PKR Advisory Council chairman Datuk Seri Dr Wan Azizah Wan Ismail posing for a picture with people at the Street Dakwah Programme, which is held in conjunction with the New Year's celebration in Kuala Lumpur on Monday. BERNAMA PIC

Wan Azizah: Give Anwar space to lead

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KUALA LUMPUR: "Keep cool, keep cool."

This is the request, or perhaps advice, from Datuk Seri Dr Wan Azizah Wan Ismail to PKR members on the public disagreement between party president Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim and his deputy, Datuk Seri Azmin Ali, over the recent appointments of PKR's Central Leadership Council members.

Dr Wan Azizah, who is PKR Advisory Council chairman, said she called on party members to give space to Anwar to form a strong party leadership.

She said Anwar made the contested appointments for key positions based on a desire to strengthen ties and unity among PKR members.

"I think (we should let the) president lead the party," she said at the Street Dakwah programme, which was held in conjunction with the New Year's celebration here on Monday.

When asked about the possibility of Azmin contesting the post of PKR president in the future, she said such a scenario would be normal, as would be expected in any democratic political party.