

**Community Motivation & Development Organization
PPAF-SMP**

**Field Unit Lakki Marwat
CASE STUDY: HOUSE ON FIRE**

LSO: Jannat Welfare Society
Village: Muslim Bagh
U/C: Nar Abu Samand Begu Khel
District: Lakki Marwat.

BACKGROUND:

The village Muslim Bagh is situated on the main high way from Serai Naurang to Gandhi Chowk. The villagers are very hard working and most of them are attached to technical work. Agriculture is also a main source of livelihood. The community organizations have established various linkages with other potential organizations.



PROBLEMS:

The village is confronting with the problems such as unavailability of clean drinking water, health facility, link roads or streets pavements. The water table is very low and contaminated. The streets are unpaved. The people are poor but cooperate with each other and provide help in resolving issues in the interest of common people.

CURRENT SITUATIONS:

The community organization named Jannat Welfare Society was formed and registered with PPAF SM-Project. The CO started self initiatives movements. The CO's share among themselves a day to day progress in different activities like participation and support to the polio teams, children enrollment campaigns, formation of blood donor society, linkages development with Al Shifa Eye Trust Hospital in Kohat in which they cured many poor families.

The CO faced an outbreak of a fire in a nearby house which was powerful in its quantum and wasn't easy to control. The CO members fully participated in controlling the damages. A few members of the CO were already trained and had some experience in the fire control. However, they also called the fire brigade for help. The CO members saved two women and two children who were trapped inside the house on fire. The fire brigade and CO members were successful in controlling the fire and entering into other nearby houses. The villagers were really impressed by the risky initiatives and dare efforts. The villagers, looking at the CO efficiency have extended full support to the CO in other developmental initiatives.

The CO also helped poor people in getting medical treatment in hospital.

