

Kashi, Bareilly and Moradabad expansion plan gets a go-ahead

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Lucknow: In a major push for further urbanisation and expansion of key UP cities, the state cabinet on Tuesday gave a go ahead to the housing department to increase the jurisdiction of the housing development authorities governing Varanasi, Bareilly and Moradabad.

Taking note of the increasing population growth and influx of the migrants, the housing development authorities have cited the need to acquire more land on the outskirts of the three cities.

Varanasi is set to get a major boost as 215 villages would be amalgamated within the jurisdiction of the

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- Cabinet nod to increase jurisdiction of housing development authorities governing Varanasi, Bareilly & Moradabad
- In Varanasi, 215 villages will be brought under the jurisdiction of VDA
- 71 additional villages will be included for planned growth in Moradabad
- Cabinet has approved inclusion of 35 villages in Bareilly

Varanasi Development Authority for planned development. Villages situated in Chandauli and Mirzapur too would be included in the next phase and agricultural land would be taken over by the authority after paying dues compensation to the farmers.

Similarly in Moradabad, 71 additional villages are going to be included for planned growth.

In Bareilly, the list of 35 villages that needed to be acquired was approved.

The authority would provide the basic infrastructure after taking over the land and implement the building bylaws and regulations to regulate further construction.