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## **DBKU** launches innovative initiatives

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**KUCHING:** Kuching North City Commission (DBKU) launched four innovative initiatives in conjunction with its innovation day celebration yesterday.

State Secretary Datuk Amar Mohd Morshidi Ghani launched the four initiatives — e-Pesanan Kontrak (e-Pec), Kuching North Geographical Information System (Gisku), Trees Inventory System (SIP), and the DBKU 'War Cry'.

e-Pec is a new electronic system that includes monitoring the process from a customer's application, to payment, and delivery of services.

The system is expected to improve delivery and payment to customers within 14 days, in line with the government's directive.

Gisku is an information system fully developed by DBKU's planning department that contains 68 maps of land usage for 49 spatial data under DBKU

jurisdiction.

It will provide comprehensive information for uses such as tourism, education and research, physical and social planning and development, businesses and industries.

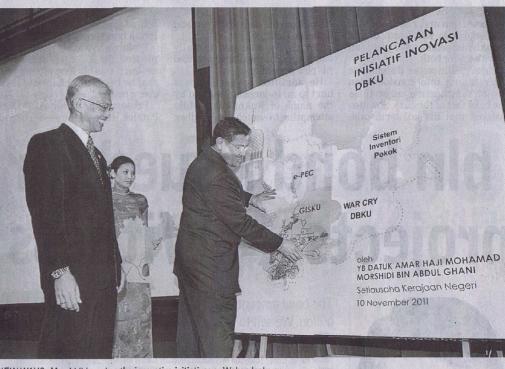
SIP answers the call by Chief Minister Pehin Sri Abdul Taib Mahmud to turn DBKU into a garden city, and acts to preserve and maintain all heritage trees.

A smart partnership between

DBKU's landscape section and the Forestry Research Institute Malaysia (FRIM), the system will be an inventory to record all trees under DBKU's jurisdiction, including height, diameter, shade distance, picture and schedule for routine checks.

The system will enable DBKU to conduct hazard risk assessments of all trees under its jurisdiction for a more effective and systematic tree monitoring system.

The DBKU War Cry is 'All of One, One For All' and 'We Swim and Sink Together'.



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