

THIRUVANNAMALAI

- Collector Thiru. K.S.KANDASAMY I.A.S
- **Boundary** Chennai and Bangalore
- **River** Thenpennair river
- Sathanur dam
- **Crops** Paddy, sugarcane and groundnut
- Minerals Granite and Magnetite
- Deep red **soil**, thin red **soil**, clayey **soil** and gravelly **soil**
- **Area** 6,188 Sq.Kms
- **Population**: 24,64,875
- Assembly 8
- Parliament 2
 - Revenue Divisions 3
 - Revenue Taluks 12
- The Temple Town of Tiruvannamalai is one of the most ancient heritage sites of India and is a centre of the Saiva religion.
- The main Deepam festival attracts devotees from far and wide throughout South India. It has historic places besides Tiruvannamalai, Arni, Vandavasi, Devigapuram connected to East India and French companies
- Ramanashram