

Schedule B to Staff Report 2023-0224

The City of Isola del Liri And The Corporation of the Town of Caledon

WHEREAS:

1. Twinning Agreements contribute to the promotion and celebration of cultural and economic ties to a community.
2. The City of Isola del Liri shares many common elements with the Corporation of the Town of Caledon including resident and cultural ties as well as agricultural and natural heritage similarities.
3. The City of Isola del Liri and the Corporation of the Town of Caledon (hereinafter referred to as the "Parties") recognize the importance of international friendship and cooperation between cities. The Parties share a common interest in fostering mutual understanding and respect between their citizens and in promoting cultural, education, and economic exchanges.
4. The Parties are eager to develop relationships of collaboration and support in order to improve the development of international cooperation.

NOW THEREFORE considering that this institutional, economic and cultural collaboration will respond to the interests of the Parties and contribute to the strengthening of their relations, the Parties agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1

With this Agreement, the Parties, officially declare their intention to establish fraternal relations and express their intention to develop collaboration in the fields of culture, tourism, public administration, commerce, productive activities, and education.

ARTICLE 2

The Parties will mutually exchange information and work experience in solving problems relating to the subjects referred to in Article 1 and undertake to carry out joint promotional initiatives that link places and events that are particularly significant for the Parties and identify new ones by virtue of this Agreement.

ARTICLE 3

The Parties will support the improvement of exchange of students and the exchange and tourism programs that benefit the education of young people and all citizens in general.

ARTICLE 4

In order to implement common initiatives in promoting arts, culture, and tourism and to offer support to economic development and entrepreneurship, in particular social resources, the Parties will promote cooperation between enterprises and tourism operators, public and/or private bodies, local organizations, associations, and interest groups. For greater clarity, the Parties will seek to foster mutually beneficial relationships that support economic development, tourism, arts, and cultural exchange without financial obligations from either party.

ARTICLE 5

Both Parties will organize visits by their respective delegations and will participate in institutional and cultural initiatives of collective interest and in any case aimed at the growth, prosperity and well-being of the two communities.

ARTICLE 6

This Agreement is applied in full compliance with the laws and regulations in force in the respective countries, as well as with international obligations and those deriving from Italy's membership of the European Union.

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The Embassies will be informed of the initiatives planned by the parties in application of this Agreement.

ARTICLE 7

Either of the Parties may withdraw from and terminate this Agreement at anytime upon written notice.

ARTICLE 8

This Agreement will commence upon being executed by the Parties.

ARTICLE 9

This Agreement may be amended at any time with the written consent of all Parties.

ARTICLE 10

This Agreement: is not intended to be, and shall not be construed as a binding agreement between the Parties; not intended to, and shall not create any legally enforceable obligation or obligations on the part of any party and; not intended to, and shall not fetter the legislative discretion of Council of the City of Isola del Liri or the Town of Caledon in their considerations of any matter addressed in this Agreement. The Parties acknowledge that this Agreement is a statement of intent and cooperation, and that each party is free to pursue its own policies and objectives as it deems appropriate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have duly executed this Agreement in duplicate in English and Italian on the dates indicated below.

The Corporation of the Town of Caledon
as represented by its Council

Per:

Annette Groves, Mayor

[DATE]

Laura Hall, Town Clerk

[DATE]

The City of Isola del Liri
as represented by its Council
Per:

Massimiliano Quadrini, Mayor

[DATE]