Taking a Seat at the Planning Table

When a piece of land is available for a variety of uses, how does one decide which group gets it? How can we expose students to the intricate issues of land use planning in an interesting and engaging manner? By providing them with real-life examples and “live” sites to plan for of course!

The URA “Be Planners for a Day” programme was conducted during the June school holidays with sixty students from Anglican High School and Riverside Secondary School tasked with creating urban solutions for a “live” site that best meet the needs of residents and various community groups.

More Help, Stronger Support and Better Homes

Four additional measures were introduced to help middle-income Singaporeans afford their first home and low-income families upgrade to larger flats, and to facilitate mutual care and support for multi-generation families. In addition, two measures were introduced to further stabilize the HDB resale market.

Sino–Singapore Tianjin Eco-City Turns 5!

Now into its fifth year, the Sino-Singapore Tianjin Eco-city is well on track to becoming a gleaming new city in place of what used to be non-arable land consisting of salt pans, a deserted beach and a wastewater pond. We spoke with Singaporeans working on the project to share what makes the Eco-city and their experience working there so special.

Getting It Right

With strong consumer interest in properties, more potential buyers and sellers would like to get up to speed on the key considerations in property transactions to help them to make informed decisions. With this in mind, a new quarterly Get it Right! CEA-CASE Consumer Seminar Series was launched.

Greening Schools for Biodiversity!

A new initiative by NParks “Greening Schools for Biodiversity” aims to bring more biodiversity to schools. Participating schools will be assisted by experts from NUS, the Nature Society (Singapore), ButterflyCircle and NParks to conduct a biodiversity audit and implement plans to attract more biodiversity to their grounds.

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