

Progress Report of Age-Friendly City Working Group
under Sai Kung District Council Social Services & Healthy and Safe City Committee

The second meeting (2016) of the Age-Friendly City Working Group (the Working Group) under Sai Kung District Council (SKDC) Social Services & Healthy and Safe City Committee (SSHSCC) was held on 29 June 2016. The main issues discussed at the meeting were summarized as follows:

Funding Scheme on Age-friendly Community

2. Regarding the funding of \$53,000 granted under the Funding Scheme on Age-friendly Community by the Labour and Welfare Bureau (LWB) and the Elderly Commission, three applications from different organizations were received before the meeting. Members noted the three activity proposals. The SSHSCC would examine and vet these activity proposals at its meeting on 22 July.

Discussing the comments raised by the elderly regarding local services

(1) Age-friendly facilities under the management of Link Real Estate Investment Trust

3. The representative of Link Real Estate Investment Trust (Link REIT) reported to the Working Group on the age-friendly facilities under their management. They would take the follow up actions accordingly.

(2) Fitness equipment for elderly people in Sai Kung District

4. The representative of the Leisure and Cultural Services Department (LCSD) reported to the Working Group on the age-friendly facilities under their management. They would take the follow up actions accordingly.

5. The Working Group would write to the LCSD suggesting them to give an overall consideration regarding the addition of fitness equipment for elderly people.

(3) Others

6. An elderly representative raised an extempore motion regarding elderly facilities in the district. The motion was unanimously endorsed. The Working Group would write to the management agencies of Metro City, Po Lam Estate and Verbena Heights to convey the suggestions raised by the elderly regarding age-friendly facilities.

7. The Working Group would discuss issues related to medical care and the preparatory work of the summit at the next meeting.

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