

CITY OF SHEBOYGAN
MAYORS INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE MINUTES
Thursday, March 02, 2023

OPENING OF MEETING

1. Call to Order

Chairperson Alexandria King-Close called the meeting 5:15 pm in Conference Room 106 at City Hall (828 Center Avenue, Sheboygan).

2. Pledge of Allegiance

Pledge of Allegiance was recited after the meeting was called to order.

3. Correspondence

We have received correspondence from the Tsubame delegation regarding on-going coffee talks. Communications are on going with the Esslingen Delegation for travel planning and arrival in July.

MINUTES

4. Approve Minutes from March 2, 2023.

Motion to approve minutes of March 2, 2023 meeting; all ayes and motion passes.

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION

5. Sister City Updates

a. Esslingen

i. Coffee Talks

The Esslingen Delegation has showed interest in engaging with Sheboygan Lions club, educational team, and Uptown Social.

b. Tsubame

i. Coffee Talks

The team discussed the agenda for the Tsubame Coffee talk on March 6th. All team members are sending headshots, exchange photos, and photos of Sheboygan in PowerPoint form to assist with compiling the presentation. The agenda should include: Greeting/Introduction, Shaping Programs (Past and Current Examples), and Ideas and Examples with Deb Sabol-Williams.

6. Delegation Update

Mayor Ryan Sorenson, Director of Planning and Development and Mayor Assistant will travel to Esslingen to discuss Climate Protection initiatives on March 13th through the 17th.

7. Future Plan and Ideas

Alexandria King-Close suggested developing a Coffee Talk guide to help those involved with talking points. The MIC would like to revisit Christopher Gardens involvement. The MIC would like to discuss fundraising efforts for Tsubame and Esslingen. Rich Miesfeld can be a resource regarding partnerships and coffee talks with Uptown Social. Ideas include hosting families, establish interest, and finding subset groups or people to participate in coffee talks.

CLOSING OF MEETING

1. Next Meeting Date: April 06, 2023.
2. Adjourn at 6:19 pm

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