

HELPING HAND

Small gestures can mean so much

I APPLAUD AmBank Group chairman Tan Sri Azman Hashim for providing financial assistance to the needy through the bank's MyKasih "Love My Neighbourhood" programme ("AmBank helps ease grocery bills" — NST, Nov 5).

Unemployed housewife Zubaidah Hanim who has 14 children and a sick husband, was among the 50 needy families selected as a recipient under the programme.

An amount of RM40 will be credited into Zubaidah's MyKasih account twice a month for her groceries purchases at Pasaraya OTK in Menara Sentul.

I am sure she and the others are also getting some kind of financial aid from the government as well.

The assistance provided by AmBank Group may not be much, but it is definitely nice to see that Malaysians seriously in need of financial aid are not being ignored.

Now, wouldn't it be great if all financial institutions and cash-rich public companies did what AmBank is doing?

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