

BN Wants To Regain Selangor To Pursue Transformation Programme For The People, Says Najib
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KUALA LUMPUR, April 22 (Bernama) -- The Barisan Nasional (BN) wants to wrest Selangor in the May 5 general election to pursue the coalition's transformation programme for the people in the state, Prime Minister Datuk Seri Najib Tun Razak said Monday.

He said the support from Selangor voters was needed to return BN to power in the state.

"We want the state leadership in Selangor to return to BN's fold. We're tired of the Pakatan Rakyat-led state government (in Selangor).

"If the state government is different from the federal government, it's difficult," he said when speaking to BN supporters at Taman Melawati in Hulu Kelang.

The event was part of the prime minister's nationwide "go down to the grassroots" tour to galvanise support for BN in the May 5 general election.

Najib, who is also BN chairman, spent about 30 minutes mingling with the people at Taman Melawati.

Earlier, the prime minister visited Taman Greenwood in Gombak.

Najib, who is also Selangor BN chairman, said the coalition had fielded candidates who could help the government continue the national transformation programmes for the people's benefit.

Earlier, Najib, who is also Umno president, said the BN government would provide the best service and implement the promises and pledges made in the manifesto at national level and in Selangor.

"The others are saying the manifesto is not a promise. We're saying the manifesto is a promise. That's the BN's difference.

"So, let's work so long there's time and opportunity. We want to make sure we win big on May 5," he said.

Najib urged BN election machinery workers to cooperate and work as one team to secure a resounding victory for the coalition.

"I want all of you to work hard. Work as one team. Put aside all issues that are unfavourable to us, Can you? because we need a federal government that is strong and respected, right?," he asked the crowd, who responded with a thunderous applause, saying "right".

Earlier, Najib, who is also BN chairman, met the people at Taman Greenwood in Gombak.

Najib, who is also Selangor BN chairman, was accompanied by BN's candidate for the Gombak parliamentary seat Datuk Dr Raman Ismail, N. Rawisandran (Batu Caves state seat), Abdul Rahim Kamarudin (Hulu Kelang state seat) and Datuk Said Anuar Said Ahmad

(Gombak Setia).

Majib's children, Nooriyana Najwa and Norashman Razak, also accompanied him. "The mood has been excellent. Everything has been great. I hope it will translate into votes," said Norashman, 22, who was the people's focus of attention during the walkabout today.

Norashman said he would accompany his father throughout the election period.

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