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**Minutes of the 4th Meeting of
Community Involvement, Culture and Recreation Committee,
the 7th Term Kwun Tong District Council**

Date: 11 July 2024 (Thursday)

Time: 2:33 p.m. – 2:53 p.m.

Venue: Conference Room, Kwun Tong District Office,
Unit 05-07, 20/F, Millennium City 6, 392 Kwun Tong Road,
Kwun Tong, Kowloon

Present

Mr WONG Chun-ping, MH, JP (Chairman)

Mr MA Yat-chiu, MH (Vice-chairman)

Mr YU Siu-lun

Mr NG Ting-fung

Mr LUI Tung-hai, MH

Ms LEE Shuk-woon, Sophia

Mr LEE Ka-hang

Mr LAM Wai

Ms KAM Kin

Mr OR Chong-shing, Wilson, MH

Mr CHEUNG Yiu-pan

Ms LEUNG Sze-wan

Mr HSU Yau-wai

Mr CHAN Yiu-hung, Jimmy, MH

Mr TSANG Wing-fai

Ms CHING Hoi-yan

Ms FENG Yunsi

Mr WONG Kai-san

Ms YU Juliana

Mr AU YEUNG Kwan-nok

Mr TANG Wing-chun

Mr CHENG Keung-fung

Mr LAI Wing-chun, MH

Mr KAN Ming-tung, MH

Mr TAM Siu-cheuk

Mr KWAN Kin-wing

Mr PANG Chi-sang

In Attendance

Ms CHAN Wai-chun, Regina Assistant District Officer (Kwun Tong)¹

Mr CHOW Lap-kan, Douglas Senior Executive Officer (District Council),
Kwun Tong District Office

Miss TANG Wai-yan Senior Manager (Kowloon East),
Leisure and Cultural Services Department

Ms CHU Pui-shan, Edith Manager (Kowloon East) Marketing, Programme and District Activities,
Leisure and Cultural Services Department

Ms SIU Sau-king, Michelle Deputy District Leisure Manager (District Support) Kwun Tong,
Leisure and Cultural Services Department

Ms WONG Sze-wan

Senior Librarian (Kwun Tong),

Leisure and Cultural Services Department

Ms NG Fei-fan, Fanny

Senior School Development Officer (Kwun Tong)2,

Education Bureau

Secretary

Ms TSOI Hung-man, Anna

Executive Officer (District Council)(2),

Kwun Tong District Office

Opening Remarks

The Chairman welcomed all Members of the Community Involvement, Culture and Recreation Committee (“CICRC”) and government representatives to the 4th meeting of CICRC under the 7th Term Kwun Tong District Council (“KTDC”).

2. The Chairman said that the Secretariat had not received any notice of absence from Members before the meeting.

I. Confirmation of Minutes of the 3rd Meeting of CICRC

3. The Secretariat had earlier circulated the draft minutes of the last meeting to all Members. Members had not raised any other comments prior to and during the meeting. The minutes of the 3rd meeting were confirmed.

II. Report on Arts and Cultural Activities Organised by Leisure and Cultural Services Department (“LCSD”) in Kwun Tong District (KTDC CICRC Paper No. 19/2024)

4. The representative of LCSD presented the paper.

5. Members raised views and enquiries as follows:

5.1 Members suggested that LCSD provide information about its social media platforms to Members, so that they could promote activities to the public.

- 5.2 Members suggested that LCSD collaborate with district personalities to organise various types of Reading Clubs, Story Sharing Sessions or exhibitions.
 - 5.3 Members complimented LCSD for enhancing its publicity efforts, which had resulted in the current number of participants in activities meeting expectations. They hoped that LCSD would continue to collaborate with District Council (“DC”) Members.
 - 5.4 Members pointed out that the interactive immersive experience “Around the Corner” at the East Kowloon Cultural Centre (“EKCC”) would end on 30 July. They enquired about LCSD’s future plans and whether elements related to Kwun Tong District would be included in future activities.
6. The representative of LCSD responded to Members’ views and enquiries as follows:
- 6.1 LCSD thanked Members for their assistance in publicising and promoting the activities, which had resulted in a significant increase in the number of participants.
 - 6.2 LCSD stated that the 18dART Community Arts Scheme had social media accounts. It would continue to forward information about relevant activities to Members through the Secretariat.
 - 6.3 LCSD said that it was arranging community involvement activities to be held after the interactive immersive experience “Around the Corner” ended. If there was any further information, LCSD would provide it to Members through the Secretariat as soon as possible.

III. Report on Recreation and Sports Programmes Organised by LCSD in Kwun Tong District from April to May 2024
(KTDC CICRC Paper No. 20/2024)

7. The representative of LCSD presented the paper.
8. Members noted the paper.

IV. Report on Promotional Activities Organised by Public Libraries of LCSD in Kwun Tong District
(KTDC CICRC Paper No. 21/2024)

9. The representative of LCSD presented the paper. In addition, regarding the visit to self-service library stations (“SSLs”) mentioned at the previous meeting, LCSD said that the SSLS located at the Hong Kong Cultural Centre in Tsim Sha Tsui had completed an equipment upgrade and resumed service on 8 July. LCSD would later invite Members to visit the SSLS through the Secretariat.

(Post-meeting note: LCSD had arranged for Members to visit the SSLS at the Hong Kong Cultural Centre in Tsim Sha Tsui on 9 August to gain an understanding of the equipment and services offered by the station.)

10. Members suggested that LCSD incorporate elements such as Hong Kong’s reunification with the Motherland, National Day and national affairs in its promotional activities. Members indicated that they would be pleased to assist LCSD in publicising the activities.

11. Members noted the paper.

V. Any Other Business

12. Members raised other matters as follows:

12.1 Members suggested that LCSD broadcast matches involving the Chinese National Team or the Hong Kong, China team at the 2024 Paris Olympic Games (“Olympic Games”).

12.2 Members relayed that the ventilation system at EKCC had earlier encountered issues during holidays, causing nuisance to nearby residents. They hoped that LCSD would pay attention to this matter. In addition, Members hoped that LCSD could provide an emergency contact number so that DC Members could promptly reach LCSD to handle similar accidents during holidays.

13. The representative of LCSD responded to Members’ views and enquiries as follows:

13.1 LCSD said that it would identify suitable venues in 18 districts to broadcast matches of the Olympic Games. As for Kwun Tong District, LCSD planned to broadcast matches at the Lei Yue Mun Sports Centre from 8 a.m. to around 10:30 p.m. from 27 July to 11 August. LCSD would set up televisions and arrange seating at the venue

for the public to cheer for the athletes together. LCSD would inform Members as soon as further information became available.

(Post-meeting note: LCSD informed the Chairman and Members on 12 July 2024 of the detailed information regarding the press release on LCSD's setting up of Olympics Focal Sites.)

13.2 Regarding the ventilation system at EKCC, LCSD said that it would ask relevant officers to follow up and report the matter to Members later.

VI. Date of Next Meeting

14. The next meeting was scheduled to be held at 2:30 p.m. on 12 September 2024 (Thursday).

15. There being no other business, the meeting was adjourned at 2:53 p.m.

The minutes of the meeting were confirmed on 12 September 2024.

Kwun Tong District Council Secretariat
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