

Strengthening of "Organic Farming Research
and Training Centre" MPKV, Rahuri under Dr.
Panjabrao Deshmukh Natural Farming
Mission-

Implementation of 2023-24 to 2027-28



**MAHATMA PHULE KRISHI VIDYAPEETH
RAHURI, DIST. AHILYANAGAR (MAHARASHTRA)**

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Univ. Reso. No. MTG-3(748)/ 117 /of 2025

Date-16/04/2025

Read: - 1) The Government of Maharashtra vide GR No. संकीर्ण - 2722/ प्र. क्र. 69/1-A, Dated 27/06/2023.
2) Executive Council Resolution No.13/340 Dated 21/09/2023

The Department of Agriculture, Dairy Development, Animal Husbandry and Fisheries Government of Maharashtra has sanctioned an amount of Rs. 500 Lakhs (Rupees Five Hundred Lakhs) only for implementation of Project entitled "**Strengthening of Organic Farming Research and Training Centre under Dr. Panjabrao Deshmukh Natural Farming Mission**" at Mahatma Phule Krishi Vidyapeeth, Rahuri vide Government Resolution referred Sr.No.1 above.

RESOLUTION:

On approval accorded by the Government of Maharashtra vide letter under reference at Sr. No. 1 and Resolution passed by the Executive Council referred to at Sr. No.2 above, the Hon. Vice-Chancellor is pleased to accord sanction for implementation of project entitled "**Strengthening of Organic Farming Research and Training Centre under Dr. Panjabrao Deshmukh Natural Farming Mission**" at Mahatma Phule Krishi Vidyapeeth, Rahuri for a period of five years w.e.f. 2023-24 to 2027-2028, at a total cost Rs. 500 lakh (Rupees Five Hundred Lakhs only)

The the total post sanctioned are given in Annexure-A and the details of year wise budget allocation are shown in Annexure-B.

The Hon. Vice Chancellor is further pleased to accord permission for filling up the contractual staff position shown in Annexure-A. Head wise allocation of funds is shown in Annexure-B.

The Dr. Prashant Shankar Bodake, Head, Department of Agronomy, MPKV, Rahuri shall act as Principal Investigators of this project and Dr.Ulhas Shantaram Surve, Professor of Agronomy, MPKV, Rahuri shall act as Co-Principal Investigators of this project. The details of

scientist involved in this project (Principal Investigators, Co-Principal Investigators and Members) are shown in Annexure-C. The administrative, technical and financial control of the project shall rest with Head, Department of Agronomy, MPKV, Rahuri and he shall be Drawing & Disbursing Officer. The overall control of the project shall rest with the Director of Research, MPKV, Rahuri

The Hon. Vice-Chancellor is further pleased to accord permission for filling up temporary posts of Senior Research Fellows, Young Professional-I, Field Assistant, Lab Assistant, Clerk and Skilled labour as prescribed under the guidelines of the project and by following due procedure. This university will have no liability whatsoever towards the temporary posts engaged in this project.

This resolution is issued in concurrence of the Comptroller vide his un-official reference No. Cr. 2025 VC, dated: 26 /03 /2025.

Sd/-
Registrar
MPKV, Rahuri

F.w.cs. for information and necessary action to :-

- 1) The Secretary to Government, Agri., AHD & Fish. Department, Mantralaya, Mumbai-32.
- 2) The Member-Secretary, MCAER, 132/B, Bhamburda, Bhosalennagar, Pune-7.
- 3) The Director of Research/Instruction/Extn. Education, MPKV Rahuri.
- 4) The Dean, Faculty of Agriculture, MPKV Rahuri.
- 5) The Associate Dean (All).
- 6) The Nodal Officer, MPKV, Rahuri.
- 7) The Associate Director of Research, NARP (All).
- 8) The Heads of Departments (All).
- 9) The Comptroller/ The Planning Officer, MPKV Rahuri.
- 10) The Deputy Registrar (Admn.), MPKV Rahuri.
- 11) The Asstt. Comptroller (/II/III/IVY PAO, MPKV Rahuri.
- 12) The PA to Hon. Vice-Chancellor, MPKV Rahuri.
- 13) Dr. Prashant Shankar Bodake, Head, Department of Agronomy, MPKV, Rahuri Principal Investigators
- 14) Dr. Ulhas Shantaram Surve, Professor of Agronomy, MPKV, Rahuri
Co-Principal Investigators


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Annexure-A

Staff position on Contractual basis for the period of 2023-24 to 2027-28

Sr. No.	Name of Post	Number of Posts
1	Senior Research Fellow	06
2	Young Professionals (YP-I)	02
3	Clerk	01
4	Field Assistant	01
5	Lab Assistant	01
6	Skilled labour	01

Annexure-B

Financial outlay for the period of 2023-24 to 2027-28

Sr. No.	Item	Year				Total
		I	II	III	IV	
1	Organic Input Production	375000	375000	375000	375000	1500000
2	Basic facilities at farm & centre	6977000	-	-	-	6977000
3	Lab/shed renovation/repairs	2624000	-	-	-	2624000
4	Machineries and implements	13349000	-	-	-	13349000
5	Training and Publications	1795000	720000	720000	720000	3955000
6	Cropping System Developments	710000	75000	75000	65000	925000
7	Contractual Manpower & Farm Labour Expenditure	4453000	4453000	4842000	4842000	18590000
8	Other Expenses	1405000	225000	225000	225000	2080000
Total		31688000	5848000	6237000	6227000	50000000

Total Head wise Recurring and Non-Recurring Expenditure (2023-24 to 2027-28)

Sr. No.	Head wise expenditure details	Grants (Lakhs.)				Total (Lakhs)
A)	Recurring Contingencies	I Year	II Year	III Year	IV Year	-
1	Organic Input Production	375000	375000	375000	375000	1500000
2	Training and Publications	1795000	720000	720000	720000	3955000
3	Contractual Manpower & Farm labour expenses	4453000	4453000	4842000	4842000	18590000
4	Other Expenses	1405000	225000	225000	225000	2080000
Recurring Contingencies Total (RS.)						26125000
B)	Non-Recurring Contingencies					
1	Basic facilities at farm and centre	6977000	-	-	-	6977000
2	Lab/shed renovation/repairs	2624000	-	-	-	2624000
3	Machineries and implements	13349000	-	-	-	13349000
4	Cropping System Developments	710000	75000	75000	65000	925000
Non-Recurring Contingencies Total (RS.)						23875000
Gross Total Rs. in Lakhs		31688000	5848000	6237000	6227000	50000000

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Annexure-C

Scientists Involved in Project

Name of Scientist	Designation	PI/Co-PI/Member
Dr.P.S.Bodake	Head, Department of Agronomy	Principal Investigator
Dr.U.S.Surve	Professor of Agronomy	Co-Principal Investigator
Dr.S.R.Shelke	Assistant Professor of Soil Science	Member
Dr.S.D.Magar	Assistant Professor of Horticulture	Member
Dr.N.A.Musmade	Assistant Professor (Plant Pathology)	Member
Dr.A.R.Hajare	Assistant Professor of Entomology	Member
Dr.R.G.Nimse	Assistant Professor of Animal Husbandry & Dairy Science	Member
Dr.A.R.Aher	Assistant Professor of Plant Breeding/Physiology	Member
Dr.P.K.Lokhande	Associate Professor of Biochemistry	Member
Dr.V.P.Kad	Professor of Post-Harvest Technology	Member
Dr.J.T.Dorage	Assistant Professor of Agril. Economics	Member
Dr.A.M.Chavai	Associate Professor of Agril. Extension	Member


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