

Our Leadership

Message from Chairman



India, one of the world's fastest-growing economies, is making remarkable strides in balancing social justice, environmental conservation, and economic growth. As the largest Development Financial Institution in the country, NABARD takes pride in its role in facilitating these accomplishments.

For over four decades, NABARD's initiatives have laid the foundation for both individual well-being and the nation's overall development. NABARD, being the premier institution for rural development, has consistently endeavoured to empower underserved communities, enhance agricultural productivity, and build resilience in rural India. NABARD's various initiatives aim to improve rural livelihoods, conserve natural resources, create sustainable employment opportunities, develop rural infrastructure, and uplift rural communities. Whether it is Tribal Development, Watershed Management, Natural Resource Management, providing refinance support, promoting Farmer Producer Organisations (FPOs) and Self-Help Groups (SHGs) at the grassroots level, or building the capacity of Primary Agricultural Credit Societies (PACS) in villages, NABARD continues to address every vital aspect of rural development.

I am pleased to present the second edition of the 'Impact Report', which encapsulates the impact NABARD has had on rural lives. This Impact Report is an effort to capture and reflect the outcomes, progress, and transformative impact of NABARD's initiatives aimed at promoting sustainable rural development and inclusive economic growth. The report provides a comprehensive overview of NABARD's efforts and achievements in fostering a sustainable and equitable future for the rural economy. It offers insights into the diverse and far-reaching outcomes of our programs, showcasing the positive changes we have achieved across various sectors such as agriculture, rural infrastructure, microfinance, and environmental sustainability. By highlighting key interventions and their results, we aim to provide a transparent account of our efforts and demonstrate the significant difference we are making in the lives of millions of rural citizens.

Our journey is ongoing, and the impact we have seen thus far is a testament to the collective dedication of our stakeholders, partners, and beneficiaries. As we continue to strive for a prosperous and inclusive rural India, this report serves as a valuable resource for all our stakeholders and partners engaged in the development sector, both in India and globally.

Shaji K. V. Chairman

