

March 20, 2017

Dear Mayor Derek Corrigan,

As the Mayor of Taichung City, I am pleased to extend a warm invitation to all the government entities, organizations and institutes of your city to join us as international participants, sponsors, supporters or event performers of the **2018 Taichung World Flora Exposition**, from November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2018 to April 24<sup>th</sup>, 2019. It is a great opportunity for you and your citizens to enjoy the best quality of life and world famous attractions in Taichung ranked among the top destinations by Business Insider UK and Euromonitor International.

It is truly the honor of Taichung City to host the 2018 Taichung World Flora Exposition, which is recognized and supported by International Association of Horticultural Producers (AIPH). The theme of the Expo is "Rediscover GNP: Green, Nature and People", which symbolizes a new way of life by integrating low-carbon and natural-oriented transportation, urban development and technologies. Three distinctive parks, Houli Horse Ranch & Forest Park, Fengyuan Huludun Park and Waipu Yongfeng Park, will be built on different sub-themes of natural coexistence and horse ranch recreation, riverside leisure and agricultural sustainability. I ensure that you will have a rewarding experience if you could honor us with your participation in this event.

Your participation will make the Expo a success. Your generous contribution will be acknowledged and having valuable opportunities of showcasing to the world for your brand awareness. I sincerely look forward to welcoming you and your citizens to my lovely city. Meanwhile, I strongly believe your stay will be a memorable one, where you will get to experience "The Sound of Blooming" as well as the spirit of a very unique part of Taichung City!

For more information, please contact us through <u>2018tcfloraexpo@gmail.com</u> or visit the website at <a href="http://www.2018floraexpo.tw/">http://www.2018floraexpo.tw/</a>. See you in 2018!

Yours sincerely,

Chia-lung Lin

Mayor of Taichung City

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