



AGENDA

REGULAR MEETING OF
SISTER CITIES COMMITTEE
MAY 15, 2024
4:00 PM
TOURISM CONFERENCE ROOM
CONVENTION CENTER
MARCY STREET

PROCEDURES FOR THE SISTER CITIES COMMITTEE MEETING

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1. **CALL TO ORDER**
2. **ROLL CALL**
3. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**
 - a. Sister Cities Minutes – March 20, 2024
4. **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**
5. **MATTERS FROM STAFF**
 - A. Updates from TOURISM Santa Fe (Randy Randall, TSF Executive Director, rrandall@santafenm.gov, 505-955-6209)

6. MATTERS FROM THE COMMITTEE

- a. Santa Fe de la Vega, Spain update (Peter Ives, peternelsonives@gmail.com)
- b. Parral, Mexico Update (Ron Press, ripress@earthlink.net)
- c. Icheon, South Korea Update (Jeff Case, drjcase@comcast.net)
- d. Sorento, Italy Update (John Di Ruggiero, jdiru@me.com)
- e. San Miguel De Allende, Mexico Update (John Self, servicedoc@yahoo.com)
- f. Tsuyama, Japan Update (Satori Murata, saorimurata@gmail.com)
- g. Judith Moir Communications (Judenewmex@gmail.com)
- h. Livingston, Zambia Update (Kerri Cottle, kerriacottle@gmail.com)
- i. Young Authors and Artists Showcase Discussion (Kerri Cottle, Kerriacottle@gmail.com)
- j. Holguin, Cuba Update (Stuart Ashman, stuart@artesdecuba.com)
- k. Bukhara, Uzbekistan & Zhangjiajie, China (Carol Robertson-Lopez, Sister Cities Chair, crobertsonlopez@comcast.net)
- l. Partnering with Global Santa Fe on Student Diplomacy Program Update (Carol Robertson-Lopez, Sister Cities Chair, crobertsonlopez@comcast.net)

7. ADJOURN

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- 8. NEXT MEETING: Wednesday, June 19, 2024**



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1. **CALL TO ORDER**

Meeting called to order at 4:02PM

2. **ROLL CALL**

Members Present:

Member Carol Robertson Lopez
Member Kerri Cottle
Member Judith Moir
Member Ron Press
Member Peter Ives
Member Satori Murata
Member John Self
Member John Di Ruggiero

Members Excused:

Member Stuart Ashman
Member Jeff Case
Member Devendra Narayan Contractor

Others Attending:

Shirley Spencer, Clerk
Randy Randall, Staff

3. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

- a. February 21, 2024 Minutes

MOTION: Member Judith Moir moved, seconded by Member John Self, to approve the minutes as presented.

VOTE: The motion was on the following Roll Call vote:

For: Member Carol Robertson Lopez, Member Kerri Cottle, Member Judith Moir, Member Ron Press, Member Peter Ives, Member Satori Murata, Member John Self, Member John Di Ruggiero



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Against: None

4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION: Member Judith Moir moved, seconded by Member John Self, to approve the agenda as presented.

VOTE: The motion was approved on the following Roll Call vote:

For: Member Carol Robertson Lopez, Member Kerri Cottle, Member Judith Moir, Member Ron Press, Member Peter Ives, Member Satori Murata, Member John Self, Member John Di Ruggerio

Against: None

5. MATTERS FROM STAFF

- A. Updates from TOURISM Santa Fe (Randy Randall, TSF Executive Director, rrandall@santafenm.gov, 505-955-6209)

Signage still be worked. Airport, Railyard and SFCCC corner are possible signage locations.

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

No update at this time – Stuart Ashman is currently in Cuba.



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Parral, Mexico point of contract interested in coming to Santa Fe.
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7. **NEXT MEETING: April 17 2024**

8. **ADJOURN**

Meeting adjourned at 5:04PM

Shirley Spencer

Stenographer/Liaison

Chair



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