

Kashi to host 5 G20 events

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Varanasi: After the release of the tentative itinerary of G-20 events proposed in Varanasi by the CM office, the district administration, police and all departments concerned have intensified their preparations to host them in a grand style. According to the itinerary, the G20 events are likely to be held between April and August.

Regarding the proposed G-20 events, district magistrate S Rajalingam told TOI on Tuesday, "We are finalising preparations for G-20 events proposed here with a tentative itinerary. Final itinerary from the ministry of external affairs of government of India is still awaited."

As per the tentative itinerary

of G-20 events, an agriculture working group meeting is likely to take place here from April 17 to 19 while youth 20 summit engagement group-level meeting may take place from June 13 to 15, development working group meeting on August 16 and 17, ministerial level meeting on August 18 and 19 and sustainable finance working group meeting is likely to be hosted on August 28 and 29. Rajalingam said that apart from district administration, the security planning had also been finalised by the police. All departments concerned including Varanasi Development Authority, Varanasi Municipal Corporation and others have also intensified the works of city's facelift and beautification by keeping focus on the sites of proposed events and the routes for the movement of delegates.