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## Po Toi Country Park Campaign

Po Toi is the southern-most island of Hong Kong. The famous geological and geomorphological features such as the Coffin Rock, Palm Cliff and Tortoise Climbing up the Mountain attract many hikers. Meanwhile, it is a natural habitat of the endemic Romer's Tree Frog which is internationally endangered. The special geographical location together with the natural environment makes the island a crucial refueling stop for migratory birds. More than 300 species - 60% of the Hong Kong Total - have been recorded from the island.

In early 2012 workers cleared vegetation on the island and put hundreds of concrete slabs on Po Toi, damaging the landscape and ecological value. In fact, the Planning Department has suggested in 2001 that Po Toi Islands should be zoned as Country Park but this has never happened.

Designating Country Park for Po Toi is the best way to protect its landscape, ecological, cultural and recreational values from destruction.

We support the 『Po Toi Country Park Campaign』 initiated by Hong Kong Bird Watching Society. We urge you to express your views by putting the "Support Po Toi Country Park" logo on your photos of Po Toi's scenic views, cultural and recreational activities, animals and plants etc and send together with your comments to the Town Planning Board ([tpbpd@pland.gov.hk](mailto:tpbpd@pland.gov.hk)) and AFCD ([mailbox@afcd.gov.hk](mailto:mailbox@afcd.gov.hk)). Please enter <http://www.facebook.com/SupportPoToi> for details.

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