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Agronomical practices:

- Farmers are suggested give to smoke by burn of straw and other raw materials surrounding the crop field for avoid to frost damage.
- Farmers are advised to last irrigation in mustard crop and full irrigation to all *rabi* crops and it will also help to avoid the frost damage.
- Farmers are advised to spray N- fertilizers in cumin crop just after irrigation.
- Suggest to cumin growers for spraying mancozeb or zineb @2g/liter water for avoiding blast disease.
- Farmers are suggested to spread 10 kg sulphur dust per acre for control to powdery mildew disease.
- Apply the irrigation once in week for new and old fruit plant and applied pesticides for termites once in 15 days.
- Farmers are advised for livestock protection from cold weather to close type animal shelter with north side covered and optimum ventilation and animals as well as shelter should be exposed to sunlight