

## Towngas Introduces the Dining Coupon Scheme to Support the Underprivileged and the Catering Industry

(13 May 2022) The fifth wave of the COVID-19 epidemic has taken a particularly heavy toll on local grassroots, as well as the catering industry. In light of the situation, the Hong Kong and China Gas Company Limited (Towngas) has launched a HK\$10-million Dining Coupon Scheme, under which every account holder who has joined the Towngas Concession Scheme will be entitled to a set of dining coupons worth HK\$200, benefiting an estimate of 50,000 households in Hong Kong. The coupons can be used at around 600 branches of the participating restaurants. Through the Scheme, Towngas hopes to provide more direct support to the underprivileged and boost local consumption, so that Hong Kong can get over the dire situation caused by the epidemic soon.

Towngas Concession Scheme has been helping groups in need, including the elderly, people with disabilities, single-parent families and low-income families. All account holders who have been successfully approved for the Towngas Concession Scheme before 30 April 2022 are eligible to receive the dining coupons with no additional registration needed. Towngas will send the coupons to the correspondence addresses of all eligible customers (Note: the coupons are expected to arrive by 15 May, but the postal service could be delayed due to the ongoing epidemic).

Mr Daniel Fung Man-kit, the Head of Strategy & Innovation and Commercial - HK Utilities of Towngas, remarked, "Towngas has always taken its corporate social responsibility very seriously and understands that the epidemic has affected the livelihood of the grassroots, who need support from all sectors of the community. Towngas is looking forward that this Dining Coupon Scheme can help alleviate the pressure on the underprivileged," Mr Fung added that the catering industry has always been a close partner of Towngas. While the industry has been the first to bear the brunt of the epidemic, he hopes the Scheme will help the industry recover as soon as possible.

Towngas would also like to remind customers that each coupon has its own expiry date, as well as terms and conditions on usage. For enquiries, please call the Towngas Customer Service Hotline at 2880 6988.

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## Press Photos:

Photo 1:



Mr Daniel Fung Man-kit, the Head of Strategy & Innovation and Commercial - HK Utilities of Towngas, hopes that the Dining Coupon Scheme will alleviate the difficulties faced by the disadvantaged groups and the catering industry in the face of the epidemic.

Photo 2:



Each eligible Towngas account holder will be given 7 dining coupons with a total value of HK\$200, which can be used at designated restaurants.

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