

Rally Ends With Scattered Rubbish, Damaged Public Facilities
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KUALA LUMPUR, April 29 (Bernama) -- The rally organised by various non-governmental organisations and opposition parties around the city today ended with rubbish scattered on the roads and public facilities badly damaged.

Plastic bottles, newspapers, food wrappers, posters, brochures were found everywhere on the roads around Jalan Tun Perak, Maybank Tower Square, Merdeka Square, Jalan Tuanku Abdul Rahman and KL Sentral.

Bernama checks around Pudu Sentral near Maybank Tower Square found that the place was turned into a meeting point for the rally participants who came from six different locations.

However, when they were asked by their leaders to leave for Merdeka Square, they just left all their plastic bottles, newspapers, pamphlets and posters scattered in the area.

Several public dumpsters in Jalan Tun Perak were also damaged by the rally participants.

The rear windscreen of a police car parked near the Masjid Jamek LRT station was also smashed when some 2,000 rally participants were marching towards the Merdeka Square.

The rally participants were also heard to have provoked the policemen on duty using vulgar and offensive words.

The gates to the LRT station were also damaged after being rammed by the rally participants in their bids to escape the tear gas.

The chaotic situation also caused several business premises, including Sogo shopping complex, to close their operations early.

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