Dear Friends,

One way to understand human existence and the relevance of Auroville is the image of a flowing river. Just as a mighty river flows through myriad lands to ultimately reach the great ocean, the life of humanity flows through myriad stages of evolution, destined to reach the great ocean of Truth, the Supramental creation. And Auroville is meant to guide, to inspire, to hasten this great flow for humanity. If we accept this view, then it is easy to understand that contributing to Auroville is to contribute to the human journey and its evolution towards this marvellous destiny!

The significant day of 24th November is known as a Victory or Siddhi Day in Sri Aurobindo’s yoga for the Earth, which opened the path to the Supramental descent. This occasion offers us an opportunity to renew our commitment and celebrate our collaboration. One way to do this is to join, or join again, the Acres for Auroville action – a dynamic collaboration between Lands for Auroville Unified-LFAU & Auroville International for securing the City of Dawn’s territorial integrity.

The first occasion, which also marked A4A’s inauguration, was on August 15th when this vital action got off to an excellent beginning. So far, A4A has received donations for acquiring three plots of different sizes which are in various stages of finalization. If this positive path continues, our first acquisition should be officially registered as part of Auroville by the time you read this letter!

So, this message and the accompanying flier are to remind you that, if your circumstances permit, November is an appropriate time to express your solidarity. If you wish to contribute towards this action for the harmonious and beautiful development of Auroville, you can donate through www.auroville.com/donations/ (using the “Acres for Auroville” button), by check or bank transfer via the Auroville Unity Fund specifying “Acres for Auroville” (information on www.colaap.org) or through the Auroville International center in your country www.auroville-international.org

Already-registered donors can use their confidential codes to follow the progress of the campaign by logging in to www.colaap.org/letmein-admin/

With confidence in Auroville’s bright future,

Aryadeep                                       Mandakini

for the ACRES FOR AUROVILLE team