

Sejati Madani programme for villages

KUALA KANGSAR: The implementation of the *Sejahtera Komuniti Madani (Sejati Madani)* programme to empower the community through socioeconomic improvement activities will involve all villages nationwide, said Prime Minister Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim.

"(Through) *Sejati Madani*, we are giving direct responsibility and challenging the villagers to do so, (and) they will each be given an allocation of between RM50,000 and RM100,000.

"The *imam*, village head, *penghulu*, youth association, womenfolk and mosque committee, you get together and discuss it properly.

"I'll give you the funds, you all decide what to do for the benefit of the villagers. You can buy tractors or boats, but the decision is not by one person (but) that of every representative of the village community who can revive the economy," he said at an event with the Padang Rengas community at Dataran Arena Square Pekan Isnin yesterday.

Anwar said RM1 billion has been allocated for the initiative under Budget 2025. - Bernama



Anwar being received on arrival to open the Perak Keadilan Convention in Ipoh yesterday. - **BERNAMAPIC**