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Subject: Re: Invitation to Visit Hwaseong City

Hi Heejin,

Thank you for your email and inviting the City of Burnaby to attend your upcoming event.

Unfortunately, we are unable to attend in person but look forward to hearing about the learnings.

On another note, I will get back to you about the Mayor of Hwaseong City's upcoming trip to Burnaby on August 25.

Rajvir

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Subject: Invitation to Visit Hwaseong City

Hello, it's my first time greeting you. I'm heejin, international manager of Hwaseong City. Hwaseong City is sending you an invitation to the event. :)

Dear Mayor of Burnaby City,

Warm greetings from Hwaseong City, Republic of Korea.

On behalf of Mayor of Hwaseong and the citizens of Hwaseong, I am honored to extend an official invitation to the

Mayor and a delegation from Burnaby City to visit Hwaseong as part of our ongoing sister city relationship.

This visit will be a meaningful opportunity to further strengthen the bonds of friendship and cooperation between our two cities.

We are preparing a special program that includes cultural experiences, official meetings, and opportunities to explore the AI and development of Hwaseong City.

We would be delighted to welcome your delegation during the period of June 18-20, 2025, and we are happy to coordinate specific arrangements based on your convenience.

Please find the attached official invitation letter for your reference. Should you have any questions or specific requests, feel free to contact us at any time.

Warmest regards,



MARS 2025

Mega city AI Revolution Summit

Urban AI, Hwaseong Special City

June 18–20, 2025 (Wed–Fri)
COEX Hall C | Conference Room 401 (Opening Ceremony)

Invitation

As we stand at the threshold of a transformative era led by artificial intelligence (AI) and big data, Hwaseong Special City is seeking new pathways to drive innovation in future cities.

“MARS 2025” marks the first-ever initiative by a local government in the Republic of Korea to explore how AI and big data can address urban challenges and enrich citizens’ lives.

This event will offer a meaningful opportunity to share technological and research achievements and to discuss their real-world applications with AI companies, universities, and other institutions.

You are cordially invited to “Urban AI, Hwaseong Special City”, the beginning of the AI Transformation (AX) era.

We hope you will join us at the heart of innovation to exchange insights and share a vision for the future.

Mayor of Hwaseong Special City