

## **ABSTRACT**

Based on geographical location and topography, Grobogan Regency is a district that stanchion economy is at the agricultural sector. As time goes by, the population in a region always affect the needs of existing infrastructure and facilities, in this case concerns the need for housing and settlements in the region itself. Not only happens in urban areas but also in rural area as well as in Kaliceret Hamlet, Mrisi Village, Tanggunharjo Sub-district. Moreover, driven by factors the bonds of kinship and land lease/sale price which is quite affordable in rural area. Kaliceret Hamlet rural settlement area is inhabited by a population of inner religious Nasrani of Java so commonly referred to by residents of Christian Villages around.

Problems of the settlements in the rural area is usually fixed on how the quality of the house and its environment. Socio-economic limitations of low-income communities, and the lack of human resources caused them to live in houses and infrastructure that has not been adequate, either from the structuring or aspect of environmental sanitation, giving rise to the impression of a seedy. Besides the problem of drainage and sanitary infrastructure of settlements which have not been adequately so that the occurrence of waste disposal in residential neighborhood in vain that can lead to the onset of the disease.

In looking at the settlement typology at Kaliceret Hamlet done by qualitative descriptive research method using a descriptive qualitative rasionalistic approach. To know settlement typology at Kaliceret Hamlet, can be identified through settlement typology approach by looking elements forming the settlement, settlement pattern, and settlement environment.

The final results obtained from this analysis is that knowing the typology of settlements at Kaliceret Hamlet. Typology of settlement Kaliceret hamlet influence by elements forming the settlement, settlement patterns that form are influenced by the physical condition of the natural, economic, social and cultural society. The pattern formed in Kaliceret Hamlet is convergent on settlement patterns along the way, this hamlet formed a separate cluster because of the factor of history, culture and beliefs of the community. Grouping pattern characteristics sits runs parallel to the stretch of highway that penetrates the host and follow the topography of the area.

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