

HMRL bags Garden Fest Awards 2023

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The Hyderabad Metro Rail (HMRL) has won three rolling trophies and prizes in eight categories at the Green Festival Awards 2023. The seventh edition of the awards was held at Public Gardens on April 13. On behalf of the HMRL, Horticulture officer S. Sainath received the trophies and awards from Telangana Agriculture Minister S Niranjan Reddy.

HMRL Managing Director NVS Reddy said, "HMRL has bagged the Rolling Runner-up Trophy for overall performance in the development of greenery along the metro corridors. The Garden Festival also awarded Rolling Trophy for development of beautiful landscape at HMRL Bhavan, Rasoolpura and another Rolling Trophy for greenery development at Miyapur Metro Rail Station. Apart from these three Rolling shields, six first prizes and two second prizes were also bagged by HMRL."

"The department has been participating in the TS Garden Festival for the last five years and receiving awards. "Development of greenery under the Metro viaducts, besides avenue planta-

tion and thus contributing for the control of pollution in the city, is the priority of the HMRL," Reddy concluded.

The HMRL won the following trophies and awards; Rolling Runner up Trophy for overall performance in the development of greenery all along the two metro corridors which are in operation; Rolling Trophy for development of beautiful landscape at HMRL Bhavan, Rasoolpura and Rolling Trophy for greenery development at Miyapur Metro Rail Station.

The list of awards includes First Prize - Landscape development at Metro Rail Bhavan, Rasoolpura; First Prize - Landscape development at Miyapur Metro Rail Station; First Prize - Greenery development at Nagole Metro station; First Prize- Greenery development between Jubilee Hills Check Post and Hitech City Metro Stations; First Prize - Greenery development between at HMRL Training Centre near Miyapur Metro Station; Second Prize - Development of Central Median, Nagole (1st Pillar to NGRI Metro Station); Second Prize - Greenery development between Parade Grounds and Gymkhana grounds.