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Jalan Ampang LANDSLIDE JITTERS

City Hall and Ikram to carry out remedial works after six months

THE inaction of the authorities over a landslide incident in Jalan Ampang six months ago is causing jitters among the public.

Two landslides occurred on May 7, but apart from torn blue plastic sheets placed to cover loose soil, no further work appears to have taken place. Worse still, many now fear another landslide may occur in light of the rainy season.

The Wariseni Gallery which is located next to the landslide area has been worst affected by the incident.

Gallery owner NORAZALIA ZAINUDDIN says her business has been slow because people are reluctant to visit her store as it is just behind the landslide area.

"When the landslide occurred, City Hall closed the road for a week to clear the debris and remove tree branches.

"The landslide area behind Wariseni is getting worse and one can often see boulders and soil slipping whenever it rains."

NORAZALIA's gallery is just behind a Tenaga Nasional Malaysia Berhad substation and she fears something major may happen if action is delayed.

"City Hall shut down a car park and public toilet next to the landslide area and had also suggested I temporarily cease business. But this

is my source of income, how can I close my business?" NORAZALIA says.

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Observations by the Hotline Roving Team in the area reveal:

- 1) Rocks and soil from the forest reserve area have damaged the metal fencing around the area
- 2) Plastic sheets put up to prevent high volume of rain water from seeping into the soil are tattered
- 3) Uprooted trees behind Wariseni Gallery



The Wariseni Gallery and TNB substation are just next to the landslide area