

Sister Cities Committee

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Medan Chamber of Commerce and Industry KADIN Medan Jl. Sekip Baru No 16, Sei Putih Tim. 1, Medan Putisah Medan, Sumatera Utara 20111 Indonesia

Re: Sister City relationship between Medan, Indonesia and Milwaukee, Wisconsin (United States)

To Whom It May Concern,

This letter is concerning the sister city relationship between Medan, Indonesia and Milwaukee, Wisconsin (United States), which was established officially on October 30, 2014 with the signing of sister city agreements between Mayor Tom Barrett of Milwaukee and Mayor Dzulmi Eldin of Medan.

Please be informed that due to inactivity, lack of local sponsorship, and lack of local community support, the sister city relationship was terminated by the City of Milwaukee effective June 3, 2021. Please see attached a certified copy of Milwaukee Common Council Resolution File Number 210069 terminating the relationship.

Should there be interest to reestablish a sister city relationship, we will look forward to explore making that reestablishment through a new sister city relationship process. The City of Milwaukee is a member of Sister Cities International and adheres to its policies and procedures in reviewing possible relationships. We believe a limited number of such relationships are beneficial to cultural, economic, and educational growth and development for all involved.

Sincerely,

Ald. Khalif J. Rainey, Chair Sister Cities Committee

Enclosure

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