



Sister Cities Committee

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May 28, 2020

Federation of Croatian Societies, Inc.
Attn: Nevenka Lutzow Bralic
4444 North 110th Street
Wauwatosa, WI 53225

Dear Ms. Lutzow Bralic:

Re: Expiration of the sister city relationship with Zadar, Croatia

This is notification that the sister city relationship with the City of Milwaukee and Zadar, Croatia expired on May 12, 2020. Per section 335-7 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances, no later than 6 months prior to the expiration of a sister city relationship, the sponsoring entity may submit a renewal application to the city clerk on a form prepared by the committee. A renewal application was sent to you for completion by November 12, 2019 or at your earliest prior to the expiration date of the relationship. To date, we have not received a renewal application.

Although expired, the opportunity to renew the relationship still exists. A renewal application is enclosed for your completion. Please note that in addition to some basic information, the renewal application requests detailed attachments regarding the sister city, your organization, and the organization in the sister city that will support this relationship. A thorough response to all questions will be most appreciated and will strengthen your renewal application.

The Sister Cities Committee will schedule a formal hearing on your renewal application, and you will be notified to attend. If the Committee recommends approval of the renewal application, it will be forwarded to the Common Council's Community and Economic Development Committee and then to the full Council.

Failure to submit a renewal application, inactivity, or expiration of the sister city relationship may result in the Committee to consider taking action, including termination, on the relationship.

Please submit a renewal application or notify us with your intentions regarding the sister city relationship. If you have any questions regarding the procedures to be followed or if the intention is to no longer renew or sponsor the sister city relationship, please contact the Staff Assistant to the Committee, Chris Lee, at 414-286-2232, or clee@milwaukee.gov.

Sincerely,

Ald. Khalif J. Rainey, Chair
Sister Cities Committee

Enclosure
CCFN 140088

Application To Renew A Sister City Relationship*

City Clerk's Office
City Hall, Room 205
200 E. Wells Street
Milwaukee, WI 53202 PH: (414) 286-2221 WEB: www.milwaukee.gov/sistercities



APPLICATION ORGANIZATION		
Name		
Mailing Address		
Website		
PERSON IN CHARGE OF ORGANIZATION FOR MILWAUKEE		
Name	Phone	
Mailing Address	Email	
SISTER CITY		
Name	Country	Population
PERSON IN CHARGE OF ORGANIZATION FOR SISTER CITY		
Name	Phone	
Mailing Address	Email	

Please attach the following information:

Information about the sister city:

- Areas of mutual interest and involvement between Milwaukee and the sister city in the areas of culture and business
- Details of communication and consultation with the sister city regarding the existing relationship
- Information regarding the local organizational structure in the sister city that supports the relationship including number of members, their professional and business background, names and contact information

Information about the applicant organization:

- Organizational status (e.g. 501c-3). List Board of Directors and attach bylaws
- Number of members and their professional and business background
- Goals of the organization regarding the sister city relationship
- Current activities of the organization in relation to the sister city
- Methods the organization uses to meet the goals of the sister city relationship
- Financial base of the organization and funds available to support the sister city relationship
- Evidence of local community support for the sister city relationship, including additional financial support and interest in exchange program

***Note: Application for renewal of a sister city relationship must be submitted to the Sister Cities Committee not less than 6 months before the expiration of the existing relationship.**