

## **VEDARANYAM MUNICIPALITY**

### **TOWN PROFILE**

Vedaranyam town lies in Nagapattinam district it is a Taluk head quarters for all departments. It is only municipal town with in taluk Viz. Vedaranyam for civic administration it is classified as Grade II municipality as per GO MS No.154 MA&WS Dated. 9.08.2010

Vedaranyam Municipality is one of the minor municipalities and is classified as a Second grade municipality At present 21 administrative wards having an area of 36.26 Sq.Km with population of 34266 as per 2011 census. The town primarily comprises, residential, Commercial institutional and industrial area which are placed and around the Vedaranyam Municipality.

The town is situated 45km from south of Nagapattinam and 35km from east of Thiruthuraipoondi. Vedaranyam connected with roads to Nagapattinam, to Thiruthuraipoondi and Pattukottai. The town is Very Important station to travel Major district roads.

#### **Town History**

Vedaraniyam is one of the Historical, Archaeological and Tourism place in TamilNadu. In Vedaraniyam Town the Temple Arulmigu Vedaraneswarar is very famous in Adi Amavasai, Thai Amavasa and Masi magam. It is one of the archaeological temple of TamilNadu.

#### **Salt Pans**

In South Side of Vedaraniyam Town Salt is manufacture in large scale in Good Quality for both industrial and commercial purpose.

#### **Kodiyakarai Bird Sanctuary**

10 Kms away from Vedaraniyam Bird Sanctuary is situated @ Kodiyakarai. It is a Very Good Tourism Centre in Nagapattinam District There also Deer's, Horses and many wild life animals live there which attract the Tourist people.

## **Salt Satyagiraga History**

In 1949 Salt Satyagiraga was held by Rajaji and Sarthar Vedarethinam. In that place where they have taken salt and the pillar has constructed by the Salt Department. This is one of the historical important event in our Indian History

Twenty three days later, the request to the Dandi Marck took place at Vedaranyam in Thanjavur District of Tamilnadu under the beloved leadership of C.Rajagopalachari, lead 99 volunteers from Trichirapalli to Vedaranyam. Where they defried the "salt law".

Vedaranyam is one of the most pilgrim center in Tamilnadu Vedaranyam are also called " Thirumaraikadu" which situated near seashore. Vedaranyam is fittest place for pilgremest to take sea bath