

AGENDA
and Schedule "A"
to the Minutes of the
INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE
meeting held
Wednesday, July 13, 2016
at 3:00 o'clock p.m.
Walkerville Meeting Room, 3rd floor, City Hall

1. **CALL TO ORDER**

2. **MINUTES**

Adoption of the minutes of the meeting held April 7, 2016 – **attached**.

3. **DECLARATIONS OF CONFLICT**

4. **PRESENTATION**

Mr. Greg Zhang, President, ABODA Investments Inc., Chang Cheung, China

5. **BUSINESS ITEMS**

5.1 **Draft Budget for Twin Cities – City of Windsor's 125th Birthday Celebration**

The Council Assistant to provide an update.

5.2 **FINA**

The Council Assistant to provide an update.

5.3 **Visit of the Misono Students from Fujisawa, Japan**

The exchange students from the Misono School located in our twin city of Fujisawa, Japan will be arriving in Windsor on July 24, 2016. The students will be visiting City Hall on Wednesday, July 27, 2016 at 1:00 o'clock p.m.

6. **COMMUNICATIONS**

6.1 E-mail dated June 17, 2016 from Hideomi Kawazoe, Fujisawa, Japan regarding the 30th Anniversary of the Twin City relationship between the City of Fujisawa and the City of Windsor and the planting of a Cherry Blossom tree **attached**.

6.2 **Gunsan, Korea – Art Exchange Project**

E-mail from An Yeonha, Gunsan dated June 8, 2016 regarding a children's art exchange program between the City of Windsor and the City of Gunsan – **attached**.

6.3 **Changchun, China Sister-City Marathon and the International Agricultural Expo**

E-mail from James (Zhou Yao) dated June 2, 2016 – **attached.**

Note: The invitation to attend the International Agricultural Expo to be held in August 2016 has been forwarded to the Windsor Essex County Development Commission.

6.4 National Sister Cities Conference – September 14-16, 2016

Itinerary from the “Making Connections 2016 National Sister Cities Conference” to be held from September 14-16, 2016 in Thunder Bay, Ontario – **attached.**

7. CONFIRM AND RATIFY E-MAIL POLLS

- 7.1 That **APPROVAL BE GIVEN** to an expenditure in the upset amount of \$518.50 to cover the discounted admission cost of tickets (\$8.50 per person) for 56 students along with three teachers and two escorts from the Misono School in Fujisawa, Japan to enjoy Adventure Bay at the Windsor International Aquatic Training Centre.

8. NEW BUSINESS

9. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

To be determined.

10. ADJOURNMENT