



# PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Sister Cities International traces its roots to 1956 when President Dwight D. Eisenhower proposed a people-to-people citizen diplomacy initiative that creates global cooperation at the local level while promoting sustainable development, youth involvement, cultural understanding, and humanitarian assistance; and

WHEREAS, the Sister Cities International network represents more than 2,500 communities in 137 countries around the world; and

WHEREAS, the City of Dubuque has established official Sister City relationships with three cities: Pyatigorsk, Russia; Handan, China; and Dornbirn, Austria; and

WHEREAS, the Sister City Relationships Committee of Travel Dubuque will present an exhibition that recognizes and promotes each city through photos, food samples and music; and

WHEREAS, this free informative, family-friendly exhibition will take place from 3-9 p.m. on Thursday, October 14; 1-6 p.m. on Friday, October 15; and 10-3 p.m. on Saturday, October 16, at 955 Washington Street.

NOW THEREFORE, I, ROY D. BUOL, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF DUBUQUE, IOWA, ON BEHALF OF THE CITY COUNCIL, STAFF AND THE CITIZENS OF DUBUQUE, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM OCTOBER 14 THROUGH 16, 2021 AS

## **“SISTER CITY RELATIONSHIPS RECOGNITION DAYS”**

IN THE CITY OF DUBUQUE, IOWA.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the City of Dubuque to be affixed this 4th day of October, 2021.

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Roy D. Buol, Mayor

Attest:

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Adrienne N. Breitfelder, City Clerk

2021: Submitted and accepted by Kevin Firnstahl, Chairperson, Sister City Relationships Committee of Travel Dubuque, [firnfield@mchsi.com](mailto:firnfield@mchsi.com), 563-588-1853.