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Kwasa Damansara To Build New Mosque for the Community

Kwasa Land has set up a dedicated *wakaf* fund as part of its community initiative to facilitate donations that will go towards its development

KWASA DAMANSARA – Kwasa Land has taken the initiative to set up a dedicated *wakaf* fund called *Wakaf Khas Masjid Kwasa Damansara*, approved by *Perbadanan Wakaf Selangor* (PWS) which is under the purview of *Majlis Agama Islam Selangor* (MAIS), to facilitate donations that will go towards building the Kwasa Damansara Mosque. The mosque will be built on a 5-acre site in Kwasa Damansara and will take two (2) years to complete. Once completed, it will be able to accommodate some 3,000 people for congregation at any one time.

The *Wakaf Khas Masjid Kwasa Damansara* was launched by Tan Sri Samsudin bin Osman, Chairman of the Employees Provident Fund Board, Chairman of Kwasa Land Sdn Bhd and Advisor to the *Masjid Kwasa Damansara* Development Committee. Following the launch, an *iftar* gathering was held and attended by the Kwasa Land Board of Directors, Kwasa Damansara's development partners, consultants as well as contractors.

Dato' Mohd Lotfy Mohd Noh, Managing Director, Kwasa Land Sdn Bhd, who is also the Chairman of the Mosque's Development Committee said, "As the master developer of Kwasa Damansara, we are committed to take on the responsibility of offering public amenities that resonate with the needs of the surrounding community. The establishment of mosque is one such provision that will address the faith-based needs of the community whilst also encouraging the strengthening of community ties and nurturing of shared values through camaraderie and partnership, important to support the development of a progressive people-centric township. The Kwasa Damansara Mosque will not only serve as a place of worship but also a centre for the community and an institution of learning for social and religious development."

In line with the Kwasa Damansara's emphasis on green, urban living with the incorporation of sustainability in the design of its masterplan, the mosque will feature green elements

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which can be seen through the architecture of its facade and dome that embraces natural lighting as well as the provision of solar panels which will reduce electricity usage.

Once completed, the Kwasa Damansara community can also enjoy the various facilities which will be made available including a *dewan nikah*, mini library, as well as ample parking space.

Dato' Mohd Lotfy Mohd Noh added, "We would like to extend our heartfelt appreciation and gratitude to all for the generous contributions that we have received thus far that will be integral in the development of an urban mosque fit for the community and one built at the heart of the neighbourhood. We encourage people to also play a part in giving back to society and enrich the welfare of the community through this *wakaf* fund which will benefit the surrounding vicinity."

Members of the public who wish to make donation to the *wakaf* fund may do so via transfer to Maybank account 5620 8561 7729 – Jawatankuasa Pembinaan Masjid Kwasa Damansara. For more information, please visit our corporate website, www.kwasadamansara.com.my.

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