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**Sister  
City  
Agreement**

# The City of Wellington, New Zealand and Canberra, Australia

Specifically, the agreement will be delivered through a commitment to the following activities:

- Cultural exchanges that connect arts communities, events development and national institutions
- Partnerships that facilitate tourism promotion, marketing and product development
- Collaboration and knowledge sharing about urban renewal and sustainable growth
- Jointly supporting innovation and technology start-up ecosystems
- Collaboration on opportunities, to secure events, grow partnerships and increase participation in sport.
- Programs that support opportunities for Indigenous people from both countries
- Biodiversity initiatives and nature based partnerships
- Mutual exchange regarding smart city technologies and implementation
- Collaboration for the development of community services and affordable housing solutions
- Collaboration on capital civic programs for building Nationhood
- Collaboration for the development of sustainable transport solutions
- Mutual exchange regarding renewable and sustainable energy supply
- Mutual exchange of delegations that connect Wellington City Council and the ACT Government
- Mutual exchange of delegations that connect businesses of each city



**Andrew Barr MLA**  
Chief Minister of the Australian Capital Territory



**Celia Wade-Brown**  
Her Worship the Mayor of Wellington



**ACT**  
Government



CANBERRA

**Absolutely Positively  
Wellington City Council**

Me Heke Ki Pōneke