

# Remaking Our Heartland Ang Mo Kio



## Ang Mo Kio Bridging Nature & Communities



The Remaking Our Heartland (ROH) initiative was launched in 2007 as a blueprint to rejuvenate HDB towns and estates, and transform the heartlands into distinctive and enduring homes for residents. Since then, nine towns and estates have benefited from the initiative – Punggol, Dawson and Yishun in 2007, East Coast, Hougang and Jurong Lake areas in 2011, and Toa Payoh, Pasir Ris and Woodlands in 2015.

Ang Mo Kio, Bukit Merah, Choa Chu Kang and Queenstown are the latest four towns to be identified for renewal. Come discover the exciting plans to transform Ang Mo Kio into an enduring home for all ages!



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the QR code!

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### Draft Master Plan 2025

As Singapore is a city-state with limited land, forward planning is important to ensure that Singapore remains liveable and sustainable. HDB is working closely with the Urban Redevelopment Authority (URA) on the Draft Master Plan 2025 (DMP25), to translate housing strategies developed with Singaporeans in the Long-Term Plan into detailed plans for our future housing estates. We aspire to provide a range of housing options to meet the evolving needs of Singaporeans, as well as create vibrant towns and communities.

We hope to co-develop DMP25 with you to make Singapore an even more liveable, inclusive and enduring home for everyone!

Join us in shaping Singapore's future together! Scan the QR code for more information.



宏茂桥将从“再创我们的家园”计划中受益。请扫描二维码，进一步了解这些令人兴奋的计画，并分享您的意见与反馈！

Ang Mo Kio akan menerima manfaat daripada program Membentuk Semula Kawasan Perumahan (Remaking Our Heartland (ROH)) HDB. Mari ketahui rancangan menarik dan kongsi maklum balas anda melalui kod QR!

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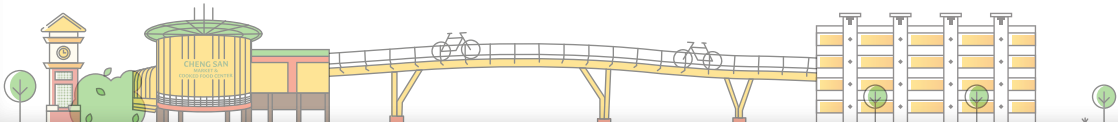
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# Heritage & History of Ang Mo Kio

Developed in the 1970s, Ang Mo Kio was the seventh new town to be built in Singapore. Story has it that the town was named after a village called Kow Tiow Kio (Hokkien for 'nine bridges') which existed in the 1800s. Over the years, Ang Mo Kio has been transformed into a modern and self-sufficient town.

## Pre-1980s



First slab of blocks built in 1973



Neighbourhoods 2 & 3

The development of Ang Mo Kio began in 1973. It is the first town where the HDB flats were built in slab block form. The first groups of flats in the town were built in Neighbourhoods 2 and 3.

## 1980s onwards



Ang Mo Kio Town Centre in the 1980s



Blk 259, Clover Block

By the early 1980s, a 29-hectare town centre was introduced, making it one of the largest HDB Town Centres built. In 1981, Block 259, HDB's only block of circular flats, was built.

## 1990s onwards



Revitalised Town Centre



Teck Ghee Vista

In 2007, AMK Hub was opened and more shops, F&B and entertainment options were introduced to revitalise the Town Centre.

After the 2000s, public housing styles also evolved into distinct high-rise point blocks that stand out against the relatively uniform slab blocks developed in the 70s and 80s.

# Public Engagement Journey

In drawing up the rejuvenation plans for Ang Mo Kio, HDB actively engaged residents and other stakeholders to seek their views. Over three rounds of engagement sessions held between 2020 and 2021, close to 400 participants came forward to share ideas to transform Ang Mo Kio.

We thank everyone who has participated in the engagement sessions for sharing your views on how we can improve Ang Mo Kio together. Wherever possible, we will take them into consideration as we design and implement the plans for the town.



## Ideas from E-Survey and Focus Group Discussions

<b>Accessibility &amp; Connectivity</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improve connectivity &amp; walking experience between Town Centre &amp; Town Gardens within Ang Mo Kio</li> <li>Barrier Free Access (BFA)</li> <li>Upgrade street benches (e.g. sheltered seating areas)</li> <li>Improve entrance markers</li> </ul>	<b>Facilities &amp; Amenities</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Revitalize under-utilised spaces</li> <li>Improve Town Garden Facilities</li> </ul>	<b>Greenery</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>More greenery &amp; landscaping</li> <li>Implement nature-based activity spaces</li> </ul>
<b>Health &amp; Wellness</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Multi-generational facilities &amp; community gathering spaces/activities</li> <li>Jointly develop design of facilities that residents use regularly</li> </ul>	<b>Heritage &amp; Memories</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>More community art &amp; murals</li> <li>Introduce heritage trails within Ang Mo Kio</li> </ul>	



Screenshots from the online focus group discussions, capturing residents' views and suggestions

<b>Impression of Ang Mo Kio Today</b> Community Spirit Strong Tranquil Well Connected Modern Heartland Green Heritage Sustainable Convenient Old nostalgic Active Strong	<b>Vision for the Future</b> Modern Elderly-Friendly Sustainable Smart close to Nature Strong
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宏茂桥镇始建于1973年，是建屋局开发的第七个市镇。在复兴计划草拟的过程中，建屋局积极征求居民和其他利益相关者的意见。迄今已有近400人提出了宝贵意见，对此我们十分感谢！

Ang Mo Kio telah dibangunkan sebagai Bandar HDB ke-7 pada tahun 1973. Dalam merangka pelan penyegeran, HDB secara aktif melitakat nara penduduk dan pihak berkepentingan yang lain. Kami menghargai hampir 400 orang peserta telah tampil untuk menyumbang idea.

அங்கமோ கியோ 1973-இல் 7வது வீடக நகரமாக உருவாக்கப்பட்டது. புதுமைப்படுத்தல் திட்டங்களை வடிவத்தில், வீடகப்படி உணர்ச்சிக் கவனத்தை (வீடக) குடியிருப்பவர்கள் மற்றும் பிற பங்குதாரர்களை தீவிரமாக ஈடுபடுத்துதல். சுமார் 400 பங்குதாரர்கள் யோசனைகளை வழங்கி உணர்வுநகரத்தை நமங்கள் பாராட்டுகிறோம்.

# Bridging Nature & Communities

Adjacent to the Central Catchment Nature Reserve, Bishan-Ang Mo Kio Park and iconic town gardens, Ang Mo Kio presents many opportunities for residents to connect with nature and develop a strong community identity.

The four Big Ideas guiding the revitalisation of Ang Mo Kio are as shown below.

- Rejuvenating the Heart of Ang Mo Kio**
  - Upgrading of Pedestrian Mall at the Town Centre; Creation of Garden Loop
  - Upgrading of Town Garden West
- Every Neighbourhood a Destination**
  - Neighbourhood 6 Open Space Upgrading
  - Neighbourhood Centre Upgrading (ROH)
  - Neighbourhood Centre Upgrading (NRP)
  - Art Murals
  - Heritage Trail Markers
- Everywhere is Easily Accessible**
  - MRT Stations
  - New Walking and Cycling Bridges
  - North-South Corridor
  - Ang Mo Kio Avenue 8 Linear Park
  - Gateway Enhancement
  - Friendly Streets at Ang Mo Kio Street 31
- Growing Our Community**
  - New Housing Developments



宏茂桥“再兴我们的家园”计划旨在建立居民和大自然之间的联系，打造深厚的社区认同感。计划将通过以下“四大理念”实现：

- 宏茂桥中心的复兴
- 每个邻里都是目的地
- 更加便利的出行
- 培育我们的社区

ROH AMK bertujuan untuk menghubungkan para penduduk dengan alam semula jadi dan membangunkan identiti komuniti yang kukuh, melalui 4 Idea Utama:

- Menyegerakan Pusat Bandar Ang Mo Kio
- Setiap Kawasan Kejiranan adalah Destinasi Idaman
- Semua Tempat Boleh Diakses dengan Mudah
- Membangunkan Komuniti Kita

AMK ROH ஆகத்து 4 பெரிய யோசனைகள் மூலம் குடியிருப்பவர்களை இயற்கையுடன் இணைத்து ஒழுங்கான சமூக அடையாளத்தை உருவாக்குவதை நோக்கமாகக் கொண்டுள்ளது.

- அங்கமோ கியோவின் மையத்திற்குப் புத்துயிர் அளித்தல்
- ஒவ்வொரு அகம்பக்கமும் ஒரு இலக்கிடமாகும்
- எல்லா இடங்களையும் எளிதாக அணுகலாம்
- நமது சமூகத்தை வளர்த்தல்.

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