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MEDIA ADVISORY

2025 Milwaukee Sister Cities Day Meet-and-Greet celebration happening Friday, May 16

There will be music, food, entertainment and camaraderie this **Friday (May 16)** when the City of Milwaukee hosts the 2025 Milwaukee Sister Cities Day Meet-and-Greet celebration at City Hall, 200 E. Wells St. The event, hosted by Sister Cities Committee Chair **Alderman Russell W. Stamper, II**, is the second of its kind organized in recognition of Milwaukee's many prosperous sister city relationships that span seven countries.

"As a city, Milwaukee is committed to fostering diplomacy with people, businesses, organizations and governments across the globe. Milwaukee is grateful to have many strong relationships with cities across the world, and Friday's Meet-and-Greet event offers a unique opportunity to engage with Milwaukee's peers across oceans and continents," Alderman Stamper said.

"I strongly encourage members of the public to join us on Friday at City Hall," he said.

Milwaukee's current sister cities that will be in attendance include: Abuja, Nigeria; Bomet County, Kenya; Galway, Ireland; Irpin, Ukraine; Kragujevac, Serbia; Tarime District, Tanzania; and Zadar, Croatia. The event will feature a variety of cultural entertainment, music, and food for attendees to enjoy.

The event kicks off at 10 a.m., will include a formal program at 11 a.m., and refreshments and food will be provided after the program. Entertainment will take place throughout the event. Media coverage is invited. **The event is free and open to the public**.

What: Milwaukee Sister Cities Day Celebration

When: Friday, May 16 from 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Where: City Hall Rotunda, first floor – 200 E. Wells St.