Pakatan Rakyat Selangor Manifesto



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On 8 March 2008, voters gave Pakatan Rakyat a mandate to govern Selangor and manage its resources for the benefit of more than 5 million residents of all backgrounds.

In five years, the Pakatan Rakyat government has successfully strengthened the finances of Selangor state and channelled that excess funds back to the people. Citizens of Selangor now enjoy a cleaner, more accountable, and more competent government than ever before. The successes of the first five years are only the start, and this manifesto sets out Pakatan Rakyat's commitment to building on our achievements and make Selangor the top choice to live, work, invest and build families.

We thank you for your continuous support and look forward to once again being a government for the people, towards a better and brighter Selangor.

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THE PEOPLE'S ECONOMY



Under Pakatan Rakyat, Selangor recorded its highest state reserves in 28 years by the end of 2012, hitting RM2.6 billion from merely RM1.2 billion in December 2007. Over the past five years, Selangor has attracted investments of almost RM50 billion while creating more than 123,000 jobs. The nation's most developed state is now under sound economic management as endorsed by the Auditor-General's annual reports. The Pakatan Rakyat government started a RM300 million Selangorku grant which seeks to empower its people through development of young entrepreneurs, education support programmes, transformation from welfare to employment, eradication of state-wide corruption, women's empowerment, and implementation of a monthly minimum wage of RM1,500 at state GLCs. In keeping with Pakatan Rakyat's philosophy and tradition that the economy belongs to the rakyat, we propose the following.

Clean Water -The People's Fundamental Right

- Protect the rights of the people of Selangor to clean water at affordable rates through the water industry restructuring
- Opportunity for the people to subscribe to water shares

"Once the merger of all water related companies into a single state water company is completed following their successful buy-back, all Selangor citizens will be given the opportunity to subscribe to shares issued by the new company. Water is held in trust by the state for its people. The people of Selangor will now own their own water." - YAB Dato' Menteri Besar Selangor, Tan Sri Dato' Abdul Khalid bin Ibrahim

Housing - Shelter for All

- •Allocate RM100 million to establish a professionally managed State Housing Development Board that is fully empowered to outline a holistic and wholesome housing policy framework, in particular to provide and manage affordable but quality homes and other rakyat-centric housing projects
- *Increase reasonable rental council housing (PPRT) projects in cities and towns for families unable to afford owning homes
- *Build quality 'Comfortable Affordable Housing' with a minimum built-up size of 800 square feet, priced below RM150,000

*Set up a People's Housing Scheme for those facing difficulties getting loans from financial institutions, with a proposed total allocation of RM250 million or RM50 million a year

Entrepreneurship and Innovation - No Selangorian Left Behind

- •Set up a one-stop Selangor State Entrepreneurship Corporation to create a conducive environment for education and training
- Establish a special fund to carry out Lifelong Learning programmes towards enhancing the skills sets and academic qualifications of the people. 5% from state reserves will be set aside annually for this purpose
- Develop modern stalls and kiosks for small traders towards developing and nurturing owner-operator entrepreneurs to weed out the rent-seeking culture

Public Transportation for the Klang Valley

- Ensure the successful completion of the RM300million Third Klang Bridge
- •Construct the Integrated Public Transportation Terminal in Selangor's capital, Shah Alam
- Provide free and user-friendly public transportation including bus services in Shah Alam, Petaling Jaya, Subang Jaya, Klang and Kajang
- Prepare separate bicycle lanes for new housing developments in selected

Land Ownership

- •Enhance the efficiency of the overall process and continue to offer Land Ownership Grants to those who qualify, including those who have lived in their residences for more than 12 years
- •Develop Malay Reserve Land in a well-planned manner to increase its value whilst protecting the rights and privileges of the Malay community
- •Build on the work by the Orang Asli Land Task Force (BBTOAS) to protect Orang Asli customary land



Agricultural Development

- •Develop Agricultural Estates and Integrated Farms
- •Boost the incomes of farmers, breeders and fishermen by upgrading and modernising the agricultural, breeding and fishery industries

Halal Hub

•Set up a 'Halal Hub' at the state level, including issuance of the Selangor \
State Halal Certification.

Environmental Protection

- Further tighten the laws related to development on hill slopes
- •Increase awareness of environmental protection
- •Strengthen efforts to rehabilitate and conserve state forests as major sites for water catchments and green lungs
- Continue efforts to clean water bodies, in particular rivers, and develop river reserve parks for the public
- •Promote at all levels of public administration green technology and renewable energy to fight climate change while keeping Selangor free of nuclear power



THE PEOPLE'S WELL-BEING



Pakatan Rakyat takes seriously its responsibility to manage state assets in trust for the people, and to use those resources to help the marginalised and less privileged. With these resources, we commit to empowering the rights of workers, to fair wages and to form trade unions, with the view of preserving the human dignity of all workers.

Over the last five years, "Merakyatkan Ekonomi Selangor" promoted nine programmes to provide assistance to the most needy communities in Selangor, including the children and elderly of Selangor, children of estate workers, differently-abled people and domestic abuse victims. Some RM862.5 million has benefited 1.6 million Selangor residents. Committed to continuing existing rakyat-centric policies, Pakatan Rakyat will strive to do even more to relieve the people's burden. Being a caring government, Pakatan Rakyat in its second term will work tirelessly towards enhancing the people's well-being by implementing the following policies.

Women's Empowerment

- •Set up a RM50 million Selangor Women's Empowerment Fund to make Selangor the safest and most supportive state for women
- •Free examination of breast and cervical cancer whilst maintaining existing free mammogram checks
- •Expand and enhance existing Micro Credit Schemes (Skimsel and Mimbar) for youth and women, with special attention to single mothers
- •Ensure all state premises to have nursery and kindergarten facilities within 5 years



Safety

- Initiate and expand state-funded "Community Policing"
- •Increase the number of local council enforcement staff conducting neighbourhood rounds
- •Enhance the supply of sufficient lighting and CCTVs to local councils

Healthcare

- •Free examination of prostate and testicle cancer for men
- •Set up a RM10 million Selangor People's Dialysis Fund for premises and treatment subsidies (RM4.5 million)

Differently-Abled Persons

- •Ensure all public facilities and religious places of worship are friendly towards differently-abled persons
- •Implement a special Scheme to empower the Differently-Abled

Education Assistance

• Parents with an income of up to RM3000 will now qualify for the RM1,000 University Entrance Gift



THE FRATERNITY OF THE PEOPLE



Under Pakatan Rakyat, allocations of state funds to religious and cultural activities have been effective and inclusive, taking into account the diversity of Selangor citizens, especially programmes that strengthen the institution of family and community. Pakatan Rakyat will continue to support the fabric that keeps society together by further empowering religious, family and community-centred organisations as well as educational institutions and those who support these programmes under the following areas:

Religion

- Approve the construction of 3 Integrated Islamic Complexes combining a mosque, education and community centres (for new mosque applications)
- Make land available for all religious places of worship, graveyards and crematoriums

Education

- •Launch a Menteri Besar Scholarship for postgraduate students with a state government bond, to form a Selangor Brain Bank
- •Increase the number of Ma'ahad Integrasi Tahfiz Sains and set up a Secondary-level KAFA, whilst upgrading existing facilities.
- •Set appropriate allowances and design adequate man-hours of teaching to ensure religious school officers receive a minimum monthly income of RM1,500
- Make land available for the building of sekolah agama rakyat, SJK(C) and SJK(T) whilst upgrading existing infrastructure
- •Provide additional aid of RM2 million to national-type primary and secondary schools that do not receive full support from the federal government



Family Development

- •Offer a RM500 gift to couples who are getting married for the first time
- •Maintain the existing SMUE programme, offering a one-off RM100 gift on applicants' 60th birthday

Cultural Development

•Construct 3 Cultural Centres in Klang for the Malay, Indian and Chinese communities along the Klang River with state and private funding



THE PEOPLE'S GOVERNMENT



Under Pakatan Rakyat, Selangor was the first state in Malaysia to pass a Freedom of Information Enactment that will allow public access to state-related information. Transparency was further enhanced with the public declaration of assets by Selangor state Exco members and the formation of the Selangor Select Committee on Competency, Accountability and Transparency (SELCAT). These policies, characteristic of a people's government, will continue in Pakatan Rakyat's second term.

- •Carry out decentralization through a gradual implementation of Local Government Elections
- •Strengthen the role of the State Assembly through various means, including the Selangor Legislative Assembly Service Enactment
- * This manifesto should be read alongside the national Pakatan Rakyat manifesto, Manifesto Harapan Rakyat











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