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# Jinjang park needs urgent repairs

RESIDENTS of Taman Jinjang Baru in Kepong want the damage to their local park amenities to be repaired without further delay.

Two months ago, heavy rains caused a tree to fall, prompting Kuala Lumpur City Hall (DBKL) to hire a contractor to remove the other trees that were at risk of falling.

However, during the removal, trees fell onto three concrete benches along with a metal exercise bar.

The incident raised concerns among the local community, particularly from local activist,

Yee Poh Ping.

Yee is now seeking compensation or replacements from the contractor.

"These amenities are essential for the community, especially for the elderly who rely on them for their morning and evening exercises," he said.

Residents who witnessed the incident informed Yee that they were unhappy because no action had been taken to rectify the situation even after two months since it happened.

Yee is also advocating for the removal of tree roots that are a hazard to park visitors.

There are five trees with roots protruding above the ground.

"It is particularly dangerous for the elderly," Yee said, urging for a comprehensive cleanup to ensure public safety.

Resident Tan Fai Chao, 70, said it was too dangerous for him and other residents to walk and exercise there.

"We hope DBKL will remove all the trees with exposed roots and flatten the ground," he said.

Yee also hoped DBKL would upgrade the park's equipment and beautify the entire area.



Damaged concrete benches in the Taman Baru Jinjang park.