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**CIC and HKCA Join Hands to Launch the "18 Districts Lo Pan Rice"
Campaign to Send Love and Care to All in Hong Kong**

HONG KONG • 17 July 2021 - Inheriting the spirit of the Lo Pan, the patron saint of Chinese builders and carpenters, Construction Industry Sports and Volunteering Programme (CISVP) under the Construction Industry Council (CIC) launched the "Construction Industry Lo Pan Rice Campaign" in 2020 during the birthday of master Lo Pan and distributed hot meal boxes to under-privileged groups in different districts, bringing care and hope to the community. This year, the CIC and the Hong Kong Construction Association (HKCA), together with the concerted effort from the industry, extended the warmth to all in Hong Kong and jointly organised the "18 Districts Lo Pan Rice" Campaign from 16 to 23 July 2021 during the birthday of master Lo Pan. In addition to meal boxes, goodie bags will also be distributed.

A simple launch ceremony was held to kick off the Campaign, representatives from the CIC and HKCA came together to serve the community at the first stop in Kwai Chung, including Sr Eddie LAM, CIC Member and President of HKCA, Ir Conrad FUNG, Chairperson of the "18 District Lo Pan Rice" Campaign and Vice President of the HKCA, as well as representatives from supporting organisations.

During the period of 16 to 23 July 2021, teams of volunteers from 37 supporting organisations will distribute nearly 5,000 meal boxes at 51 distribution points across 18 districts. Beneficiaries of the Campaign include low Income families, the unemployed, singleton elderly, two-elder families, people with limited mobility, ethnic minorities, subdivided households, homeless people, etc., showing the construction industry's caring spirit of "We Do what We Can".



"18 District Lo Pan Rice" Campaign is well supported by construction-related organisations.



Guests supporting the "18 District Lo Pan Rice" Campaign showing care to the elderly.



Guests supporting the
"18 District Lo Pan
Rice" Campaign
serving the
community.

"18 District Lo Pan Rice" Campaign - Supporting Organisations (in alphabetic order):

Arche Touch Limited

Bouygues Travaux Publics

Build King Holdings Limited

Cheung Kee Fung Cheung Construction Co. Ltd

Chevalier Group

China State Construction International Holdings Limited

Chinney Construction Co., Ltd.

Chun Wo Construction and Engineering Company Limited

Chun Yip Construction Co., Ltd. & Bordon Construction Co., Ltd.

Construction Charity Fund Integrated Service Centre

CPC Construction Hong Kong Ltd

Dao Kee Construction Co. Ltd

Dragages Hong Kong Ltd

Fraser Construction Company Limited

Gammon Construction Limited

Hip Hing Construction Co Ltd & Vibro (H.K.) Limited

Hip Hing Engineering Company Limited

HKCA Young Members Society

Hong Kong Construction Sub-Contractors Association

K. Wah Construction Materials Ltd.

Kai Tak Sports Park
Kim Hung Construction & Engineering Company Limited
Kowloon Development Engineering Limited
Kum Shing Group
Kwan Lee Holding Limited
LONG Engineering Ltd.
New House Construction Co. Ltd
Paul Y. Engineering Group
Registered Specialist Trade Contractors Federation
Sheung Moon Construction Limited
Shun Yuen Construction Company Limited
Techoy Construction Company Limited
Tysan Foundation Limited
Wecon Limited
Wing Fat Building Construction Limited
Yau Lee Construction Company Limited
Yau Tat Construction Company Limited

"18 District Lo Pan Rice" Campaign - Partnering organisations (in alphabetic order):

Aberdeen Kaifong Welfare Association
Caritas Community Centre, Aberdeen
Caritas Mok Cheung Sui Kun Community Centre
Chinese YMCA of Hong Kong Jordan Centre
Chinese YMCA of Hong Kong New Territories Centre
Christian & Missionary Alliance Blessing Thai Church
Christian Family Service Centre Jockey Club New Estate Support Programme (Sham Shui Po)
Christian National's Evangelism Commission. Kei Shek Social Service Centre
Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui Tung Chung Integrated Services
New Home Association New Territories West Service Centre
NTWJWA-SSDL Pak U Neighbourhood Elderly Centre
The Evangelical Lutheran Church of HK North District Integrated Youth Service Centre
The Evangelical Lutheran Church of HK Tai Wo Integrated Youth Service Centre
The Lok Sin Tong Benevolent Society, Kowloon
Tuen Mun District Women's Association Shan King Service Centre
Yue Kwong Chuen - Hong Kong Housing Society

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About the Construction Industry Council

The Construction Industry Council (CIC) was formed in 2007 under the Construction Industry Council Ordinance (Cap. 587). The CIC consists of a chairman and 24 members representing various sectors of the industry including employers, professionals, academics, contractors, workers, independent persons and Government officials.

The main functions of the CIC are to forge consensus on long-term strategic issues, convey the industry's needs and aspirations to the Government, provide professional training and registration services, and serve as a communication channel between the Government and the construction industry.

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