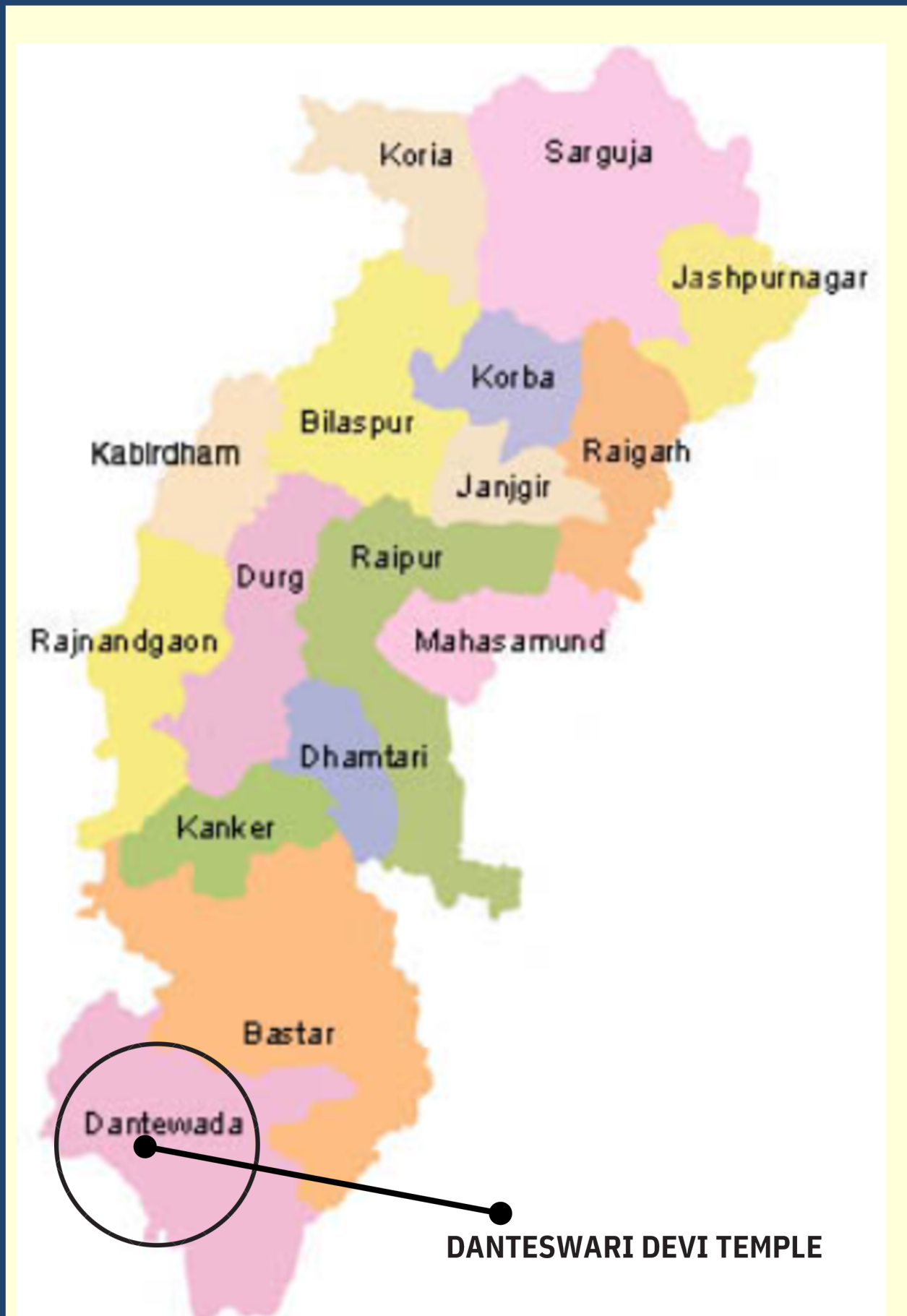


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# DANTESWARI DEVI TEMPLE (DANTEWADA) Chhattisgarh

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**Area of the Monument: 30,017.00 Sqm or say 7.419 acre**

## **Brief History of the Monument:**

The temple is dedicated to six armed Mahisasuramardini as “Danteswari” carved on a black stone. According to local tradition, a tooth of Sati, consort of Siva, had fallen here, making the place as one of the Sakti-pithas of India. Danteswari Devi Temple is an east-faced temple and located at the confluence of rivers Sankhini and Dankini in Dantewada. The temple is comprising with its components such as Garbhgriha, Antaral, Mukhamandap, Muktimandap (Darshak Dirgha) and Natamandap. The Garbhagriha, Antaral and Mukhamandap were constructed by stone whereas the Muktimandap and Natamandap were constructed in pyramidal shape with the help of 32 wooden pillars covering with terracotta tiles. At the entrance door of the temple Garuda Pillar is standing

## **PROPOSED WORK:**

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- a) Interpretation center
- b) Site Museum
- c) Toilet for male, female & divyang
- d) Basic tourist amenities including tactile pathways & drinking water kiosk, baby care room etc.
- e) Ticket booking counter , Publication counter , & souvenir shop
- f) Conservation & restoration of structures with in the fort area

**Estimated cost of the proposed work is Rs. 900 lakh**

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# **Whole site around ratanpur (ratanpur) , tehsil : Ratanpur district :Bilaspur (Chhattisgarh)**

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**Area of the Monument: 55,524 Sqm or say 13.72 acre**

## **Brief history of the monument:**

Historically, Ratanpur was founded by Ratnadeva, founder of the Kalachuri house of Ratanpur which remained as their capital for centuries. Ruins of medieval structures such as temples, palaces, garden including fort wall are speaking the grandeur of the site. An inscription discovered from the fort mentions construction of the fort in 1149 AD and opens with an invocation to Siva.

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