



## **Municipalika 2026: 18th Edition of India's Flagship Urban Development Platform Underway at Bharat Mandapam from 25–27 February**

*Urban Decision-Makers and Infrastructure Leaders from India and around the world convene*

**25th February, New Delhi:** Municipalika 2026, India's longest-running and most authoritative international exhibition and conference on Safe, Smart & Sustainable City Solutions, was inaugurated earlier today and is underway from **25–27 February 2026 at Bharat Mandapam, New Delhi**. Marking its 18th edition, Municipalika brings together over two decades of legacy in convening policymakers, municipal leaders, industry innovators, and global stakeholders to shape India's urban future. Since its inception in 2003, Municipalika has hosted 17 successful editions across major Indian cities, bringing together more than 10,000+ smart, safe and sustainable city solutions and over 50,000 urban development stakeholders. The 2026 edition brought together Ministers, Mayors, Municipal Commissioners, Smart City CEOs and senior government officials representing more than 300 cities, alongside participation from over 25 states and international delegations. Municipalika 2026 has brought together over 300 exhibitors, more than 3,000 delegates and upwards of 10,000 trade visitors, facilitating structured engagement between government representatives and industry leaders.

Organised by Fairfest Media, with the Conference organised by Good Governance India Foundation and, co-organised by the India Trade Promotion Organisation (ITPO), the 2026 edition reflects strengthened institutional collaboration and growing national significance.

**The inaugural programme was graced by Shri Manohar Lal Khattar, Hon'ble Union Minister for Housing & Urban Affairs and Power, Government of India, as Chief Guest.** The conference also featured distinguished global and national leadership, including **Ms. Anaclaudia Rossbach, United Nations Under-Secretary-General & Executive Director, UN-Habitat, Nairobi. Ms. Renu Bala, Chairperson of the All India Council of Mayors and Ms. D. Thara, IAS, Additional Secretary, Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs, along with mayors, commissioners, city leaders, delegates and partners from over 300 Indian cities and 10 countries were also present.** Their presence underscores Municipalika's growing stature as a platform where national policy priorities intersect with international urban development frameworks.

Positioned as India's only 360-degree urban development platform, Municipalika connects **B2G and B2B** stakeholders under one roof. Municipalika 2026 is co-located with CAPEX – Construction, Architecture, Planning and Engineering Expo and PWX, the Public Works Expo focused on roads, utilities and civic infrastructure. Together, the three events form an integrated ecosystem addressing every dimension of the built environment, from housing and mobility to sanitation, digital governance, energy systems and public works.

The three-day conference is structured around thematic tracks focusing on emerging building materials and technologies, sustainable and green construction practices, and modern, speedy construction systems and methodologies. High-level plenary sessions, sectoral conferences, B2B meetings, innovation showcases and city leader engagements are providing a comprehensive platform for knowledge exchange and business



collaboration. The agenda aligns closely with national urban missions including Smart Cities, AMRUT, PMAY, Swachh Bharat and the broader vision of Viksit Bharat @2047.

At the exhibition, leading organisations from across urban infrastructure, mobility, environmental management and digital governance are showcasing solutions designed to address the complex challenges facing Indian cities. Participating companies include **Prama India, CP Plus, Euroteck, Luxus Green Mobility, Tata Motors Commercial Vehicles, Ashok Leyland, Montra Electric, Mahindra Last Mile Mobility, Piaggio, Euler Motors, Omega Seiki, SBS Enviro Aqua Concepts, Transcend Cleantec, Ultratech Cement, Veolia Water Technologies and Solutions (India), THM Huade Hydraulics, Captain Tractors, Satellite Industries Inc, Tilara Polyplast, Automeck India, TVS Motors, AC Humidin Air Systems, Sensen Video Business Intelligence and Greenrich Grow India**. Public sector participants include the **National Mission for Clean Ganga, Municipal Corporation of Delhi, Delhi Metro Rail Corporation, Karnal Municipal Corporation and the Government of Rajasthan – Local Self Government Department**, among others.

The conference program features 'Vision Addresses' by Ms. Anaclaudia Rossbach, United Nations Under-Secretary-General and Executive Director UN-Habitat, Mr. Srikanth Viswanathan, Chief Executive Officer, Janaagraha Centre for Citizenship and Democracy, Ar. K T Ravindran, Former Chairman, Delhi Urban Arts Commission and Mr. Omesh Saigal, Chair, former Chief Secretary, Delhi and former Secretary, Government of India.

The Urban Innovation Challenge (UIC), sponsored by Daikin, an initiative anchored within Municipalika 2026, is rapidly emerging as one of India's most meaningful platforms for nurturing the next generation of architects, planners, engineers and urban thinkers.

India's urban population is projected to exceed 50 percent by 2047, placing unprecedented demands on infrastructure, mobility systems, housing, sanitation and climate resilience. As cities expand and evolve, Municipalika continues to serve as a neutral convening platform where government demand meets industry innovation and where scalable solutions can be identified, debated and deployed. The event has consistently catalysed dialogue and implementation across sustainable infrastructure development, water and wastewater management, sanitation and solid waste, housing, e-governance and urban mobility.

With ITPO as co-organiser, Municipalika 2026 is witnessing enhanced national and international participation and deeper engagement from ministries, state governments, municipal bodies, urban planners, infrastructure developers, technology providers and global institutions. Hosting the event in New Delhi adds further strategic significance, given the city's proximity to central ministries, policy think tanks and national decision-making bodies.

As India advances towards its long-term urban and economic ambitions, Municipalika 2026 is generating actionable insights, strengthening public-private collaboration, and spotlighting replicable models capable of accelerating the country's transition towards safe, smart and sustainable cities.



## Event Details

Municipalika 2026

Dates: 25, 26 & 27 February 2026

Venue: Bharat Mandapam, New Delhi

Organiser: Fairfest Media & Good Governance India Foundation

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Fairfest Media Limited is one of India's leading trade exhibition and conference organizers, creating high-impact B2B platforms that connect global and domestic stakeholders across key industries. Good Governance India Foundation is a policy-focused organization working to promote best practices in governance, urban development, and sustainable infrastructure. Together, they collaborate to deliver knowledge-driven platforms like Municipalika that enable industry partnerships, policy dialogue, and innovation-led growth for India's urban ecosystem.

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