.9	2.4	2	4.9
NH50	16.80	0.07	16.9	8.4	4.2	2	8.4
Telco road	7.30	0.59	7.9	4.0	2.0	2	4.0
MDR 31 via Auto Cluster	8.40	0.16	8.6	4.3	2.2	2	4.3
TOTAL	51.50	0.90	52.5	26.2	13.1		26.2

#### Table 50 Estimated Built-up area development along BRT corridors – 500 m

On a conservative estimate, at least 50% of the developable land will undergo development over the next 10 years. If a higher FSI is offered against payment of Impact Fees, it is estimated that an average FSI of 2 will be consumed in the land that is developed.

Schematic designs of land use and FSI loading on the Aundh Ravet corridor has been given in Figure 58 to illustrate the concept as described above.

## Figure 58 Schematic designs of land-use and FSI loading on Aundh Ravet corridor



7.2.2.2 Value Capture from Development Charges

It is assumed that Development Charges will be collected from developments along the influence zones of the proposed corridors due to strengthening of service delivery and infrastructure facilities on these corridors.



Name of selected Corridor	Estimated land development (million sq.m)	FSI	Built-up Area (million sq.m)
NH4	2.3	2	4.6
Aundh Ravet road	2.4	2	4.9
NH50	4.2	2	8.4
Telco road	2.0	2	4.0
MDR 31 via Auto Cluster	2.2	2	4.3
TOTAL	13.1		26.2

#### Table 51 Estimated land development along BRT corridors – 500 m

7.2.2.3 Value Capture from Sale of Additional Development Rights (Impact Fee)

Of the total built-up area estimated above, it can be conservatively assumed that about 50% will be through the purchase of Additional Development Rights on payment of Impact Fees. This is a major source of value capture for the implementation of the BRT System. The revenue generated from such collections will for the enhanced infrastructure to support the proposed changes in land use and density along the corridor to make the redevelopment sustainable.

Table 52 Estimated value	e capture through Impact Fees along E	BRT corridors – 500m

Name of selected Corridor	Estimated land development along Corridors (million sq.m)	FSI	Built-up Area (million sq.m)	ADR area (million sq.m)
NH4	2.3	2	4.6	1.5
Aundh Ravet road	2.4	2	4.9	1.6
NH50	4.2	2	8.4	2.8
Telco road	2.0	2	4.0	1.3
MDR 31 via Auto Cluster	2.2	2	4.3	1.4
TOTAL	13.1		26.2	8.7

# 7.3 Implementation Mechanisms

PCMC has initiated the process to modify the FSI regime along an influence zone of 100m on either side of proposed corridors. A maximum FSI of 1.8 is to be allowed within these zones, through the approval of its General Body. Transfer of Development Rights shall also be allowed to a maximum extent of 1.8 along these zones. The TDR can occur from other existing zones in PCMC limits onto the new buffer zones along the BRT corridors. Developers will have to pay a premium for tranfering the development rights onto the new zone.

# 7.4 Development of government land

PCMC owns some parcels of land along proposed BRT corridors. It has initiated the process of developing some prime land parcels through a PPP model. These would be a source of one-time as well as annual income.

One such example is the Pimpri-Chinchwad City Centre, spread over an area of 33 acres at a prime location on Pune - Mumbai highway near PCMC Office Complex. This facility lies along one of the major BRT corridor of the city. Some of the facilities that are proposed in this complex include an Amphitheatre, a hotel, Laser and Aqua Show, Children's zone, Conference zone, Exhibition Centre, Butterfly zone, a Velodrome, etc. PCMC plans to market this development as a major commercial hub in most prime areas of the city. This would also encourage use of the BRT system.



# 8 TERMINALS AND PARKING

# 8.1 Proposed Parking Policy

The objective of PCMC, as stated by the National Urban Transport Policy (NUTP) would be to persuade people to use public transport access busy areas in the city instead of using personal vehicles. The NUTP suggests limiting the availability of parking space and the levy of high parking fee in order to curb the use of personal motor vehicles. Park and ride facilities can be provided in order to encourage use of public transport. Private sector participation can play an active role in having efficient systems in place for undertaking development of parking areas.

PCMC has taken an initiative to modify some of its Development Control Rules (DCR's) in order to make provisions for increase in parking spaces in future developments, especially along the BRT corridors. The developers would be asked to share a part of the parking spaces for public purposes. PPP based models are being worked out to encourage investments from the private sector.

At a larger scale, provision of parking space for BRT rolling stock also has to be considered. It is expected that PCMC, PMPML and the proposed SPV shall hold discussions to use available spaces efficiently and generate additional revenues.

Number of fully automatic parking complexes are being implemented in various cities across India on a PPP format. Fully automatic perking complexes require very little area, and are very efficient when parking has to be done at multiple levels. Fully automatic parking systems can be considered at:

- ISBTs at Nigdi and Sant Tukaram Nagar
- Local Railway Stations Dapodi, Pimpri, Chinchwad and Akurdi
- Bhosari Industrial Area
- PCMC Office
- Chinchwad
- Nigdi
- Hinjewadi

Fully automated parking systems can be above or below ground and can also be below the existing roads. It may be noted that in a plot of size 2000 sqm, a fully automatic parking system with approximately 1200 ECS can be developed with a worst case retrieval time of 3 minutes.

# 8.2 Rolling Stock of the BRT system

The terminals at the proposed locations will act as parking places for the rolling stock of the BRT system. The routine maintenance, cleaning, re-fuelling, etc of the vehicles will be undertaken at these locations.

# 8.3 Other vehicles on BRTS Corridors

It is proposed that no on-street parking will be allowed on the BRTS Corridors. The reasons for this being that when dedicated bus lanes are created, the ROW becomes constrained to accommodate on-street parking and on-street parking encourages the use of private cars, which goes against the objective of creating a BRTS and also reduces its viability.

However, paid parking lots or parking complexes are meaningful at strategic locations on the BRTS corridors to facilitate 'park-and-ride' behaviour, which is in keeping with the philosophy of the BRTS. It is proposed to create incentives for private investment in such paid-parking complexes. The parking



portion of the complex will be free FSI. Portion of such complexes may be developed for commercial purposes. The commercial portion may be treated at par with other developments as far as development rights, impact fees, development charges, taxes, etc are concerned.

When detailed redevelopment plans are prepared for the buffers on the corridors, such parking complexes can be integrated into the plan, close to bus stop locations.

# 8.4 Other Streets

On streets other than designated BRTS Corridors, the approach will be to permit on-street parking at designated locations, wherever sufficient ROW is available. However, in no case will free parking be permitted on a primary road (ROW 24 m or more) or secondary road (ROW 12 m to 24 m). Free parking may be available on neighbourhood streets.

# 8.5 Locations & Area of Terminals

At present there are two major bus terminals on the Old Mumbai Pune road. Two more terminals are proposed – one on Aundh Ravet road and one just off the NH50. Land reserved for public use is available at both these locations (**refer MAP 5.2 – BRT Bus stops and Bus Terminals**). It is assumed that the municipal corporation will be able to acquire the land and therefore only development costs are calculated.

Location	Area (ha)	Status	Proposal
Aundh Ravet Corridor	7.35	Reserved for Public Use	To be developed
NH4	3.51	Existing	To be redeveloped
NH4 near RTO	1.2	Existing	To be redeveloped
NH50 near Nashik Phata	4.38	Reserved for Public Use	To be developed

### Table 53 Proposed locations for bus terminals

# 8.6 Block Cost Estimates

The following assumptions have been made in estimating the cost of terminals:

- 1. 30% of the plot area will be used for built development, in the form of two stories, and the rest will be open
- 2. The cost of terminal building Rs 10,000 per sq.m. The bus terminal will require two floors
- 3. Cost of land development Rs 6,000 per sq.m.

Estimates for development costs of the bus terminals are presented in Table 54.

Table 54 Estimated cost of bus terminals

Proposed location of bus terminal	Area (sq.m)	Built up area for bus (sq.m)	Cost of bus terminal building (Rs. Crores)	Land development (Rs. Crores)	Total cost of bus terminal development (Rs. Crores)
Aundh Ravet					
Corridor near Kirti					
Nagar	73,500	44,100	44.10	30.87	74.97
PCMC Bus Depot					
Near Municipal					
Corporation					
Office	35,100	21,060	21.06	14.74	35.80
Bus Depot					
Opposite RTO on					
NH4	12,000	7,200	7.20	5.04	12.24



Proposed location of bus terminal	Area (sq.m)	Built up area for bus (sq.m)	Cost of bus terminal building (Rs. Crores)	Land development (Rs. Crores)	Total cost of bus terminal development (Rs. Crores)
NH50 Near					
Sriganesh					
Vachanaly	43,800	26,280	26.28	18.40	44.68
Total	1,64,400	98,640	98.64	69.05	167.69

# 8.7 **PPP Potential**

The following assumptions have been made while calculating the potential for private sector participation:

- 1. A plot level FSI of 3 is assumed as these terminals fall on the high capacity corridors.
- 2. The bus terminal will consume only 0.6 FSI.
- 3. The remaining development rights are available for commercial exploitation.

If each bus terminal project is structured as a PPP project, there is adequate revenue potential to defray the entire cost of building the terminal.

Proposed location of bus terminal	Area (sq.m)	FSI	Total built up area (sq.m)	Built up area for terminal (sq.m)	Additional built up area for commercial exploitation (sq.m)
Aundh Ravet					
Nagar	73,500	3	2,20,500	44,100	1,76,400
PCMC Bus Depot					
Corporation Office	35,100	3	1,05,300	21,060	84,240
Bus Depot					
NH4	12,000	3	36,000	7,200	28,800
NH50 Near					
Sriganesn Vachanaly	43.800	3	1,31,400	26,280	1,05,120
Total	1,64,400		4,93,200	98,640	3,94,560

Table 55 Potential for PPP for bus-terminals



# 9 PROPOSED PHASING OF PROJECTS

The selection of corridors from among the road network of PCMC was undertaken using the following parameters.

- 1. Travel Demand
- 2. Hierarchy of Roads
- 3. Availability of Right of Way
- 4. Ownership of the Right of Way
- 5. Existing Bus Routes
- 6. Integration with Pune's system
- 7. Ongoing projects for road development
- 8. Other Mass Transit System Proposals

Elaborate discussions were held with PCMC and its technical consultants involved in road improvement projects. Based on these discussions and the traffic and land-use analysis undertaken as a part of this study the BRT corridors have been suggested.

The main roads in the city of Pimpri-Chinchwad are:

- 1. Old Mumbai-Pune highway (NH-4)
- 2. Aundh Rawet road
- 3. Nashik phata to Moshi (NH-50)
- 4. Nashik phata to Wakad (new road alignment)
- 5. Telco Road,
- 6. Dehu-Alandi Road
- 7. Hinjewadi to Dehu Alandi road
- 8. Kalewadi Phata KSB Chowk Dehu Alandi road
- 9. Kiwale to Bhakti Shakti
- 10. Vishrantwadi Alandi

Apart from the above, there are some other roads which play an important role while connecting the above roads. These are:

- 1. Pradhikaran/Spine road
- 2. Hinjewadi to Tata Motors
- 3. Road parallel to Aundh-Rawet corridor
- 4. Bhakti Shakti to Talawade

There are three corridors in Pimpri-Chinchwad which continue into the limits of Pune city. These are the Aundh-Rawet corridor the Old NH-4 and the Vishrantwadi-Alandi road. The Vishrantwadi -Alandi road starts from Pune city leading to the religious centre of Alandi. It passes through PCMC area limits and is being considered by PMC as one of its BRT corridors. In order to continue this corridor



within PCMC limits, the corridor has also been included in the BRT system for the city of Pimpri-Chinchwad.

As will be elaborated in the next chapter, a Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV) has been created by PCMC with the mandate of implementation of the BRTS project and to manage the Urban Transport Fund (UTF). It has been decided that the proposed corridors would be taken up immediately for implementation.

With the formation of the SPV, it was decided by PCMC that the following corridors would be developed immediately as part of the BRT system:

- 1. Old NH-4 (Mumbai-Pune highway)
- 2. Aundh Rawet road
- 3. Nashik phata to Wakad
- 4. Kalewadi to Dehu Alandi road
- 5. Dehu Alandi road
- 6. Pune/Vishrantwadi Alandi road
- 7. Nashik phata to Moshi
- 8. Kiwale to Bhakti-Shakti

Phasing of the BRT corridors in Pimpri-Chinchwad will be taken up based on the current understanding of expected growth in the city. The pilot projects that have been approved are aimed at serving the Youth Commonwealth games to be conducted in the area. Also, PCMC is expected to take up some road improvement projects in the near future, based on which, some of the BRT corridors have been phased along these corridors. It is expected that all the above corridors would be completed within the next three years (commissioned by 2011).

It is being highlighted that the Old NH-4 and the Aundh-Rawet corridors are already under implementation after having received the approval from MoUD at an earlier date, while the Telco Road has been taken up for improvement with PCMC's own funds. These corridors are therefore assumed to be already ready to be part of the proposed system.

#### Table 56 Road Corridors – Phasing

S.No.	Road Name	Length proposed (km)	Year of commissioning
Level 1 Corridors (Trunk Routes)			
1	Aundh Ravet Road	14.4	2009
2	Old NH4	14.6	2008
3	Telco Road	12.0	2009
4	Dehu-Alandi Road	14.5	2011
5	Nashik phata to Moshi (NH-50)	10.4	2010
6	Hinjewadi to Dehu-Alandi Road	13.3	2011
7	Kalewadi-KSB Chowk-Dehu Alandi Rd	11.2	2010
8	Vishrantwadi/Pune-Alandi	11.6	2011
9	Nashik phata to Wakad	8.04	2010
10	Kiwale to Bhakti Shakti	11.8	2011
Level 2 Corridors (Feeder Routes)			
А	Hinjewadi to Tata motors	10.3	2013
В	Bhakti Shakti to Talwade	11.3	2013



S.No.	Road Name	Length proposed (km)	Year of commissioning
С	Pradhikaran	10.6	2012
D	Road Parallel to Aundh Ravet	8.4	2014





Map 9-1 BRTS Corridors in Phase I



# **10 FINANCIAL PLANNING AND COST ESTIMATES**

This Chapter presents estimated costs for the various projects being considered by PCMC for implementation. Financial status of PCMC is also presented along with revenue generation opportunities from various sources.

# 10.1 Project Cost

## **10.1.1 Capital Expenditure**

The proposed projects can be broadly categorised into three categories:

- 1. Improvement of road network and public transit system,
- 2. Fly-over projects, and
- 3. ROB/RUB projects.

The following tables present cost estimates for these projects.

## Table 57 Road Corridors – Estimated costs

S.No.	Road Name	Length proposed	Project Cost (Rs crores)
Level 1 Corridors (Trunk Routes)		(KM)	
1	Aundh Ravet Road	14.4	194.4
2	NH4	14.6	197.1
3	Telco Road	12.0	180.0
4	Dehu-Alandi Road	14.5	128.7
5	Nashik phata to Moshi (NH-50)	10.4	280.2
6	Hinjewadi to Dehu-Alandi Road	13.3	197.6
7	Kalewadi-KSB Chowk-Dehu Alandi Rd	11.2	218.9
8	Vishrantwadi/Pune-Alandi	11.6	187.4
9	Nashik phata to Wakad	8.04	205.6
10	Kiwale to Bhakti Shakti	11.8	144.9
Level 2 Corridors (Feeder Routes)			
А	Hinjewadi to Tata motors	10.3	92.7
В	Bhakti Shakti to Talwade	11.3	101.7
С	Pradhikaran	10.6	95.4
D	Road Parallel to Aundh Ravet	8.4	75.6



## Table 58 Fly-overs – Estimated Construction Cost

Road Corridor	Cost (Rs. Crs)
NH-50 at Moshi junction	20.0
Kasarwadi – Nashik phata	30.0
Telco Chowk, Chinchwad	20.0
Over Spine road	18.0
Westerly Bypass intersection with MDR 31	18.0
Bhakti-Shakti, Nigdi	20.0
Over Aundh-Rawet road at Sangvi	18.0
TOTAL	144.0

## Table 59 Major Bridges – Construction Cost

Road Corridor	Cost (Rs. Crs)
In Talawade, over Indrayani River	30.0
In Pimpri, over Pawana River	30.0
In Walekarwadi, over Pawana River	30.0
TOTAL	90.0

## Table 60 ROBs – Construction Cost

Road Corridor	Cost (Rs. Crs)
In Pimpri	25.0
In Akurdi	25.0
TOTAL	50.0

The total investment required to undertake all of the above stated projects is around Rs 2,584.9 crores.

# **10.2 Financial Status of PCMC**

The financial details of PCMC were studied in detail to understand its ability to fund the project. PCMC is one of the premier municipal corporations in India. With a history of prudent financial management generating cash surplus, PCMC has achieved a National Scale INR Rating (NSIR) as high as AA+.



## Figure 59 PCMC – Revenue Trend



Historically PCMC has managed to generate a surplus cash of about Rs. 250 – 300 Crores per annum, being invested to support its capital expenditure program in the range of about Rs 150 – 200 Crores. Thus the management of such asset creation through internal accrual, without resorting on a commercial borrowing, has helped PCMC to maintain its NSIR throughout these years. But it has been increasingly felt that the recent infrastructure and PCMC's investment to spur this infrastructure is not sufficient enough and wouldn't be able to support expected growth in an economic activities going forward. It has also been realised that the proposed development and growth may not take place at all if the inadequate state of the infrastructure continues in future. Thus it was not an option available with PCMC to consider developing this infrastructure but a necessity.

To catch up with the estimated development on time, if not early, PCMC has planned an infrastructure investment of about Rs 3,560 Crores in next 3 - 4 years. This investment doesn't include proposed road corridors. For PCMC's current set up it is a big jump from a yearly investment of about Rs 150 – 200 Crores to about Rs 800 – 900 Crores, a jump almost four to five times higher than normal one. This proposed spike in the investment is not only expected to strain PCMC's financial resources but also stretch its execution capabilities to extreme. This proposed hike in the investment plans is expected to take a toll on PCMC's position as a cash surplus entity and will weaken its balance sheet as it wouldn't be able to take any additional projects for next 3 - 4 years.

For any other projects, apart from proposed expansion of Rs 3,560 Crores, PCMC will have to resort on a commercial borrowing potentially affecting its high NSIR. But without borrowing, PCMC will not be in a position to take up any new project during the period starting from 2009 to 2011, as shown in following figure.



## Figure 60 PCMC's liquidity position

This would affect implementation of PCMC's proposed road corridors without borrowing in the market. To implement road corridor projects, as envisaged, PCMC's servicing cost of the commercial borrowings will touch around Rs 1,000 Crores in next 10 - 15 years (considering 1:1 DE ratio for the financing of these projects of about Rs 1,200 Crores), impacting its liquidity position adversely. This additional debt service burden would possibly turn PCMC into cash deficit through next 4 - 5 years.





#### Figure 61: Borrowing for Road Corridors – Impact on PCMC's Liquidity Position

This would have forced PCMC to curtail its plans to develop road corridors or opt for an extended phasing out of these projects. In both cases, it would affect infrastructure development unable to cope with growing demand from the industrial and residential activities envisaged. While curtailing project size or less number of projects, would improve liquidity position of the corporation, it would have a long term adverse impact on city's plans to create an infrastructure of standard at international level supporting future growth.

We do not believe that cutting down expenditure on road corridors is really an option available with the corporation. The Corporation shall have to develop infrastructure to support the growth of the city and may also have to borrow, if required. But in its current institutional set up, PCMC may not be in a position to borrow in the market as -

- Lending agencies will demand timely implementation of the project, which may be difficult in PCMC's current set-up as a result of resources constraint;
- Long term lenders Multilateral agencies and development financial institutions, would lend only to the corporate entity, and
- > Large borrowings on its balance sheet may affect its NSIR

Clearly this would create a need for an institutional change, forming a Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV) which has been covered in the next section. Also it will have to create innovative revenue streams to fund this initiative. Such institutional transformation should improve the financial position of the corporation, without affecting its plans to develop required infrastructure. The mandate of the SPV is to implement eight of the main road corridors and their operations and maintenance.

The proposed institutional framework is presented in the next Chapter while the following sections present the expected revenue streams that will provide sustainability to the project in the long term.

## 10.3 Revenue Model

Various revenue streams were explored to support the initiative of road development within the limits of PCMC. The development of road corridors in these areas is likely to spur industrial & commercial activities and create a need for adequate residential facilities. These developments are likely to happen mainly along the proposed BRT corridors, which should create various new revenue streams



for PCMC along with incremental revenue from traditional sources. An Urban Transport Fund (UTF) has been created to manage the revenues, as presented below.

## 10.3.1 Urban Transport Fund (UTF)

All the revenue streams being presented in this Chapter will be taken up to ensure long term sustainability of the BRTS project. PCMC has created an Urban Transport Fund (UTF) that will be managed by a wholly owned Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV) of PCMC; named Pimpri Chinchwad Infrastructure Company. This Urban Transport Fund has been created to capture the benefits of the BRTS projects for long term sustainability and as a means of self financing for the future. The UTF has identified 100 m on either side of the BRTS corridors as BRTS influence zone which will be densified as per Ministry of Urban Development's policy of corridor densification. PCMC has already approved grant of higher FSI on all BRTS corridors. The UTF has been assigned revenues that include building permission development charges, incremental property tax, advertisement rights, lease on utilities ducts etc. In addition, PPP revenues viz. premium charges for loading of Transfer of Development Rights and sale of incremental FSI emerging from real estate development and corridor densification have also been assigned to the UTF.

This section deals with revenue model of the SPV discussing assumptions. Initial capital expenditure, periodic refurbishment and operations & maintenance costs would be the major cost elements of the proposed SPV. To support these costs, the following revenue streams have been considered:

- 1. Development Charges,
- 2. Revenue through incremental FSI TDR loading,
- 3. Incremental Property Tax,
- 4. Advertisements, and
- 5. Lease Rentals of Utility Ducts.

The historical trends form a good basis while estimating the future population growth as a result of such developments. The estimated demand for the incremental build up area along with these corridors should come from the growing population and industrial & commercial activities. It has been assumed that the entire development along corridors to happen in a span of next fifteen years in a phased manner.

A buffer zone of width 100m on either side of each corridor has been considered, to estimate potential revenue from various streams described earlier. Revenue will be booked in SPV only from these buffer zones to fund its road development activities. Based on the present development along these corridors and the build up pattern, we have estimated the expected area to be developed through next fifteen years. The proposed FSI and TDR loading form the basis for the revenue estimation. It has been assumed that an area of about 57 Lakh sqmtr will be available, without considering redevelopment of an existing properties and TDR loading, for the future development along eight road corridors. Following table indicates the phased development along these corridors going forward:

## Table 61 Development along Road Corridors


		D	evelopment	Across Corr	Phased Development, period								
Corridors	<b>Length</b> Kms	Area of Buffer Zone	Vacant Area*	Developed Area	Current Built- up Area	Scope for Future Development	2010 - 2014	014 2015 - 2019 2020 - 2024					
Aundh Ravet	14.40	2,880,000	1,390,000	1,490,000	1,192,000	1,112,000	50%	25%	25%				
Old NH-4	12.70	2,540,000	254,000	2,286,000	1,828,800	203,200	50%	25%	25%				
Nashik Phata to Wakad Kalewadi to Dehu-Alandi	7.79	1,558,000	400,000	1,158,000	926,400	320,000	50%	25%	25%				
(via KSB Chowk)	11.20	2,240,000	1,100,000	1,140,000	912,000	880,000	50%	25%	25%				
Dehu Alandi Road	14.77	2,954,000	1,910,000	1,044,000	835,200	1,528,000	25%	40%	35%				
Pune Alandi Road	9.47	1,894,000	960,000	934,000	747,200	768,000	25%	25%	50%				
Nashik Phata to Moshi	10.36	2,072,000	600,000	1,472,000	1,177,600	480,000	40%	35%	25%				
Kiwale - Bhakti Shakti	5.30	1,060,000	550,000	510,000	408,000	440,000	40%	35%	25%				
Total	85.99	17,198,000	7,164,000	10,034,000	8,027,200	5,731,200							

Source: PCM( \* Source: PCMC

### **10.3.2 Development Charges**

Development Charges (DCs) is one of the major and regular revenue sources for the municipal corporation. At present PCMC charges DC on a development of all forms of new buildings – residential, commercial and industrial. It is expected that these charges can be increased along the buffers of proposed corridors. But as a conservative estimate, we have assumed per sqmtr development charge at Rs 20, Rs 40 and Rs 600 for Land, Build up area and premiums respectively. The following figure depicts the likely trend of the future development of the city in next two decades, with a most intense developmental activity along with NH4 highway.



Three blocks of time-period (2010-2014, 2015-2019 and 2020-2024) have been considered for forecasting built-up area and the expected development along corridors over these three blocks of time based on demand of built-up area to satisfy incremental population growth. Following table shows the expected development charges through 2024 for the new construction as well as re-development of existing properties along corridors:



### **Table 62 Development Charges**

(Rs in crores)

Base rate DC Options	2010-2014	2015-2019	2020-2024	Total
New Development	211.0	168.2	170.5	549.7
Re-Development	127.5	84.4	83.9	295.9
Total DC	338.5	252.7	254.5	845.7

### 10.3.3 Revenue through incremental FSI

The proposed SPV can also generate revenue through sale of incremental FSI, i.e. loading of TDR from other parts of the city. PCMC proposes TDR loading upto 0.4, which can be charged at Rs 6000/sqmtr. We have assumed only 50% of the development (new as well as existing ones) will go for



an additional FSI in the form of TDR and only 40% of existing properties will get redeveloped. While the decision regarding incremental FSI will be with PCMC, the revenue can be booked by the proposed SPV in lieu with a development of the road corridors.

The SPV can book revenue on an additional FSI of about 7.45 lakh sqmtr (0.75 million sqmtr) through next 15 years. Assuming a conservative sale price of Rs. 7,500 per sqmtr (~Rs 750/sqft) for an incremental FSI in these years, additional revenue of about Rs 700 Crore can be generated.

				(Rs in crores)
Revenue through incremental FSI	2010-2014	2015-2019	2020-2024	Total
New Development	214.5	171.0	173.3	558.8
Re-Development	134.9	89.3	88.8	313.1
Total Revenue through TDR Loading	349.4	260.3	262.1	871.9

### Table 63 Revenue from TDR Loading



## 10.3.4 Property Tax (PT)

By providing better infrastructure facilities to residents along proposed corridors, through the SPV, PCMC should be in position increase PT rates, which can be booked by the proposed SPV. But as a conservative estimate, we have not considered any hike in present PT rates. Currently, PT rates are classified based on zonal classifications within PCMC area and the type of construction of the building. It is proposed to re-designate these zonal classifications along the buffer zones of the corridors being considered for improvement. In the present exercise, we have made following assumptions:

- 1. All real estate within the buffer zones will be designated as Zone A (PT rate that of Zone A);
- 2. Out of total development along corridors, about 15% will be in the form of commercial & industrial while residential will form the balance one, and
- 3. PT rates of Rs 6.0 and Rs 1.5 per sqft/annum for commercial and residential respectively

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### Table 64 Revenue from Property Tax

Revenue through incremental Property Tax	2010-2014	2015-2019	2020-2024	Total
	5.1	4.1	4.2	13.4

### 10.3.5 Advertisement

Currently, PCMC collects taxes from owners of hoardings. These charges are nominal as compared to the rates charged by the advertisement agencies to their clients. It is proposed that PCMC would prepare and enforce an Advertisement Policy, which would necessitate sharing of revenues generated by the advertisement agencies along proposed corridors. The SPV can book the revenue through advertisement along road corridors. We have assumed revenue sharing of about 30% to the SPV. We have considered about one hoarding of size 20'x20' & 40'x20' for every 300 mtr and one bus shelter for every 750 mtr on the road corridors. We have estimated the rates for these hoardings based on the current practices of the advertisement industry. It has been estimated that if these hoardings and bus shelters are offered to the advertisement agency they would potentially earn about Rs. 50 crores per annum by hiring it to the clients and would pay an advertisement tax of about Rs 4 Crore. For the proposed corridors we have assumed that the advertisements will be controlled through an advertisement policy and the advertisement rights will be sold on a revenue sharing model. Based on the same SPV is likely to book revenue of about Rs 8 – 19 crore per annum from the agencies operating the advertisement on the corridors.

### 10.3.6 Utility ducts

A number of service providers such as telecom operators and internet service providers are expected to set-up networks across the city. This would require them to lay cables along and across the road network. PCMC plans to collect some charges from these service providers in the form of one-time payments. PCMC currently charges a one time rate of Rs. 3000/ mtr for laying cables along the road and Rs. 15,000/ mtr for cable across the roads. An income of about Rs. 100 crores has been assumed from these services through next fifteen years.

### 10.3.7 Total Expected Revenue

The total revenue of the SPV is likely to be in the range of Rs 120 - 140 Crore. Almost 80% of revenue at about Rs 1,500 Crore is expected to be generated through a sale of additional FSI and development charges along road corridors. Though the share of these two revenue streams is likely to come down to about 70% of total revenue in FY2024 from about 90% in FY2010, it would still be acting as a core revenue stream. Revenue from utility charges, and advertisements should provide stability to the overall revenue stream as revenue from DC and additional FSI would be directly linked to the real estate development.

				(in Rs Crores)
Revenue/ Year	2010	2015	2020	2024
DCs	67.7	50.5	50.9	50.9
Additional FSI (TDR Loading)	69.9	52.0	52.4	52.4
PTs	1.0	6.0	10.1	13.4
Advertisements	8.1	13.5	19.1	19.1
Utility Charges	8.5	6.1	6.1	6.1

 Table 65: Expected Revenue (per annum)

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Revenue/ Year	2010	2015	2020	2024
Total Revenue	155.2	128.1	138.6	141.9

# **10.4 Funding Options**

To fund this proposed road infrastructure the following options have been considered.

- Equity by PCMC Given the current state of affairs of our cities, their incompatibility with the country's socio-economic objectives and India's growing role in the world economy, the Government of India launched the Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission (JNNURM) in FY2005-06. This mission will be in place for the next four years and aims at creating economically productive, efficient, equitable and responsive cities. The mission offers grant of upto 70% of total infrastructure project cost and focuses on:
  - o Improving and augmenting the economic and social infrastructure of cities;
  - Ensuring basic services to the urban poor including security of tenure;
  - Initiating wide-ranging urban sector reforms whose primary aim is to eliminate the legal, institutional and financial constraints that have impeded investment in urban infrastructure and services, and
  - Strengthening municipal governments and their functioning in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution (seventy-fourth) Amendment Act, 1992. It provides for public disclosure of local spending decisions together with the earmarking of budgetary locations for basic services to the poor
  - PCMC's proposed initiative of a development of road corridors fits well in the JNNURM's stated objectives.

PCMC would like to avail the grant, which in turn would be invested in the SPV in the form of equity by PCMC.

Debt – Developmental financial institutions like India Infrastructure Finance Company Limited (IIFCL), Banks<sup>3</sup> and multilateral agencies like.

While various combinations and options would be available with the PCMC to fund the SPV, the following funding option has been considered.

Funding Options	Equity/ JnNURM	ADB+IFC (Non-sovereign)	Banks	IIFCL			
% of project cost	60%	15%	10%	15%			
Conditions	Funds will be transferred to SPV as equity	Loan can be only to SPV	Will prefer loan to PCMC	Loan can be only to SPV			
		Tax revenues of	Will need a	Will need a			

### Table 66 Funding Options

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The SPV can also consider issuing Bonds in the market, 100% guaranteed by PCMC



Funding Options		Equity/ JnNURM	ADB+IFC (Non-sovereign)	Banks			
			PCMC can not be used for financing	guarantee from PCMC if loan is to SPV	guarantee from PCMC		
Benefits			Longer repayment term (12)	Shorter repayment term (7)	Longer repayment term (12)		
Are revenues sufficient	SPV	NA	Will need additional support	Will need additional support	Will need additional support		

- Equity (Grant from JNNURM): Though the JNNURM has a maximum grant limit of 70% of the total project cost, PCMC is applying for only 60% of the project cost as a grant from JNNURM. PCMC expects the transit oriented development based BRTS projects to spur substantial real estate development along the project corridors and the UTF will capture the same and hence the request for a lower level of funding from JNNURM. The high proportion of the equity component will improve SPV's gearing ratio and ability to service the debt. The SPV proposes to fund balance requirement through commercial borrowings in the market and would service the same through various innovative revenue sources and a guarantee by PCMC.
- Bank Borrowings: The bank borrowings should typically available for the tenor upto 7 years. The SPV proposes to borrow about 10% of total fund requirement from banks. The bankers are likely to be more willing to provide the loan to PCMC than SPV as a result of high rating. In comparison, the SPV wouldn't have any track record to get investment grade National Scale Rupee rating on its own. This may increase borrowing cost beyond SPV's servicing capacity. To mitigate this risk, SPV would seek credit guarantee from PCMC. The borrowing from the banks should also bring in more transparency in the operations as a result of periodic assessment.

Currently private banks should lend to SPV for 7 year tenor with a moratorium of initial two years and interest cost of about 13.5% - 14.5%. In the financial projections, we have assumed interest cost at 14%.

- Long Term Borrowing: The SPV proposes to borrow long term (typically tenor of 12 years) from the multilateral agencies and development finance institutions. While these institutions are likely to insist on a security in terms of guarantee by PCMC, it would also bring in various advantages to the SPV, like
  - Availability of long term funding;
  - Improved serviceability (DSCR) as a result of longer tenor;
  - Improved liquidity / cash flow position of the SPV reducing borrowing for a working capital requirement, and
  - Better asset-liability management, as the assets like road would generate results (revenue) only in the long term

It has been estimated that funding from these institutions should be available at 200 bps lower to the bank borrowing.

To raise the funds in the market, the SPV may consider bond issuance or securitisation of future cash flows. Broadly, the SPV will avail of the funding in a manner described in the following figure.



Figure 62 SPV – Funding options



**Cost of Borrowings:** As discussed earlier it has been assumed that cost of borrowing at 14% and 12% on a borrowing from banks and multilateral agencies / IIFCL respectively though the cost of borrowing will be specific to the firm and be a function of following aspects:

- > Prevailing market conditions Inflationary pressure, liquidity in the system;
- Tenor of loan;
- Financial performance of SPV / PCMC;
- ➢ Gearing ratio;
- > SPV's ability to generate cash Liquidity in the business;
- Comfort available to the lenders like escrow account mechanism, corporate guarantee by PCMC, etc

10.4.1.1 Debt servicing

The SPV will service debt through:

- > Cash generation through internal accruals, and
- > Guarantee by PCMC in the form of equity infusion, as and when required

The total debt servicing cost per year would range from about Rs 10 Crore to around Rs 130 Crore per annum, while the SPV will be generating revenue in the range of Rs 120 Crore to Rs 140 Crore. The SPV will also have to invest further in periodic refurbishing of the road corridors and maintain liquidity in the balance sheet, as a result of which the SPV will have to resort fund infusion in certain years to service its obligations. The SPV may consider further borrowing to service its obligation, which will in turn increase its gearing ratio, beyond bankers' acceptance. To avoid this situation, PCMC will to infuse equity funds in the company to the extent of shortfall, as and when required. It has been estimated that from year 2013 to 2024 the SPV would require an additional equity infusion of about Rs 106 Crore, i.e. about Rs 9 Crore per annum. Apart from infusing equity, PCMC will also have to provide credit guarantee to the lenders, which would help the company to maintain rate of interest under control. It has also been estimated that the average debt servicing coverage ratio (DSCR) would be as high as 1.3x during this period.



### 10.4.1.2 Operations and Maintenance (O&M) Costs

The following assumptions have been made to estimate the O&M costs for the proposed road corridors:

- > O&M of roads To start from a year after commissioning;
- Annual O&M cost About 1% of project cost;
- > Periodic O&M cost 10% of project cost, to be incurred once in every six years, and
- Annual escalation in O&M costs by 5%



# PCMC Road SPV – Profit & Loss Account, Balance Sheet, Cash Flow Statement and Ratio Analysis

## Profit & Loss Statement

in Rs Crores/ Year	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Revenue															
Development Charges	67 7	67 7	67 7	67 7	67 7	50.5	50 5	50 5	50 5	50.5	50.9	50.9	50.9	50.9	50.9
TDB Loading	69.9	69.9	69.9	69.9	69.9	52.1	52.1	52.1	52 1	52.1	52 A	52 A	52 A	52 A	52.4
Proerty Tax - Incremental	1.0	21	3.1	4 1	5 1	60	6.8	7.6	8.4	9.3	10.1	10.9	11.8	12.4	13.4
Advertisement	9.1	2.1 8.1	9.1 8.1	9.1	9.1 8.1	13.5	13.5	13.5	13.5	13.5	10.1	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.4
Litility Charges	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	6.1	6.1	61	6.1	6.1	61	61	61	61	6.1
	155.2	156.3	157.3	158.3	159.3	128.1	129.0	129.8	130.6	131.4	138.6	139.4	140 3	141 1	141 9
Total nevenue	100.2	130.5	107.5	130.5	155.5	120.1	123.0	123.0	130.0	101.4	130.0	100.4	140.5	141.1	141.5
Expenditure															
O & M of Road Corridors	0.0	2.7	10.0	15.0	15.7	16.5	17.3	18.5	20.4	22.1	23.2	24.3	25.5	27.3	29.9
Employee Cost	3.9	4.1	4.3	4.5	4.7	5.0	5.2	5.5	5.7	6.0	6.3	6.6	7.0	7.3	7.7
Admin Cost	5.4	5.7	6.0	6.3	6.6	6.9	7.3	7.6	8.0	8.4	8.8	9.3	9.8	10.2	10.8
Total Cost	9.3	12.5	20.2	25.7	27.0	28.4	29.8	31.7	34.2	36.5	38.3	40.2	42.3	44.9	48.4
	145.0	140.0	107.0	100.0	100.0	00.0	00.0	00.4	00.4	04.0	100.0	00.0	00.0	00.0	00 F
EBIIDA	145.9	143.8	137.0	132.0	132.3	99.8	99.2	98.1	96.4	94.9	100.3	99.2	98.0	96.2	93.5
Interest Payment	6.8	30.5	56.8	63.1	55.7	47.0	39.0	33.1	28.7	23.9	18.3	12.5	7.9	6.7	7.8
Depreciation	10.1	32.4	45.4	45.1	45.2	45.3	46.4	48.8	50.3	50.4	50.6	50.9	52.0	54.6	56.2
Other Income	1.2	4.8	7.2	7.9	8.0	7.9	6.9	5.2	5.7	6.5	7.5	8.7	9.8	10.6	12.6
PBT	130.3	85.6	42.0	32.3	39.4	15.3	20.7	21.5	23.1	27.2	38.9	44.5	47.8	45.6	42.2
Tax	43.4	28.5	14.0	10.8	13.1	5.1	6.9	7.2	7.7	9.0	13.0	14.8	15.9	15.2	14.0
РАТ	86.9	57.1	28.0	21.6	26.3	10.2	13.8	14.3	15.4	18.1	25.9	29.7	31.9	30.4	28.1
Dividend	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Appropriation post dividend	86.9	57.1	28.0	21.6	26.3	10.2	13.8	14.3	15.4	18.1	25.9	29.7	31.9	30.4	28.1





## **Balance Sheet**

in Rs Crores/ Year	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
	/	Any shortfa	all in the de	ebt servicir	ng will be fu	inded by F	CMC by in	nfusing frea	sh equity i	n the comp	bany				
Liability	ŀ	First three	years, the	grant from	JnNURM	will be infu	sed as PC	CMC's equi	ity, from ye	ear 4 to 15	equity will	come dire	ctly from P	CMC's cas	shflow
Equity	162.8	570.0	814.2	814.2	814.2	814.2	814.2	814.2	837.1	837.1	837.1	837.1	837.1	837.1	837.1
Reserves	86.9	144.0	172.0	193.6	219.9	230.1	243.9	258.2	273.7	291.8	317.7	347.4	379.3	409.7	437.9
Networth	249.8	714.0	986.3	1007.8	1034.1	1044.3	1058.1	1072.5	1110.8	1128.9	1154.8	1184.6	1216.4	1246.8	1275.0
Loan from Multilateral Agencie:	40.7	142.5	199.5	185.2	164.9	144.5	128.2	118.1	103.4	81.6	59.2	36.8	22.6	24.2	27.5
Loan from Banks	27.1	95.0	130.3	111.3	84.1	57.0	32.6	17.6	13.0	11.1	8.4	5.7	5.7	10.3	13.0
Loan from DFIs	40.7	142.5	199.5	185.2	164.9	144.5	128.2	118.1	103.4	81.6	59.2	36.8	22.6	24.2	27.5
Total Loan - Long Term	108.6	380.0	529.2	481.7	413.9	346.0	289.0	253.8	219.8	174.4	126.9	79.4	50.9	58.8	68.0
Total Liability	358.3	1093.9	1515.5	1489.6	1448.0	1390.4	1347.2	1326.2	1330.6	1303.3	1281.7	1263.9	1267.3	1305.6	1343.0
Assets															
Gross Block	281.4	960.9	1369.1	1370.4	1371.7	1373.1	1401.9	1471.5	1514.2	1516.3	1518.7	1521.3	1551.3	1622.3	1666.4
Depreciation	10.1	42.5	87.9	132.9	178.1	223.5	269.9	318.7	368.9	419.3	469.9	520.8	572.8	627.4	683.5
Net Block	271.3	918.4	1281.3	1237.4	1193.5	1149.7	1132.0	1152.9	1145.3	1097.0	1048.7	1000.5	978.4	994.9	982.9
Current Assets															
Inventory	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.5	6.5	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.8
Debtors	51.0	51.4	51.7	52.0	52.4	42.1	42.4	42.7	42.9	43.2	45.6	45.8	46.1	46.4	46.7
Cash & Bank balance	31.1	119.8	179.4	197.8	200.0	198.0	172.4	130.6	142.7	163.7	188.0	218.5	244.0	265.9	315.5
Current Liability & Provisions	1.5	2.1	3.3	4.2	4.4	4.7	4.9	5.2	5.6	6.0	6.3	6.6	6.9	7.4	8.0
Net Current Assets	87.0	175.5	234.2	252.2	254.5	240.7	215.2	173.4	185.4	206.3	233.0	263.5	288.9	310.7	360.1
Accumulated Loss															
Total Assets	358.3	1093.9	1515.5	1489.6	1448.0	1390.4	1347.2	1326.2	1330.6	1303.3	1281.7	1263.9	1267.3	1305.6	1343.0





## **Cash Flow Statement**

in Rs Crores/ Year	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Sources of Funds															
PAT	86.9	57.1	28.0	21.6	26.3	10.2	13.8	14.3	15.4	18.1	25.9	29.7	31.9	30.4	28.1
Depreciation	10.1	32.4	45.4	45.1	45.2	45.3	46.4	48.8	50.3	50.4	50.6	50.9	52.0	54.6	56.2
Change in Equity	162.8	407.1	244.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	22.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Change in Long Term															
Borrowings	108.6	271.4	149.3	-47.5	-67.9	-67.9	-57.0	-35.3	-33.9	-45.5	-47.5	-47.5	-28.5	7.9	9.2
Change in Short Term															
Borrowings	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Change in Current Liability &	1.5	0.5	1.3	0.9	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.6
Total	369.9	768.6	468.2	20.0	3.9	-12.1	3.4	28.1	55.1	23.4	29.4	33.4	55.7	93.3	94.1
Utilization of Funds															
Dividend	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Change in Gross Block	281.4	679.5	408.2	1.2	1.3	1.5	28.8	69.6	42.7	2.1	2.4	2.6	30.0	71.0	44.2
Change in Inventory	6.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-1.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Change in Receivables	51.0	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	-10.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	2.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Total	338.8	679.9	408.6	1.6	1.7	-10.1	29.1	69.9	43.0	2.4	5.0	2.9	30.3	71.3	44.5
Opening Balance of Cash	0.0	31.1	119.8	179.4	197.8	200.0	198.0	172.4	130.6	142.7	163.7	188.0	218.5	244.0	265.9
Change in cash balance	31.1	88.7	59.6	18.5	2.1	-2.0	-25.6	-41.8	12.1	21.0	24.4	30.5	25.4	22.0	49.6
Closing Balance of Cash	31.1	119.8	179.4	197.8	200.0	198.0	172.4	130.6	142.7	163.7	188.0	218.5	244.0	265.9	315.5





# **Ratio Analysis**

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Margins															
EBITDA	94.0%	92.0%	87.1%	83.7%	83.0%	77.9%	76.9%	75.6%	73.8%	72.2%	72.3%	71.1%	69.9%	68.2%	65.9%
PBT	83.9%	54.8%	26.7%	20.4%	24.7%	12.0%	16.0%	16.6%	17.7%	20.7%	28.1%	31.9%	34.1%	32.3%	29.7%
PAT	56.0%	36.5%	17.8%	13.6%	16.5%	8.0%	10.7%	11.0%	11.8%	13.8%	18.7%	21.3%	22.7%	21.5%	19.8%
Return															
RoA	24.2%	5.2%	1.8%	1.4%	1.8%	0.7%	1.0%	1.1%	1.2%	1.4%	2.0%	2.3%	2.5%	2.3%	2.1%
RoE	34.8%	8.0%	2.8%	2.1%	2.5%	1.0%	1.3%	1.3%	1.4%	1.6%	2.2%	2.5%	2.6%	2.4%	2.2%
RoCE	37.9%	10.2%	6.0%	5.9%	6.0%	3.9%	3.9%	3.7%	3.5%	3.4%	3.9%	3.8%	3.6%	3.2%	2.8%
Gearing															
DE	0.4	05	05	05	04	0.3	0.3	02	02	02	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1
TOL/TNW	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1
Liquidity Batio															
CB	57.8	86 5	71 4	60.6	58.3	52.6	<i>11</i> 9	34.3	34.0	35.4	38.0	40.8	42.6	43.1	46.3
Cash / Total Assets	8.7%	10.9%	11.8%	13.3%	13.8%	14.2%	12.8%	9.8%	10.7%	12.6%	14.7%	17.3%	19.3%	20.4%	23.5%
INSCR															
PAT	86.9	57.1	28.0	21.6	26.3	10.2	13.8	14.3	15.4	18.1	25.9	29.7	31.9	30.4	28.1
Interest	6.8	30.5	56.8	63.1	55.7	47.0	39.0	33.1	28.7	23.9	18.3	12.5	7.9	6.7	7.8
Depreciation	10.1	32.4	45.4	45.1	45.2	45.3	46.4	48.8	50.3	50.4	50.6	50.9	52.0	54.6	56.2
Cash Profit	103.8	120.0	130.2	129.7	127.2	102.6	99.2	96.2	94.4	92.4	94.8	93.1	91.8	91.7	92.1
Interest	6.8	30.5	56.8	63.1	55.7	47.0	39.0	33.1	28.7	23.9	18.3	12.5	7.9	6.7	7.8
Debt Repayment	0.0	0.0	13.6	47.5	67.9	67.9	67.9	62.4	50.2	45.5	47.5	47.5	39.4	19.3	7.1
Total Debt Service	6.8	30.5	70.4	110.6	123.5	114.9	106.9	95.5	78.9	69.4	65.8	60.0	47.3	26.0	14.9
DSCR	15.3	3.9	1.9	1.2	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.6	1.9	3.5	6.2
Average DSCR	1.53		-					-		-					-





# 11 AGENCY/AGENCIES FOR IMPLEMENTATION, OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE

The objectives of institutional structure set-up for the implementation and operations and maintenance (O&M) of the all transportation projects should be to maximise the quality of service provided to commuters, minimise the cost of service and maximise the involvement of private sector. This chapter outlines the need for an institutional change in PCMC for implementing the projects in a professional and efficient manner. An elaborate study has been conducted to study the various options that PCMC can consider for the institutional framework for this project.

## **11.1 Need for an institutional framework**

PCMC is planning to invest about Rs 800 – 900 Crores per annum for next 3 - 4 years for infrastructure development in the city. This is an increase from about Rs 150 – 200 Crores per annum. The management of projects of this scale is expected to be achieved by PCMC through an adoption of innovative procedures and an introduction of new processes including appointment of consultants for preparation of business plans and detailed project reports, utilisation of special equipment for construction of projects, dedicated teams in a few departments focussed on specific projects and third party quality assurance. These changes have helped PCMC to multiply its project execution capacity in FY08 to about Rs 800 Crores. Additional investment of about Rs 400 Crores per annum for next three years, in the proposed road corridors, pegging total projects execution at about Rs 1,200 Crores per annum, would affect PCMC's ability to implement these projects efficiently. At the same time, PCMC doesn't have an option of not implementing these road corridors considering the demand push in future. As a result, to further stretch its annual projects implementation capability, PCMC shall need to undergo an institutional change.

It is felt that PCMC will have to focus on the following issues in order to cope with the increasing demand for execution of project:

- 1. Dedicated to focus on project planning and implementation since the civil department is able to currently focus only on day-to-day activities,
- 2. Delegation of power and quick decision-making: Currently, there is a hierarchy in designations for approving of tenders. This acts as a constraint in quick decision-making,
- 3. Capacity building of resources, and
- 4. Simple and quick procedures.

Thus, it can be observed that in the current structure it will be difficult for the PCMC, given its current organisational structure and process to implement projects of this magnitude in an efficient manner. As an effort towards identifying the institutional changes that can to be undertaken so that the projects can be implemented in a professional manner, alternative options have been studied. Pros and cons of various options were studied as a part of a separate study, and it was found that creation of a Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV) with 100% holding by PCMC is the most favourable option.

This option fulfils all the objectives of institutional change and provides the necessary resources that are needed for implementing the road projects in a professional manner. It ensures that the team is focussed and dedicated for the high value road projects and at the same time PCMC has control over the same. Also, the liability of PCMC shall be limited to it's equity in the SPV and guarantees that it would have offered to any creditors.

Through a resolution in the General Body of PCMC, an SPV called the Pimpri-Chinchwad Infrastructure Company (PCIC), a wholly owned subsidiary of PCMC has been formed. The SPV will



also manage the Urban Transport Fund (UTF) that has been formed by PCMC to capture the benefits of the BRTS projects for long term sustainability and as a means of self financing for the future.

To start off with, the SPV has been given the mandate for eight corridors as presented below. The other development projects suggested in the CMP shall be taken up by PCMC.

- 1. Old NH-4 (Mumbai-Pune highway)
- 2. Aundh Rawet road
- 3. Nashik phata to Wakad
- 4. Kalewadi to Dehu Alandi road
- 5. Dehu Alandi road
- 6. Pune/Vishrantwadi Alandi road
- 7. Nashik phata to Moshi
- 8. Kiwale to Bhakti-Shakti

The following sections present details of its basic structure and its activities.

## 11.2 Proposed structure of SPV

This chapter details the structure of the SPV that has been formed, key objectives of the SPV, main activities that will be undertaken by the SPV, its legal feasibility, the relationship that the SPV will share with PCMC, its detailed functioning and its organisational structure.

### 11.2.1 Objectives

The SPV has been formed for the effective implementation of the road corridors and will cater to the following objectives:

- Ensure development of high quality road corridors in PCMC in a cost-efficient and professional manner within the specified time frame.
- > Improve the access to and within the PCMC area resulting in efficient traffic management.
- > Maximise revenue potential for the road corridors.
- Prepare long-term holistic plan for the development of the road network, making PCMC a highly connected city.

In order to achieve the above objectives, the SPV will undertake a certain set of activities related to project development and implementation, project monitoring and revenue generation. The next section broadly outlines these activities.

### 11.2.2 Key Activities and Skills Needed

### 11.2.2.1 Activities

In line with the objectives, the SPV will undertake certain key activities in order to ensure successful implementation of the road corridors (the Project). These activities will ensure that the three important parameters of time, cost and quality are met during project implementation. The key activities identified for the SPV are as follows:

- > Plan, design, finance, construct, operate and maintain road projects,
- > Enter into contracts for works related to the SPV,



- Invite tenders, bids and offers for the development as well as maintenance of the road corridors,
- > Explore the revenue streams that can be captured as a result of the road development,
- > Manage revenues that are being captured by the SPV,
- Coordinate with PCMC departments such as water supply, civil engineering, and land use for integrated development of the city's road network, and
- > Check the quality of the road projects being implemented through the SPV.

The following table gives a holistic view of the institutional framework of the SPV. The SPV have a four-pronged approach. At the first and second level, it shall focus on planning the projects as well as engage in long-term planning of the sector and project development and implementation. At the next two levels, it shall focus on project monitoring and revenue generation.

Pillar of Framework	Activities		
A) Planning	<ol> <li>Long-term planning of the road network within PCMC</li> <li>Capacity building</li> <li>Identification of innovative revenue streams</li> </ol>		
B) Project Development and Implementation	<ol> <li>Project Identification</li> <li>Development Activities</li> <li>Feasibility Analysis</li> <li>Bid Process</li> <li>Contract Award and Monitoring</li> <li>Asset Holding</li> <li>Streamlining Operations</li> </ol>		
C) Project Monitoring	<ol> <li>Operational Support</li> <li>Define Key Performance Indicators</li> <li>Progress Review</li> <li>Dispute Resolution</li> </ol>		
D) Revenue Generation	<ol> <li>Resource Mobilisation</li> <li>Fund Management</li> <li>Innovative Revenue Stream</li> </ol>		

### Table 67 SPV Key activities

### 11.2.2.2Skill Requirements

Given this institutional framework and activities to be undertaken by the SPV, the key success factors of the institutional structure were identified and the legality of the SPV was explored. To ensure that the objectives of the SPV are achieved, the key success factors for fulfilling its role and responsibilities were identified on the basis of the role and responsibility of the new entity.



### 11.2.2.3 Professionalism

The SPV will have to be professional in its functioning. The teams will have to be well-defined, trained and well-informed before the implementation of any project. The SPV will have to strive to achieve high ethical, technical as well as quality standards in their activities.

### 11.2.2.4 Prompt and informed decision-making

The SPV professionals will have to ensure quick decision-making. At the same time, they will have to ensure that they are well-informed about the situation. Clarity on the problem, evaluation of various alternative options, identification of the benefits and risks of each option and then the right choice will ensure informed decision-making. Often, road projects get delayed as decisions are not taken on time. If the decisions get delayed, then the project will also exceed the timelines and this will result in a cost overrun.

### 11.2.2.5 Project Management

Most of the time, the road projects get delayed since land acquisition takes time and the project may not be well co-ordinated. Thus, in such kinds of projects, planning and managing the project plays a crucial part. Project management shall primarily involve the following tasks:

- > Planning the work according to the objectives,
- > Assessing and controlling risk and identifying, managing and controlling changes,
- > Estimating human and material resources, acquiring them and allocating the same on time,
- > Organising the work optimally,
- > Assigning tasks to employees, directing the activities and controlling project execution,
- > Instituting a well-laid tracking and reporting system (Management information system),
- > Analysing the results based on the facts, and
- > Ensuring Quality and Issues Management.

### 11.2.2.6 Cost Efficiency

The SPV will have to ensure cost efficiency with regard to two aspects. One, the SPV will ensure that its material as well as human resources are optimally utilised such that the costs of operating the SPV are managed efficiently. Also, the SPV will have to ensure that the project is properly monitored with a tab on the costs of the project. Monthly budgets will need to be prepared and the actual cost incurred will have to be measured against the same. The SPV will then analyse the reasons of a cost overrun/cost savings, if any. It will constantly monitor the budgeted costs against the actual and accordingly re-define its processes and reallocate its resources.

### 11.2.2.7 Transparency

The entity will provide support for project development and project implementation. It will design projects, ensure their feasibility and select developers to implement the project. This will call for transparency in documentation, database management, selection of the developer and monitoring of the project.

### 11.2.2.8 Long-term focus

The entity will have to retain a long-term focus on developing the road network within PCMC. Currently, the Civil Engineering Department in PCMC is inadequately equipped to manage this task, as the focus is more on solving day-to-day maintenance issues than on holistic planning.



It is envisaged that these key success factors will reflect on the decisions made by the new entity. Since these factors are crucial to the success of the SPV, they have been built into the entity's foundation, i.e., its legal structure and organisational structure. With the above-mentioned objectives and skill requirements, the SPV will benefit PCMC in the execution of the road projects and in the capture of innovative revenue streams. However, it is necessary to explore whether it is legally possible for PCMC to form a SPV and have a shareholding in the same. The next sub-section elaborates the legal feasibility of the SPV.

### 11.2.3 Legal Feasibility of SPV

This sub-section primarily presents the possibility that was explored for the formation of a SPV by PCMC and whether the necessary rights for the functioning of the SPV can be transferred to the SPV. For the formation of an SPV and its successful functioning, the following points were explored from the legal point of view.

- > Can PCMC create and subscribe to the share capital of a company?
- > Can PCMC assign municipal functions to a SPV?
- > Can PCMC transfer the road assets to a SPV?

The Pimpri Chinchwad Municipal Corporation is a body corporate, established under the provisions of The Bombay Provincial Municipal Corporation Act'1949 (BPMC Act) and the rules and byelaws made there under. Thus, the BPMC Act was studied to explore the legal issues to be addressed. The following sub-sections detail the possibility of the formation of the SPV.

### 11.2.3.1 Power to subscribe to the share capital of a Company (SPV)

Section 66(41 A) of the BPMC Act provides that subject to such terms and conditions as the State Government may impose, PCMC after obtaining the approval of the State Government may subscribe to the share capital of any company or a co-operative society which is either established or is providing any of the services in the city of Pimpri Chinchwad on behalf of the PCMC.

Section 66 (41A) of the BPMC Act reads as:

### *"66. Matters which may be provided for by the Corporation at its discretion*

The Corporation may, in its discretion, provide from time to time, either wholly or partly, for all or any of the following matters, namely:

.....

(41A) With the previous sanction of the State Government and subject to such terms and conditions as the State Government may impose, subscribing to the share capital of any company or cooperative society, with a limited liability, established or to be established for maintaining or setting up a slaughter house, or for providing any other services in the City, useful to the Corporation in carrying out any of the duties imposed upon it by or under this Act or any other law for the time being in force;

....."

Even though the BPMC Act only stipulates that the PCMC may subscribe to share capital, and there is nothing in the BPMC Act which prohibits PCMC, a legal and juristic person, to incorporate a company (by subscribing to the share capital of the same), it can be reasonably concluded that PCMC is vested with legal authority and empowered in this regard to incorporate an SPV.

11.2.3.2 Power of PCMC to assign Municipal functions to SPV

It is important to ascertain whether the legal framework, as applicable to PCMC, authorises PCMC to assign, transfer or entrust any other entity to or legal pursuant to the creation of the SPV, the



delegation of all essential functions which are required for the implementation of the road corridors project.

PCMC is authorised to make any provision, by any means or measures which it may lawfully use or take for the purpose of the construction, maintenance, alteration and improvement of public streets, sub-ways, culverts, cause-ways and the like. PCMC can delegate any or all of its functions in this regard to the SPV within its juridical powers under BPMC Act.

Section 66A of the BPMC Act, 1949 in this regard reads as below:

### *"66A. Performance of functions by agencies*

When any duty has been imposed on, or any function has been assigned to, a Corporation under this Act or any other law for the time being in force, or a Corporation has been entrusted witty the implementation of a scheme, by the State Government or any other authority, -

(*i*) the Corporation may, either discharge such duties or perform such function or implement such schemes by itself; or

(ii) subject to such directions as may be issued and the terms and conditions as may be determined by the State Government, cause them to be discharged, performed or implemented by any agency;

Provided that, the Corporation may also specify terms and conditions, not inconsistent with the terms and conditions determined by the State Government for such agency arrangement."

From the perusal of the provisions of the BPMC Act, it is evident that PCMC can subscribe to the share capital of any company, and it can further assign its functions to any such agency (SPV). Thus, it can be interpreted that any SPV may implement a road project pursuant to the delegation/assignment of necessary functions by PCMC to the SPV. Provided that the scheme of incorporating such a SPV has been accorded previous approval of the State Government and is in accordance with other terms and conditions, if any, as prescribed by the State Government, and assigning such function to such SPV is approved by the Corporation, and is in accordance with any terms and conditions prescribed by the State Government, if any.

11.2.3.3 Power of PCMC to transfer road assets to SPV

Under the project, the SPV will be in a position to effectively perform its part only when PCMC transfers its road assets (including land, road assets, both movable and immovable, including right of way etc. which are required by the SPV to implement the Project) to the SPV. As all assets are under the control of the PCMC, they can only be transferred by PCMC in accordance with the provisions of the BPMC Act.

As per Section 79 of the BPMC Act:

### Section 79: Provisions governing the disposal of municipal property

"With respect to the disposal of property belonging to the Corporation, other than property vesting in the Corporation exclusively for the purposes of the Transport Undertaking the following provisions shall have effect, namely:-

(a) the Commissioner, may, in his discretion, dispose of by sale, letting out on hire or otherwise, any movable property belonging to the Corporation not exceeding in value of each instance five hundred rupees or such higher amount as the Corporation may, with the approval of the State Government, from time to time determine, or grant a lease of any immovable property belonging to the Corporation including any right of fishing or of gathering and taking fruit, and the like, for any period not exceeding twelve months at a time :



Provided that the Commissioner shall report to the Standing Committee every lease of immovable property within fifteen days of the grant thereof at a rack rent does not exceed three thousand rupees;

(b) with the sanction of the Standing Committee the Commissioner may dispose of by sale, letting out on hire or otherwise, any movable property belonging to the Corporation, of which value does not exceed five thousand rupees; and may with the like sanction grant a lease of any immovable property belonging to the Corporation, including any rights as aforesaid, for any period exceeding one year or sell or grant a lease in perpetuity of any immovable property belonging to the Corporation the value of premium whereof does not exceed three thousand rupees or the annual rental whereof does not exceed three thousand rupees;

(c) with the sanction of the Corporation, the Commissioner, may, lease, sell, let out on hire or otherwise convey any property, movable or immovable, belonging to the Corporation

Accordingly, PCMC needs to pass an appropriate resolution in its meeting or approach the State Government to obtain its prior permission.

### 11.2.4 Relationship between PCMC and SPV

From the above analysis, the formation of a Project SPV appears to be a workable model from the legal point of view. From PCMC's point of view, a limited or non-recourse nature of the project financing to the SPV allows PCMC to fund road projects outside of its balance sheet, and thus shifts the significant degree of risks associated with the Project. Lenders to SPV's road project will have recourse to PCMC as an additional security along with the recourse available to the lender in the form of SPV's future revenue streams (including the revenues assigned to it by PCMC including development charges, incremental property tax, revenue through lease of utility ducts, etc). An escrow account will be created which may comprise the revenues, which have been assigned contractually to the SPV by PCMC.



### Figure 63 Debt Repayment – Water Flow Arrangement

### 11.2.5 Obligations of PCMC

Given the defined relationship between PCMC and the SPV, PCMC will have certain obligations that it will need to fulfil to facilitate the working of the SPV. PCMC will also have to transfer its specific rights to enable the operation of the SPV. The following points outline the obligations of PCMC:

- Transfer the right to collect revenue from development charges, incremental property tax, utility duct usage charges, sale of additional FSI, loading of TDR and parking fees along the 100 metre-buffer zone alongside the road corridor, and to transfer the same to an escrow account and book it in the accounts of the SPV.
- > Transfer the road assets, the land for road development and the right of way for the land.



- > Provide a credit guarantee for the loan taken by the SPV, if need be.
- Subscribe to 100% of SPV's equity.

### 11.2.6 Obligations of Project SPV

The SPV will be transferred the function of road development, specific to the road corridor projects undertaken by PCMC. Thus, the SPV will have to perform certain obligatory functions. The same have been listed below.

- > Design, finance, construct, operate and maintain the road corridors,
- Explore innovative sources of revenue including incremental property tax, revenue from sale of additional FSI, revenue from TDR loading, revenue from utility ducts, etc. and capture these sources of revenue for funding of the project,
- Service debt,
- Monitor execution of the projects by the contractors the quality of implementation, timelines, and the nature of equipment and technology. It may appoint a third party to undertake the monitoring, and
- Undertake quality maintenance.

### 11.2.7 Functions of SPV

The various activities that shall be undertaken by the SPV have been detailed below.

### 11.2.7.1 Long-term planning for the road network within PCMC

In a sector like roads and transportation, the majority of the projects lasts for a period of more than 20 years; hence, long-term planning is necessary. The SPV shall prepare a long-term plan for the road network within the city in line with its objective to improve connectivity in the PCMC's jurisdiction area.

### 11.2.7.2 Monitoring

The SPV will also monitor the execution of the projects by developers/contractors, the quality of implementation, timelines, and nature of equipment and technology. It may appoint a third party to undertake the monitoring. It will ensure that the materials are of good quality, the necessary tests are conducted, and the construction as well as maintenance of the roads is up to quality.

### 11.2.7.3 Project Implementation

The SPV will ensure the timely construction of the road projects. Once the project is identified, the entity will undertake developmental activities such as identifying the amount of investment needed, the availability of land, the status of available technology, and the availability of resources such as contractors, land, power, etc. The major development activities that will be undertaken shall include:

- Assessing the market potential of the project if it is to be implemented on a PPP basis;
- > Estimating the requirement of land, plant machinery and other utilities and facilities;
- Entering into tie-ups with technical consultants for sharing of innovative and the latest technologies;
- > Estimating the cost of construction and revenue potential; and
- > Estimating the debt–equity ratio for the project and identifying means of finances.



#### 11.2.7.4 Innovative revenue streams

With the implementation of the road corridors, the SPV will be able to generate innovative revenue streams as a result of the development that will take place along the corridors. The SPV will also explore the innovative revenue streams that the SPV can capture and also focus on the management of revenue. This should improve the project's bankability.

### 11.2.7.5 Feasibility Analysis

The SPV will conduct a detailed financial feasibility analysis of a road project before its implementation to assess its commercial viability. The detailed cost of the project will be worked out for its economic life. Also, the various avenues of revenue generation will be identified and the total revenue calculated. Project cash flows, working capital requirements and a profit and loss account will be prepared. An in-depth analysis will be carried out to understand the project's viability. Also, other risks such as political risks, social cost, and willingness to pay will be studied while gauging the feasibility of the project.

### 11.2.7.6 Structuring

The SPV will also explore whether the road projects need to be undertaken on a PPP basis. Various forms of project structure such as Design Build Operate (DBO), Build Own Operate Transfer (BOOT), Build Operate Transfer (BOT), and Operation and Maintenance (O&M) will be explored. Also, the contract structure including the terms of payment, the mode of payment, the roles, rights and responsibilities of each party, the transfer of property if any, etc. will be detailed.

### 11.2.7.7 Contract Award and Monitoring

The contract will be awarded to the successful bidder. He will be issued a letter of award and asked to sign the Agreement. Once the contract is signed, the SPV will monitor the progress of the construction of the project as well as its operation and maintenance. It will ensure that the project is constructed as per the quality norms and standards and that the necessary environment approvals have been obtained and there is no deviation from the technical plan. It will also ensure that the contractor maintains all the records and meets MIS requirements.

### 11.2.7.8 Organisational Structure

To ensure the successful implementation of the road corridor project, there needs to be a sound operating strategy. Human resources and functional expertise would be the backbone of SPV. Hence, the organisation structure has been designed such that it can provide adequate support to SPV's primary activities, while maintaining a focus on the key success factors. The SPV has been designed to be a lean and focussed organisation, capable of attracting expertise from the industry and ensuring their independence from undesirable political or business pressures.

The SPV has been incorporated by PCMC under Section 66 of the BPMC Act, 1969, whereby 100% shareholding will be with PCMC. The SPV is a limited liability company incorporated under the Companies Act, 1956. If the SPV is a private company, then it shall need to have a minimum of two subscribers and a minimum of two directors. If the SPV is a public limited company then it shall need to have minimum seven subscribers and minimum three directors. The structure of the SPV has thus been designed to comprise a Board of Directors, the Chairman and the Managing Director. The Board of Directors would comprise the elected members of PCMC. The Board of Directors would then elect the Chairman of the Board. The Managing Director would be the Municipal Commissioner of PCMC and would be appointed by the Board of Directors. The Managing Director (MD), heading the top management team, would report to the Board of Directors. The MD would be responsible for the day-to-day operations of the company. The functional heads in the organisation – Engineering, Commercial, Accounts & Finance and Administrative/Systems & HR Department – would report to the MD. The functional cells have been suggested in line with the major roles and objectives of the SPV.



### **Figure 64 Organisation Structure**



In addition to the above, an advisory board will also be created. This board will comprise experienced professionals from the industry and will provide advisory assistance to the Board of Directors. The Advisory Board will not have any decision-making authority and will be only recommendatory in nature.

### 11.2.8 Key principles governing the organisation structure

Keeping in mind the SPV's key success factors and the needs of its business strategy, the following principles would govern its organisation structure.

### 11.2.8.1 Role of the Board and management

There is a separation of the Board from the management. To ensure independence, the Board of Directors would not have any role in SPV's day-to-day business management decisions. This would strictly be the domain of the top management team, comprising the MD and the heads of the various departments. This team would head all the critical business and support activities.

### 11.2.8.2 Focus on each major functional area

The SPV will have four major areas of functioning – Engineering, Commercial, Accounts & Finance and Administration/Systems & HR. The organisation structure has been designed such that there are separate teams of professionals focussing on each area of function. This will ensure that the SPV allocates proper resources to each major function in line with its objectives.

### 11.2.9 Details of the organisation structure

### 11.2.9.1 Engineering Department

- > Evaluates the availability of land for the project and ensures the procurement of land.
- Coordinates with PCMC's Engineering Department to gain an understanding of the plans of PCMC for laying water pipelines, telephone cables, etc.
- > Estimates the financial requirements of the project.
- > Prepares the design requirements of the project.



- Undertakes a quality check of the project.
- > Undertakes maintenance activities for the road projects.

### 11.2.9.2 Commercial Department

- > Identifies the alternative revenue resources that can be captured by the SPV.
- Markets the project to investors.
- > Co-ordinates with the state as well as the Central Government on disbursal of funds.
- > Manages legal matters related to the company and its projects.
- Manages the tendering process.

### 11.2.9.3 Accounts & Finance Department

- > Maintains proper books of accounts.
- Prepares the financial structure of the project, explores new innovative structures and selects a structure that maximises returns to the investors.
- > Manages the funds of the company as well as that of each identified project.
- Estimates the capital as well as the operating costs for the development as well as operation and maintenance of the project.
- > Handles the treasury operations.

### 11.2.9.4 Administration, Systems & HR Department

- Deals with recruitment, promotions, transfers, leaves and other service matters of the core staff as well as the persons who are appointed on a contract basis.
- > Deals with salary estimation, allowances, Income Tax and its deductions as TDS.
- > Undertakes resolution of disputes.
- Handles housekeeping matters including maintenance of SPV's vehicles, their contract work, security, telephones, scrutiny and passing of bills of staff benefits, bills for hired cars, etc.
- > Prepares the budget and conducts performance evaluation.
- ➢ Handles the day-to-day operations of the SPV including payment of salary, recruitment, performance appraisal, office management, etc.



# **12 CONCLUSIONS**

Pimpri-Chinchwad is a high growth city within the Pune Metropolitan region with a population of approximately 13.5 lakhs. It is home to India's finest corporates such as Tata Motors, Bajaj Auto, Bajaj Tempo, Mercedes Benz, Finolex, Thermax, Phillips, Forbes-Marshall, Thyssen Krupp, Alfa Laval and Sandvik Asia. Pimpri-Chinchwad Municipal Corporation (PCMC) is responsible for urban infrastructure services to the city. It is implementing an ambitious city development programme, which was finalized through a comprehensive and participative long term planning exercise in the year 2006. In line with this plan, PCMC is already implementing infrastructure projects worth Rs 1760 crores. The national urban development programme – The Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission (JnNURM), has approved these projects and has provided partial grant funding. These projects are in the areas of water supply, sewerage, solid waste management, housing and BRTS road corridors.

To address most of the urban transport problems being faced by PCMC currently and those anticipated in the future, a Comprehensive Mobility Plan (CMP) study has been undertaken. An elaborate study on the traffic and land-use scenario has been conducted as part of this study. Based on a comprehensive traffic and land-use study, the need for a BRT system has been appreciated. Based on the urban land-use study future growth patterns in the city, its impact on traffic and the use of land as a resource for the Municipal Corporation, have been presented in the report. As a recommendation of this study, a Bus-based rapid transit system has to be implemented by PCMC to improve the public transportation system in Pimpri-Chinchwad. Improvement of network of existing roads in order to provide good quality of service to commuters has also been proposed.

A network of corridors for a BRT system has been arrived at by considering the following parameters for evaluation. These are recommended to be taken up by PCMC for the implementation.

- 1. Estimated traffic load along the corridor,
- 2. Estimated revenues that can be generated along the corridor by using land as a resource,
- 3. Availability of land for implementation of the project, and
- 4. The corridors aligned such that they provide a good road-network in PCMC area.

A Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV), as a wholly owned subsidiary of PCMC, has been formed for taking up the implementation of the road improvement as well as BRTS project. The SPV will also manage the Urban Transport Fund (UTF). The SPV would take up the following corridors immediately on its formation:

- 1. Old NH-4 (Mumbai-Pune highway)
- 2. Aundh Rawet road
- 3. Nashik phata to Wakad
- 4. Kalewadi to Dehu Alandi road
- 5. Dehu Alandi road
- 6. Pune/Vishrantwadi Alandi road
- 7. Nashik phata to Moshi
- 8. Kiwale to Bhakti-Shakti



### Figure 65 BRTS corridors



Based on the traffic study, the following table indicates number of bus-passenger trips estimated in the base year of 2008:

Corridor	Corridor Peak traffic – Number of Bus-passenger Trips			
	2008		2021	
	PPD	PHPDT	PPD	PHPDT
Aundh-Rawet road	57,381	3,682		
Old NH-4	1,89,427	12,156		
Nashik Phata to Wakad	41,532	2,665	83,662	5,369
Kalewadi to Delhu-Alandi	33,219	2,132	56,112	3,601
Dehu Alandi	16,051	1,030	36,540	2,345
Pune to Alandi	3,057	196	6,492	417
NH – 50 (Nashik phata to Moshi)	40,629	2,607	1,01,374	6,505
Expressway to Bhakti Shakti	10,355	664	23,243	1,492

When the BRT system is in place, the total number of bus-trips being undertaken in the entire transportation network of PCMC will be much more than the trips only along the above mentioned corridors. Therefore, one of the recommendations of this study to PCMC is that the BRT system should be implemented as part of a comprehensive transportation network which includes a good feeder network and pedestrian-friendly services. The following table indicates total number of trips that would be undertaken by residents of PCMC area and the number of public transportation trips that are expected out of the total trips.

S. No.	Year	Total Trips	PT Trips
1	2008	21,14,001	5,57,103
2	2011	27,66,328	6,61,477
3	2021	58,56,034	10,61,487
4	2031	1,46,32,552	19,49,632



Public transportation trips as well as total passenger trips are likely to grow at a rapid pace from 2015 onwards and the following table presents the rate of growth of the same.

	Growth Rate (%)				
Year	Total Trips PT Trips				
2007	-	-			
2011	6.95	4.39			
2021	7.79	4.84			
2031	9.59	6.27			

Based on the land-use study, it has been observed that by using the concept of Transit Oriented landuse structure and developing transport infrastructure, land along BRT corridors can be used as a resource by PCMC. In the long term, considerable amounts of revenues can be generated from the land along proposed BRT corridors. Estimates of these revenues have been presented in the report.

Options for technology and specifications of rolling stock has been presented in the report. However, since the transportation systems in both the cities of Pimpri-Chinchwad and Pune are being managed by a single organization (PMPML), it is recommended that the rolling stock that would be procured shall conform to the requirements of both the cities. This is an important factor to be considered especially for the corridors which connect the two cities, namely Aundh-Rawet, the old NH4 and the Pune-Alandi road. Selection of rolling-stock needs to be coordinated with Pune Municipal Corporation/PMPML.

In terms of the configuration of road and BRT corridors, the following recommendations have been made in the study:

- 1. Dedicated bus-lanes have been located in the middle of the carriageway, on either sides of the median,
- 2. Bus-stops are located at a distance of about 250 m on either side of junctions and at midblock locations at distances of 500-700 m beyond junctions,
- 3. In order to have least hindrances for pedestrians to cross roads to reach bus-stops, it has been recommended that the bus-stops be located at grade with the pedestrian lanes provided at the edge of RoW. The through traffic lanes on either sides of BRT lanes would be elevated to a minimum height of the buses. This would enable pedestrians to reach bus-stops with minimum impedance.
- 4. Provision of separate lanes for pedestrians and non-motorised vehicles on either ends of RoW,

As a part of re-development of land along corridors, with the objective of having a transit-oriented development along the BRT corridors, it has been proposed to modify certain land-use policies prevalent in PCMC. PCMC has initiated the process by presenting to its General Body for allowing a maximum FSI of 1.8 within the influence zone of the BRT corridors. TDR may be allowed from existing other zones in PCMC limits to the new zones along BRT corridors. Developers will have to pay a premium for tranfering the development rights onto the new zone.

As one of the innovative steps towards implementation of this project, PCMC has created a wholly owned subsidiary in the form of a Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV) which shall have the mandate of planning, implementing and O&M of the road projects and the BRT system. It is expected that through the SPV, PCMC will have a dedicated team of professionals who will ensure timely and effective implementation of these projects. The SPV will aim at capturing various revenues that can be generated along the corridors as some of PCMC's functions would be delegated to it. It will also explore various financing options for project implementation.



S.No.	Road Name	Length proposed (km)	Project Cost (Rs crores)	
Level 1 Corrid				
1	Aundh Ravet Road	14.4	194.4	
2	NH4	14.6	197.1	
3	Telco Road	12.0	180.0	
4	Dehu-Alandi Road	14.5	128.7	
5	Nashik phata to Moshi (NH-50)	10.4	280.2	
6	Hinjewadi to Dehu-Alandi Road	13.3	197.6	
7	Kalewadi-KSB Chowk-Dehu Alandi Rd	11.2	218.9	
8	Vishrantwadi/Pune-Alandi	11.6	187.4	
9	Nashik phata to Wakad	8.04	205.6	
10	Kiwale to Bhakti Shakti	11.8	144.9	
Level 2 Corridors (Feeder Routes)				
А	Hinjewadi to Tata motors	10.3	92.7	
В	Bhakti Shakti to Talwade	11.3	101.7	
С	Pradhikaran	10.6	95.4	
D	Road Parallel to Aundh Ravet	8.4	75.6	

### **Road Corridors – Construction Cost**

Two of the above corridors – Old NH-4 and Aundh-Rawet, have already been taken up for improvement with an approval of Rs 312 crores sanctioned by the MoUD at an earlier date.

To support the capital expenditure to be incurred for the projects, the following revenue streams would be considered by the SPV. These charges would be collected from developments along a buffer area of 100 m width on either sides of the corridors.

- Development Charges;
- Revenue through incremental FSI TDR loading;
- Incremental Property Tax;
- > Advertisements, and
- Lease Rentals of Utility Ducts

In terms of the funding options for the project, PCMC expects to raise about 60% of the project cost from JnNURM. The remaining funds are expected to be from PCMC's own budget while the remaining will be sourced by PCMC through borrowings from multilateral agencies such as ADB/IFC and other banks.

A detailed financial model has been created for the SPV to project future cash flows.



### DRAFT POLICIES

### PARKING POLICY

PCMC has decided to adopt the Parking Policy on the lines of the one being enforced by PMC. The principles of the policy could be aligned together. Broadly, the policy covers the following:

The growth in private vehicles, as observed from data obtained from local RTA, has been at a very high rate over the past few years. As the number of private vehicles increases, the need for parking space at various locations across the city increases. These places include commercial areas, residential areas as well as market places. This leads to the reduction in the space available for commuters on the roads. It is also a serious safety hazard to the road users. With these points in mind, a Parking Policy is being proposed by PCMC.

The objective of this policy is to reduce the dependence of people on private modes of transport and increase the capacity of the public transportation system. It is also being aimed at encouraging the use of bicycles in the city for covering short distances.

The policy will consider enforcing control measures along the various routes in the city based on the traffic characteristics. This would include control measures on the following two types routes:

- Those routes where stopping or parking would be dangerous or would impede traffic flow at any time, such as roads in the congested area of city, and
- Those routes where vehicles will want to stop, park, load or unload to meet the needs of local people, business and other activities

These controls can be achieved by having parking restrictions. An important step towards and effective policy would be to designate roads based on their functionalities. The roads in the city have to be categorized into a hierarchy based on their functionalities.

Some important strategies that will be looked into for this policy are:

- Vehicle Free Zones,
- Multi-level Parking on BOT basis,
- Enforcement,
- Parking norms for private buildings to be incorporated in the local Development Control Rules.

PCMC has initiated the process of modifying some of its Development Control Rules (DCR) in order to incorporate provisions for larger parking facilities in new developments that will happen henceforth. PCMC plans to enfore such rules by ensuring that developers make such provisions at the time of applying for Building Permission. Also, the developers would be asked to share a part of the parking space for public purposes.



### ADVERTISEMENT POLICY

Advertisements are an important source of revenue for the municipal corporation. It is important to have a policy in place for advertising activities. PCMC is working on developing an advertisement policy on the following lines:

The objective of this policy would be to:

- Regulate the erection, location, exhibition, fixation, size, shape, retention or display of advertisement in any manner in non-prohibited areas,
- · Promote safety of the public, proper erection or hoardings and signages,
- Improve the visual aesthetics of the city,
- Encourage the innovative use of design to achieve aesthetic and commercial balance,
- Ensure equitable treatment under the law through accurate records and consistent enforcement.

The rates charged for advertising also need to be regulated and subjected to a maximum and a minimum as determined by PCMC. The policy will define the various categories of hoardings based on various parameters, types of advertisements, the corresponding rates to be charged, the security measures to be taken while erecting them and the norms for erecting them and their display.

As an activity towards implementing an innovative approach for generating revenues through advertisements, PCMC is planning to engage private sector participation for the construction of assets and their operation and maintenance, along one of the main corridors in the city. The private agency would make regular payments to PCMC in exchange of the advertisement rights on the assets created.



# **RESOLUTION OF GENERAL BODY MEETING**

Pimpri Chinchwad Municipal Corporation

Office of the Municipal Secretary

### Resolution of General Body meeting

Meeting No 25

Date: 19/09/2008

Subject No 23

Resolution No. 452

Dept: M

Municipal Commissioner

Under the JnNURM program of MoUD, Government of India, PCMC has applied for funds for implementation of BRTS project within PCMC limits. Central government has already granted approval for two BRTS corridors, namely Aundh-Rawet Road and Mumbai-Pune highway (total length of 27.27 km). As per the instructions of the Central government, PCMC engaged CRISIL Infrastructure Advisory to prepare a Comprehensive Mobility Plan (CMP) for the city of Pimpri-Chinchwad. As per the study, six more BRTS corridors have been proposed along with four feeder routes, excluding the above mentioned two corridors, as follows:

1.	Nashik phata to Wakad	7.79 km
2.	Kalewadi phata to Dehu Alandi road	11.20 km
3.	Dehu Alandi road	14.77 km
4.	Nashik phata to Indrayani river (Moshi)	10.36 km
5.	Vishrantwadi to Alandi	9.41 km
6.	Telco road	12.50 km

### Feeder Routes

- 1. Expressway to Bhakti Shakti to Nashik road
- 2. Hinjewadi IT Park to Talwade IT Park
- 3. Spine road
- 4. Road parallel to Aundh Rawet

Apart from the funds that will be granted by Central government for BRTS project, PCMC proposes to set-up a Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV) for raising the remaining funds. As per a study undertaken by CRISIL Infrastructure Advisory, the SPV shall be set-up as per the Company's Act, 1953 and Section 66 of The Bombay Provincial Municipal Corporation Act, 1949.



Accordingly, for the formation and operations of the SPV, the following persons shall be Directors on its Board:

- a) Honorable Mayor,
- b) Honorable Chairman of Standing Committee,
- c) Leader of the Ruling Party,
- d) Honorable Municipal Commissioner,
- e) Chief City Engineer,
- f) Executive Engineer (Civil)/JnNURM Coordinator

### Also,

 A buffer zone of width 100 m on both sides of proposed BRTS corridors shall be created. This zone shall be named – "BRT corridor". The Floor Space Index (FSI) in this zone shall be allowed to be increased up to a maximum limit of 1.80.

### Also,

2. The proposed FSI of 1.80 shall constitute the following:

a.	Based on the plot area	-	1.00 FSI
b.	Based on Transfer of Development Rights (TDR)	-	0.80 FSI
	or land acquisition as per reservations (in case of		
	land acquisition, a maximum of 0.4 is allowed)		

### Also,

3. Development Rights can be transferred to the "**BRT corridors**" from any existing as well as proposed zones in the city.

### Also,

4. In order to load TDR along "BRT corridors", the following Premium Charges have to be paid

a.	From zones in the new-villages area	-	Rs 12,000 per sq.m.
b.	From Zone – C	-	Rs 9,000 per sq.m.
c.	From Zone – B	-	Rs 6,000 per sq.m.
d.	From Zone – A	-	Rs 3,000 per sq.m.

### And,

5. On formation of the SPV as mentioned above, various streams of revenues that have been identified by PCMC along the "BRTS Corridors" shall be transferred to the SPV, namely, building permissions Development Charges (DCs), Property Tax, Impact Fees due to incremental FSI, Premium Charges from Transfer of Development Rights (TDR), Advertisement revenues, and all



other taxes, rents, etc. Revenues from vacant lands or other fixed assets owned by PCMC shall also be transferred to the SPV.

6. The Municipal Commissioner has been given the authority to transfer various revenues collected along the "BRTS Corridors", such as Development Charges (DCs), TDR scrutiny charges, utilization charges, revenues from parking facilities. Also, the Municipal Commissioner is being given the authority to introduce modifications in the Development Control Rules (DCR), present them to State Government as per Section 37 of Maharashtra Regional and Town Planning Act and approve the Development Plan of new areas/villages added to PCMC limits. Through a public notice, the objections and comments of people towards any above modifications shall be considered. Also, the leader of the Opposition Party has also been added to the Board of Directors of the SPV. It is proposed that maximum FSI of 1.80 will be allowed and as per the DCR, developments such as four and five star hotels, educational institutions, hospitals, etc shall give necessary permission as per existing DCR previously sanctioned by the Government. The Municipal Commissioner shall be given the authority to modify rules related to parking, utilization of set-backs, vacant lands, etc. The SPV is being named as "PCMC Infrastructure Company".

Sd / -

Municipal Secretary

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