



Sha Tin District Council

Report on the Meeting of the
Health and Environment Committee held on 4 February 2021

(1) The Committee discussed the following:

- (i) the “EV-charging at Home Subsidy Scheme” submitted by the Environmental Protection Department, and passed the following provisional motion:

“Currently, the ‘EV-charging at Home Subsidy Scheme’ does not include those car parks which were originally the properties of the Housing Department, and have been divested by the Department. However, at present, there are a large number of car parks in the Sha Tin District which are owned by various companies, including the Link REIT, and have not yet been installed with charging facilities for electric vehicles. As a result, the residents of the concerned public housing estates/residential estates will not consider replacing their cars with electric vehicles.

Motion

The Health and Environment Committee of the Sha Tin District Council strongly requests the Department to study the extension of the ‘EV-charging at Home Subsidy Scheme’ to those car parks which were originally the properties of the Housing Department, and have been divested by the Department, so as to serve as an inducement to attract the car park owners to install charging facilities for electric vehicles, and thus benefitting the residents of the concerned public housing estates/residential estates.” (Unanimously passed); and

- (ii) 2020-2021 Funding Matters of Working Group under the Committee and passed the following provisional motion:

“The Health and Environment Committee of the Sha Tin District Council agrees that its Working Group on Healthy City and International Day of Disabled Persons (Working Group) may submit a funding application (for details, please refer to the annex), but requests the Secretariat to assist the Working Group in rationalising the arrangements upon funding approval as soon as possible. Meanwhile, the Committee condemns Ms WONG Yuen-shan, Candice, Assistant District Officer (Sha Tin)² for walking out of the meeting with the representatives of the departments as the meeting was prolonged. Such an act has obviously violated the public expectations for civil servants.” (Unanimously passed).

- (2) The Committee noted the responses of the relevant government departments to matters arising from the previous meeting.
- (3) The Chairman decided to postpone the two questions on “Anti-epidemic Measures in Sha Tin District Against the Fourth Wave of the Epidemic” and “Feeding of Wild Animals in Country Parks”, and six information papers, namely the Sha Tin District Year-end Clean-up 2021, Sha Tin District Anti-rodent Campaign 2021 (First Phase), Sha Tin District Anti-mosquito Campaign 2021 (First Phase), Statistical Overview of Sha Tin District Environmental Hygiene Service (as at 30 November 2020), Proposal for Refurbishing Hin Kwai Lane Public Toilet and Proposal for Refurbishing Tai Wai Public Transport Interchange Public Toilet to the resumption of meeting for discussion.

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