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My dear Subang constituents,

The year 2024 has seen some ups and some downs. On the upside, we saw strong economic growth for most of 2024. The ringgit has also strengthened compared to 2023. Last month, the IMF projected Malaysia's GDP for 2024 to grow at 4.8%. This is above the IMF projection for the ASEAN region at 4.6%, and for the world at 3.1%. Yet, on the ground, there are persistent concerns that most of the economic growth has been limited to the tech sector. The trickle-down effect of tech investments has yet to be felt at the high streets and hawker centres. Lowering the cost of living and food prices, despite Malaysia having a wide range of subsidies, remains a challenge.



The recent massive tech investments are a timely boost to the Malaysian economy. These investments will help us keep pace with the more developed economies of the world. We simply cannot afford to be left behind in this new AI and Quantum Computing revolution. Integrating these technologies into the Malaysian economy will help us develop and retain talent, stop and reverse capital outflow, and boost our trade, manufacturing industries, and services.

We have two very urgent agendas vis-à-vis these investments. First, we need to revamp our energy policy and ensure these tech companies have ample and affordable renewable energy. This development should then be further expanded to supply renewable energy to all other manufacturers, particularly for those committed to RE100. Second, we need to earnestly prepare our students to be more tech-savvy, mastering STEM and English. With a tech-capable workforce, we can transform our role from being a host nation for tech companies to one that partners and empowers them in research and development too. For too long, our tech talents have migrated overseas, chasing better ecosystems, better pay, and meritocracy.

For these two important agendas to take off, we need enlightened leadership willing to tackle the deep-rooted vested interests of the energy sector and revamp the lacklustre education policies. In addition, and at a fundamental level, we need an honest and frank conversation about fighting corruption, empowering Parliament, improving transparency, accountability, and governance, paying fair wages, and implementing fairer educational meritocracy. Only by doing these reforms now will we be able to have a fighting chance to reinvigorate confidence, reverse capital flight, and brain drain.

For 2024, I am thankful that the Madani Government has taken serious actions and charged many suspects for corruption. However, we also had some high-profile cases dropped in the courts. We need better clarity on these cases, as they shake our faith in the government's anti-corruption drive. We need to verify if these high-profile cases were dropped due to the incompetence of the DPPs or something more worrying, such as questionable rulings.

More importantly, after the verifications by legal experts, the heads of those responsible will need to roll. Otherwise, the public will call this out as the same old system of impunity. We cannot successfully continue the war on corruption if we have systemic incompetency or corruption itself at the investigation, prosecution, and judicial levels.

I am also heartened by Prime Minister Anwar Ibrahim's recent announcement that he is still committed to fighting systemic corruption. I was in the news recently, in support of his noble cause. I suggested the Madani Government implement full public asset declarations of elected representatives and senior civil servants. If we can implement both, the better.

However, if we lack the political will, then perhaps the government can implement public asset declarations for the senior civil servants. Corruption occurs when powerful politicians and senior civil servants collude. If we take one hand out, these colluders will not be able to clap for corruption.

Furthermore, after such public declarations are made, these declarations will need to be audited by an independent body. Assets that do not match the declarations ought to be seized by the government. This is not a novel idea. In fact, I am just echoing what the Madani Government has publicly said in the first quarter of 2024, that it is in the process of improving the asset declaration system. The announcement also stated that the new system will be better than the one implemented by the previous 2018 Mahathir administration.

I recall that most government MPs during the 2018 Mahathir administration made public asset declarations. So far, after two years, the Madani Government has made no equivalent public asset declarations, and we are still awaiting to see a "better" version.

On the stock market, we have seen an active 2024 with 55 new listings, raising RM7.42 billion in capital. The year 2024 saw the highest number of listings in the last two decades, which is a truly remarkable achievement. Yet, it has also been a year of controversial deals. Bankers, economists and market players were unhappy with the opacity of several high-profile controversial concession deals. Going forward, the government must do more to ensure transparent and open tender processes and engage the investment community promptly. The failure to communicate and manage these narratives has somewhat damaged market confidence.

As the Chairman of the Parliamentary Special Select Committee on International Relations and International Trade, it would be remiss of me not to comment on these two areas. On the foreign policy front, I feel that we have made some gains but also attracted unnecessary ambiguities. I applaud and fully support our consistent stance on the Gaza conflict, yet sometimes we miss the opportunity to match our words with more direct medical and humanitarian aid. We have applied to join BRICS to strengthen the Global South, yet the processes and objectives remain vague and are now attracting the ire of Trump.

The government is also supportive of Russia at a time when there is global condemnation of Assad's iron fist rule of Syria. Perhaps being friends with Russia, China, and the West may allow us to play a peace broker role next year. Recently, the government appointed several ASEAN advisors, raising some questions about our ability to help end the civil war in Myanmar as the new ASEAN chair. Malaysian foreign policy needs consistency, and we must maintain neutrality. Neutrality should mean not quarrelling with anyone, but it should not mean endorsing infamous leaders.

On international trade, we have done exceptionally well. Kudos to Prime Minister Anwar Ibrahim. Despite his overtly hectic overseas trips, he has managed to improve significantly the inflow of foreign direct investments (FDI) into Malaysia. More often than not, his forays, particularly to the West, have resulted in increased FDIs. On China, we have been improving our bilateral trade ties and have a friendly dialogue platform for disagreements on the South China Sea territories. We are also mindful of China's current economic challenges and are confident that when things improve, bilateral trade and investments will also pick up.

On Malaysia-US trade, we welcome the FDIs from many prominent US tech companies, including Nvidia, Amazon, and Google. However, there are also concerns about the threat of new tariffs from the incoming Trump administration, ranging from 10% to 20%. BRICS members and countries with big US trade surpluses are on the Trump economic target list. Malaysia is now a "partner" of BRICS but not yet a member, and we do have a history of consistent trade surpluses with the US. We need to urgently emphasise to the incoming Trump administration that our trade surplus has been narrowing of late.

Lastly, I want to briefly touch upon the community work and our budget spending for 2024. As usual, details of our budget are fully disclosed in this newsletter on page 35. We have maintained our primary focus on social welfare and on repairing our 51 schools in Subang. This year, many schools have informed us of their unhappiness with the government-appointed contractors. I have relayed this feedback to the government ICU and have also written a request to decentralise contractor appointments in 2025 back to the schools to decide.

I also want to acknowledge the government ICU's recognition that our office is seen as a model of transparency and accountability in terms of the management of our office and budget. On that note of recognition, I want to thank my volunteers, officers, and interns for all their hard work, diligence, and commitment to the people of Subang in 2024.

I wish all a Happy New Year, and may 2025 bring peace, prosperity, and reforms.

Yours sincerely,

Wong Chen

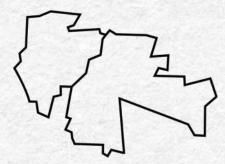
END OF YEAR REPORT CARD





32 Countries
85 Diplomatic
Meetings
36 Diplomatic Events
attended
6 Diplomatic Sporting
Events

109 events



in Kinrara & Subang Jaya



4 TV/Radio Interviews



45 Article Mentions



3 Seminars



694 Community Files
Opened

Legislative Duties and Parliament

This time in Parliament

YB Wong Chen raised several important issues during the June-July and October-December parliamentary sittings. He questioned the delays in tabling the Social Work Profession Bill, with the Minister citing the need to review sustainability, oversight agencies, and compliance with government policies. Regarding parliamentary committee budgets, YB Wong Chen highlighted the significant disparity in allocations, pointing out that Malaysia's RM180 million is far lower than what is allocated in the UK and Indonesia. He requested RM2 million per committee to support research and official trips. On subsidy rationalization, he argued that changes to the RON95 subsidy would disproportionately affect middle-class families, especially those earning RM13,000 in urban areas, and emphasized the need for data-driven policymaking.





YB Wong Chen questioned the Minister of Home Affairs about the discontinuation of the TRIS program in November 2023. In response, the Minister assured that the Ministry continues to collaborate with UNHCR. YB Wong Chen also raised a question about the use of caning as an alternative to the death penalty. In response, the Minister of Home Affairs stated that 192 inmates had been sentenced to caning in place of the death penalty over the past few years. On government spending, YB Wong Chen inquired about consulting fees from 2013 to 2022, with the Minister explaining that such contracts were based on expertise and handled through the MyProcurement initiative.

In education, YB Wong Chen asked about school enrolment trends in Subang Jaya and future plans, with the Minister confirming that primary school enrolment had grown and that proposals for new schools **in P104 Subang** would be included in the upcoming Five-Year Malaysia Plan. He also sought information about the MM2H program, learning that 57,608 applicants were active as of May 2024, and that a new Platinum category had been introduced to attract business executives.



Addressing infrastructure, YB Wong Chen questioned the high costs and quality of school toilet upgrades, with the Minister of Education confirming that most projects adhered to budgets despite several issues. He also inquired about the open tender process under the Procurement Act Bill, with the Minister of Finance outlining measures for transparency and accountability. Regarding the EU Carbon Border Adjustment Mechanism, YB Wong Chen asked about plans to help Malaysian exporters comply, to which the Minister of Investment, Trade and Industry responded that the government's strategy included carbon pricing studies and industrial governance reforms.

YB Wong Chen discussed the government's efforts to boost the semiconductor industry, with the MITI Minister emphasizing infrastructure upgrades and talent development. He also sought clarification on the Omnibus Data Protection Bill, with the Minister of Digital explaining that it would ensure secure data sharing and improve government data management. YB Wong Chen also posed a question to the Minister of Transport regarding the policy for OKU drivers, learning that those with certain disabilities could apply for PSV licenses with the appropriate certifications.

In terms of social welfare, YB Wong Chen raised the issue of the Parental Support Act, and the Minister of Women, Family, and Community Development responded that a new Elderly Act was being considered to empower seniors and provide support for caregivers. YB Wong Chen also asked the Minister of Foreign Affairs on Malaysia's priorities as it prepares to assume the ASEAN chairmanship in 2025, with the focus on regional peace, economic integration, and sustainable trade.

Lastly, he inquired about the Parliamentary Services Bill, with the Minister of Law and Institutional Reform confirming that stakeholder engagement had taken place, and the bill would be presented soon. On the issue of a Psychology Act, the Minister of Health highlighted concerns about unregulated practices, but stated that there were no immediate plans for a specific bill at the moment.

Ambassadors, Commissioners and Counsellors



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July 2024

In July, YB Wong Chen met with H.E. Emir Salim Yuksel (Turkish Ambassador), H.E. Florentino (Cuban Ambassador), H.E. Andrea (Swiss Ambassador), H.E. Dilli (Nepalese High Commissioner), H.E. Jose Luis Prado (Spanish Ambassador), and H.E. Irfan Davudov (Azerbaijan Ambassador). He also met with Prime Minister Anwar Ibrahim, EU Ambassador H.E. Michalis Rokas, and Minister Counsellor Timo Goosmann to discuss the restart of Malaysia-EU Free Trade Agreement (FTA) talks. He further met with Madam Li Sa and Ms Liu Yi from the Chinese Embassy to discuss the economy and economic ties between Malaysia and China. Other notable events included the EU farewell party, French National Day celebration, and the ASEAN Parliamentarians for Human Rights conference. Additionally, YB Wong Chen hosted a farewell lunch for H.E. Joachim Bergström - the outgoing Swedish ambassador.













August 2024

In August, YB Wong Chen began the month by greeting H.E. Nguyen Khac Dinh, Vice President of The National Assembly of Vietnam and his delegation to Malaysia on behalf of the Malaysian Parliament at KLIA. He then engaged in dialogue sessions with Singaporean civil servants, discussing politics, the economy, and bilateral ties. He also attended the ASEAN Vision 2045 talk and a farewell dinner for the EU Ambassador. YB Wong Chen traveled to Laos for the ASEAN ASCC conference and met with former Thai Foreign Minister, Khun Kasit, and former MP Klaikong Vaidhyakarn. Back in Malaysia, he met with British High Commissioner, H.E. Ailsa Terry, hosted a lunch for the former Australian High Commissioner, Justin Lee, and welcomed a visit from ASEAN Parliamentarians for Human Rights (APHR). He also met with a South Korean tech and pharma conglomerate and invited the Brazilian Ambassador, H.E. Ary Quintella, and Singaporean High Commission official, Mr Seow Wei Liang for Master Yap's Lin Fatt Gong Poh Toh event in Kinrara. YB Wong Chen participated in a sports and BBQ event hosted by Australian High Commissioner, H.E. Danielle Heinecke, and traveled to Jakarta for the APHR Board Strategic Meeting.











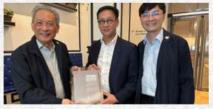






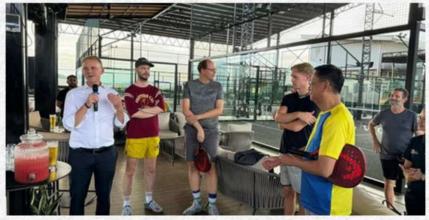
September 2024

In September, YB Wong Chen witnessed the signing of the New Zealand - Malaysia business MOU with Prime Minister Christopher Luxon and engaged in discussions with Ukrainian officials and Singaporean MPs. He later took a trip to South Sumatra to gain more knowledge on the palm oil industry. His schedule also included cultural events and meetings with key diplomats such as the Austrian Ambassador, H.E. Andreas Launer, and the Kenyan High Commissioner, H.E. Ekitela Moru, as well as interactions with businesses like ND Paper and Amazon Web Services. He further participated in a UN SDG event at Sunway University and engaged in discussions on various issues with officials from the EU, Japan, and Sweden.



















October 2024

In October, YB Wong Chen's activities began by attending the German Unity Day celebrations and meeting with British diplomats. He participated in a UN Human Rights panel and attended cultural events such as the Norwegian Seafood Gala and the Latin American Festival. He traveled to Geneva for the Inter-Parliamentary Union (IPU) conference, where he led the Malaysian delegation in discussions on democracy and human rights and participated in various meetings, including those with Irish, Czech, and Ukrainian MPs.

In Vientiane, he represented Malaysia at the ASEAN Inter-Parliamentary Assembly (AIPA) meetings, engaging in dialogues with Ukrainian, Japanese, and Indian parliamentarians. Back in Malaysia, he attended national day celebrations of various countries, including Turkmenistan, Cuba, and the Czech Republic. He met with numerous ambassadors, including those from Switzerland, Norway, and Egypt, discussing a wide range of issues from international conflicts and BRICS to trade and economic cooperation. He also chaired a Special Select Committee hearing on Malaysia's potential membership in BRICS.

















November 2024

In November, YB Wong Chen hosted Ukrainian officials, participated in parliamentary hearings on BRICS and human rights, and met with numerous ambassadors, including H.E. Edgard Kagan (US Ambassador), H.E. Jodi Robinson (Canadian High Commissioner), H.E. Andreas Launer (Austrian Ambassador), H.E. Morten Paulsen (Norwegian Ambassador), H.E. Irfan Davudov (Azerbaijan Ambassador), H.E. Ary Quintella (Brazilian Ambassador), and H.E. Jacques Werner (Netherlands Ambassador).

He also engaged in regional cooperation through meetings with ASEAN officials and participated in a bilateral call with the Parliament of Kazakhstan. Notably, he met with the Vice Chair of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the CPC, hosted a farewell lunch for Air Chief Marshal (Retd) Sumangala Dias, the Sri Lankan High Commissioner, and attended events hosted by various embassies. He further participated in parliamentary activities such as a meeting with H.E. To Lam, the Secretary-General of the Vietnam Communist Party, the paramount leader of Vietnam and Tan Sri Johari, Speaker of the Dewan Rakyat. The MPs team also played basketball games against the US and Chinese Embassy.



December 2024

In December, YB Wong Chen hosted H.E. Noriyuki Shikata, the Ambassador-designate of Japan, and bidding farewell to H.E. Pam Dunn, the New Zealand High Commissioner. He engaged with the German business community, met with H.E. Shameem Ahsan, the Bangladesh High Commissioner, and enjoyed a luncheon hosted by H.E. Andrea Reichlin, the Swiss Ambassador.

A significant portion of the month saw him travel to Azerbaijan, where he participated in a conference on "Right of Return," addressing the Azerbaijan National Assembly, and visiting Karabakh to witness the impact of the war and ongoing reconstruction efforts. He met with key Azerbaijani officials, including Chairman Aziz Alakbarov, Chairman Samad Sedov, and Chairman Fuat Oktay (Turkey). He also engaged with other international figures, such as Sarah Love from the UK government and Mr. Harn Yawnghwe, a Myanmar activist.

Back in Malaysia, he concluded the month with a meeting with H.E. Irfan Davudov, the Azerbaijan Ambassador, and a visit to the Azerbaijan Embassy to sign the condolences book for the victims of the recent airline crash.













Our office opened a total of **183** welfare cases from July 2024 to December 2024. Our welfare assistance is primarily focused on the B40 communities to assist with their **medical fees**, **food and necessities**, **university enrolment**, **bereavement** and **natural disaster** cases.

Projek Mesra Rakyat 2024

Our office received an annual grant of RM2 million from the Prime Minister's Office to help uplift government infrastructure. Every year, we disperse an equal grant to all the schools under Parliament Subang, a sum of **RM30,000** per school across **51 schools.** The remaining amount is dispersed to **low-cost flats, police and bomba headquarters**. Below are the list of schools, low-cost flats, and others:

SUBANG JAYA

SEKOLAH AGAMA ISLAM USJ 17

SEKOLAH AGAMA MENENGAH BESTARI

SEKOLAH JENIS KEBANGSAAN (CINA) CHEE WEN

SEKOLAH JENIS KEBANGSAAN (CINA) LICK HUNG

SEKOLAH JENIS KEBANGSAAN (CINA) TUN TAN CHENG LOCK

SEKOLAH JENIS KEBANGSAAN (TAMIL) TUN SAMBANTHAN

SEKOLAH KEBANGSAAN BANDAR SUNWAY

SEKOLAH KEBANGSAAN DATO' ONN JAAFAR

SEKOLAH KEBANGSAAN PERDANA JAYA SS19

SEKOLAH KEBANGSAAN SEAFIELD

SEKOLAH KEBANGSAAN SEAFIELD 3

SEKOLAH KEBANGSAAN SERI SELANGOR

SEKOLAH KEBANGSAAN SRI SUBANG JAYA

SEKOLAH KEBANGSAAN SS 19 SUBANG JAYA

SEKOLAH KEBANGSAAN SUBANG JAYA

SEKOLAH KEBANGSAAN USJ 12

SEKOLAH KEBANGSAAN USJ 2

SEKOLAH KEBANGSAAN USJ 20

SEKOLAH MENENGAH KEBANGSAAN BANDAR SUNWAY

SEKOLAH MENENGAH KEBANGSAAN SEAFIELD

SEKOLAH MENENGAH KEBANGSAAN SS 17

SEKOLAH MENENGAH KEBANGSAAN SUBANG JAYA

SEKOLAH MENENGAH KEBANGSAAN SUBANG

UIAMA

SEKOLAH MENENGAH KEBANGSAAN USJ 12

SEKOLAH MENENGAH KEBANGSAAN USJ 13

SEKOLAH MENENGAH KEBANGSAAN USJ 4

SEKOLAH MENENGAH KEBANGSAAN USJ 8

PANGSAPURI ANGSANA, USJ 1 FLAT KOS RENDAH SS13 FLAT KOS RENDAH PJS 7

IBU PEJABAT POLIS DAERAH SUBANG JAYA BOMBA DAN PENYELAMAT SUBANG JAYA















KINRARA

SEKOLAH JENIS KEBANGSAAN (TAMIL) CASTLEFIELD

SEKOLAH JENIS KEBANGSAAN (CINA) SHIN CHENG (HARCROFT)

SEKOLAH JENIS KEBANGSAAN (CINA) KHENG CHEE SEKOLAH JENIS KEBANGSAAN (TAMIL) PUCHONG SEKOLAH JENIS KEBANGSAAN (TAMIL) LADANG KINRARA

SEKOLAH JENIS KEBANGSAAN (CINA) YAK CHEE SEKOLAH KEBANGSAAN SEKSYEN 1 BANDAR KINRARA

SEKOLAH KEBANGSAAN BUKIT KUCHAI SEKOLAH KEBANGSAAN PUSAT BANDAR PUCHONG (1)

SEKOLAH KEBANGSAAN PUCHONG INDAH SEKOLAH MENENGAH KEBANGSAAN PUCHONG BATU 14

SEKOLAH KEBANGSAAN PUCHONG JAYA SEKOLAH KEBANGSAAN PUCHONG PERDANA SEKOLAH KEBANGSAAN PUCHONG JAYA 2 SEKOLAH KEBANGSAAN SEKSYEN 2 BANDAR KINRARA

SEKOLAH KEBANGSAAN PUSAT BANDAR PUCHONG 2

SEKOLAH MENENGAH KEBANGSAAN BANDAR PUNCAK JALIL

SEKOLAH MENENGAH KEBANGSAAN SEKSYEN 3 BANDAR KINRARA

SEKOLAH MENENGAH KEBANGSAAN SEKSYEN 4 BANDAR KINRARA

KOLEJ TINGKATAN ENAM PUCHONG

SEKOLAH MENENGAH KEBANGSAAN SEKSYEN 1 BANDAR KINRARA

SEKOLAH MENENGAH KEBANGSAAN BANDAR PUCHONG JAYA (A)

SEKOLAH MENENGAH KEBANGSAAN PUSAT BANDAR PUCHONG

SEKOLAH MENENGAH KEBANGSAAN BANDAR PUCHONG JAYA (B) PANGSAPURI MELUR FLAT KOS RENDAH KINRARA PANGSAPURI ANGSANA

IBU PEJABAT POLIS DAERAH SERDANG BALAI BOMBA DAN PENYELAMAT PUCHONG



















Program Jiwa Komuniti Madani

During the month of Merdeka, the office was given a budget of **RM6,000** from Jabatan Penerangan to conduct our own Merdeka program. The office organised a doubles men-women badminton tournament between the six **Komuniti Madani in Subang Jaya and Kinrara.**

We collaborated with Klinik Kesihatan Kelana Jaya, e-Kasih, the Ministry of Domestic Trade and Costs of Living to open info booths, and a batik painting workshop with two NGO's - Pertubuhan Rakyat Sejahtera Selangor and Malaysia Berdaya.

Overall the event attracted about 500 guests throughout the day.









Community Sports Events

YB Wong Chen had the pleasure of playing his favorite sports, football and badminton, with his constituents. He was deeply touched by the community's thoughtfulness in inviting him to join these gatherings which symbolised meaningful engagement between the P104 Office and his constituents. True to the Malaysian spirit, sports served as a unifying force, bringing everyone together in camaraderie and joy!

- 21st July 2024: Community Soccer Game
- 31st July 2024: Taman Wawasan Woodball Competition
- 19th August 2024: Badminton match with YDH SAC Dato' Abd Khalid bin Othman
- 22nd October 2024: Kejohanan Billiard Berpasukan Piala Datuk Bandar
- 26th October 2024: Community Youth Football League at SMK USJ 4
- 12th November 2024: Team MP vs Selangor Legends









P104 Football Development Program

Fueled by a passion for sports, the P104 Office proudly sponsored two school football teams, **SK Seksyen 2 Bandar Kinrara and SK Seafield 3** for their football development programme. Through this sponsorship, the P104 office covered the respective teams's coaching costs, training, jerseys, and more.

Following the office's contributions to their programme, in their recent MSSD inter-district tournament, SK Seksyen 2 held their ground with 0-0 draws, while SK Seafield 3 showcased an impressive performance, winning three matches and drawing one. Despite their efforts, SK Seafield 3 narrowly missed advancing due to goal difference. YB is hopeful and positive that the teams will continue developing and attain greater results in the future.









In August, both schools had a rare opportunity of playing against an international opponent in a 3 way friendly match between SK Seksyen 2 Bandar Kinrara and SK Seafield 3 and Houjing Elementary School Kaohsiung City from ROC Taiwan. The match was held at the Sri KDU International School field in Kota Damansara.

Overall, the two schools did great throughout the year, showcasing improvements and great teamwork and consistency. We congratulate both SK Seafield 3 and SK Seksyen 2 Bandar Kinrara for their efforts in 2024.

Mooncake Festival Voucher Distribution

On the 16th of September, our office disbursed RM 200 Giant vouchers and mooncakes to 20 recipients who are mainly of B40 background, old folks, OKU and single parents. The recipients were selected from a list of Jabatan Kebajikan Masyarakat welfare recipients and the Low Cost Flats in PJS 7.

Total spent for Giant vouchers and mooncakes = RM 4,300









Deepavali Festival Voucher Distribution

In conjunction with Deepavali celebrations at the end of October, our office collaborated with a few temples across the month of October in Subang Jaya and Kinrara to distribute Deepavali Festival vouchers to 150 Indian B40 families, single parents, OKU and old folks to add joy to their celebrations. The recipients were selected by the temples. Each recipient were given RM200 worth of Giant Vouchers. In total, the amount spent for this program was RM30,000. Here are the list of temples we collaborated with:

Sri Subramaniar Temple, PJS 7
Varantharajah Perumal Temple, SS 13
Sri Maha Mariamman Devasthanam (Jalan Kenari 2)
Kuil Sri Maha Mariamman (Taman Perindustrian Pusat Bandar Puchong)
Sri Maha Maheswari Kaliamman Temple (Batu 14)
Kuil Sri Maha Mariamman (Batu 12)
Kuil Sri Srinivasa Perumal Devasthanam (Pusat Bandar Puchong)





Hari Sukan Negara

In spirit of Hari Sukan Negara on the second week of October, Tabikas around Subang Jaya were organising their own sports day event. The tabikas schooled children from the B40 community. Our office will continue to support their efforts by donating each tabika in Subang Jaya **RM5,000** each to conduct their own sports day. The list of tabika recipients are as below:

- Tabika Kemas Angsana
- Tabika Kemas Angsana Pintar
- Tabika Kemas Angsana Bistari
- Tabika Kemas Angsana Gemilang
- Tabika Kemas USJ 1
- Tabika Kemas Komuniti Court 2
- Tabika Kemas Nurul Ehsan A&B











Selangor International Book Fair

YB Wong Chen sponsored **RM2,000** to Perbadanan Perpustakaan Awam Selangor for the Selangor International Book Fair. In return, they gave book vouchers for us to distribute to the schools in Subang. The selected schools that received the vouchers were:

Kinrara:

- SJKT Ladang Kinrara
- SK Puchong Indah
- SMK Seksyen 1
- SK Bukit Kuchai

Subang Jaya:

- SMK SS17
- SK Seri Selangor
- SJKT Tun Sambanthan
- SMK Bandar Sunway













Townhall Rakyat

YB Wong Chen has been actively fostering connections with the people of Subang through a series of Townhall sessions. These gatherings served as valuable opportunities to strengthen the bond between the office and the community, ensuring constituents stay informed about government initiatives and the work of his office.

The townhall mainly focused on the **2025 Budget, two year milestones of the Madani government,** and an **open QnA session**. The townhalls also provided a platform for residents to voice their concerns, enabling YB Wong Chen to engage in meaningful and collaborative dialogues with the people. Recognising the importance of these interactions, YB Wong Chen is committed to organising more of such events in the future to continue keeping his constituents informed.

The List of Townhalls organised:

16th November 2024: Hexagon SS15

22nd November 2024: Pusat Komuniti MBSJ MPP Zon 4 30th November 2024: MBSJ Kinrara BK5 Multipurpose Hall















Community Events





















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Press & Media

July

- The Straits Times, 10/7/2024: <u>Loke experiences</u> <u>breathing difficulty in Dewan Rakyat [WATCH]</u>
- MalayMail, 10/7/2024: <u>Report: Anthony Loke causes</u> stir in Dewan Rakyat after experiencing breathing difficulty
- The Straits Times, 10/7/2024: <u>Drivers with hearing</u>, speech disabilities can hold PSV licence
- Sinar Daily, 10/72024: <u>Anxious moment in Dewan</u> Rakyat as Loke appears short of breath
- Sinar Daily, 12/72024: <u>Loke's episode of gasping for</u> breath not related to heart attack - <u>Lukanisman</u>
- The Straits Times, 13/7/2024: <u>'Parliamentary</u> Services Act allows checks on govt powers'
- The Straits Times, 13/7/2024: <u>PSA will free</u>
 Parliament from executive control
- MalaysiaKini, 18/7/2024: express concern over independent audit of HRD Corp

August

 The Edge Malaysia, 18/7/2024: Malaysia Debt Ventures promotes acting CEO Rizal Fauzi to permanent role

September

 SinChew, 30/9/2024 - 料月内招标 明年动工 首邦 市 5240万建诊所

October

- The Straits Times, 21/10/2024: Wong Chen gutted over delay in tabling Social Work Profession Bill
- FMT, 10/11/2024: <u>Usir warga Kemboja 'terburu-buru'</u>, <u>Ahli Parlimen PKR gesa mula pendengaran khas</u> Parlimen
- FMT, 10/11/2024: <u>Initiate special parliamentary</u>
 <u>hearing over Cambodian's 'hasty' deportation, says</u>

November

- The Straits Times, 11/11/2024: PKR to change voting mechanism?
- FMT, 20/11/2024: <u>Health ministry open to using Al to</u>
 <u>detect cancer</u>
- The Straits Times, 20/11/2024: <u>Health Ministry</u>
 explores Al for cancer detection in public hospitals
- MalaysiaKini, 22/11/2024: <u>Home Ministry, PSSCs to improve deportation SOPs: Wong Chen</u>
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Intern Testimonials



CHANG QIAN HUNG

It has been a privilege and pleasure to intern at Subang's parliamentary office. From drafting parliamentary questions to participating in local site visits, I have learned a great deal about the inner workings of Malaysian politics—experiences and insights that I will cherish. My heartfelt gratitude goes to YB Wong Chen and the P104 family for initiating and supporting this remarkable program, till we meet again!



MEGAN YAP

Exhilarating, dynamic, and life-changing—these words define my 2024 internship under Wong Chen. With limited prior exposure to public policy, I'm deeply grateful to my boss and the team for providing invaluable insights and guidance during my time. This internship was nothing short of transformative and it has deepened my understanding of what it truly means to be a Malaysian today!



QISTINA KARMILA CHLOE

Being a Politics major, I came into the internship with a very simple goal - to learn as much as humanly possible within Malaysia's political sphere. I can confidently say the P104 office helped me achieve that, and so much more. Holistic guidance was given from minute administrative office tasks to important constituency issues and to wide-ranging discussions on political philosophy and socioeconomics. All that said, I still had fun and gained lifelong friends along the way. I'll forever cherish the summer I spent with the office.



SHOUNA MURASE

As someone who initially had little understanding of Malaysian politics, my internship at the P104 office provided both a well rounded understanding of the country's political and socioeconomic landscape. Each day offered opportunities to explore governance, from community initiatives to parliamentary processes, while fostering lifelong connections with dedicated peers and officers. It was a truly transformative perspective on public service.



SANJAY SINGH SEKHON

My time at P104 was a journey that deepened my understanding of policy-making and legislative work. I gained insights into critical parliamentary reforms, managed several constituency cases, and engaged in meaningful community work. A notable memory was conducting research for Boss on rare earth elements, which was then presented to Prime Minister Anwar Ibrahim! On that note, I cannot thank Boss and the rest of the P104 family enough for the experience.



NURFARHAH

My internship with the Subang parliamentary office, P104, was truly life-changing. I gained a deep understanding of Malaysia's legislature, democracy, and policymaking processes, while also engaging in grassroots and community work. Learning from such a passionate team was inspiring and unforgettable. Thank you, P104, for shaping my perspective and future aspirations.



MAISARAH ARIS

My internship at YB Wong Chen's office was an incredibly enriching and transformative experience. As a Political Science student, I entered with a theoretical foundation but lacked real-world exposure. Working directly with YB Wong Chen and the P104 folks allowed me to witness the practical side of politics, from community engagement to policy-making. This experience deepened my understanding of governance and made my academic journey more rewarding.



GENEVIEVE TAN

During my internship at the Parliament Subang office, I gained hands-on experience addressing welfare cases, engaging with community issues, and understanding the responsibilities of an MP. The supportive team made it an incredible learning journey. This experience deepened my love for Malaysia and inspired me to give back to my community and country with passion.



IMAN BAHARE

"What started off as pure coincidence, I am forever grateful that I undertook the internship experience at YB Wong Chen's office. From handling constituent cases to researching governmental policies, it really broadened my understanding of what exactly entails the duties of a responsible MP and the inner workings of the Government"



CARISSA ANTHONY

Interning at P104 was truly a transformative experience. Not only did I gain firsthand insights on policymaking and the daily challenges of governance, I had also learnt about social welfare and serving the community. Working alongside dedicated officers, I developed skills in research and public relations, all while contributing meaningfully to initiatives that directly impacted the community.



JIE KAI

During my internship with YB Wong Chen, I developed a deeper compassion for people and learned the inner workings of Malaysian politics. This experience broadened my understanding of governance and policy-making, giving me a greater appreciation for Malaysia's complexities and the importance of equitable leadership in shaping the nation's future.



LIZHEN NG

My internship with P104 has been an invaluable and transformative experience. As a Political Science graduate, I have been looking to build experiences in policy analysis, legislative research. In this sense, P104 has been a profound experience, providing direct insights into the Malaysian political system and its various levels of administration. I am truly grateful for this learning experience with YB Wong Chen and P104 and it has been an honor to contribute to this team and the larger Subang constituency.



SHAH ABDUL RAHMAN

Interning at the P104 office has been nothing short of an incredible opportunity and humbling experience for which I'll be forever grateful for. During my time here I've had my eyes opened up to the processes of which the federal and state governments operate, how local constituents are catered to and the everyday tasks of my boss YB Wong Chen. The staff here has been amazing and I'm so thankful for them guiding me through this insightful once-in-a-lifetime experience.



AMIR NAJMI

Interning with YB Wong Chen has been a standout experience in 2024, giving me invaluable insights into governance and the democratic process. It was an honor to contribute to the Subang constituency, where I was born and raised. I am deeply grateful to YB Wong Chen and the P.104 officers for their mentorship and guidance. Joining this dynamic and inspiring team has been an unforgettable opportunity I highly recommend.



SANDRA HA

Interning with YB has been an eye-opening experience. The exposure is incredible—I had the opportunity to visit Parliament, engage directly with constituents, and witness the policy-making process up close. All in all, this internship has definitely made me more politically aware and informed.



LUCAS LIM KIT

Interning at the P104 office has been a profoundly interesting experience. The internship has allowed me to actively help the community on the ground through taking up welfare cases and talking to constituents as well as furthering my understanding of the Malaysian legislative process. I've had the privilege of having the guidance of YB Wong Chen and his team of amazing officers allowing me to further my passion in policy research



XIN H'NG

My internship at the Subang Parliamentary Office of YB Wong Chen was enlightening and rewarding. From working on a variety of projects to going to Parliament, I learnt a lot about governance and policymaking. It was never dull thanks to the lively atmosphere, and the practical experience helped me better grasp public service and its practical applications.



VICTOR

I got the opportunity to do a short internship exchange with the Wong Chen office from my internship at the Swedish Embassy in Kuala Lumpur. It was a memorable experience where I got a deeper understanding of the Malaysian political system and society. YB Wong Chen engaged and shared his reflections with us interns, but I also learned a lot from the other interns and officers. The culture in the office was open minded and inclusive which made me feel like one in the group immediately!

Intern Gallery











































Financial Statements & Allocation Spendings

Balance Sheet as at 31st December 2024	
Asset	RM
Cash and bank balance	1,010,188
Net Asset for Year Ending 31st December 2024	1,010,188
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Excess funds from prior period	713,554
Current year excess	296,634
Excess Funds for Period Ending 31st December 2024	1,010,188
Income Statement for Year Ending 31st December 2024	
Income	RM
Federal Allocations	2,300,000
Bank Interest	935
	2,300,935
Less: Expenses	
Federal Allocation spendings	1,645,366 N1
Salaries, allowances & bonuses	243,130
EPF, SOCSO & EIS	23,780
Rental of premise	26,000
Utilities	15,114 N2
General expenses	50,911_N3
	2,004,301
Net Excess for Year Ending 31st December 2024	296,634
Notes: 1 Federal Allocation Spending is as follows:	
Federal: Welfare Assistance & Flood Relief Aid	385,700
Federal: Associations	1,247,800
Federal: Proram Pusat Khidmat	11,866
	1,645,366
 Utilities includes electricity, water, telephone & internet, etc. General expenses includes office cleaning, office supplies, office maintenance, digital services, bank charges etc. 	

Constituency

We serve all residents in the Parliamentary constituency of Subang which includes:

Subang Jaya: USJ 1 - 22; SS 12 - 19; PJS 7, 9, 11, Bandar Sunway;

Kinrara: Kinrara Seksyen 1 - 7; Puchong Jaya Timur; Puchong Jaya Barat; Puchong Jaya Utara; Batu 12 & 13; Batu 7 Jalan Puchong; Bandar Kinrara Seksyen 1 - 5; Pusat Bandar Puchong; Bandar Puteri; Puchong Indah 1 - 2; Puchong Perdana 1 - 2; Puchong Intan.

Parliamentary Affairs:

- Raise various national issues on your behalf
- Represent P104 Subang on policies and laws
- Update residents on all national issues

Community Affairs:

- Support application for medical aid and welfare payments
- Apply for medical exemptions
- · Connect with welfare and medical NGOs

Citizenship and Immigration Affairs:

- Support application for blue identity card and issue letter of enquiries
- Follow up with Jabatan Pendaftaran Negara (JPN) and Immigration Department











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