

## Sayyid Al-Hakeem encourages active upcoming elections participation, advises against succumbing to discouragement



Sayyid Ammar Al-Hakeem, the head of Al-Hikma National Movement, held a meeting with the elders and tribal leaders of Al Shibil clans in both Baghdad and Al-Forat Al-Awsat (South-west) region. Sheikh Majbil Al Hussein Zghair led this gathering. During this meeting, Sayyid Al-Hakeem expressed his gratitude for their presence and acknowledged the effort they had put into traveling to attend. After carefully listening to their insights and contributions, H.E. commended the pivotal role played by these tribes in the fight against dictatorship, the battle against terrorism, and the development of the modern Iraqi state. H.E. discussed the effects of serving the visitors of Abu Abdullah Al-Hussein "PBUH" and their dedication and excellence in the service which gets better year after another, where H.E. called to adhere to the service and maintaining it as it's a symbol of loyalty to Ahl Al-Bayt "PBUH" and as a testament to the commitment of the Iraqi people to the reform project and its advancement.

H.E. firmly emphasized the rejection of divisive voices that target religious communities and distort their image, attempting to portray them as responsible for societal discord. H.E. reiterated that Iraq has successfully navigated numerous challenges and that its achievements are the direct result of the significant sacrifices and tireless efforts of its citizens. H.E. illustrated the importance of a pivotal shift in perception, both regionally and internationally, with regard to Iraq's current reality.

H.E. illustrated that Iraq is currently enjoying stability across the political, social, security, and economic spectrum. H.E. urged citizens to actively participate in the upcoming elections, as this would facilitate the selection of an impartial and capable provincial council, ultimately leading to appointing a governor possessing the same qualities as the council itself. H.E. also drew attention to the financial prosperity that would contribute to an enhanced state of public services and economic development. H.E. cautioned against the influence of a media apparatus designed to disseminate pessimism and deter citizens from participating in the elections. H.E. remained confident that Iraq would soon overcome its challenges, citing several strategic projects, including the national gas production initiative carried out in collaboration with major industry players.