

After 68-year wait, village gets first bus

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Dehradun: After a wait of almost 68 years, residents of the remote village of Silpata in Chamoli district welcomed the first bus reaching their village a few days ago. A 21-km road connecting the village with the tehsil headquarters at Adi Badri, was built recently under the Pradhan Mantri Grameen Sadak Yojana.

For many villagers, it was a dream come true to have a road in their village. Some old residents said that they had spent their whole lives trekking many kilometres to reach the nearest market for getting their daily necessities and



Silpata villagers rejoice

they were elated that they could finally see their village getting a road before they died.

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