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February 23, 2008

Sister Cities Committee
Alderman Joe Davis, Jr., Chair
City of Milwaukee
City Hall
200 E. Wells Street
Milwaukee, WI 53202

SUBJECT: Sister City Relationship Milwaukee – Schwerin
Your letter of February 4, 2008

Dear Alderman Davis:

In response to your letter of February 4, 2008 we can inform you that on April 9, 2007 the Presidents of the German-American Societies of Milwaukee in their monthly meeting voted to discontinue the existing Sister City Relationship Milwaukee-Schwerin due to apparent lack of further interest from both sides.

Please be advised that Mr. Frank Schmitz is not the President of the German Immersion Society. He is the President of the Austrian Society of Milwaukee and the President of the German-American Societies of Milwaukee. We do have, however, a German Immersion School on the north side of Milwaukee.

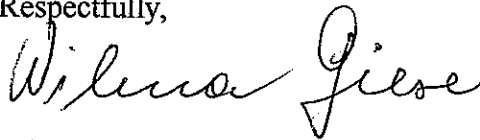
We can inform you that our suburban town of Brookfield has a Sister City Relationship with Seligenstadt (near Frankfurt/Main). You may address yourself for more information to the mayor of Brookfield.

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At this time, the Presidents of the German-American Societies of Milwaukee have not discussed any further matter of possible Sister City Relationships with any German cities.

Should you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to call me at (414) 962-9683 (home phone).

Respectfully,



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