

Vattikuti India Foundation response to Gaja Cyclone

Cyclone Gaja hit the Tamil Nadu coast between Nagapattinam and Vedaranyam on November 16, killing 63 people and leaving a trail of destruction. The cyclone left 3.7 lakh people homeless. Along its path, "Gaja", which means elephant in Sanskrit, uprooted thousands of trees, damaged homes and boats in Nagapattinam, Thanjavur, Tiruvarur and Pudukkottai districts.



People in Tanjore district Oratthanadu Taluk & Thiruvonam regions were severely affected due to Cyclone Gaja, which costed their livelihood and cottage houses.

At this time, **Vattikuti India Foundation** along with Altimetrik and Davinta organizations, donated relief materials, tarpaulin and bed sheets worth of approximately INR 2 Lakhs in more than 20 villages and covering around 250 cyclone affected families in Thanjavur District of Tamil Nadu, in the regions of Thiruvonam which includes villages like Vengarai, Idaiyankaadu, Sillatthur, Ooranipuram, Thiruvonam Oonjiyaviduthi, Ammangudi, Vettikaadu, Kalirayanviduthi, Raajalividuthi, Vettuvaakkottai & Panikondaanviduthi.

