

# Rebuilding the People's Malaysia

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# Threats to the Idea of Malaysia

- ▶ Malay and Islamic Extremism undermining the Nation's constitution
- ▶ Public university academia support for extremism
- ▶ Formation of a "BACK-DOOR" government
- ▶ Introverted and exclusive education
- ▶ Non-sharing of spiritual values
- ▶ Refusing a shared history
- ▶ Unimaginative economic structure
- ▶ Unprofessional civil institution

# Strategies for Malaysia

- ▶ Rebuild Malaysia within a Malaysia
- ▶ Civil engagement with all stakeholders
- ▶ Constructing the third political force

# Rebuilding Malaysia within a Malaysia

- ▶ Educate ourselves. Learn and unlearn. Learn about each other's culture and faith. Unlearn our own baggage of history, politics and culture
- ▶ Teach our young ones through holiday camps about "diversity as strength in spiritual and economic perspectives".
- ▶ Private universities must have forums of the new Malaysian spirit of togetherness and inter-reliance of race, cultures and faiths
- ▶ Celebrate our own heroes by having competitions and acknowledgement
- ▶ Educate and reeducate ourselves about our shared history and heritage of buildings, peoples, art and tradition; publish our own books, make our own YouTube videos

# Civil Engagement

- ▶ Civil society engage UMNO, PAS, ISMA, IKRAM, ABIM, JAKIM, JAIS
- ▶ Civil society engage civil institutions
- ▶ Civil society set up shadow cabinets
- ▶ Civil society set up 'People's Parliament' not Party's Parliament
- ▶ Civil society engagement with important personalities
- ▶ Civil society garner 1,000,000 united voices
- ▶ Civil society garner 500,000 university student voice
- ▶ Civil society helping Madrasa and Tahfiz with infrastructure and teaching world skills
- ▶ Civil society cultivating media support and rebuild their own media infrastructure

# Constructing the Third Political Force

- ▶ Setting up a training Institute for independent candidates for Parliament and ADUN
- ▶ Discussion with existing political parties not in the government
- ▶ Identifying key political leadership personalities that has potential to lead
- ▶ Creating strategic funding for GE15
- ▶ Building a coalition of Independents-Political Parties (50% - 50%)
- ▶ A shared people's manifesto within one year from today

# We must be the Bridge between Civilisations

- ▶ We have high-tech smart phones, but fail in communicating with each other
- ▶ We have to develop a common 'language' of discussion
- ▶ We have to understand each other's faith, history and culture
- ▶ We have to cross into other civilisations and let others cross into ours
- ▶ We have to reeducate and retrain our minds, and Self
- ▶ We must have a common future of strength, wealth and harmony

# We must be the Defender of Those who Believe in Dignity for ALL

- ▶ We must stand for our rights
- ▶ We must make ourselves be heard by leaders and others
- ▶ We must nurture the new enlightened society of young and adult
- ▶ We must defend and support our civil society institutions, groups and individuals
- ▶ We must nurture a new leadership



# Values that we must live by

- ▶ Work together towards a common future of health, prosperity and a dignified existence
- ▶ Reinterpret our past towards a narrative of 'berat sama dipikul, ringan sama dijinjing
- ▶ Reconstruct our education towards critical thinking citizenry ready to learn new things, unlearn past conflicts and embrace present blessings
- ▶ Remind ourselves that this country belong to us and not them
- ▶ Our Country...Our Fault....Our Responsibility