

## Celebration of World Soil Day

World Soil Day was celebrated by ICAR-Directorate of Floricultural Research, Pune on 5<sup>th</sup> December 2019 in collaboration with Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Narayangaon and Department of Agriculture, Maharashtra at Khed, Pune.

The programme was held in the presence of Mr. Dilip Dattatrey Mohite Patil (MLA, Khed-Alandi Vidhansabha), Dr. Rajiv Kale (Scientist, ICAR-DOGR), Mr. Dilip Jhende (Assistant Director of Agriculture, Pune Division), Mr. Vijay Ghavate (Director, Inputs and Quality Control), Mrs. Subhadrathayi Shinde, President, Panchayat Samiti, Khed), Mr. Bhagwan Pokharkar (Vice President, Panchayat Samiti, Khed) and other dignitaries. About 500 farmers from different villages of Khed, Ambegaon, Shirur and Junnar taluks participated in the program and Soil Health Cards were distributed to farmers.



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