

**CHECK LIST SERIAL NUMBER:-10****Justification of locating the project in Forest Area.**

The alignment of this proposed road has carefully been finalized after considering various aspects for the construction of this proposed road from Thachadhar to Naloti road after consideration of alternative other than final proposal.

**Alternative alignment**

This is to certify that the forest area involved in the proposal for the construction of Thachadhar. After conducting the survey through this alignment it was found that the ruling gradient of the road has been disturbed to reach at Naloti. Steep gradient was to be adopted which was a great hindrance for smooth plying of the vehicular traffic. Also this alignment was passing through Dhanky portion due to which the construction cost of this road could have gone very high. Also this proposal was passing through maximum forest area, which can be seen on survey sheet attached. Therefore the idea of constructing the road on this alignment was dropped.

The only way out was to construct this road on present proposal. The proposal is passing below this alternative alignment. As shown on the survey map the final proposal is passing through less forest and maximum villages will be served. Therefore this alignment has been finalized for the construction of proposed road from Thachadhar to Naloti as it is found economical feasible and in large public interest as well as easy for construction in all respect.

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