

# **City of Madison**

### Agenda - Approved

## SISTER CITY COLLABORATION COMMITTEE

Monday, August 28, 2017	5:30 PM	210 Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd.
		Room 108 (City County Building)

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Please contact Jasmine Brey in the Mayor's Office 608-266-4611.

#### CALL TO ORDER / ROLL CALL

#### **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

July 24, 2017: http://madison.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx

#### PUBLIC COMMENT

#### DISCLOSURES AND RECUSALS

Members of the body should make any required disclosures or recusals under the City's Ethics Code.

#### **REGULAR BUSINESS REPORTS**

#### 48554 Sister City Program Reports August 2017

For the past month, Madison-Obihiro Sister Cities program has been very busy finding host families for 5 students from Natasha Commercial High School who will be coming to Madison from September 9-15, 2017. Students range in age from 15-18 and are in grades 10-12. Host families are located in the West HS, East HS, Shabazz, and Monona Grove School districts. Students will attend high school with their host siblings during the morning until after lunch. They will have a conversational english class at Madison College from 1-3 pm and then do a variety of things in the late afternoon.

MOSC also hosted a researcher from the University of Tokyo who came to Madison for 3 three weeks in July. Researcher heard about the work that Obihiro was doing in the mental health community work and asked if she could come and learn more about the Madison Model. She was very impressed with the collaboration and work that MOSC

has done for/with Obihiro as well as throughout Japan.

MOSC will also be hosting a team of 7 professional in the mental health field for the 14th year. The delegation will be in Madison from September 30-October 6th.

Recently, the Governor's office contacted Ms. Oyama-Miller and wanted to be updated about MOSC's activities. They were very impressed with the breadth and depth of this continued sister city relationship and wanted to know how other Wisconsin sister cities can learn from MOSC.

Obihiro will be having a art exhibition on September 8-15 at the Japanese Consulate in Chicago. Nine contemporary artists will be exhibiting there. A reception will be held in their honor on September 8 from 5-8 pm. See attached flyer.

- 48555 Cook Book update August 2017
- 48556 Celebrate Madison Sister City event August 2017
- 48557 SCCC vacancy/at-large seat August 2017
- 48558 Immigration Statement August 2017

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

48559 Madison Youth Choirs request

#### DISCUSSION ITEMS

48560 A tribute in remembrance of John Jacoby (former SCCC and Madison/Freiburg member who passed away this month)

#### ADJOURNMENT