

CITY OF BURNABY OFFICE OF THE MAYOR MIKE HURLEY MAYOR

July 23, 2024

FILE: 2410-20

Guiyang People's Association for Friendship with Foreign Countries Guiyang Foreign Affairs Office, Guiyang, China

Sent Via Email: pary561@163.com

Dear Pary,

SUBJECT: GUIZHOU'S INTERNATIONAL SISTER CITIES EXCHANGE

CONFERENCE AND "FRIENDSHIP DAY" EVENT INVITATION

(CORRESPONDENCE ITEM 8.1, INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AND

FRIENDSHIP CITIES COMMITTEE, JULY 23, 2024)

The International Relations and Friendship Cities Committee, at its meeting held on July 23, 2024, received your invitation to attend the Guizhou's International Sister Cities Exchange Conference and "Friendship Day" Event that is scheduled to take place from September 8-9, 2024, in Guiyang.

The Committee appreciated the invitation to attend the conference and the event. Unfortunately, the City is unable to accommodate a delegation at this time.

On behalf of the International Relations and Friendship Cities Committee, thank you for inviting us to attend the Guizhou's International Sister Cities Exchange Conference and "Friendship Day" Event and we look forward to other opportunities to connect in the future.

Sincerely,

Mike Hurley MAYOR

Our Vision: A world-class city committed to creating and sustaining the best quality of life for our entire community

Attachment 3

Confirmation of Attendance

Please select the activity to attend
Attend Guizhou's International Sister Cities Exchange
Conference and "Friendship Day" Event:
Yes No 🗸
Deliver a speech: Yes ☐ No ✓
Topic of the speech:
Intensifying Economic and Trade Exchanges and Improving
Cooperation Effectiveness
Strengthening People-to-People Exchanges and Promoting
Mutual Understanding
Attend "Guizhou's International Sister Cities at the China
(Guizhou) International Alcoholic Beverages Expo" Featured
Exhibition (Participating regions can exhibit posters, brochures,
alcoholic beverages, and other featured products):
Yes ☐ No ✓
Join the visits within Guizhou province:
Yes No V
Select a Route:
Route 1: A visit to the Exhibition Center of the National

Big Data (Guizhou) Comprehensive Pilot Zone, relevant enterprises in Guizhou Province and Maotai Town,
Renhuai City and Huamao Village, Bozhou District,
Zunyi City

Route 2: A visit to the Exhibition Center of the National
Big Data (Guizhou) Comprehensive Pilot Zone, relevant enterprises in Guizhou Province, and "China's Eye of Heaven" FAST telescope in Qiannan Autonomous
Prefecture