

**MEDIA RELEASE**

## TEMPORARY LANE CLOSURES FOR THE MRT PROJECT

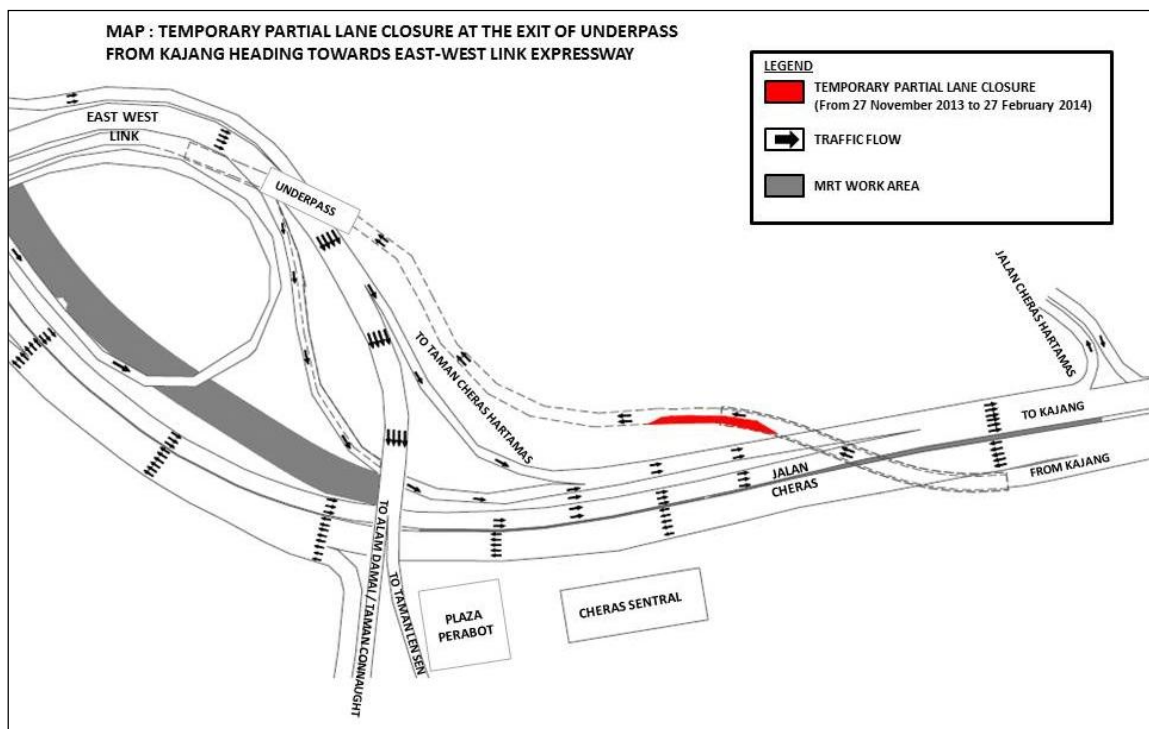
**Kuala Lumpur, 25 November 2013:** Mass Rapid Transit Corporation (MRT Corp) wishes to announce the following closures:

**i. Temporary partial lane closure of underpass towards the east west link expressway**

There will be a temporary partial closure of the left lane of the underpass daily from **Kajang heading towards East West Link Expressway from 27 November 2013 to 27 February 2014.**

The affected stretch of the lane is 150m long.

This temporary closure is necessary to facilitate the soil investigation and piloting works for the construction of MRT piers and the Plaza Phoenix MRT station (*See map below and attached*).

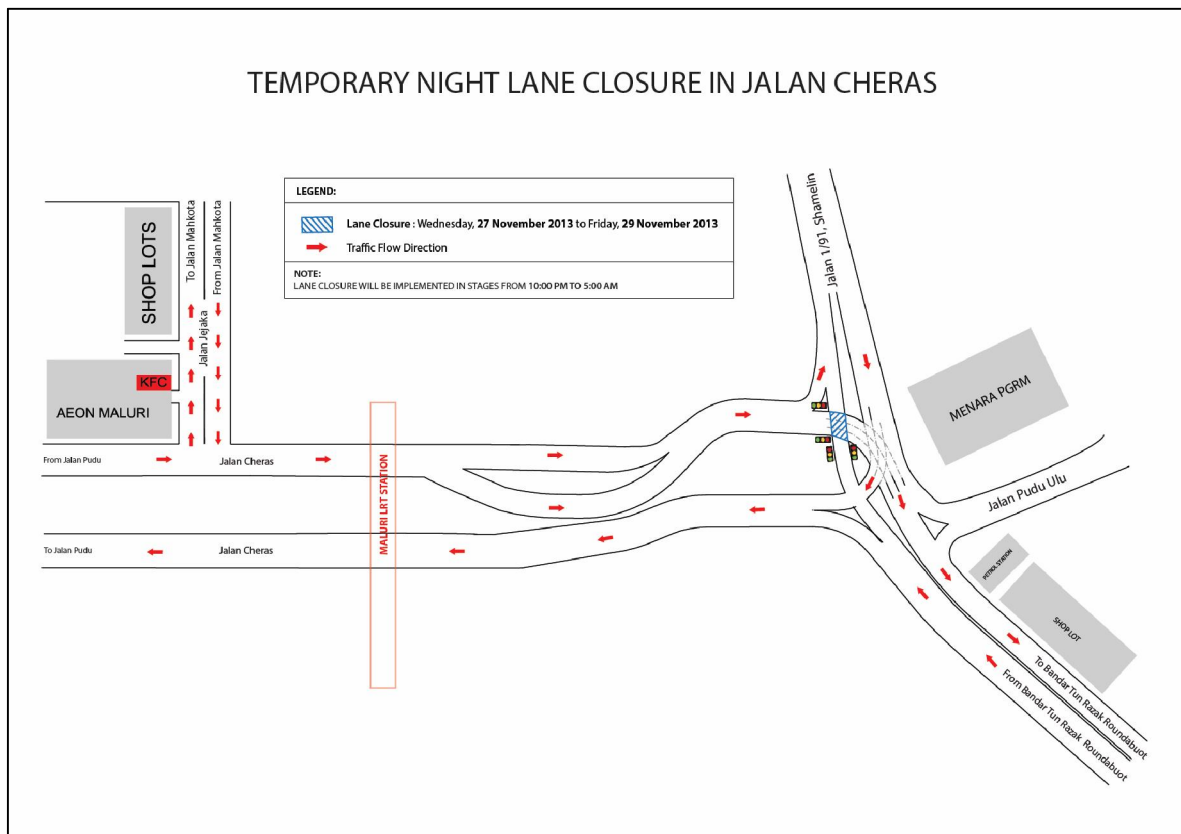


**ii. Night lane closures on Jalan Cheras**

There will be night lane closures on Jalan Cheras-Jalan 1/91 Shamelin traffic light intersection in front of Menara PGRM to facilitate road repairing works from **27 November 2013 till 29 November 2013**.

The closures, involving the three lanes of Jalan Cheras and also Jalan 1/91 Shamelin, will be implemented in stages from 10:00pm till 5:00 am. Only one lane will be closed at any one time.

Please see appended map on the closure.





## **About the MRT Project**

*MRT is a new rail transport system for the Klang Valley. It is part of the government's Greater Kuala Lumpur/Klang Valley's National Key Economic Area (NKEA), under the Economic Transformation Programme. The Sungai Buloh – Kajang (SBK) Line runs for 51kms, from the north-west town of Sg Buloh to the south-east city town of Kajang. Upon completion, it will comprise 31 stations, and serve 1.2 million people along the route. It will also have strategic integration with KL's existing rail transport network, namely the LRT, Monorail and KTM Komuter, as well as intra and inter-city bus routes. The end result will be better connectivity for KL and its surrounding cities, while reducing the number of cars that enter the capital.*

*MRT Corp wishes to apologise for any temporary inconvenience caused to the public during the construction of this world-class public transport facility that will benefit Malaysians at large. For more information on traffic diversion, the public can visit the MRT website at [www.mymrt.com.my](http://www.mymrt.com.my) or [www.mymrt-underground.com.my](http://www.mymrt-underground.com.my), twitter @MRTMalaysia or twitter @MyMRT Underground or call the MRT Hotline at 1-800-82-6868.*

*Motorists are reminded to drive carefully near MRT worksites and to follow directional signs. Safety barriers, hoardings and traffic cones will be installed at the work sites to ensure road users and pedestrians are well-informed of on-going works. In addition, a 24-hour MRT Ronda will be patrolling along the routes to attend to any emergencies.*

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