

**Regular Meeting of the Sister Cities Committee
December 17, 2025 at 4:00 PM
Tourism Conference Room
Santa Fe Community Convention Center
201 West Marcy Street
MINUTES**

1. Call to Order

The Sister Cities Meeting was called to order by Carol Robertson-Lopez at 4:00 PM, on Wednesday, December 17, 2025, in the TSF Conference Room, 201 W. Marcy Street, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

2. Roll Call

MEMBERS PRESENT

Stuart Ashman
Jeff Case
Ron Press
Carol Robertson Lopez
Peter Ives

MEMBERS EXCUSED

Kerri Cottle
Satori Murata
Devandra Contractor

OTHER PARTICIPANTS ATTENDING

Randy Randall, TSF Executive Director
Mara Harris, Guest

3. Approval of Agenda

MOTION A motion was made by Ashman, seconded by Press, to approve the Agenda as presented. The motion was approved as a voice vote.

4. Approval of Minutes

a. Sister Cities Minutes - Sept. 17, 2025

MOTION A motion was made by Ashman, seconded by Case, to approve the minutes as presented. The motion was approved as a voice vote.

5. Action Items

a. Approval of 2026 Sister Cities Schedule

MOTION A motion was made by Press, seconded by Ashman, to approve the 2026

Schedule as presented.

VOTE The motion was approved on a voice vote.

6. Matters from Staff

- a. TOURISM Santa Fe Updates (Randy Randall, TSF Executive Director, rrandall@santafenm.gov)

Presented.

7. Matters from the Committee

- a. Santa Fe de la Vega, Spain (Peter Ives, peternelsonives@gmail.com)

Presented an update.

- b. Parrell, Mexico (Ron Press, ripres@earthlink.net)

Update presented.

- c. Icheon, South Korea (Jeff Case, drjcase@comcast.net)

Presented update.

- d. Tsuyama, Japan (Satori Murata, satorimurata@gmail.com)

- e. Livingston, Zambia (Kerri Cottle, kacottle@gmail.com)

- f. Holguin, Cuba (Stuart Ashman, stuart@artesdecuba.com)

Update presented.

- g. Bukhara, Uzbekistan & Zhangijajie, China (Carol Robertson-Lopez, crobertsonlopez@comcast.net)

Update provided.

8. Next Meeting: January 21, 2026

9. Adjourn

_____Chair

Shirley Spencer

_____Liaison