

**PM: 11 new ETP projects are worth RM6.68bil in investments**  
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PUTRAJAYA: Prime Minister Datuk Seri Najib Tun Razak has announced 11 new National Key Economic Area (NKEA) projects under the Economic Transformation Programme (ETP).

The projects, worth a cumulative RM6.68bil in investments, are expected to rake in a gross national income (GNI) of RM1.129bil and create 40,021 new jobs by 2020.

Among these, five are projects under the Healthcare NKEA, and one each in the NKEA of Oil, Gas, and Energy, Communications Content and Infrastructure, Business Services, Tourism and Education.

The biggest investment among these will be poured on a project to develop the Greater Kuala Lumpur, involving RM5.23bil to 'regenerate and revitalise the old township of Petaling Jaya'.

"The PJ Sentral Garden City development, which will cover some 40acres, is poised to be the new green central business district of Selangor, supporting Kuala Lumpur and other business hubs around the city and state," said Najib.

The property development project under Nusa Gapurna Development Sdn Bhd is expected to drive 36,828 job creations, with a GNI impact of RM522.97mil.

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