







MINISTER'S MESSAGE

The Trelawny Municipal Corporation is one of the exemplary Local Authorities that has continued to be very deliberate in its efforts to improve the experience of daily living for all its parishioners, as well as those who visit and work within it.

This Municipal Corporation has worked with diligence, consideration and skill to implement critical initiatives and to maintain important policies and programmes geared toward the transformation of the parish. It is therefore no coincidence that Trelawny was specifically identified as making an important contribution to the nearly 4% growth in Jamaica's Services sector in 2023, in the Review of Jamaica's Economic Performance by the Planning Institute of Jamaica.

While the parish continues to expand its footprint as a major location in the tourism industry, with expanding construction of attractions and hotels, I am also very pleased and heartened by the vital work being done by the Municipal Corporation to train and develop a new class of micro and small-business entrepreneurs in collaboration with our Agency, the Social Development Commission, through various mechanisms under the Local Economic Development Support Programme. This is absolutely critical to the Ministry's and Government's efforts to strongly increase the pace of rural development by expanding economic opportunities within communities, thereby making them more self-sufficient, prosperous, and reducing the population drift from rural spaces to urban centres.

Due to the combination of governmental vision, public and private sector confidence and investment, and the strong parochial leadership of the Trelawny Municipal Corporation, this parish has moved beyond rebounding from the effects of the pandemic, and is on a trajectory of growth and development. The Corporation has continued to promote the economic diversification of the parish by encouraging the agricultural and goods-producing sectors, along with the services sector. Due to this critical focus, Trelawny's profile is decisively evolving into one of the desirable physical spaces that the Government is working to make all of Jamaica become: the place of choice to live, work, raise families and do business.

Your efforts stand as irrefutable proof that national development begins with local government. I must laud the very impressive work being done by the municipal authorities of this parish, led by His Worship the Mayor of Falmouth Colin Gager, for its commitment and sheer hard work. I encourage you to continue to make your parish a shining example of what is possible when dedication to public service drives ingenuity and partnership. The role and profile of Local Government is elevated by your example, and I am heartened and proud to be your Minister.

Hon. Desmond McKenzie CD, MP, JP Minister of Local Government and Community Development







The Trelawny Municipal Corporation has two arms, the political and the administrative. The political arm is made up of Councillors, headed by the Mayor who is the chairman of the Council and is responsible for determining policies. The administrative arm is headed by a manager who advises and implements the policies of the council. The head of the administrative arm of Council is also secretary to the Council and is therefore called the CEO, Trelawny Municipal Corporation, Winston Palmer.

The Council is empowered to make by-laws, regulations and rules for the good governance of the parish of Trelawny over which it has jurisdiction. Specific responsibilities of the Councils include:

- Developing, managing and maintaining infrastructure and public facilities such as parochial roads, water supplies, drains and gullies, parks, recreational centres, markets, abattoirs, pounds, cemeteries, transportation centres, public sanitary conveniences and public beaches.
- Provision of local services such as poor relief, public cleansing, public health, street lighting.
- Regulation powers in respect to building and planning approvals and development control, licensing of trades and businesses, street parking, control of public vending.
- Coordinating inter-agency collaboration among nongovernmental organizations (NGOs), community-based organizations (COBs) and government agencies which operate in the parish and are engaged in the delivery of local services or in local development.
- Support of national policies & development programmes at the local level.
- Spearhead plans and initiatives for the orderly, balanced and sustainable development of the parish as a whole, and major towns in particular, and for boosting economic activity and local wealth creation within the parish.

THE TRELAWNY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION MISSION & VISION

VISION STATEMENT

To be the premier local regulatory entity by engaging our stakeholders, engendering civic pride and encouraging consensus.

MISSION STATEMENT

To provide effective local governance and enhance the development of the parish by providing efficient services and implementing practical policies. MESSAGE FROM MAYOR







Chairman of the Trelawny Municipal Corporation (TMC) and Mayor of Falmouth, Councillor Collen Gager

"If you can't fly then run, if you can't run then walk, if you can't walk then crawl, but whatever you do you have to keep moving forward." – Martin Luther King Jr.

Moving forward is what we at the Trelawny Municipal Corporation continue to do, as we seek to also move this town and parish forward.

The Trelawny Municipal Corporation remains committed to the people of this parish, and will continue to put citizens first. As a Corporation we have been standing by and with our residents and the vulnerable among us, and it is our commitment to continue to do same. I urge our residents to be compliant in the requisite areas that you are required to conform to. I urge you to continue to pay your property taxes so that we can serve you better. Ensure that you obtain the relevant permits before building or making extensions.

As political and civic leaders, we must lead by example and encourage our citizens to protect themselves and family during these times and beyond.

I take this time to acknowledge the commitment and continuous support of other government and nongovernment agencies. It is through these partnerships that the local authority will become a more powerful entity that is able to be at the forefront of "Building Back Better".

The Municipal Corporation continues to enhance the beauty and cleanliness in the town of Falmouth and the parish, by undertaking numerous projects and activities to include: drain cleaning and bushing exercises in the town of Falmouth, cleaning of the dragline, major road repairs throughout the parish and beautification works.

As we seek to foster a harmonious relation between the Municipal Corporation and the citizens of Trelawny, I encourage each person to engender civic pride, respect the authorities, cooperate with the Municipal Corporation and play your part in advancing the welfare of the whole human race.



Winston Palmer, CEO, Trelawny Municipal Corporation,

The parish of Trelawny is truly a blessed parish; one that is stamping its relevance in so many spheres and activities. The resilience and fortitude displayed during the time of the pandemic, speaks to the calibre of residents in this parish.

At the Trelawny Municipal Corporation, the mantra of "Committed to You...Committed to the Future", remains constant in our minds as we work to improve the lives and wellbeing of those we serve. We are taking on a more resolute approach to see law and order maintained within the municipality, and also to have a greater level of compliance within the parish.

Enforcement and compliance are important if we are to see an improved town and parish. While we seek to serve the parish, residents must comply with regulations set in order for us to enjoy a favourable relationship, even as we engender pride in the town and parish. It cannot be business as usual with the illegal vending in the town and on the highway, as this is counterproductive to what we want to see for our parish. The Falmouth Market has been designated as the place for vending, and it still remains. Proper registration and approval should be sought by anyone seeking to sell in the market. The town centre and along the highway are no-vending zones. The Corporation, this year will be taking a zero tolerance approach to unauthorized vending, as it impedes law and order, creates avenues for accidents and other mishaps and fosters an unsightly and distasteful scene in the parish.

In the areas of events permit and signs and billboards, we will be removing all unauthorized signs and billboards that are mounted. The Trelawny Municipal Corporation will ensure that the proper enforcement is done where compliance is concerned.

The measures in place are not to create an antagonistic relationship with the Municipal Corporation and the vendors/ residents; they are put in place to enforce civic order and to have a better managed town and parish.

I look forward to an improvement in the lives of all, as we seek to make Trelawny the place of choice to live and do business.





DEPARTMENTS & FUNCTIONS OF THE TRELAWNY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION

The Administration Department

The main role is to ensure that all departments are fully staffed with the skills and knowledge required to carry out the requisite functions of the departments.

Areas of responsibility include:

- Complaints
- Human Resources
- Communication
- Industrial Relations
- Insurance of the Corporation's assets

The Road & Works Department

This department has overall responsibility of the Corporation's properties and equipment. The department is also responsible for maintenance of parochial roads, bridges and minor water supplies. The Road & Works Department is also responsible for providing technical expertise in regulation of building, subdivision and other development activities.

The Finance & Accounts Department

This department is responsible for the Corporation's investments, budget preparation, variance, analysis, preparation of financial reports, all the payments and receipts of the Corporation.

The Disaster Management Unit

This Unit is responsible for developing and implementing plans geared towards achieving and maintaining an appropriate state of readiness for any emergency or adverse event. This is done in collaboration with government and private entities.

The Unit also:

- supports disaster preparedness and mitigation measures in the Parish
- provides training,
- conducts hazard identification and risk management
- carries out public education and awareness
- provides emergency response, relief and recovery operations

The Planning Department

The Planning Department is responsible for the processing of all development applications in the parish. The department is engaged in enforcement as it relates to illegal developments. It also facilitates the preparation and implementation of development plans, policies and plans to encourage the orderly, efficient and sustainable use of land.

The Poor Relief Department

This department is the social services office of Local Government and is divided into two (2) sections: Outdoor Poor and Indoor Poor. The Poor Relief department assists wholly with destitute individuals who are unable to earn their means of subsistence due to their mental or physical condition.

The Revenue Services Department

This department is responsible for the Corporation's revenue generation, the enforcement of regulations, the management of properties and the creation and development of new commercial ventures.

Audit Unit

This Unit is responsible for the independent appraisal and review of the standards by which the Local Authority's resource's and assets are utilized. This would include the review of the financial and operational efficiency and effectiveness of the use of the resources entrusted to all members of the Local Authority, the assessment of the adequacy of the internal controls/risk management systems implemented within the Municipal Corporation and the monitoring and evaluation of the level of compliance with organizational policy/ procedures and applicable Local Government and GoJ Acts, rules, regulations and standards. Our Audit Unit is headed by the Senior Internal Auditor.

Procurement Unit

The Procurement Unit has the responsibility to ensure that goods and services required by the Corporation are procured and delivered as requested in accordance with Government of Jamaica Public Procurement Act 2015 and Regulations. This includes the effective management of the procedures relating to the procurement of goods, services and works, to establish and maintain systems and procedures for effective stock replenishment through supplier contact and price comparison and to oversee tender openings and the award of contracts.

HOMELESS SHELTER & DROP-IN CENTRE





FALMOUTH, Trelawny: The Ministry of Local Government and Community Development expanded its Municipal Social Assistance Programme (MSAP) with the opening of a Drop-In Centre to serve the homeless population in Falmouth, Trelawny.

The J\$19m facility was built on lands at Victoria Street and is a stone's throw away from the Trelawny Police Headquarters and the Falmouth Public General Hospital. Minister McKenzie noted that it is the duty of the Government to protect the vulnerable and the Administration continues to fulfill this responsibility through the rehabilitation of infirmaries and the construction of drop-in centres.

The Trelawny Drop-In Centre is the fifth to be constructed under MSAP's conceptualization in 2017. Similar facilities have been opened in Ocho Rios, St. Ann; Port Maria, St. Mary; Lucea, Hanover, and Black River in St. Elizabeth.



"The expansion of national facilities that will provide care and comfort to our homeless citizens is an important aspect of the work of this Government," said Portfolio Minister, Honourable Desmond McKenzie.

"It is one of the features of the human face of this Administration, and a symbol of our commitment to assisting the vulnerable in our society."

He was speaking at the official hand-over ceremony on Wednesday, July 15, 2020.

Those expected to be commissioned into use next are in Linstead, St. Catherine and St. Thomas.

Drop-In Centres are the first point of contact for homeless persons and offer a range of care including a bath and other hygiene care, food, and medical assessment.

"These facilities were constructed so we can reach as many people as possible and where we can provide them with food, medicine and in some cases, a place to sleep," the Minister added.



"If they are tired and want somewhere to sleep, don't turn them away. Provide a bed and let them sleep."

He noted that since the onset of the novel coronavirus (COVID-19), the Government has been providing meals to more than 2000 homeless persons with two meals daily at the drop-in centres. This number also include some individuals who are not homeless but visit the facilities to access meals.

KINGSTON, Jamaica – Minister of Local Government and Community Development, Desmond McKenzie on Friday officially opened the Falmouth Homeless Shelter in Trelawny.

The facility was constructed at a cost of \$25 million, and will provide temporary shelter, meals, and bathroom facilities for the homeless citizens of Falmouth and its environs.

It is located on the same premises as the Trelawny Drop-in Centre, which was opened by the Government in 2020.

In his remarks at the opening ceremony, McKenzie said the shelter was the first such facility, located outside of the Corporate Area.

He noted that while the shelter was constructed to house up to 20 persons at a time, 14 males and six females, if more persons need the facility's services at any given time, they can utilise the drop-in centre.

"The doors of these facilities must never be closed to these persons who are in need of our help," McKenzie remarked.

Additionally, the minister urged beneficiaries to take care of the facility and behave accordingly when they utilise its services. In the meantime, McKenzie underscored the importance of taking care of the island's indigent residents.

"A lot of these persons living on our streets, some of them their families have put out, some of them leave rural areas to go to Kingston, or leave the hills of Trelawny and come into Falmouth, didn't find what they were looking for, have nowhere to go and end up on the street," he said.

"Regardless of the circumstances that brought them to our streets, it is not our responsibility to abuse them, and I want to challenge the people of Falmouth and the surrounding communities to be a part of this crusade that speaks to protecting, caring and most importantly, respecting these people for who they are and not where they are living," he added.

Mayor of Falmouth, Collen Gager, thanked the Minister for ensuring that the facility was constructed and for continuing his crusade to protect the island's indigent residents.

"It warms my heart to witness this opening, even as we still celebrate the opening of the drop-in centre. The streets of Falmouth have its fair share of people who just need someone or some place to cater to them. I am happy for this facility which provides shelter for the homeless at night," he said.

He also commended the staff at the Trelawny Municipal Corporation for spearheading the completion of the shelter, under the directives of the Local Government Ministry.

Mayor Gager also implored the citizens of Falmouth to preserve and keep the facility safe from vandalism.





EMERGENCY SHELTERS IN TRELAWNY





ID	Zones	Name of Shelters	Area Served	Shelter Managers	Address of Shelter Managers	Tel No.
				Dwight Jeremiah		413-9606
1	Falmouth	William Knibb High School	Falmouth	Erley Allen	Falmouth	889-7959
				Charmaine Watson		333-8440
		Perth Town Junior		Megan Brown Henry		836-7027
2	Falmouth	High	Perth Town		Perth Town	
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3	Falmouth	School	Martha Brae	Shalomeain Blythe	Martha Brae	881-3928
		Bounty Hall Primary		Marcia Ferguson		588-6397
4	Falmouth	School	Bounty Hall	Mundia Williams	Bounty Hall	293-4493
		Granville Primary		Pamela Gordon		513-2422
5	Falmouth	School	Granville	Leroy Vaz	Granville	353-4433
				Damion Jarrett		777-5620
				Arthess Ladrick		487-9712
		Salt Marsh Primary		Joseph Garth		778-4213
6	Falmouth	School	Salt Marsh	Nneka Grossett	Salt Marsh	550-0818/ 534-0924
7	Falmouth	Waldensia Primary and Infant Sch.	Sherwood Content	Claude Rowe	Sherwood Content	
				Carnett Green		464-0921
8	Falmouth	Reserve Basic School	Reserve	Joseph Palmer	Reserve	565-3380
9	Falmouth	Daniel Town Primary Sch.	Daniel Town	Conrod Williams	Daniel Town	556-0155
				Matron		954-3573/ 518-8706
				Andrea Grey-Smith		872-0553
				Sharon Woolcock		302-6668
10	Falmouth	Hague Primary Sch.	Hague	Andria Simpson	Hague	406-0466
			Stonebrook		-	
			Vista, Stonebrook			
		Trelawny Multi-	Estate and	Errol Barr		385-5745/ 579-8350
11	Falmouth	Purpose Stadium	Florence Hall	Ryan Keating	Stone Brook Vista	465-4691
12	Falmouth	Stonebrook Vista Community Center	Stonebrook Vista	Jason Robinson	Stone Brook Vista	843-4070
		Florence Hall Village Community	Florence Hall			
13	Falmouth	Center	Village	Everol Barrett	Florence Hall Village	549-3402
				Marvin Marsh		850-8223
				Doran Ferguson		417-1665
		Duncans All Age		Claudette Campbell	Duncans	954-7843/565-9219
14	Duncans	School	Duncans	Sharon Kerr	Duncans	302-9256





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ID	Zones	Name of Shelters	Area Served	Shelter Managers	Address of Shelter Managers	Tel No.
16	Duncans	Refuge Primary School	Refuge	Suzette Green	Refuge	898-2586
17	Duncans	Carey Park Basic School	Carey Park	Jodi-Ann Chen	Carey Park	459-9822
				Dennis Bernard		804-0976
				Margery Ferguson		847-2635
				Veronie Stewart Ellis		891-1304
18	Wakefield	Wakefield Primary School	Wakefield	Lida Graham- McBayne	Wakefield	445-4824
				Melhony Johnson		862-0607
		Hastings Primary		Elsa Kitchin (Nurse)		443-7330
19	Wakefield	School	Deeside	Barbara Shirley	Deeside	390-1738
				Pauline White Anderson		427-7412
20	Wakefield	Unity Primary School	Bunkers Hill	locynth Lawrence	Bunkers Hill	351-3595
		Bunkers Hill Comm.		Charmaine Brown		575-6865/ 536-6109
21	Wakefield	Center	Bunkers Hill	Dale Walker	Bunkers Hill	862-6345
		Hampden Primary	Hampden	Howard Allen	New Cargen	461-8528
22	Wakefield	School	Land	Clive Clarke	Hampden	275-4575
				Ann-Marie Edgar		
		Dromilly Basic		Cornetta Hewitt		
23	Wakefield	School	Dromilly	June Stephenson	Dromilly	407-6062
				Lebert Williams		421-7482
	Clarks	Cedric Titus Comp.		Delroy Downer		309-5423
24	Town	High Sch.	Bottom Town	Dr. Asha Mwendo	Clarks Town	870-2284
				Phyllicia Dean		772-4302
25	Clarks Town	Clarks Town Primary	Clarks Town	Junior Atkinson	Clarks Town	862-7405
				Pamela Brown		859-9164
26	Clarks Town	Kinloss Primary Sch.	Kinloss	Hubert Blake	Kinloss	584-5308
27	Clarks Town	Duanvale Primary School	Duanvale	Lorna Williams- Christie	Duanvale	853-3253/879-0257
	Stewart	Stewart Town				
28	Town	Resource Centre	Stewart Town	Sharon Bailey	Stewart Town	425-7240
	Jackson	Sawyers Primary		Pauline Gordon		529-1823
29	Town	School	Mahagony Hall	Imogene Williams	Sawyers	527-9291

EMERGENCY SHELTERS IN TRELAWNY





ID	Zones	Name of Shelters	Area Served	Shelter Managers	Address of Shelter Managers	Tel No.
				Camiel West Thompson		
	Jackson	Brampton Primary		Marcia Duncan-		446-5985
30	Town	School	Brampton	Gordon	Brampton	885-1939
31	Jackson Town	First Hill All Age School	Jackson Town	Paula Blake	Jackson Town	288-8334
		Lowe River Primary		Fitzroy White		872-3537
32	Wait A Bit	and Junior High	Lowe River	Audrey Weir	Mendez Town Lorrimers	818-9098
				Mrs. Josephine Brown		413-9333
33	Wait A Bit	Wait A Bit Primary	Wait A Bit	Aron Brown	Wait A Bit	855-6034
34	Wait A Bit	Wire Fence Basic School	Wire Fence	John Richards	Wire Fence	856-7933/ 886-7933
35	Wait A Bit	Sanguinetti Basic School	Wire Fence	Diane Douse	Allside	364-9737
				Brenda Robinson		862-0881
				Helena Anderson-		
		Warsop Primary		Mayne		359-0161
36	Warsop	and Infant School	Warsop	Joyce Swaby	Warsop	866-1577
				Karlene Artwell		521-4804
37	Warsop	Troy High School	Troy	Veneisha Palmer	Тгоу	385-4666
		Trov Drimon (Carmen Mitchell		466-2969
38	Warsop	Troy Primary School	Troy	Ms. Eunice McNeish	Тгоу	774-1022
		Wilson Run Primary				
39	Warsop	& Basic School	Wilson Run	Wendylyn Brown	Wilson Run	861-9631
				Hubert Foster		394-9271
	Spring	Spring Garden Primary & Infant		Codlyn Wright-Javelin		368-7295
40	Garden	School	Spring Garden	Julia Richards	Rock Spring	467-2801
	Albert	Albert Town High		Wilmalee Green-Allen		483-4672/ 835-9139
41	Town	School	Albert Town	Dawnet Downer	Albert Town	412-3536
	Albert	Albert Town		Nicole Walker		
42	Town	Primary School	Albert Town	Hyaccinth Record	Albert Town	378-6003
	Ulster	Ulster Spring		Mrs. Carol Chin		386-9087
43	Spring	Primary School	Ulster Spring	Lorna Reid	Ulster Spring	872-3339
44	Ulster Spring	Freemans Hall Primary School	Freemans Hall	Odette Chin	Freemans Hall	850-3941





CONTINGENCY SHELTERS IN TRELAWNY

ID	Zones	Name of Shelters	Area Served	Shelter Managers	Address of Shelter Managers	Tel No.	Capacity	Shelter Type
				William Watson		954-2025		
1	Duncans	Spicy Hill Pentecostal Assembly	Spicy Hill	Ansel Barrett	Spicy Hill		100	А
2	Duncans	Rio Bueno Seventh Day Adventist	Rio Bueno	Conrad Brown	Rio Bueno	463-8195	100	A
				Mercia Parke				
3	Duncans	Rio Bueno Anglican Church	Rio Bueno	Rev. Kirk Brown	Rio Bueno	832-7858	50	А
4	Wakefield	Reid's Friendship Church	Friendship	Trudy-Ann Leslie	Friendship	3625904	100	А
			Duralizana	Annette Veitch				
5	Wakefield	Bunkers Hill N. T Church of God	Bunkers Hill	Presley Smith	Bunkers Hill		150	А
			Clarks	-				
6	Clarks Town	Clarks Town S.D.A. Church	Town	Dr. Asha Mwendo	Clarks Town	870-2284	100	А
7	Clarks Town	Kinloss N. T. Church of God	Kinloss	Carlton Campbell	Kinloss	359-8940	100	А
	Stewart		Stewart	Morris Livermore		612-0255		
8	Town	William Webb Baptist Church	Town		Stewart Town	370-5040	100	А
				Pauline McCatty		445-4869		
9	Jackson Town	Sawyers Methodist Church	Sawyers	Mrs. Carleen Brissett	Sawyers	354-5972	50	А
			-	Feona Brown	,	378-2490		
10	Spring Garden	Spring Garden S.D.A Church	Spring Garden	Janet Waite	Rock Spring	429-4914	100	
11	Wait A Bit	Lowe River Assemble Church of God	Lowe River	Paul Patmore	Lowe River	443-2153	100	A
12	Wait A Bit	Lowe River United Church	Lime Tree	Lembet Sivile	Lime Tree District	864-9557	85	А
13	Wait A Bit	Litchfield S.D.A. Church	Litchfield	Owen Pitter Wayne Clarke	Mendez Town	457-4640 445-1654	100	A
14	Warsop	Warsop Baptist Church	Warsop	Brenda Robinson	Warsop	862-0881	100	А
15	Albert Town	Thompson Town S. D. A. Church	Wirefence	Jermaine Johnson	Thompson Town	537-2451	100	A
10				Clive Linton		007 2101	100	~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
						878-8135/ 610- 0237		
				Richard Skyer		842-9925		
16	Albert Town	Stettin N.T. Church Of God	Stettin	Jacinth Johnson	Stettin	448-6289	50	А
10	Albert Town		Otettin	Deon Curvy		871-7898	50	~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
				Ameil Summerbell		404-8953		
17	Ulster Spring	Alps S.D.A. Church	Alps	Dane Rodney	Alps	404-8955 813-2204	100	А
		1		Rev. Clarke		866-5387		
18	Ulster Spring	Alps N. T. Church Of God	Alps	Ralph Palmer	Alps	588-9783	60	А
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19	Ulster Spring	Dutch Hill N.T. Church Of God	Dutch Hill	Janet Queenland	Ulster Spring	278-3807	50	А

SHELTER TYPE:

A - Capable of sheltering all types of disaster H - Hurricane E - Earthquake F - Fire

INDIGENT HOMES HANDED OVER IN TRELAWNY





Two indigent houses, built under the Ministry of Local Government and Community Development's Municipal Social Assistance Programme (MSAP), have been handed over in the parish of Trelawny. The recipients were Miss Beverley Grant of Penn Road in Stettin and Vernice and Lloyd Dell of Martha Brae. Both houses were handed over by Minister, Honourable Desmond McKenzie on January 29.

The indigent houses under the MSAP feature a studio design of approximately 200 square-foot and each built at a cost of \$1.8 million. The dwellings are furnished with a bed, refrigerator, stove, a dining table and other household items.

According to Minister McKenzie, the Government is committed to the protection of the country's most vulnerable. He shared that the administration has spent more than J\$1 billion in the 2019/2020 fiscal year on social assistance programmes.

The Local Government and Community Development Minister also underscored that the nation is also gauged by the treatment meted out to the poor and needy.

Chairman of the Trelawny Municipal Corporation, Mayor Gager also commended the Minister for such great initiative and the way he has been empowering the local representatives, so that they in turn can serve their divisions effectively.











ROADS PATCHING PROGRAMME

The Municipal Corporation has implemented a Roads Patching Programme in the nine (9) Parish Council Divisions, namely:

SOUTHERN TRELAWNY					
1. Lorrimers	- Woodgrove Road				
2. Warsop	- Tyre Road				
3. Albert Town	- English Hill Road				
4. Ulster Spring	- Dam Road (Retaining Wall)				
NORTHERN TRELAWNY					
5. Sherwood Content	5. Sherwood Content - Reserve Road				

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6. Duncans	- Spicy Hill Road
7. Wakefield	- Bounty Hall Scholl Road
8. Martha Brae	- Hague New Scheme Road
9. Falmouth	- Princess Street

An amount of over 500 metre square of patching works was undertaken in each Division. The persons in these communities have better access to and from work, schools, and their place of business. Also, persons are better able to market their produce and wares as a result of the improvement to these roadways.





ROADS PATCHING PROGRAMME



2016:	Patching of Streets in Falmouth
	Applying Prime Coat including sanding of Transportation Centre Compound
	Rehabilitation of Clark's Town Market Grounds/Transportation Centre
2017:	Dredging of Canal (Upper Harbour St to Foreshore Road)
	Rehabilitation of Palmer's Crescent to Church Street, Duanvale, renamed as Violet Moss Brown Crescent. Works included: asphaltic concrete surfacing, installation of curb drain, channel drain and V drain. A Bust of Miss V was also erected in honour of her being the oldest person in the world at the time.
2018:	Rehabilitation of roof and termite treatment of the Falmouth Court House/Municipal Building
2019:	Beautification of Duncans and Falmouth (Painting of Curb Walls)
	Desilting works at Duncans Main Road, Martha Brae Bridge and Town Centre
2020:	Rehabilitation of roadway at Hague Housing Scheme
	Rehabilitation of roadway at Hastings, Deeside
	Construction of Bus Sheds throughout the parish of Trelawny (Ten (10) Sheds)
	Rehabilitation of roadway at Allsides (Carterwood), Trelawny
	Rehabilitation of Dam Road, Ulster Spring Division
	Rehabilitation of Roadway at Pimento Walk, Duncans Division
	Rehabilitation of roadway and construction of Retaining Wall at Reserve Road, Sherwood Division
	Rehabilitation of roadway at Boonas Road, Warsop Division
	Rehabilitation of roadway at Cottage Road, Ulster Spring
	Rehabilitation of roadway and construction of Retaining Wall at Harvey Town Road, Lorrimers Div.
	Rehabilitation of roadway at Foster Road, Albert Town Division
	Painting works within the Falmouth Division
	Upgrading/Extension of Sanitary Convenience at Seaboard St., Falmouth
	Sanitization of Major Town Centres in Trelawny
	Rehabilitation of roadway at Queensland, Albert Town





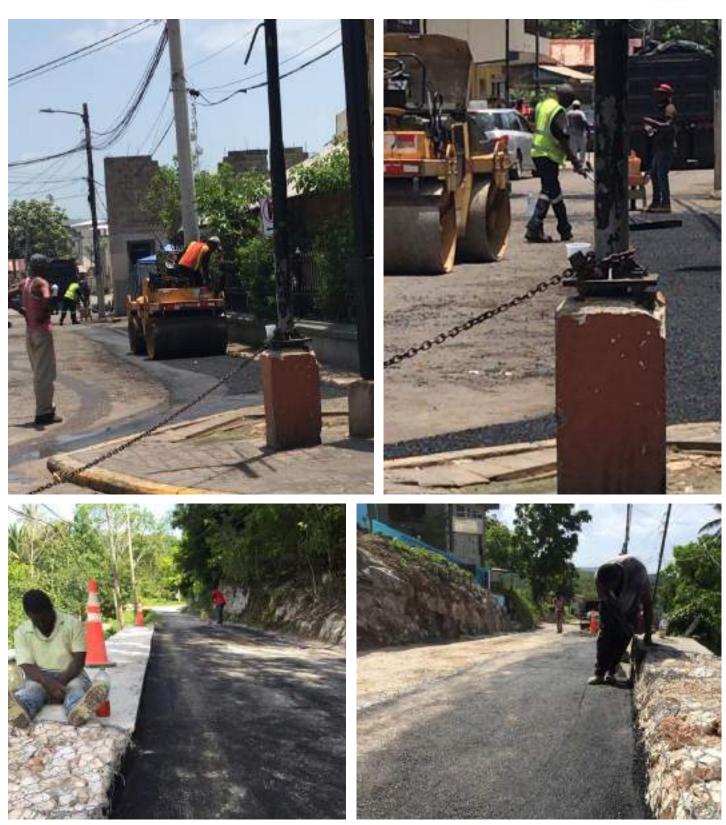


2020: Rehabilitation of roadway at Vanzie Lands Housing Development Desilting works at Pitt Street, Trelawny Street and Newton Street, Falmouth Division Construction repairs of retaining wall in Harvey Town, Lorrimers Division Dredging of Canal/Drag Line-Water Lane, Falmouth Construct Eight (8) additional Bus Sheds within the Parish. Rehabilitation of roadway at Samuel's Prospect, Duncans Division Rehabilitation of roadway at Bottom New Hope Road Rehabilitation of roadway at Penn Road, Lorrimers Division Rehabilitation of roadway at Knight Road, Wakefield Division 2021: Rehabilitation of roadway at Hague New Scheme, Martha Brae Division Rehabilitation of roadway at sections of Bamboo Spring, Ulster Spring Division Rehabilitation of roadway at Middle New Hope, Warsop Division Rehabilitation of roadway at Durham Road, Albert Town Rehabilitation of roadway at Logwood Walk, Duncans Division Rehabilitation of roadway at Wellington Street, Falmouth Division Construction of retaining wall (Gabion Basket) along Water Lane (Drag Line), Falmouth Rehabilitation of roadway at McHill, Clark's Town Rehabilitation of roadway at Johnson Hill, Martha Brae Division Rehabilitation of roadway at Silver Street, Lorrimers Division Rehabilitation of roadway at Tower Hill, Wakefield Division Removal of Bulky Waste in Falmouth, Duncans and Martha Brae Rehabilitation of roadway at Castlewood Housing Scheme, Granville Rehabilitation of roadway at Gravel Lane, Albert Town Division Rehabilitation of roadway at Hungry Lane, Kinloss Sherwood Division Rehabilitation of roadway at Samuel's Prospect, Duncans Division Rehabilitation of roadway at Congo Town, Wakefield Division Rehabilitation of roadway at sections of Scarlett Hall, Martha Brae Division

ROADS PATCHING PROGRAMME









August 23, 2023

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2. TRANSPORTATION CENTRE, THARPE STREET, FALMOUTH

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These works include:

Construction of Parking Bays, Fabrication and installation of Route signs and other signs, Erection of Commuters shed, and Collectors shed, Renovation of Sanitary Convenience, erection of lift bars among other works. Asphalting of 4970 m.sq. of grounds of this Centre. An operation was carried out to remove derelict buildings within close proximity to this site. This centre was opened in September 2023 and is fully operational. Fencing is now in progress. Funding was provided by the TMC.

Development of adjoining lands will commence later to facilitate commercial activities: shops, etc.

3. DRAIN CLEANING PROJECT FOR FALMOUTH TOWN

This project was implemented in August 2023, where extensive cleaning of drains including concrete U and V drains and box culverts was done. De-bushing of roads and removal of waste and other materials were also carried out. Funding was provided by the TEF.

4. MINOR WATER SUPPLY SYSTEMS UPGRADE AND REPAIRS

The Municipal Corporation partnered with Rural Water Supply in the Ministry of Local Government & Rural Development, to carry out complete upgrading and repair works to Gravesend Catchment Tank located in Gravesend, Trelawny. Works include:

Repairs to catchment area/barbeque, repairs to storage tank, fencing of compound and installation of gate, extension of water supply pipeline to community and construction of a standpipe and cistern to serve the Community and surrounding areas.

The Corporation upgraded and repaired other minor water supply systems such as, Huie Entombment Spring in Southern Trelawny and Freemans Hall Catchment Tank.

These works include repairs to defective storage tank and extension of pipeline to serve the Communities. Also, water supply quality was improved by the cleaning of storage tanks and catchment areas.

5. PURCHASE OF NEW WATER TRUCK & TRUCKING OF WATER TO DROUGHT STRICKEN AREAS

The Corporation purchased a new Shacman water truck, capacity 3400 gallons, in March 2023 to assist with transporting Potable water to drought-stricken areas especially in Southern Trelawny: Lorrimers, Warsop, Albert Town and Ulster Spring Divisions.

In Northern Trelawny areas such as Sherwood Content and Duncans Divisions and sections of Wakefield and Martha Brae Divisions potable water is also trucked.

The Communities served are very much appreciative of the consistent accessibility to potable water being trucked on a weekly basis, as house holders can now use same for domestic use, etc. Funding was provided by the Ministry of Local Government and Community Development.

LIST OF PROJECTS IMPLEMENTED THROUGHOUT THE YEAR 2022-2023

August 23, 2023





6. TIPPER TRUCK

The Corporation is in the process of acquiring a new Tipper Truck (20 tonnes) to assist with various projects to implemented by the Corporation. These works include:

Road works, building works and maintenance; to be used to transport – aggregates, base material, blocks, cement, steel and dispose of waste material from roads and other construction sites after clearing of vegetations and other debris, etc., from sites and Corporations Properties.

7. MONITORING OF HOTEL PROJECTS BY THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION'S TECHNICAL/ BUILDING OFFICERS

The municipal Corporation Technical/Building Officers continues to monitor large Hotel Construction Projects to ensure safety and quality assurance. Hotel Projects includes: Excellency Bush Cay Resorts located at Coopers Pen, Royalton Resorts – Coopers Pen and H10– Ocean Coral Spring and Eden Bay Hotels located at Coral Spring all in Trelawny.

8. BULKY WASTE REMOVAL PROJECTS IN NORTHERN AND SOUTHERN TRELAWNY

Bulky waste was removed on separate occasions in areas in north and south Trelawny in the past year (2023). Where items such as old fridge, stove, other dysfunctional appliances, old mattresses, tyres, etc. were removed from persons properties and along roadway and open spaces and transported to approved dumpsites in close vicinities. Funding was provided by TEF.

9. DRAIN CLEANING WORKS AND GENERAL BEAUTIFICATION IN DUNCANS DIVISION

A comprehensive drain cleaning project was carried out in the Duncans Division areas includes :

Rio Bueno, Kettering, Refuge, Sober Rodney, Silver Sands, Stewart Castle, Middlemost, Pimento Walk, Logwood Walk, Steelfield, Calabar, Brampton, Barnstaple.

Works included:

Drain Cleaning (Desilting)

Drain Cleaning (Concrete V, U & Kerb and Channel)

Drain Cleaning (Cleaning Sinkhole)

Trucking

10. ROADS PATCHING PROGRAMME

The Municipal Corporation has implemented a Road Patching Programme in the nine (9) Parish Council Divisions, namely:

SOUTHERN TRELAWNY			
10. Lorrimers	- Woodgrove Road		
11. Warsop	- Tyre Road		
12. Albert Town	- English Hill Road		
13. Ulster Spring	- Dam Road (Retaining Wall)		
NORTHERN TRELAWNY			
14. Sherwood Conten	t - Reserve Road		
15. Duncans	- Spicy Hill Road		
16. Wakefield	- Bounty Hall Scholl Road		
17. Martha Brae	- Hague New Scheme Road		
18. Falmouth	- Princess Street		

Approximately 500 metre square of road patching works was undertaken in each Division. The persons in these communities have better access to and from work, schools, and their place of business. Also, persons are better able to market their produce and wares as a result of the improvement to these roadways.









Ornecia Williams-Blackstock Youth Mayor 2009-2010

When I was announced as winner of this competition, I was very awestruck as I was possibly the most hesitant and nervous participant. I was never convinced that my speech was as good as my fellow competitors, some of whom came with graphics and all. As I vividly recall being announced as the Junior Mayor for 2009-2010, tears and joy filled my eyes.

My tenure was filled with a lot of exposure, partnership and ceremonies which have greatly contributed to my development today. During my tenure, the first Governor-General's I Believe Initiative Breakfast was held at Hopewell High School, and I was honoured to have been a participant in such. Additionally, in that same year I had lunch with the then Prime Minister, the Honourable Bruce Golding, the then Minister of Local Government, the Honorable Robert Montague as well as other Junior Mayors across the island. That was a memorable afternoon. Another outstanding event was the installation of the former Custos Rotulorum, Mr. Muschette, at which I have the absolute honour of gifting Lady Allen and she remembered me from other functions at which I would have presented her with tokens. That warmed my heart greatly.

However, in all the meetings I attended, the events at which I represented the youth of Trelawny, all the lobbying I did and events I attended, nothing compares to the Labour Day project that came to fruition for the Stewart Town Basic School. Through partnership with the Trelawny Chamber of Commerce, Jamaica Public Service (JPS) and Ministry of Local Government, we were able to rehabilitate the playground for the forty-seven (47) students and fencing around it to make it safer and more aesthetically pleasing. To this day, the members of the school's community are still grateful and so am I. To see the joy that came from the freshly installed swings and painted slides, cut lawn, relocated stones and grounded fencing is forever etched in my memory. Whilst I sincerely appreciate working alongside the mayor, His Worship, The Mayor Collen Gager, the council of that time, the other workers at the Municipal Corporation as well as the other partnerships that were formed, I do wish that I had done more to serve and transform communities and advocate for greater youth involvement and advancement. Nonetheless, I remain grateful and honoured.

To future Junior Mayors, I have one word -SERVE. If your aim is to serve the people of your parish, to represent the youth and to leave tangible, valuable, lasting impact. Be brave enough to speak but humble enough to teach; be visible and active, be proud of your parish and its progress. Advocate for the enrichment of less fortunate and advancement of youths through education and culture, promote good values and morals for the betterment of the parish and Jamaica but above all remain grateful to God for choosing and using you as a conduit of change during your tenure. This is a grand opportunity to be a servant leader, doing what great leaders do – SERVE.

As a graduate of the University of the West Indies Mona with a B.Ed (with honours) in English, Mrs. Blackstock is a teacher of the English Language and Literature, Theatre Arts and Communication Studies at the Westwood High School for eight (8) years. She is also a holder of an Executive Certificate in Public Relations/ Corporate Communications from the University of the Commonwealth Caribbean.

YOUTH MAYORS OVER THE LAST TERM

TRELAWNY 20 MUNICIPAL CORPORATION 20











The Annual Mayor's Treat is an occasion that staff and residents alike look forward to each year. At this function, residents of Trelawny are treated to hot meals, supermarket vouchers, gift baskets and wholesome entertainment. A number of sponsors who come on board year to year contributed to the success of the Mayor's Treat.









VIOLET MOSS-BROWN SHRINE





On March 10, 2022, Minister of Culture, Gender, Entertainment and Sport, Honourable Olivia Grange, along with His Worship the Mayor of Falmouth, C. Junior Gager, unveiled the bust of Violet Moss-Brown in the community of Duanvale, Trelawny.

Violet Brown (née Moss; 10 March 1900 – 15 September 2017) was a Jamaican supercentenarian who was the oldest verified living person in the world for five months.

Brown was born Violet Moss on 10 March 1900 and was one of four children born in Duanvale, Trelawny, British Jamaica, to John Moss, who was a sugar boiler, and Elizabeth Riley. She was baptized at the age of 13 into the Baptist Church.

She is the oldest verified Jamaican person ever and the first verified supercentenarian from Jamaica. Brown was born in Jamaica when it was a part of the British Empire and she was the last known subject of Queen Victoria.

Brown died on September 15, 1997 at a hospital in Montego Bay, Saint James Parish, at the age of 117.



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DISASTER PREPAREDNESS ACTIVITIES





The month of January is observed annually as Earthquake Awareness Month. During this period, sensitization activities and simulations are carried out across the parish and island to have the citizens in a state of readiness, should an earthquake strike.

The Parish Disaster Coordinator conducted a number of earthquake drills and sensitization across the schools in Trelawny.

The Trelawny Municipal Corporation (TMC) in collaboration with the Office of Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Management (ODPEM) conducted an Emergency Operation Centre (EOC) training on Monday, February 27 and Tuesday, February 28, 2023, in the Town Hall of the Trelawny Municipal Corporation.



The Emergency Operation Centre (EOC) is the designated administrative hub of disaster or emergency response mechanism and should be operated by members of the Parish Disaster Committee. Hence, the purpose of the EOC training was to equip members of the Trelawny Parish Disaster Committee with the skills and knowledge to enable the unhindered movement of residents and visitors, their goods and the delivery of services, maintain social amenities and minimize dislocation of residents arising from adverse events.





Each year the unsung heroes of our parish are highlighted for their dedication to the communities, parish and country. Over the years, residents have been nominated in various categories such as: Education, Community Service and Law Enforcement. Residents have even been awarded for their selfless and kind consideration in their small business establishments. Among the 2023 awardees was Antonio Watson who hails from Trelawny. He was awarded in the field of sports for his outstanding performance at the World Athletics Championships in Budapest, Hungary.



BOARD OF SUPERVISION SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS





Among the 48 students that were awarded by the Board of Supervision for high academic performance in the 2022 Primary Exit Profile (PEP), Caribbean Advanced Proficiency Examination (CAPE) and Caribbean Secondary Education Certificate (CSEC) tests at the Spanish Court Hotel in New Kingston on Wednesday, March 29, 2023, were Shanniece Ramdas, Shayane Plumber, and Ava Codling. Hon. Desmond McKenzie in the Ministry of Local Government and Rural Development with responsibility for the Board of Supervision was in attendance. The awardees received financial grants ranging from \$30,000.00 to \$35,000.00. They were also presented with plaques. "The awards ceremony was held to recognize the brilliance and perseverance of the children of the Poor Relief Department who have not used poverty as an excuse but as motivation to create a brighter future," stated by the Secretary of the Board, Miss Treka Lewis. While it is believed that children from poorer families are more likely to underachieve than those from middleand upper-income families, Shanniece Ramdas, Shayane Plumber, and Ava Codling have proven otherwise. The Poor Relief Department has nourished the dreams of many children from poor families, who have gone on to be shining examples of excellence and we will continue to nurture and support some of the nation's brightest students who lack the resources to unleash their potential. Additionally, students enrolled in the Poor Relief programme receive assistance for transportation allowance to attend school, examination fees, books, uniforms, medical assistance among other services. Today the Poor Relief Department stands tall and proud for the noble work being carried out by the department.







DROP-IN ACTIVITY TRELAWNY





TRELAWNY DROP-IN CENTRE VICTORIA STREET, FALMOUTH TEL: 876-954-3970

"A FACILITY OF THE TRELAWNY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION"



The Trelawny Drop-In Centre, celebrated Jamaica Day, on March 03, 2023. The main aim of the event was to treat the clients to something different from what they are accustomed to. The event was centered around bringing awareness based on our cultural narrative as well as getting the clients involved in cultural activities.

Jamaica Day this year for the Drop-In Centre was the first of its kind, and also engulfed the whole "Tie and Dye" effect which indicates that no matter where you are in society or what group one makes up; we are all one melting pot of diversity.

The day was well received and has proven to be an exciting time for our clients. Besides indulging in an array of authentic Jamaican cuisine, clients were treated to Jamaican history and proverbs, music and games which kept them entertained throughout the day. The responses of the clients were the epitome of it all; they were very appreciative of the day, and expressed an eagerness for something like this again. All in all, the day was a success, filled with positivity and client-centered satisfaction.









REPORT ON DEVELOPMENT APPLICATIONS REVIEW PROCESS PERFORMANCE FOR THE PERIOD JANUARY 2023 TO DECEMBER 2023

BUILDING APPLICATIONS January-December 2023

Year	Number of Applications Received	Number of applications Approved	Number of Applications Refused	Still Processing
2023	200	136	3	61

Number of Building Applications Received by Division for January-December 2023

DIVISIONS	NUMBER OF BUILDING PLANS RECEIVED
Falmouth	81
Martha Brae	44
Duncans	45
Wakefield	9
Sherwood Content	7
Ulster Spring	3
Albert Town	4
Lorrimers	1
Warsop	6
Total	200



Year	Number of Subdivision Applications Received	Number of Applications Approved	Number of Applications Refused	Still Processing
2023	43	19	Nil	24

Number of Subdivision Applications Received by Division for January-December 2023

DIVISIONS	NUMBER OF BUILDING PLANS RECEIVED
Falmouth	1
Martha Brae	22
Duncans	7
Wakefield	6
Sherwood Content	4
Ulster Spring	1
Albert Town	0
Lorrimers	1
Warsop	1
Total	43





What does my property tax pay for?

Property taxes are used to finance property-related services in communities throughout Jamaica. Property tax pays for:

- · Maintenance and expansion of street lighting,
- · Collection and disposal of solid waste,
- · Community infrastructure and civil improvements,
- · Administration of Local Authorities,
- Repairs to fire stations, and
- Rehabilitation of parochial/farm roads.

What are the laws that relate to property tax?

The Property Tax Act; Land Taxation (Relief) Act; The Land Valuation Act; The Tax (Collection) Act

Where do I pay my property tax?

You may pay your property tax at any of the 29 tax offices located islandwide. You may also pay online at www. jamaicatax-online.gov.jm.

When is property tax due?

Property tax becomes due on April 1 each year and may be paid in full, half yearly or quarter yearly instalment. Half yearly instalments are to be made on April1 and October 1 each year while quarterly instalments are to be made on April 1, July 1, October 1, and January 1. Whether payment is made in full or in instalments, first payments made after April 30 may attract a 10% penalty.

How is property tax calculated?

All properties with an unimproved value of up to J\$300,000.00 is charged a flat rate of J\$1,000.00. Properties with values exceeding J\$300,000.00 will attract an additional 0.75% for every additional dollar.

Are any property owners exempt from paying property tax?

The following categories of land are exempt from the payment of Property Tax:

- Buildings exclusively used for religious worship, churches yards, burial grounds and Rectories,
- Educational institutions and properties owned by the Council of Legal Education,
- · Government-owned lands,
- · Lands owned by the Local Authorities,
- Hospitals, and
- Lands owned by charitable or cultural organisations approved by the Minister and used solely for the purposes of such organisations.

Who pays property tax?

All persons in possession of land; such a person is defined by the Property Tax Act as the owner, occupier, mortgagee in possession or other person in actual possession of such property.









The Trelawny Municipal Corporation is taking steps to commence construction of the base for the statue of the country's Sprint Legend, Usain Bolt, to be mounted in Water Square, Falmouth.

This has been made possible after receiving approval from the Jamaica National Heritage Trust (JNHT), for the redesign of the historic fountain.

Mayor Gager said the Corporation decided against relocating the iconic water fountain to facilitate the sprint legend's statue, and a new design has been agreed on by the JNHT and the Corporation.

The statue of the parish's famous son will be a replica of the one mounted on Statue Road in Independence Park, Kingston.

Members of the Jamaica Defence Force (JDF) will carry out the construction.

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Please be informed that the Trelawny Municipal Corporation is aware of burials taking place on Family Plot in the respective communities across the Parish of Trelawny without the necessary approval.

As a result of this, the Municipal Corporation has taken the initiative to sensitize the general public regarding your deceased inter on the properties they own.

Most importantly, all burials taking place in the Parish of Trelawny must receive prior approval from the Municipal Corporation located in Water Square, Falmouth. Please see checklist for processing of application for ease of reference.

Anticipating your full co-operation and effort, as we strive to regularize Family Plot burials in the Parish of Trelawny.

CHECKLIST FOR FAMILY PLOT BURIAL

- Updated Property Tax Receipt
- Burial Order/Death Certificate
- Proof of Ownership Title or diagram of property (In the absence of the documents mentioned - Letter from a Justice of the Peace certifying that the applicant is giving permission for the deceased to be buried on the property)
- Completed Application Form done at the Office.

Processing Fee of \$7,500.00

Guide to Development of Land (Construction/Building and subdivision) – Trelawny

The Trelawny Municipal Corporation is using this medium to remind owners of property who want to erect, extend, or modify a building, to ensure that they submit a building application to the Trelawny Municipal Corporation. Additionally, if you are going to sell a portion or part of your property you must apply for subdivision approval from the Corporation.

We stand ready to guide you through the process of submitting your building or subdivision application. Attached are the checklists to inform you of the requirements for submitting these applications.

The Corporation is here to ensure your safety and to sustainably maximize the use of your property for you and for the future generations to come.

Please also note that one of the major concerns of the Corporation is that buildings/structures being constructed too close to the roadways, sometimes even encroaching on these roadways. Please ensure that buildings or any other structure being erected be setback from the roadway at least 4.5m or 15 feet away from the road; also, that any drain or any other easement along the roadway or on your property are not impeded or obstructed or blocked in any way by any building or any other structure being built or constructed on your property.

As the Local Planning Authority, we are indeed committed to you and committed to the future.



In an effort to help reduce youth unemployment the Minister of Local Government and Community Development, the Hon. Desmond McKenzie has launched the Youth Summer Employment Programme (YSEP) in 2017. Since then, thousands of young people have been gainfully employed during the summer.

The YSEP assists young Jamaicans, particularly those from disadvantaged backgrounds who may face challenges in finding employment, by placing them in various work environments.

Participants gain practical knowledge, improve their communication and teamwork skills, and develop strong work ethic, which are essential for their personal and professional growth.

Young people in Trelawny have benefited immensely from this programme and have testified of how it has helped them in all areas of life.





COUNCILLORS WHO SERVED UP TO FEBRUARY 2024







His Worship the Mayor, Councillor C. Junior Gager- Warsop Division



Councillor Desmond Smith-Lorrimers Division



Councillor Dunstan Harper-Sherwood Content Division



Councillor Garth Wilkinson-Falmouth Division



Councillor Dr. Pauline Foster-Grant-Ulster Spring Division



Councillor Jonathan Bartley-Wakefield Division



Councillor Nicole Nugent-Albert Town Division



Councillor Philip Service-Martha Brae Division



Councillor Donovan White-Duncans Division

DEPARTMENTS







Revenue Services Department



Audit Unit



Property Tax Unit



Planning Department



Accounts Department



Roads & Works Department



Burwood Beach Team



Administrative Department



Director of Procurement





Poor Relief Department



Disaster Management Unit Municipal Police







Infirmary Staff



Trelawny Municipal Corporation

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TRELAWNY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION'S PARTNERING AGENCIES



Ministry of Local Government and Community Development







National Solid Waste Management Authority











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