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GOVERNOR COMMENDS THE PEOPLE FOR CLEANLINESS DRIVE

The Governor of Arunachal Pradesh Shri JP Rajkhowa has commended the people of Ziro, Apatani Youth Association and officers and officials of District Administration for their exemplary endeavour in carrying out the mega social service at Kley River under the banner 'Mission Clean Kley River' in which more than 7000 volunteers participated. The volunteers completely cleaned the 22 km long Kley River and its tributaries through the well organised community service, which deserve kudos from one and all.

In his message, the Governor said that as one of the most industrious societies of Arunachal Pradesh, the Apatani Community has once again set the trend to preserve our fragile environment.

The Governor said that inspite of Arunachal Pradesh being blessed with pristine and green environment, it is unfortunate that such a gift of nature is being adversely impacted due to all kinds of pollution, particularly plastic hazards. He expressed hope that other communities and people of the State would emulate this initiative of Apatani Community and Lower Subansiri District Administration in preserving and upgrading the natural water bodies of the State.

PRO to Governor
Arunachal Pradesh
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