

## TAMIL NADU AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY

Office of the Directorate of Research,  
Tamil Nadu Agricultural University,  
Coimbatore-03.

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### PROCEEDINGS

An interactive meeting with the Dean, HODs and staff members was conducted by the Director of Research on **29.8.2019** to address some of the issues relating to the research and development activities of the Agricultural College and Research Institute, Madurai.

**Dr.V.K. Paulpandi**, Dean, AC&RI, Madurai, briefly presented the on-going research and seed production activities of the college. **Dr. K.S. Subramanian**, Director of Research highlighted the current status of TNAU rankings in ICAR and NIRF and the importance of high impact factor publications (**NAAS > 6**) and patents that will directly reflect on the ranking.

#### GENERAL

- The **recent varieties** released, advanced cultures, promising **technologies** and farm mechanization are to be demonstrated at the frontier avenue of the college to exhibit the activities and achievements of the campus (The Dean, AC & RI, Madurai)
- All the **experimental fields** are to be properly labeled with flex boards as per the stipulated guidelines of TNAU (All Scientists, AC & RI, Madurai)
- An **irrigation cafeteria** may be established to demonstrate how the irrigation water being judiciously used in the Periyar - Vaigai canal command area (All Scientists, AC & RI, Madurai)
- The entire farm may be scanned using drones and **digitized farm fertility map** prepared within a month before 1.10.2019 (Prof. & Head, SS & AC, AC & RI, Madurai)

