

**PROCEEDINGS OF FARM ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING (CHELAVOOR) HELD IN
APRIL 2015**

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Farm Advisory Committee (FAC) meeting of Chelavoor was held on 30 April , 2015 at 11.00 am in Silver Jubilee Hall. Dr. M. Anandaraj, Director chaired the meeting. The FAC members attended the meeting. The Action Taken Report of the last FAC meeting was presented and was approved by the house. New agenda was presented and discussed.

Following decisions were taken during the meeting.

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1.	Laying laterite /stone pavement on the roads a. leading to black pepper cutting storage nursery from farm office side and also from old library building side b. to Bio control lab	Approved. The road leading to the water harvesting structure in C block hillock may be included. Soling with granite rubbles may be explored.	Estate Officer; Scientist in charge; AAO(Works)
2.	Construction of temporary shed for NHM nursery (10 m x 6.5 m)	Approved	Dr K. Kandiannan, Estate officer; AAO(Works)
3.	Renovation of old black pepper germplasm and mapping population plot	The few existing plants in the plot may be handed over to the concerned scientist/ student and the area may be developed into a good black pepper plot	Head, Division of Crop Improvement and Biotechnology
4	Electricity connection to cattle shed	Approved	Mr. K. Krishnadas;
5.	Procurement and spreading of geotextile coir mat on the slopes of water harvesting structure	Approved	Estate Officer; AAO (Works)

The following points were also discussed.

1. The wetting and leakage in the central facility may be rectified
2. Local mango seedlings may also be planted as avenue trees on the road leading to water harvesting structure from farm office.

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