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Sponsored Thesis Project Competition on "Re-imagining Urban Rivers"

Urban Integration of Shahdara Canal

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Can residents find respite from the toxic fumes of Shahdara drain this summer?

Nope. Delhi Jal Board will take at least six more months to start its newly installed sewer pumping station (SPS) near Kalyanpuri area.



NGT seeks report from Delhi, UP on

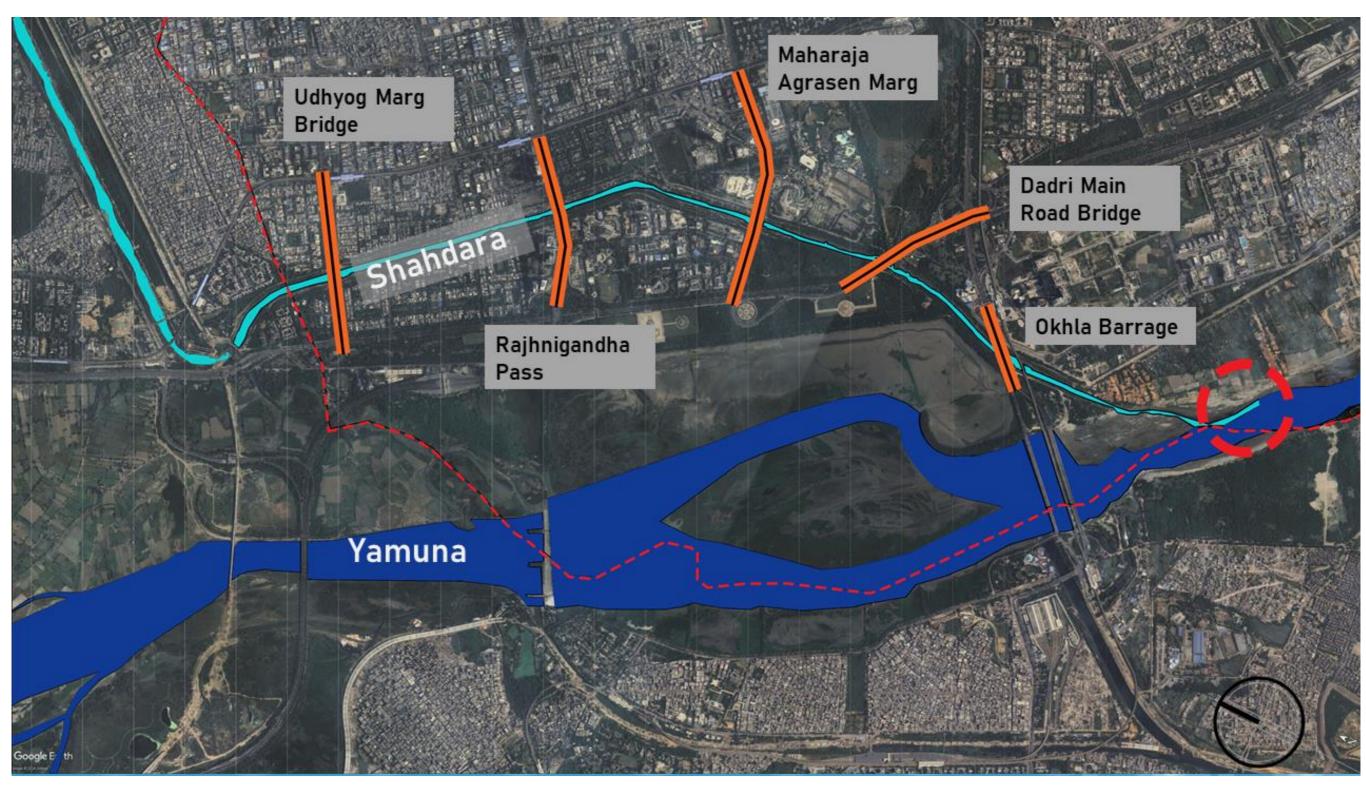
The National Green Tribunal has directed Delhi and Uttar
Pradesh to stop using the Shahdara drain as an "open sewer" and
submit an action taken report within four weeks. The order
came after a resident filed a plea alleging the discharge of
industrial waste and sewage water into the drain. The tribunal

Delhi: Plan to turn Shahdara drain around in a year

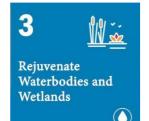
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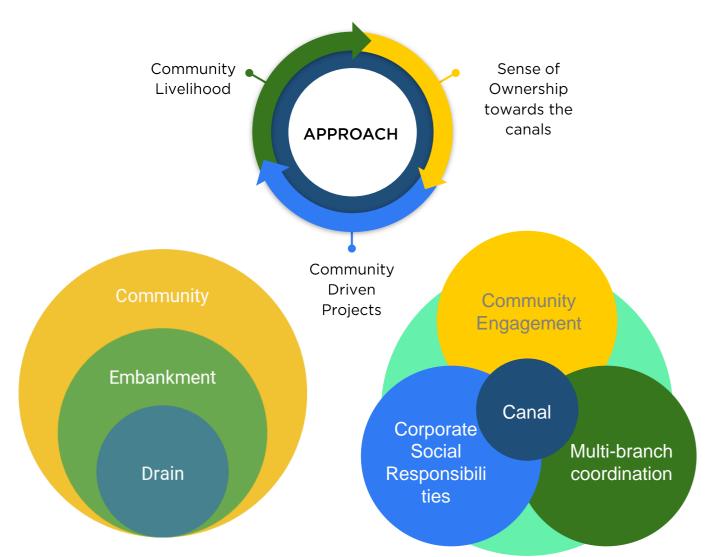












Beyond the river itself, its tributaries are a part of its ecosystem.

In today's urban civilisations, the canals and stormwater drains falling into the river are a part of the river too. The city is made up of these channels, which many facets of the population gravitate towards.

The regulation, supervision and improvement of these channels is the next step towards the good health of the riverine ecosystems.

A socially sustainable approach towards the civil pollution of the rivers along with moderate river cleaning technologies and increase of opportunities for urban activities are key.