ICAR-NBSS&LUP Celebrated 48th Foundation Day on 23rd August 2024

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THE ICAR-National Bureau of Soil survey and Land Use Planning celebrated its 48th Foundation Day or Friday. The Foundation Day or Friday. The Foundation Day or Friday. The Foundation Day ceremony started with ICAR song and lighting of the traditional lamp by all the dignitaries.

Dr NG Patil, Director, ICAR States and presented bureau's past year's salient research achievements with few new accomplishments.

The chief guest of the Function - Dr S K Chaudhari, Deputy Director General (NRM) congratulated all the auspiciousday. He emphasised on developingagro-ecological regions and sub-regions of India which is very important for policy support and prioritising the research for every institute of the ICAR.

Dr CD Mayee, Former Chairman ASRB and guest of honour of the function, conveyed that this is one of the unique institutions in the country for soil repository and emphasised that there are all types of bureau whether on plant variety, insects, fishes,

types of bureau whether on plant variety, insects, fishes, micro-organism and told the importance of opening a Bureau on Soil. Dr AN Vaidya, Director, CSIR-NEERI, Nagpur and guest of honour emphasised over the importance of NBSS & LUP for environmental research and remediate that soil quality and soil data with NEERI database require need based research and parame-terslike soil depth. Others indi-



Guests lighting the traditional lamp to mark opening of the event.

cating the health of environment and climatic resilient agriculture and appreciated the contribution of bureau in soil quality analysis. Dr RK Yadav, ICAR-CSSRI, Karnal, appreciated the efforts of the bureau for helping in delineating and development of salt affected soils of India. He appreciated the research work being done by the bureau and developing maps for the help of farming community. Dr YG Prasad, Director and Special Invitee factor of high density planting of cotton areas in collaboration with the bureau. Dr DK Ghosh, Director, ICAR-CCRI, Nagpur and Special Invitee in his remark extended his coordination in collaborating with the bureau in land use planning of citrus and mandarin and their suitability.

Bureau also conferred the young scientists awards to the scientists and awarded the technical, administration and supporting staff members.

The publications of the Bureau such as Crop

Requirements for Land Suitability Evaluation; Soil Depth Map of Central India; Groundwater Quality Map of Maharashtra; Land Resource Inventory (LRI) and Land Use Plan (LUP) of South Gujarat Region for Sustainable Agriculture; Prospective Land Resource Management for Kachchh, Gujarat; Land Resource Inventory Hydrological Inventory of Somenahalli Sub-watershed, Shidlaghatta Taluk and Chikkaballapur district of Karnataka for Watershed Planning and Development to Prevent Drought; and Planning and Development to Prevent Drought; and Cinchona Growing Soils of Eastern Himalayas: Their Characteristics and Managements and LRI of Jujomura-1 Sub-Watershed Cluster, Sambalpur District of Odisha, were released on the occasion. All the Heads of the Regional Centres and Divisions co-ordinated the programme co-ordinated the programme Dr PP Adhikary, Principal Scientist placed a vote of thanks. Total 200 participants attended the function.

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भारकर संवाददाता, नागपुर आईसीएआर-राष्ट्रीय मुदा सर्वेक्षण और भूमि उपयोग योजना ब्युरो मुदा भंडोर के लिए देश में अद्वितीय संस्थानों में से एक है। हरित क्रांति के बाद जलवायु परिवर्तन और पर्यावरण की दृष्टि से सुरक्षित घटक यानी मिटटी को ध्यान में रखते हुए इस बात पर जोर दिया कि दूसरी हरित क्रांति मिटटी पर आधारित होगी। यह बात एएसआरबी के पूर्व अध्यक्ष डॉ सीडी मेयी ने कही। आईसीएआर-राष्टीय मुदा सर्वेक्षण और भूमि उपयोग योजना ब्यूरो का 48वां स्थापना दिवस शुक्रवार को अमरावती रोड स्थित कार्यालय में मनाया गया। इस अवसर पर बतौर अतिथि डा. मेयी बोल रहे थे। आईसीएआर-एनबीएसएस एंड एलयूपी के निदेशक डॉ. एन जी पाटील ने

महानिदेशक (एनआरएम) ने भारत के कषि-पारिस्थितिक क्षेत्रों और उप-क्षेत्रों को विकसित करने पर जोर दिया, जो आईसीएआर के प्रत्येक संस्थान के लिए नीति समर्थन और अनुसंधान को प्राथमिकता देने के लिए बहुत महत्वपूर्ण है। डॉ. एएन वैद्य, निदेशक, े सीएसआईआर-एनईईआरआईए नागपुर ने पर्यावरण अनसंधान के लिए एनबीएसएस और एलयूपी के महत्व पर जोर दिया। डॉ. आरके यादव, आईसीएआर-सीएसएसआरआईए करनाल. निदेशक और विशेष आमंत्रित सदस्य डॉ. वाईजी प्रसाद तथा आईसीएआर-सीसीआरआईए नागपुर के निदेशक और विशेष आमंत्रित सदस्य डॉ. डीके घोष ने भी अपने विचार व्यक्त किए। प्रधान वैज्ञानिक डॉ. पीपी अधिकारी ने आभार माना।