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Telangana State Regional News

<p>Geoglyph dating back to 1,000 BCE found in Hyderabad district</p> 	<p>In News:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> In a rare find, archaeologists have found a geoglyph dating back to 1000 BC, atop a granite hillock on the outskirts of Muduchinthalapalli mandal headquarters in Medchal-Malkajgiri district. <p>Key points:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Geoglyphs are a form of rock art, where a design or motif is etched on the ground using stones, iron or some other tools used by prehistoric humans. In this case, archaeologists believe that iron was used in making the geoglyph through a process called 'Pecking Technique.' Geoglyph is in a perfectly executed circular design measuring 7.5 m in diameter, with a 30 cm thick rim around it, and two triangles inside it. The geoglyph has revealed the artistic skill and etching technique of the iron age people who lived and wandered in this area located just 30 to 40 km away from Hyderabad.
<p>State crosses 80% of its borrowing limit</p> 	<p>Context:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Though five more months are left in the financial year, Telangana government has already exhausted 81% of its expected borrowing capacity by the end of September in this election year. In contrast, the state had borrowed only 40% of expected limits during the corresponding period in the last financial year, according to the latest Comptroller and Auditor General (CAG) figures. TS has already borrowed Rs 31,333 crore by the end of September against its total expected borrowings for Rs 38,334 crore for this financial year.



Rashmika won Silver medal at National Games



In News: Telangana tennis player Rashmika settles for silver medal at National Games.

- Telangana tennis player **Srivalli Rashmika Bhamidipaty settled for silver medal** in the individual singles event of the 37th National Games held at Goa.

Agro Climatic Zones of Telangana State

Key Points:

- Telangana State is apportioned into three agro-climatic zones based on the geographical characteristics such as rainfall, temperature, nature of soils etc.,
 - **i) North Telangana Zone**
 - **ii) Central Telangana Zone**
 - **iii) South Telangana Zone**

North Telangana Zone (NTZ)

- This zone includes Adilabad, Komaram Bheem Asifabad, Nirmal, Mancherial, Nizamabad, Jagtial

Central Telangana Zone (CTZ)

- This zone includes Sangareddy, Medak, Siddipet, Jangaon, Warangal Urban, Warangal Rural,

Southern Telangana Zone(STZ)

- This zone includes Vikarabad, Medchal Malkajgiri, Hyderabad, Yadadri Bhuvanagiri.



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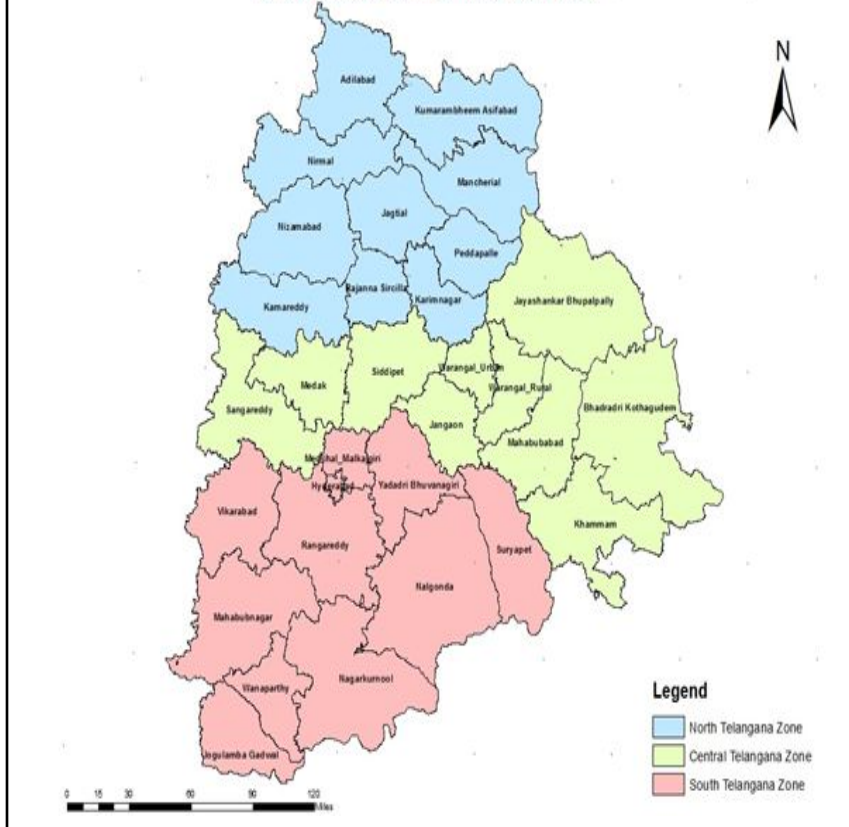
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