

## Towngas Electrical Toilet Washlet Donation Programme makes life better for the needy

Encouraging applications from elderly service and rehabilitation units for free washlet installation

(11 July 2016) As a total caring company, The Hong Kong and China Gas Company Limited (Towngas) has been running the Electrical Toilet Washlet Donation Programme since 2013 to donate electrical toilet washlets for local elderly service and rehabilitation units, aiming to enhance the self-care ability and self-esteem of those who require special attention, while easing the workload of caretakers. As the programme enters its fourth year, eligible charitable institutions are welcomed to apply.

Initiated and led by Towngas Managing Director Alfred Chan, who together with the team from Managing Director Office prepared hot dog sets for charity sale. The internal fundraising event is supported by heart-warming donations raised by Towngas employees. The fund raised was matched by Chan, and the sum was further matched with the contributions by the company in support the Towngas Electrical Washlet Donation Programme. The programme reinforces the company's uncompromising commitment to paving a sustainable future for Hong Kong and over 200 electrical toilet washlets have been installed at service units since its inception.

The high-tech and ergonomically designed electrical toilet washlet enables users to wash and blow-dry themselves while remaining seated after finishing on the toilet. It offers significant help in unassisted use of the toilet for the elderly, handicapped and disabled, maintaining the dignity, independence and quality of life they deserve. Its heat seat function also provides great comfort in the winter.

All elderly service and rehabilitation units operated by approved local charitable institutions and trusts of a public character are eligible to apply for the donation during the fourth programme year. The application form is available for download on <a href="www.towngas.com">www.towngas.com</a>. Towngas will arrange a site visit to ensure suitability before installation. Once approved, the donation will also include installation of the washlet(s) with one-year warranty.

## Photo caption:



Towngas team is united to contribute to the society!

Towngas Managing Director Alfred Chan (centre) and his wife, who together with the colleagues from Managing Director Office prepared "love-filled" hot dog sets for charity sale, and their kind gesture has received wholehearted support from the employees. The donation raised was matched by Alfred, and the sum was further matched with the contributions by the company's Charity Foundation Fund in support of the Towngas Electrical Toilet Washlet Donation Programme targeting local elderly service and rehabilitation units.

For programme details and application, please visit <u>www.towngas.com</u>.

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