

Amit Shah to lay foundation stone for projects worth ₹67,378 crore on Nov 21

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Chennai: Union home minister Amit Shah will lay foundation stones for projects worth Rs 67,378 crore, including phase II of Chennai Metro Rail, in an event organised by the Tamil Nadu government on November 21 in the city.

An official release said the Union home minister will dedicate a new reservoir, Thervoy Kandigai in Tiruvallur district built at Rs 380 crore, which will meet the drinking water needs of

Chennai. Foundation stone will be laid for Rs 61,843 crore phase II of Chennai metro rail, Rs 1,620 crore Coimbatore-Avinashi elevated highway and barrage across river Cauvery at Nanjai Pugalur in Karur district at Rs 406 crore.

The Union minister will also lay the foundation stone for Rs 309 crore expansion programme of Chennai Trade Centre, Rs 900 crore petroleum complex of Indian Oil Corporation in Vallur, Rs 1,400 crore Lube Plant in Amullaivoyal near Chennai,

besides Rs 900 crore new berth at Kamarajar Port. "Shah will deliver a speech on the occasion," the release said.

The programme will be held at Kalaivanar Arangam in Chennai at 4.30pm. Chief minister Edappadi K Palaniswami will preside over the function while deputy chief minister O Panneerselvam will make a special address. Ministers, MPs, MLAs, and chairmen of the welfare boards will participate, the release added.