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Lembah Beringin needs public bus service

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FINALLY, the election fever has subsided. Congratulations to Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad and his Barisan Nasional team for being given the mandate by the rakyat to administer the Government.

Well, I am not affiliated to any political party nor am I a member of any organisation.

Just a member of the public showing support for the Government of the day.

It is also time for the Wakil Rakyat to fulfil promises made by them during the polls campaign.

I am one of the middle class income earners who has purchased a single storey intermediate house in Lembah Beringin near Kerling.

I obtained the keys to the house in August last year but could not move in due to transportation problems. This is not so for those who own a car. About 100 families have already moved in and are enjoying life in their new homes.

As a middle class income earner, I could not afford to buy a car as 50 per cent of my income goes to my housing loan.

My wife and I have been renting a flat for the past one year at RM500 per month.

I believe that I speak on behalf of other house owners staying in that area.

I work in Kuala Lumpur and don't mind travelling daily to work. The only obstacle now is transport.

I did my own homework on the transportation system in Lembah Beringin. Currently the Naeila Bus Company's vehicles are plying the highway daily from Tanjung Malim.

I hope the company can start a service from Lembah Beringin to cater to people who are working in Kuala Lumpur.

Alternatively, they can start some sort of shuttle service from the housing estate to the highway.