Human Centered Strategies For Urban Development: The Adaptive City

Kuching City South’s Perspective

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KUCHING CITY

SARAWAK
INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITIONS

Since the implementation of Healthy City Programmes, Kuching City South had received numerous International Awards and they are as follows:

• Regional Directors Award, Outstanding Healthy City
• Healthy Cities Good Practices Awards – WHO (Community Based Rehabilitation)
• Alliance for Healthy Cities Awards for Good Practices of Healthy Cities
• Alliance for Healthy Cities Awards for Pioneers in Healthy Cities
• Steering Committee Members for Alliance for Healthy Cities (Asia Pacific) since 2004
• Tourist City Award World Cities Scientific Development Alliance Sister Cities International & United Nation for Disaster Risk Reduction
• WHO Recognition for Healthy Cities Best Practice - Public Sanitary Convenience
• AFHC Awards for Pioneers in Healthy Cities – Mayor Dato James Chan Khay Syn
Old Building

Smart Building

Relocation of School?

Planting Trees?
THE 5 STRATEGIC PILLARS
KUCHING CITY SOUTH

VISION
a vibrant, green, safe, healthy city

- LIVEABLE CITY -

NEIGHBOURLINESS
VIBRANT ECONOMY
INTEGRATION & INNOVATION OF WORK PROCESSES
ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT
URBAN BEAUTIFICATION
4 CLUSTERS Of HUMAN CENTERED FACTORS

COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION

PUBLIC SAFETY

LIVEABLE ENVIRONMENT

IMPROVED INFRASTRUCTURE & TRANSPORTATION NETWORK
COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION

LIVEABLE LIFESTYLE

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COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION

Check before it is too late
Mayor calls on public to change attitude of reluctance to undergo health screening

Mayor Chan wants a healthy city too

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COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION
PUBLIC SAFETY

2 KEY FACTORS

SAFETY CITY PROGRAMME

COMPREHENSIVE HUMAN-CENTRED INFRASTRUCTURE
This programme includes 3 components:

- Environmental Design Initiatives
- Target Hardening and Management
- Community Development and Public Awareness
Major crimes in MBKS areas down in first four months

KUCHING: Some areas within the jurisdiction of the Kuching City South Council (MBKS) have recorded a major drop in crimes for the first four months this year compared to the corresponding period in 2019.

With a total of 185 cases of theft and robbery reported in the first four months of 2019 compared to 132 cases in 2020, Kuching City South Council (MBKS) has experienced a significant decrease in crime rates.

Kuching Crime Investigation Department CID Superintendent Inspector Simon Low said during the Neighbourhood Watch Crime Prevention Seminar that some areas within the jurisdiction of MBKS have recorded major drop in crimes.

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Some areas that have experienced a drop in crime rates include the Kuching City South Council (MBKS) areas such as Taman Jaya, Jalan Padungan, Jalan Kuching, Jalan Seri Kembangan, Jalan Tawau, and Jalan Tengah.

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Low also emphasized the importance of community involvement in crime prevention and encouraged residents to report any suspicious activities to the police.

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Smart Healthy Lifestyle

Harmony, bonding - pillars of a socially cohesive city: Mayor

Work towards creating harmony, bonding and a cohesive community is crucial to maintaining a socially cohesive city, said Mayor Janez Chua.

"As a small city, these are vital issues we have to constantly work on to be successful at the economic front," he said.

The key to social cohesion is to continue strengthening and harmonising the various groups which in turn will lead to bonding and integration of the community.

"Good networks amongst various groups are necessary to achieve this harmony," Chua said.

But the mayor emphasised that the various groups have to be united and work together to achieve common goals.

Creating a unique community: secretary

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Jointly organised with various Community Associations, NGOs and private
LIVEABLE ENVIRONMENT

Children Playgrounds

Reflexology Footpaths

Leisure
LIVEABLE ENVIRONMENT

Happy 900 take to the road
Charity walk brings out city folk who help raise RM10,000 for the disabled

BY SADIA CHAI

KUCHING: The inaugural Charity Walk, Happie Walk organized by Developers Co-operative Society of Sarawak (DAMACOS) here yesterday, saw a good representation by locals walking the 5km circuit of the Kuching City Council for a cause.

Walkers, including the disablees, came out in numbers to show support for the fund-raising effort. The charity walk is part of the City Council’s commitment to sustainable development of Kuching.

City Hall Mayor Puan Sri Cheen Chen Soon, who officiated at the launch, said the event was to raise awareness of the importance of environmentally friendly practices and to keep the environment clean.

She said the event was to be held with the support of the Kuching City Council and the Majlis Daerah Kuching (MDK).

She encouraged all to take part in the event and contribute to the overall development of the city.

Dr Jerip advises women to take up martial art

Going up, up and away
Wondrous, colourful kites take to the sky during Kuching City Fest

"Bola keranjang untuk semua"

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Praise Dance group volunteers to clean up recreational park

KUCHING: Members and friends from Praise Dance group held a ‘gotong royong’ to clean the Tabuan Jaya Recreational Park, where they frequent to do exercise, early yesterday morning. According to Praise Dance group leader Margaret Fong, hers and three other recreational groups were requested by Kuching City South Council (MBKS) to hold regular ‘gotong royong’ to maintain the park.

“Since we come here regularly to exercise, we have come to love this park and we want to take care of it for the betterment of the community,” said Fong, whose dance group is under the Tabuan Jaya Anglican Church.

“It’s especially important to keep the drains here clean during the wet season to prevent stagnant water from collecting,” she said, adding that the group performed their gotong royong once every three months.

Formed in March 2010, the Praise Dance group was initiated and led by Fong and a team from the Tabuan Jaya Anglican Church. “It’s a unique form of exercise that refreshes our mind and bodies,” said Fong, explaining that a key component of the dance group involves singing songs of blessing while dancing.

Made up of 80 members so far, the dance group meets at the church every Monday, Wednesday and Friday.
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CONSTRUCTION OF FLYOVERS
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Sarawak River Taxi
CONCLUSION

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