



THIRUVARUR

- Collector – Thiru T.Anand I.A.S
- The Granary of South India
- **Rulers** - Cholas
- Detached from Thanjavur and Nagapattinam
- **Area** : 2374 Sq.Kms
- **Population** : 1264277
- 2 Revenue Divisions
- 8 Taluks
- **River** – Cauvery
- **Mangrove** forests in muthupettai
- **Crops** – Paddy, Black gram, Green gram, groundnut and gingely
- **Minerals** – Lignite, Quartz/Silica sand
- **Soil Types:**Clayey, alluvial, and sandy clay are the soil types found in the district.
- Thiruvarur has been a centre of eminent people in religion, arts and science. Famous historical temples are located in Thiruveezhimalai, Thirupamparam, Thirumeichur, Shrivanchiyam, Thillaivilagam, Thirukkannamangai and Thyagaraja temple.
- At Jambavanodai near Muthuppetai, there is an ancient and glorified dargah, a mosque. The triumvirate of Carnatic music, ShriThiyagarajaBrahmam, ShriMuthuswamyDheekshathar and Shyma Shastri were born here and this adds admiration, dignity and glory to this district.