# Flash Flood Relief Activities by RF

#### **Program at a glance**

Name of the program	:	Flash Flood relief activities for the affected families
Location	:	KADAPA Dist., Andhra Pradesh
Date	:	November 24, 2021
Number of beneficiaries	:	1000

#### **Overview of the program:**

The **Annamayya Project** on **Cheyyeru river** has turned out to be the sorrow of many viallges in the Kadapa dist. of Andhra Pradesh. Togurupeta, Mandapalli, Pulapathur and Gundluru presented a picture of haunted villages in the wake of the devastation.

The flash flood caused due to breach of the project's earthen bund caught at least **18 people** in a watery grave and left many others missing in these villages. A sudden gush of about **2** cusecs of floodwater, with the level reaching up to **10 feet height**, caught the villagers off guard and scampering for their lives.

Tens of houses in these villages downstream the project were reduced to rubble. The villagers lost everything, except the clothes on their body. Agricultural crops in thousands of acres stood destroyed. Hundreds of cattle heads were washed away. It all happened in a flash.

**Ramky Foundation**, rising to the occasion, conducted flash flood relief activities to mitigate the disaster effects among the affected families.

### **RF's Interventions:**

While there were many individuals and organizations immediately responding to the need of the hour, they were not able to reach the remote areas of the severely affected villages, due to the road blockages caused due to the inundation. But, **Ramky Foundation was able to reach the unreached, displaying a strong determination and valour**.

The Foundation was able to get the roads cleared with the help of the local authorities in order to make the way into the remote villages. Thereafter, the RF Team made its way into

the villages via tractors. Thus, Ramky Foundation has become the **first organization** in the state to reach the remote flash flood affected areas of Kadapa district at the moment.

Hence, the Foundation Team with the help of **20 volunteers**, distributed **clothes**, **cooking utensils** and **blankets** to **350**+ flash flood affected families with the help of **two tractors** carrying the flood relief materials- the villages include *Nuthi Palli*, *Chintala kona*, *Bagidpalli*, *Yakalapalli*, *Patue Harjanawada* and *Patur*.

## PHOTO GALLERY



Fig: Devastating sites at the village after the flash flood



Fig: The banner designed for the flood relief activity



Fig: The distribution materials being packed and loaded on the trucks for transportation



Fig: RF Team, along with the volunteers, distributing materials to the remote flash flood affected villages