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Gudivada Municipality: Continues to remain under issuer Non-Cooperating category

Summary of rating action

Instrument [^]	Previous Rated Amount (Rs. crore)	Current Rated Amount (Rs. crore)	Rating Action
Issuer Rating	-	-	[ICRA]B+(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; Rating continues to remain under 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category
Total	-	-	

*Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information.

[^]Instrument details are provided in Annexure-1

Rationale

ICRA has kept the Issuer rating of Gudivada Municipality in the 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category. The rating is denoted as "[ICRA]B+(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING".

As part of its process and in accordance with its rating agreement with Gudivada Municipality, ICRA has been trying to seek information from the entity so as to monitor its performance. Further, ICRA has been sending repeated reminders to the entity for payment of surveillance fee that became due. Despite multiple requests by ICRA, the entity's management has remained non-cooperative. In the absence of requisite information and in line with the aforesaid policy of ICRA, the rating has been continued to the "Issuer Not Cooperating" category. The rating is based on the best available information.

Please refer to the following link for the previous detailed rationale that captures the Key rating drivers and their description, Liquidity position, Rating sensitivities, Key financial indicators : [Click here](#). ICRA is unable to provide the latest information because of non-cooperation by the entity.

Analytical approach

Analytical Approach	Comments
Applicable rating methodologies	Urban Local Bodies Policy In Respect of Non-Cooperation by a Rated Entity
Parent/Group support	Not Applicable
Consolidation/Standalone	Standalone

About the company

The GDVM was constituted as a municipality in 1937 and is governed by the Andhra Pradesh State Municipalities Act 1965 (Act). It manages the municipal services in Gudivada city in the Krishna district of AP. The GDVM covers an area of 12.67 sq. km. and serves a population of 1.2 lakh (as per Census 2011). Its main functions include water supply, solid waste management and construction, repair and maintenance of roads, and streetlights in its area. The municipality is governed by an elected body (council) headed by a Chairperson, while the Commissioner acts as the executive head overseeing its everyday functioning.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: NA

Any other information: None

Rating history for past three years

	Instrument			Current Rating (FY2025)	Chronology of Rating History for the past 3 years					
		Type	Amount Rated (Rs. Crore)	Date & Rating in	FY2024		FY2023		FY2022	
				Jan-27-2025	Date	Rating	Date	Rating	Date	Rating
1	Issuer Rating	Long Term	-	[ICRA]B+(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	24- Nov- 2023	[ICRA]B+(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	15- Sep- 2022	[ICRA]B+(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING	23- Jul- 2021	[ICRA]B+(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING

Complexity level of the rated instrument

Instrument	Complexity Indicator
Issuer Rating	Not Applicable

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Annexure-I: Instrument details

ISIN No	Instrument Name	Date of Issuance / Sanction	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Amount Rated (RS Crore)	Current Rating and Outlook
NA	Issuer Rating	-	-	-	-	[ICRA]B+(Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING

Source: Gudivada Municipality

Annexure-II: List of entities considered for consolidated analysis: Not applicable

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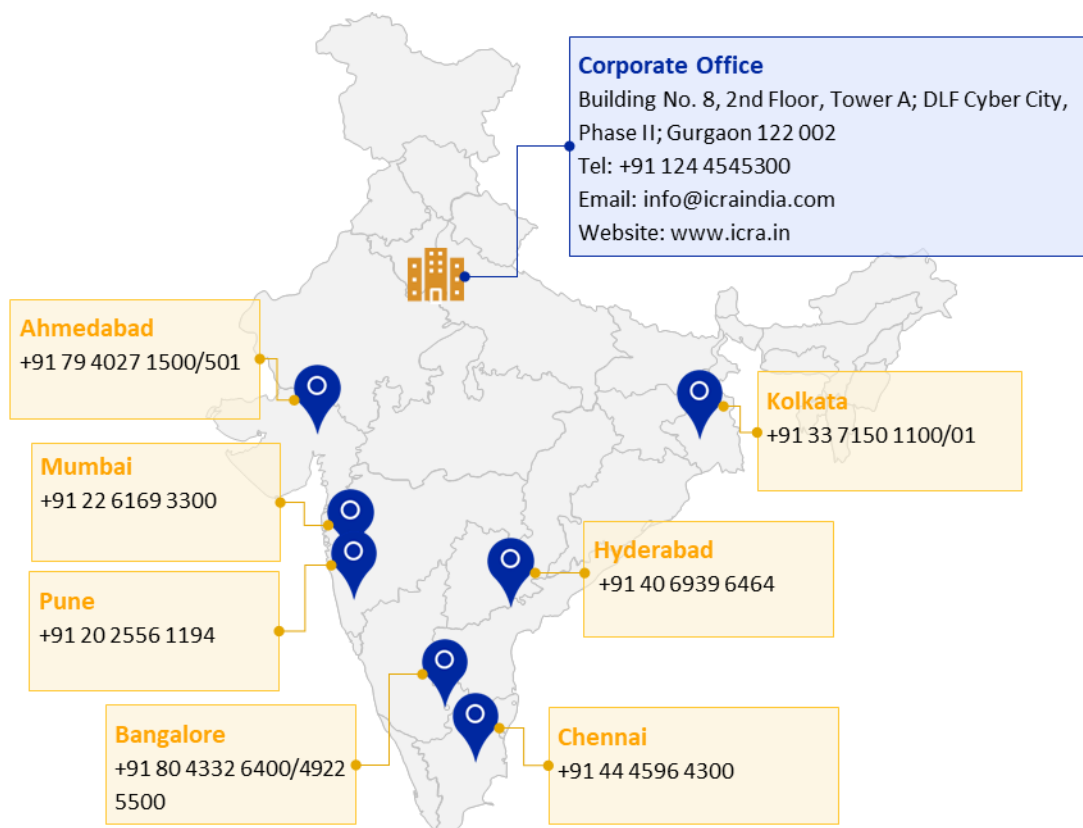
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