



Albuquerque Sister Cities Foundation Newsletter



ANNUAL MEETING - JUNE 2, 2018 AT 12:00 PM

Albuquerque Sister Cities will hold its Annual Meeting on Saturday, June 2, 2018, at 12:00 noon, at Los Cuates Restaurant - 10051 Coors Blvd (just east of Cottonwood Mall).

You may select your meal from 4 entrees, and will include a drink (coffee, tea, soda) and dessert.

The charge for your meal will be \$10.00 for members, cash or check only at the door. No credit cards. Non-members will pay \$20.00.

Following the meal, we will hold our General Meeting, and elect officers for the next year.

The slate of officers is as follows:

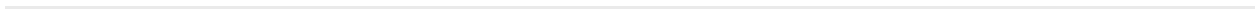
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Nominations for each position will also be taken from the floor.

So that we can reserve enough places for our membership, please RSVP Dave Bagley (Membership Chair - Dave3114@gmail.com) by Wednesday, May 30, and include how many will attend.

You must be a current paid member to vote at our General Meeting. Membership renewal announcements will be sent out in May, and renewals must be received before the June 2 General Meeting in order to vote.

Sincerely,
Dave Bagley
Membership Chair
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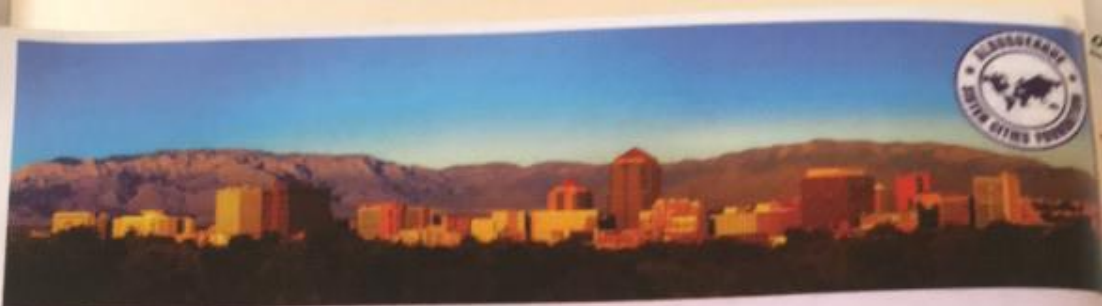


2018 Sister Cities Mayor's Summit in Guadalajara, Mexico

Albuquerque Sister Cities Foundation was proud to be one of the sponsors for the 2018 Sister Cities Mayor's Summit in Guadalajara, Mexico, February 15 to February 17, 2018. City elected officials from the US and Mexico gathered to discuss ways to advance Sister City programs between the US and Mexico into the future. It was a great opportunity to showcase diplomacy between the US and Mexico, revitalize diplomatic discussions, and launch innovative programs between communities in each country. Our newly elected Mayor Tim Keller attended the event and participated in several panels, including "The value and focus of city to city linkages" and "The Camino Real Road-Past, Present, and Future".

Albuquerque Sister City/City of Albuquerque liaison Randy Trask, Albuquerque Sister City member/executive director of Global Ties Adelle Lees, Albuquerque sister city member/City of Albuquerque economic development director Fred Mondragon, Ernie Garcia co-chairman for Guadalajara and Marie Trigg chairperson for Guadalajara attended the event along with Mayor Tim Keller and his wife. Several other people from Albuquerque with possible business interests in Guadalajara also joined us.





MAYOR TIM KELLER AND THE ALBUQUERQUE SISTER CITIES FOUNDATION ARE PROUD TO SPONSOR THE 2018 GUADALAJARA SISTER CITIES MAYORS' SUMMIT

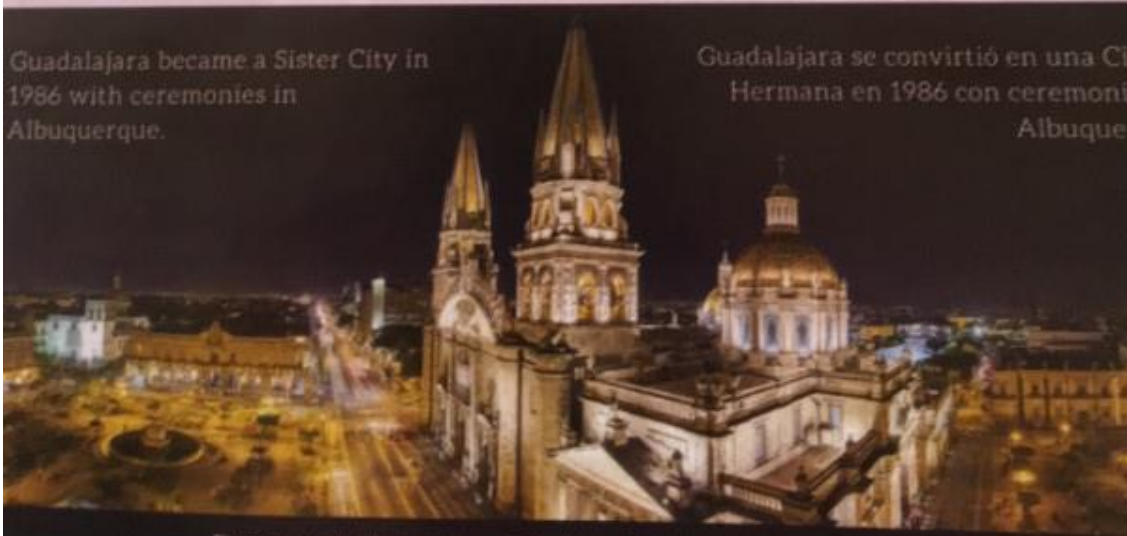
EL ALCALDE TIM KELLER Y LA FUNDACIÓN DE CIUDADES HERMANAS DE ALBUQUERQUE SE ENORGULLECE DE PATROCINAR LA CUMBRE DE ALCALDES DE CIUDADES HERMANAS MÉXICO-EU 2018

Albuquerque joined the Sister City Movement in 1965 becoming part of the creative force for international cooperation and goodwill through community action. We sponsor programs designed foster cultural and commercial exchange between Albuquerque and our sister cities.

Albuquerque se unió al Movimiento de Ciudades Hermanas en 1965 y se convirtió en parte de la fuerza creativa para la cooperación internacional y la buena voluntad a través de la acción comunitaria. Patrocinamos programas diseñados para fomentar el intercambio cultural y comercial entre Albuquerque y nuestras ciudades hermanas.

Guadalajara became a Sister City in 1986 with ceremonies in Albuquerque.

Guadalajara se convirtió en una Ciudad Hermana en 1986 con ceremonias en Albuquerque.



For more information visit: <http://albuquerque-sister-cities.org>

International Tea and Cookies
January 27, 2018
Manzano Mesa Community Center

Members enjoyed tea and snacks brought by representatives of each Sister City of Albuquerque. The tea and snacks were unique to each of these cities and provided a taste of the different aspects of the cities' cuisine.



Members enjoyed the cuisine and door prizes



Yu-Lin Shen and Rubing Hsu, representing Hualien City, Taiwan, provided Oolong tea, rice crackers, and candies enjoyed by the people of Hualien City



Marie Trigg and Ernie Garcia, representing Guadalajara, Mexico, brought tea Jamaica, banderillas, and multiple candies, as well as pottery from Guadalajara



Kazumi Kawakubo-Todman, representing Sasebo, Japan, offered traditional Japanese snacks: green tea, matcha mochi, and rice crackers



Lin Ye, representing Lanzhou, China, brought potstickers, almond cookies, Chinese candies, and tea from Lanzhou.



Taina Benjamin, representing Rehovot, Israel, brought halva (sesame candy) and Nana mint tea



Tatiana Solis Vela and Alma Solis, representing Chihuahua, Mexico, offered Mexican chocolate and bunuelos



Pam and John Feather, representing Albuquerque, Spain, brought typical Spanish treats: blanched almonds and bread with tomato and olive spread

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