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Connect globally. Thrive locally.

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### **Sister Cities International's New Honorary Chairman**

WASHINGTON, DC (November 10, 2016) – Since Sister Cities International was founded in 1956, Presidents Eisenhower, Kennedy, Johnson, Nixon, Ford, Reagan, Bush, Clinton, Bush, and Obama have served as its Honorary Chairperson. We look forward to President-Elect Donald Trump continuing this tradition of support for our mission: to promote peace through mutual respect, understanding, and cooperation — one individual, one community at a time.

Sister Cities International will continue to showcase the important role of people-to-people citizen diplomacy in furthering peace and prosperity on a global scale. The powerful work of connecting globally to thrive locally, through a network of 570 member communities with 2,300 partnerships in 150 countries, remains as important as ever.

#### **About Sister Cities International**

Founded by President Dwight D. Eisenhower in 1956, Sister Cities International serves as the national membership organization for over 570 member communities with relationships in 2,300 communities in 150 countries. This sister city network unites tens of thousands of citizen diplomats and volunteers who work tirelessly to promote peace and understanding through programs and projects focusing on arts and culture, youth and education, economic and sustainable development, and humanitarian assistance.

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