

AGREEMENT ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A SISTER CITY RELATIONSHIP FOR FRIENDSHIP AND COOPERATION BETWEEN

Foster City, California, USA and Tokyo Inagi City, Japan

Whereas, the USA and Japan have a long tradition of friendship and cooperation that favors relationships and exchanges between the people of our countries; and

Whereas, the cities of Foster City and Tokyo Inagi City share the privileges of wonderful, natural environments; and

Whereas, western civilization and democratic ideals are deeply rooted in both cities and represents a rich heritage to share and to preserve; and

Whereas, both cities recognize the advantages of a mutual agreement and share in the belief that the Sister City relationship between Foster City and Tokyo Inagi City will be beneficial to the people of both cities; and

Whereas, we anticipate our relationship will grow through youth exchanges, cultural development, tourism and other important activities that will be beneficial to the life of our two communities; and

Whereas, this partnership will provide a deeper understanding of each other's lives and traditions, while finding common elements that link our two communities. Both Foster City and Tokyo Inagi City are ready for growth in many areas and can work to achieve our goals together.

Therefore, this Sister City agreement is signed on July 26, 27, 2021.

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