



Event Details

Title of Event

Launch of Shah Alam SDGs Report

Organization Details

Organization: SHAH ALAM CITY COUNCIL

Organization Country: Malaysia

Summary

Malaysia, like other Asian countries, faces pressing urban challenges, including water, space, housing, transport, and others, while they are also required to mitigate and adopt the climate change. <http://www.rrojasdatabank.info/citiesasian1011-02.pdf> (RRJoas Bank) Malaysia experienced relatively faster urbanization over the last two decades, catching up with Brunei in terms of urban percentage. This creates additional burden on local governments and appropriate agencies in charge of providing service in cities. The solutions to so many of the world's sustainable development and climate change issues need holistic approaches. Without adequate city diagnosis, urban planning, and integration of three dimensions of sustainable development, cities end up in silo policy, wasting human, social, and financial resources. To leverage the co-benefits and to avoid trade-off between different policies, the SDGs and NUA provide necessary policy framework that can be localised and applied in cities. Presentations and representatives from the ground will come from SACC, Urbanice, Institute for Global Environmental Strategies and their networks. It will include the launch session of the SACC Voluntary Local Review, highlighting cities efforts and reviews of implementation of the SDGs, NUA, and Paris Agreement. The SDGs report is a road to SACC journey to produce the VLR report. This initiative are modelled after the Voluntary National Review, which has been commended as an innovative approach to stock take the progress in the SDGs implementation at a city level and showcase the best practices with others, while ensuring the transparency and accountability of local progress. SACC vision is to make the Shah Alam VLR as the first example of integrating both NUA and SDGs in a systemic approach. Successful implementation of the SDGs require the broad coalition of stakeholders working together. This event will thus reinforce this notion by expanding how each partners contribute to SACC and Malaysian Localisation efforts in general.

Other Organization name

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Prospective moderator, speaker(s) or panelist(s)

	First Name	Last Name	Role	Organization
1	DATUK HARIS	KASIM	SPEAKER	SHAH ALAM CITY COUNCIL
2	DATO' MAIMUNAH	MOHD SYARIF	KEY NOTE SPEAKER	UN HABITAT
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