Sai Kung District Council **Community Involvement, Culture and Recreation Committee** Minutes of the Third Meeting in 2025

20 May 2025 (Tuesday) Date:

10:00 a.m. Time:

Conference Room of the Sai Kung District Council Venue:

Present

Mr LI Ka-leung, Philip, MH (Chairman) Member of Sai Kung District Council Mr YAU Siu-hung, Kelvin, MH Member of Sai Kung District Council

(Vice-Chairman)

Ms FONG Kwok-shan, Christine Member of Sai Kung District Council Member of Sai Kung District Council Mr WANG Wen Mr WONG Shui-sang Member of Sai Kung District Council Member of Sai Kung District Council Mr LI Tin-chi Member of Sai Kung District Council Mr CHAU Ka-lok Member of Sai Kung District Council Mr LAM Chun-ka Member of Sai Kung District Council Ms KI Lai-mei, MH Member of Sai Kung District Council Mr YAU Ho-lun Member of Sai Kung District Council Ms SZE Pan-pan Ms WU Suet-lin Member of Sai Kung District Council Mr CHEUNG Mei-hung, Chris Member of Sai Kung District Council Mr CHEUNG Chin-pang Member of Sai Kung District Council Member of Sai Kung District Council Mr CHEUNG Man-tim Member of Sai Kung District Council Mr CHONG Yuen-tung, MH Member of Sai Kung District Council Ms CHONG Nga-ting, Angel Mr CHAN Kwong-fai Member of Sai Kung District Council Member of Sai Kung District Council Mr CHAN Kai-wai, MH Mr CHAN Kuen-kwan, MH Member of Sai Kung District Council Member of Sai Kung District Council Mr TSANG Kwok-ka Member of Sai Kung District Council Mr WAN Kai-ming Mr WONG Wang-to, MH Member of Sai Kung District Council Mr WONG Yuen-hong Member of Sai Kung District Council Ms KAN Tung-tung Member of Sai Kung District Council Mr LAU Kai-hong, MH Member of Sai Kung District Council Member of Sai Kung District Council Mr CHENG Yu-hei

Co-opted Member Mr WU Keng-hou, Ronald Ms LEUNG Fung-yu Co-opted Member Co-opted Member Ms SHU Wen-min Mr LAI Chun-wing, Alan Co-opted Member

Executive Officer (District Council)3, Miss NG Hoi-shan, Cindy (Secretary)

Sai Kung District Office

In Attendance

Miss LAM I-ching Assistant District Officer (Sai Kung)1,

Sai Kung District Office

Miss CHENG Suet-ching, Lacus Assistant District Officer (Sai Kung)2,

Sai Kung District Office

Mr CHUNG Kai-yin Senior Executive Officer (District Council),

Sai Kung District Office

Miss WONG Wai-fong, Bonnie Senior Liaison Officer (2),

Sai Kung District Office

Mr NG Wai-ming Senior Liaison Officer (3),

Sai Kung District Office

Ms WONG Hiu-ting, Amanda Liaison Officer i/c (Pak Sha Wan),

Sai Kung District Office

Ms LI Mei-yi, Becky Liaison Officer i/c (Tseung Kwan O) West,

Sai Kung District Office

Miss WONG Chui-ying, Erin Executive Officer I (District Council),

Sai Kung District Office

Miss XUE Chun-ling, Jessie Executive Officer (District Council)1,

Sai Kung District Office

Ms LEE Lai-sheung, Susan District Leisure Manager (Sai Kung),

Leisure and Cultural Services Department

Ms LAI Ka-yee, Jenny Deputy District Leisure Manager

(District Support) Sai Kung,

Leisure and Cultural Services Department

Ms LAU Fung-yi, Connie Manager (New Territories East)

Marketing & District Activities,

Leisure and Cultural Services Department

Miss LEE Mei-yee Senior Librarian (Tai Po),

Leisure and Cultural Services Department

Ms CHAN Fung-ping Senior School Development Officer (Sai Kung)1,

Education Bureau

Miss KWOK Lai-wun Assistant Social Work Officer 3,

Wong Tai Sin/Sai Kung District Planning and

Co-ordinating Team, Social Welfare Department

Chief Management Services Officer (Digital

Inclusion and Research)2, Digital Policy Office

Senior Systems Manager (Digital Inclusion and

Research)4, Digital Policy Office

Mr KWOK Kai-tung, Zenif Senior Service Manager,

Sai Kung District Community Centre

Ms LAW Shuk-man, Sherry

Ms YIU Ho-yu, Summer

Centre-in-Charge, Stewards Syner-bright Zone

Social Worker, Stewards Syner-bright Zone

Absent

Mr CHAN-yee, Wilson

Mr NGAI Wing-chung, Patrick

Mr YIP Tak-ping Co-opted Member

Welcome Remarks

The Chairman said a quorum was present and the third meeting of the Community Involvement, Culture and Recreation Committee (CICRC) in 2025 commenced officially. He welcomed all Members and departmental representatives to the meeting, in particular those who attended the CICRC meeting for the first time:

- Mr Wilson CHAN, Chief Management Services Officer (Digital Inclusion and Research)2; and Mr Patrick NGAI, Senior Systems Manager (Digital Inclusion and Research)4; of the Digital Policy Office (DPO);
- Mr Zenif KWOK, Senior Service Manager, Sai Kung District Community Centre (SKDCC);
- Ms Sherry LAW, Centre-in-Charge; and Ms Summer YIU, Social Worker; of Stewards Syner-bright Zone (Syner-bright Zone); and
- Miss KWOK Lai-wun, Assistant Social Work Officer 3, Wong Tai Sin/Sai Kung District Planning and Co-ordinating Team, Social Welfare Department (SWD).
- 2. <u>The Chairman</u> asked Members to note that Mr YIP Tak-ping, Co-opted Member, was unable to attend the meeting due to other official duties.

I. <u>Confirmation of Minutes of the 2nd CICRC Meeting in 2025 held on 18 March 2025</u>

3. <u>The Chairman</u> said the Secretariat had not received any proposed amendment before the meeting. As there was no proposed amendment in the meeting either, the Chairman declared that the above minutes were confirmed.

II. Report Items

- (A) "Smart Silver" Digital Inclusion Programme for Elders (SKDC(CICRC) Paper no. 24/25)
- 4. Mr Wilson CHAN, Chief Management Services Officer (Digital Inclusion and Research)2 of DPO; and Mr Zenif KWOK, Senior Service Manager of SKDCC introduced the programme with the presentation slides.
- 5. <u>The Chairman</u> asked <u>the Vice-Chairman</u> to help chair the meeting as he was feeling unwell.
- 6. <u>Ms KI Lai-mei</u> declared that she was the Vice-Chairman of the Sai Kung and Tseung Kwan O Women's Association. The Tsui Lam Pleasant Multi-Services Centre was one of the community-based help desks under the "Smart Silver" Digital Inclusion Programme for Elders (the Programme).

- 7. Members' views and enquiries were summarised as follows:
 - They suggested setting up community-based help desks in Tseung Kwan O South, LOHAS Park and the rural areas of Hang Hau, as well as places frequently visited by elderly persons such as hospitals, parks and MTR stations. For example, consideration could be given to setting up additional help desks at the LOHAS Youth S.P.O.T. of The Hong Kong Federation of Youth Groups, the Haven of Hope District Elderly Community Service Centres, or the offices under the Immigration Department.
 - Members would be glad to provide venues for setting up community-based help desks in the rural areas of Hang Hau. They also suggested briefing village representatives on the contents of the Programme in the meetings of the Rural Committees to help promote the Programme.
 - They proposed collaborating with the Care Teams of Sai Kung District and non-governmental organisations (NGOs) to provide more digital training and technical support for elderly persons.
 - They suggested informing Members of the locations and service hours of the help desks in advance. This could facilitate Members' efforts to promote the Programme to elderly persons.
 - They enquired about the learning effectiveness of elderly persons under the Programme. They also asked what would be done to protect the privacy and personal data of elderly persons during the teaching of information technology.
 - They suggested organising mobile phone information days at community halls, and encouraging members of the Sai Kung District Council and the Care Teams to invite interested elderly persons to participate.
 - They recommended improving government mobile applications. For example, introducing a password saving function on "HAGo" to prevent login failures of elderly users due to forgetting their passwords.
 - They proposed collaborating with the Elder Academy Scheme in schools in Sai Kung District or the Golden Guide to help elderly persons obtain information technology knowledge.
- 8. <u>Mr Wilson CHAN, Chief Management Services Officer (Digital Inclusion and Research)2 of DPO</u> gave consolidated responses as follows:
 - Members' views on the provision of additional community-based help desks were noted. DPO would encourage the implementing organisations to enhance collaboration with the Care Teams and local organisations.
 - Currently, the Programme provided funding support for 12 NGOs to offer services in all 18 districts across the territory. DPO would closely monitor the implementation situation of the Programme and review its effectiveness in due course, including the mode of implementation and the number of organisations receiving funding support at the next stage.
 - Regarding Members' suggestion and offer to provide venues for setting up community-based help desks, DPO and SKDCC would follow up with

- individual Members after the meeting.
- Both DPO and the implementing organisations attached great importance to the protection of citizen's personal data. They would not record sensitive information such as the personal data and passwords of the accounts owned by elderly persons when delivering services.
- DPO collaborated with the Senior Police Call of the Hong Kong Police Force to provide digital training for members, in order to help them learn how to use different government mobile applications and acquire anti-deception information. Elderly members with good potential would be trained as "IT Captains", with a view to encouraging them to assist in teaching digital knowledge to fellow elderly persons as volunteers
- Elderly persons were suggested to log in to "HA Go" or "eHealth" through the one-stop platform "iAM Smart", which provided identification authentication for logging in to applications.
- 9. <u>Mr Zenif KWOK, Senior Service Manager of SKDCC</u> gave consolidated responses as follows:
 - When facilitating elderly persons to use government mobile applications, SKDCC would not record their personal data, such as account passwords. When making online payments or using services requiring identity cards for registration, staff members would arrange for the relevant elderly persons to go through those processes on their own in private rooms to protect their privacy.
 - As for learning effectiveness, it was easier for the "young-olds" under the Programme to grasp different digital skills, and to help "old-olds" obtain and understand relevant knowledge.
 - SKDCC would be glad to share the teaching materials of the digital training with the Care Teams, with a view to assisting them to teach digital knowledge to elderly persons.

[Post-meeting note: DPO provided supplementary information about the "Smart Silver" Digital Inclusion Programme for Elders to Members through the Secretariat by email on 2 June 2025. The supplementary information included the implementation details and information about the promotion and publicity of the Programme.]

- (B) <u>Introduction of Social Welfare Services/District Collaboration Projects in Sai Kung/Tseung Kwan O Stewards Syner-bright Zone</u>
- 10. Ms Sherry LAW, Centre-in-Charge; and Ms Summer YIU, Social Worker; of Syner-bright Zone introduced the project with the presentation slides.
- 11. Members' views and enquiries were summarised as follows:
 - They suggested that Syner-bright Zone should provide mental health support services and talks for primary or secondary school students, as well as their

parents and teachers.

- 12. <u>Ms Sherry LAW, Centre-in-Charge of Syner-bright Zone</u> gave consolidated responses as follows:
 - Syner-bright Zone provided services for persons in mental recovery or persons with suspected mental health problems who were secondary school students or older, in accordance with SWD's guidelines for Integrated Community Centres for Mental Wellness. The eligible age of the target service recipients had been lowered before to meet society's needs.
 - Syner-bright Zone would provide mental health talks for parents or carers in need, so as to help them handle mental health problems related to discipline or family matters.
 - Syner-bright Zone would provide on-site services at schools to promote the importance of mental health to students, parents and teachers.
- 13. <u>Miss KWOK Lai-wun, Assistant Social Work Officer 3, Wong Tai Sin/Sai Kung District Planning and Co-ordinating Team, SWD</u> said that the Integrated Children and Youth Services Centres and the Integrated Family Service Centres would provide mental health support services for primary school students and their parents.
- (C) <u>Update of "Tseung Kwan O Heritage Post"</u> (SKDC(CICRC) Paper No. 25/25)
- 14. Members noted the paper.
- 15. Members suggested that future reports should include the actual number of participants of activities.
- 16. <u>Miss LAM I-ching, Assistant District Officer (Sai Kung)1, Sai Kung District Office (SKDO)</u> said she would relay Members' views to the Haven of Hope Christian Service (HOHCS) for follow-up.
- (D) Report on Organisation of Recreation and Sports Programmes 2024-25 in Sai Kung District by the Leisure and Cultural Services Department (SKDC(CICRC) Paper No. 26/25)
- 17. Members noted the paper.
- (E) Report on the Cultural Programmes in Sai Kung District during March to June 2025 by the Leisure and Cultural Services Department (SKDC(CICRC) Paper No. 27/25)
- 18. Members noted the paper.

- (F) Report on the Extension Activities of the Public Libraries in Sai Kung District by the Leisure and Cultural Services Department (SKDC(CICRC) Paper No. 28/25)
- 19. Members noted the paper.

III. <u>Discussion Items Suggested by Members</u>

- (A) Suggest including Mau Wu Shan Bunker in the revitalisation scheme for tourist visits
 (SKDC(CICRC) Paper No. 29/25)
- 20. The discussion item was raised by the following Members: Mr CHEUNG Chinpang, Mr WONG Yuen-hong, Mr Philip LI, Ms WU Suet-lin, Mr WONG Wang-to, Mr CHENG Yu-hei, Mr TSANG Kwok-ka, Mr Kelvin YAU, Mr WANG Wen, Mr LAM Chun-ka and Ms Christine FONG.
- 21. Members noted the written replies from the District Lands Office, Sai Kung (DLO/SK), the Antiquities and Monuments Office (AMO) and the Tourism Commission (SKDC(CICRC) Paper Nos. 31/25 to 33/25).
- 22. Members' views and enquiries were summarised as follows:
 - They suggested enhancing the revitalisation and conservation work for the Mau Wu Shan Bunker (the Bunker), and considering opening the Bunker to the public.
 - They suggested strengthening the safety and security measures for the Bunker to prevent people from painting graffiti on or vandalising the historic structure.
 - They suggested encouraging interested organisations to submit specific proposals for revitalisation and provision of support, such as interviewing academics or former residents about the history of the Bunker. They also suggested making optimal use of virtual reality technology to recreate historical scenes, as well as organising relevant guided tours and exhibitions.
 - They suggested that the guided tours organised by "Tseung Kwan O Heritage Post" (the Heritage Post) could also introduce the history of the Bunker.
- 23. <u>Miss LAM I-ching, Assistant District Officer (Sai Kung)1, SKDO</u> gave consolidated responses as follows:
 - The Heritage Post under the Signature Project Scheme was a project funded by a one-off government grant to refurbish the former Tiu Keng Leng Police Station and set up a relevant exhibition. When considering developing other projects, the availability of additional resources should be put into consideration.
 - SKDO would relay to HOHCS the suggestion to introduce the Bunker during the activities held by the Heritage Post.

- She suggested the Secretariat to relay Members' views to the relevant departments to follow up and reply accordingly.
- 24. <u>The Vice-Chairman</u> suggested DLO/SK, AMO, the Commissioner for Heritage's Office, SKDO and HOHCS to follow up the matter.
- 25. <u>The Vice-Chairman</u> suggested deleting the above discussion item at the next meeting.
- (B) Suggest enhancing the incentives and assistance for primary schools in Sai Kung and Tseung Kwan O to implement the School-based After School Care Service Scheme
 (SKDC(CICRC) Paper No. 30/25)
- 26. The discussion item was raised by the following Members: Mr WONG Yuen-hong, Mr CHENG Yu-hei, Mr WONG Wang-to, Ms WU Suet-lin, Ms KI Lai-mei, Mr CHAN Kuen-kwan, Mr TSANG Kwok-ka, Mr Chris CHEUNG, Ms SZE Pan-pan, Mr CHAU Ka-lok, Mr CHEUNG Man-tim, Mr CHONG Yuen-tung, Mr WANG Wen, Mr WAN Kai-ming, Mr CHEUNG Chin-pang, Ms Christine FONG, Mr YAU Ho-lun, Mr Kelvin YAU and Mr CHAN Kwong-fai.
- 27. Members noted the written replies from the Education Bureau (EDB) and SWD (SKDC(CICRC) Paper No. 34/25).
- 28. <u>Ms LEUNG Fung-yu (Co-opted Member)</u> and <u>Ms WU Suet-lin</u> declared that they were the Chairman and the Vice-Chairman, respectively, of the Sai Kung and Tseung Kwan O Women's Association. The association was a service operator under the School-based After School Care Service Scheme (the Service Scheme) for the Hong Kong and Macau Lutheran Church Ming Tao Primary School. <u>Ms KI Lai-mei</u> had also declared earlier in the meeting that she was the Vice-Chairman of the Sai Kung and Tseung Kwan O Women's Association.
- 29. Members' views were summarised as follows:
 - They enquired about the reasons for the relatively few schools in Sai Kung District participating in the Service Scheme.
 - They enquired about the number of students participating in the current Service Scheme, parents' views, and the list of schools applying for participation in the coming year.
 - They suggested inviting schools participating in the Service Scheme to share their operational experiences, with a view to helping other schools understand the content of the Service Scheme. They also suggested increasing the relevant subsidies to support schools in employing caregivers.
 - They suggested advancing the application period for the Service Scheme to before the summer holidays. They also proposed determining and providing the subsidies based on the actual number of students participating in the

Service Scheme.

- 30. Ms CHAN Fung-ping, Senior School Development Officer (Sai Kung)1, EDB; and Miss KWOK Lai-wun, Assistant Social Work Officer 3, Wong Tai Sin/Sai Kung District Planning and Co-ordinating Team, SWD said that EDB and SWD would provide supplementary information after the meeting. They noted the above Members' views.
- 31. The Vice-Chairman suggested EDB and SWD to follow up the matter.
- 32. <u>The Vice-Chairman</u> suggested deleting the above discussion item at the next meeting.

IV. Any Other Business

33. No other business was raised by Members.

V. Date of Next Meeting

- 34. The next CICRC meeting was scheduled for 10:00 a.m. on 22 July 2025 (Tuesday).
- 35. The meeting ended at 11:41 a.m.

Sai Kung District Council Secretariat July 2025