

KUTS ART: Going On Site For Better Planning

“ The only source of knowledge is experience.
- Albert Einstein ”

Thursday, 4 March 2021, Kuching – In anticipation of commencement of the Kuching Urban Transportation System (“KUTS”) project, Maltimur, has taken to going on site to scout several locations for efficient planning of the route and smooth implementation of construction.

Led by Ir. Haji Junaidi Haji Sahadan (Executive Director) and Hossain Kadir (Head, Business Development & Government Affairs), the team conducted a site inspection at Jalan Simpang Tiga yesterday to kick-start this initiative.

By way of background, Maltimur is the PMC for Line 2 of the KUTS ART project from Batu 12 to The Isthmus. The 23.4 km line will go through high traffic areas of Kuching Airport and Jalan Simpang Tiga. To plan well, we need to ensure that the Line’s design meets its multiple objectives and purpose to provide Kuching residents with an efficient transportation system is paramount. For Maltimur, we know that one of the best sources of information is to observe and experience; in this case, understanding the population density in the area, current traffic flows and existing conditions in the future project area / zone.

Surveys are being conducted along Jalan Lapangan Terbang and Jalan Simpang Tiga. These surveys will involve recording active construction works, traffic activity and surrounding properties apart from discussions on potential placement of routes and the interchange station at Jalan Simpang Tiga.

More areas will be surveyed in the coming weeks, to ensure that Maltimur leaves no stone unturned towards delivering a high standard of project management for our clients.

