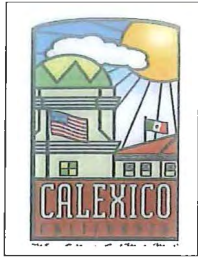


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# CITY COUNCIL AGENDA STAFF REPORT

**DATE:** September 1, 2021

**TO:** Mayor and City Council

**APPROVED BY:** Miguel Figueroa, City Manager *MV*

**PREPARED BY:** Miguel Figueroa, City Manager

**SUBJECT:** Official Signing of the Sisterhood Reaffirmation Agreement between the City of Mexicali from the State of Baja California of the United Mexican States and the City of Calexico from the State of California of the United States of America

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**Recommendation:**

Consideration by City Council of the City of Calexico to sign once again the reaffirmation of the Sisterhood Agreement with the City of Mexicali from the State of Baja California of the United Mexican States.

**Background:**

Sister City Agreement was established in 2006, and reaffirmed in 2017 to solidify the interest of cooperation between both cities. This strengthens the friendship ties and cooperation that bind them. This agreement also allows for great opportunities in developing border cooperation activities of mutual benefit, in matters related to business, commerce, and culture.

**Discussion and Analysis:**

Both cities agree to work together towards the objective of reinvigorating the existing Sister Cities Relation, under the Sisterhood Agreements signed on April 28, 2006 and May 24, 2017, the commitments therein, to promote the exchange of experiences and execution of common activities with the current City of Mexicali Administration and the incoming Administration that will take office in the fall of 2021.

**Fiscal Impact:**

None.

**Coordinated With:**

City Manager's Office.

**Attachment(s):**

1. Sisterhood Agreement





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**THE CITY OF CALEXICO, CALIFORNIA, OF THE UNITED STATES OF  
AMERICA, AND THE CITY OF MEXICALI, BAJA CALIFORNIA, OF THE  
UNITED MEXICAN STATES**

**CONSIDERING** their Sister Cities relation, established in 2006, and reaffirmed in 2017, their interest in strengthening the friendship ties and cooperation that bind them; and

**CONVINCED** of the great opportunities in developing border cooperation activities of mutual benefit, in matters related to business, commerce, and culture.

Hereby agree:

To work together towards the objective of reinvigorating the existing Sister Cities Relation, under the Sisterhood Agreement signed on April 28, 2006 and May 24, 2017, the commitments therein, to promote the exchange of experiences and execution of common activities with the current City of Mexicali Administration and the incoming Administration that will take office in the fall of 2021.

Signed on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of September, 2021, in the City of Calexico, California, United States of America, in English and Spanish, both texts being equally authentic.

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA, OF THE  
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

**FOR THE CITY OF MEXICALI, OF THE  
STATE OF BAJA CALIFORNIA, OF THE  
UNITED MEXICAN STATES**

**JAVIER MORENO  
MAYOR OF THE CITY OF CALEXICO**

**MARÍA GUADALUPE MORA QUIÑÓNEZ  
MAYOR OF THE CITY OF MEXICALI**



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**LA CIUDAD DE MEXICALI, BAJA CALIFORNIA, DE LOS ESTADOS UNIDOS MEXICANOS, Y LA CIUDAD DE CALEXICO, CALIFORNIA, DE LOS ESTADOS UNIDOS DE AMERICA**

**CONSIDERANDO** su relación de Ciudades Hermanas, firmado en 2006 y reafirmando en 2017 el interés en fortalecer los lazos de amistad y cooperación que las unen; y

**CONVENCIDAS** de las grandes oportunidades que hay en desarrollar actividades de cooperación transfronteriza para beneficio mutuo, en temas relacionados con negocios, comercio, y cultura.

Acuerdan:

Trabajar unidas por el objetivo de revitalizar la Relación de Ciudades Hermanas, bajo el Acuerdos de Hermanamiento firmado el 28 de abril de 2006 y reafirmando el 24 de mayo de 2017 los compromisos que incluye, a fin de promover el intercambio de experiencias y ejecución de actividades comunes.

Firmado el día 1 de Septiembre de 2021, en la ciudad de Calexico, California, de los Estados Unidos de América, en español e inglés, siendo ambos textos igualmente auténticos.

**POR LA CIUDAD DE MEXICALI, DEL  
ESTADO DE BAJA CALIFORNIA, DE LOS  
ESTADOS UNIDOS MEXICANOS**

**POR LA CIUDAD DE CALEXICO, DEL  
ESTADO DE CALIFORNIA, DE LOS  
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**MARÍA GUADALUPE MORA QUIÑÓNEZ  
PRESIDENTA MUNICIPAL**

**JAVIER MORENO  
ALCALDE**