

Item 2.2 – Annex 3

CANDIDATURES TO CO-PRESIDENCY

Summary and recommendations

The process of the call for candidatures for the UCLG Co-Presidency is a global exercise that is carried out through an open call to all members.

The calendar and announcement were agreed by the Committee on Statutory Affairs during the 2021 World Council. The call was announced in March 2022 and disseminated among the UCLG membership by e-mail. Candidatures were to be submitted by 1 August 2022

There are currently nine candidates to the Co-Presidency.

THE STATUTORY RULES

1. According to Article 58 of the Constitution, the Presidency, comprising the President and up to five Co-Presidents, is elected by the World Council from among local government members. The Presidency will also include the Chair of the Standing Committee on Gender Equality as an *ex officio* member with full rights should gender balance not be achieved.
2. According to article 59, candidacies for the President and Co-Presidents may be presented by: a) the Executive Bureau; or b) at least 6 local government members from different countries and at least two different world regions (in addition to their own). Support needs to be sought from members in different world regions, but not *per se* by a Section itself.
3. Candidatures do not necessarily need the endorsement of the respective Section as a whole. There is, however, a general understanding that efforts need to be made to come to an agreement in the case of several candidacies existing in the same region. This would not necessarily entail a formal endorsement by the Section.
4. Despite the global character of the mandate, it is generally understood that the presidential college of the World Organization is more sustainable if composed of members coming from different Sections and representing the broad diversity of the organization.



STATE OF CANDIDATURES

The World Secretariat has received nine candidatures for the post of Co-President, in alphabetical order:

Altay, Uğur Ibrahim, Mayor of Konya

Araya, Johnny, Mayor of San José

Cosse, Carolina, Mayor of Montevideo

Kulginov, Altay, Mayor of Nur-Sultan

Lee, Jang-Woo, Mayor of Daejeon

Li, Mingyuan, Mayor of Xi'an

Stofile, Bekhe, Chairperson of Matjhabeng Local Municipality, President of the South African Local Government Association (SALGA)

Van Zanen, Jan, Mayor of The Hague, President of the Association of Netherlands Municipalities (VNG)

Vrbanovic, Berry, Mayor of Kitchener, President Emeritus of the Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM)

All candidates comply with the basic requirements. This list includes all candidates to Presidency, as it is traditionally the case. You will find in a separate file the documents submitted by each of the candidate, namely biographies and their motivation letters or manifestos. The overview of supports can be summarised as follows:

- a) Uğur Ibrahim Altay**, Mayor of Konya
 - City support: **111**, from 6 Sections: Africa, ASPAC, Eurasia, Europe, MEWA, Metropolis
 - Section support: **4**: Eurasia, Europe, MEWA, NORAM
 - Association support: **8**, from 3 Sections: Africa, Eurasia, MEWA + 1 international local government organization
- b) Johnny Araya**, Mayor of San José
 - City support: **2**, from 2 Sections: Africa, LATAM
 - Section support: **2**: Eurasia, LATAM
 - Association support: **6**, from 1 Section: LATAM
- c) Carolina Cosse**, Mayor of Montevideo
 - City support: **8**, from 3 Sections: Europe, NORAM, Metropolis
 - Section support: **2**: LATAM
 - Association support: **2**, from 1 Section: Europe
- d) Altay Kulginov**, Mayor of Nur-Sultan
 - City support: **9**, from 3 Sections: ASPAC, Eurasia, MEWA
 - Section support: **5**: ASPAC, Eurasia, Europe, LATAM, MEWA
 - Association support: **6**, from 4 Sections: Africa, Eurasia, Europe, MEWA
- e) Jang-Woo Lee**, Mayor of Daejeon
 - City support: **16**, from 3 Sections: ASPAC, Eurasia, Europe
 - Section support: **1**: Europe
 - Association support: **7**, from 3 Sections: Africa, ASPAC, Europe
- f) Li Mingyuan**, Mayor of Xi'an
 - City support: **36**, from 4 Sections: Africa, ASPAC, Eurasia, MEWA
 - Section support: **2**: Eurasia, Europe
 - Association support: **2**, from 1 Section: ASPAC

g) Bekhe Stofile, Chairperson of Matjhabeng Local Municipality, President of SALGA

- City support: **4** from 4 Sections: Africa, Eurasia, MEWA, Metropolis
- Section support: **3**: Africa, ASPAC, NORAM
- Association support: **2**, from 2 Sections: Africa, Europe

h) Jan Van Zanen, Mayor of The Hague, President of VNG

- City support: **8**, from 5 Sections: ASPAC, Europe, LATAM, MEWA, NORAM
- Section support: **1**: NORAM
- Association support: **20**, from 5 Sections: Africa, ASPAC, Europe, LATAM, MEWA

i) Berry Vrbanovic, Mayor of Kitchener, President Emeritus of FCM

- City support: **7**, from 4 Sections: Europe, LATAM, MEWA, Metropolis
- Section support: **1**: NORAM
- Association support: **4**, from 3 Sections: Africa, ASPAC, Europe

CANDIDATURES TO UCLG Co-PRESIDENCY

Overview of support statements @ 31 August 2022

Candidatures were required to include:

- Short biography
- Manifesto or motivation letter
- Statements of support from 6 different local government members from at least 3 different sections
- Explicit acceptance of the terms of reference for the UCLG Presidency

In green: information to be clarified

CANDIDATE	SUBMISSION	CITIES/REGIONS SUPPORT	SECTION SUPPORT	ASSOCIATIONS SUPPORT
<p>Uğur İbrahim Altay, Mayor of Konya</p> <p>As President / Co-President</p> <p>Membership status of the candidate: Member since 2016</p> <p>Original membership: Konya Metropolitan Municipality</p> <p><i>Supports from members</i> Africa: 11 ASPAC: 4 Eurasia: 6 Europe: 18 MEWA: 78 Metropolis: 1 International organizations: 1</p> <p><i>Supports from Sections</i> Eurasia: 1 Europe: 1 MEWA: 1 NORAM: 1</p> <p>Total: 123</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Biography - Motivation letter - Acceptance of terms of reference for UCLG Presidency - 123 statements of support from 7 different sections 	<p>AFRICA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Bamako (Mali) 2. Fez (Morocco) 3. Guider (Cameroon) 4. Maga (Cameroon) 5. Mayo Baleo (Cameroon) 6. Mogadishu (Somalia) 7. Sfax (Tunisia) 8. Tunis (Tunisia) 9. Zina (Cameroon) <p>ASPAC</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 10. Gangneung (Republic of Korea) 11. Hamamatsu (Japan) 12. Kyoto (Japan) 13. Xi'an (China) <p>EURASIA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 14. Bishkek (Kyrgyzstan) 15. Kant (Kyrgyzstan) 16. Kazan (Russia) 17. Nookat (Kyrgyzstan) 18. Orlovka (Kyrgyzstan) <p>EUROPE</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 19. Beşalma (Moldova) 20. Centar Župa (North Macedonia) 21. Delvinë (Albania) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. CEMR 2. UCLG-Eurasia 3. UCLG-MEWA 4. Federation of Canadian Municipalities - FCM 	<p>AFRICA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. South African Local Government Association – SALGA (South Africa) 2. United Councils and Cities of Cameroon / Communes et villes unies du Cameroun – CVUC/UCCC (Cameroon) <p>EURASIA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. Union of Local Self-Governments of the Kyrgyz Republic (Kyrgyz Republic) <p>MEWA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. Association of Palestinian Local Authorities - APLA (Palestine) 5. Federation of Chouf Souayjani Municipalities (Lebanon) 6. Union of Dannieh Municipalities (Lebanon) 7. Union of Municipalities of Turkey (Turkey) <p>International local government organizations</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 8. Arab Towns Organization (ATO) <p>Membership status to be confirmed:</p> <p>MEWA</p>

<p>22 membership statuses to be verified</p>		<p>22. Dobož Istok (Bosnia and Herzegovina) 23. Gostivar (North Macedonia) 24. Kraków (Poland) 25. Kurbin (Albania) 26. Memaliaj (Albania) 27. Novi Grad (Bosnia and Herzegovina) 28. Skopje (North Macedonia) 29. Studeničani (North Macedonia) 30. Tetovo (North Macedonia) 31. The Hague (Netherlands) 32. Tomai (Moldova) 33. Travnik (Bosnia and Herzegovina) 34. Vareš (Bosnia and Herzegovina) 35. Veliko Turnovo (Bulgaria) 36. Vrapčište (North Macedonia)</p> <p>MEWA</p> <p>37. Adıyaman (Turkey) 38. Ağrı (Turkey) 39. Akşehir (Turkey) 40. Alanya (Turkey) 41. Altındağ (Turkey) 42. Altınova (Turkey) 43. Ardeşen (Turkey) 44. Asira Al Shamaliya (Palestine) 45. Bađcılar (Turkey) 46. Balıkesir (Turkey) 47. Başıskele (Turkey) 48. Bani Naim (Palestine) 49. Beit Jala (Palestine) 50. Beit Sahour (Palestine) 51. Beykoz (Turkey) 52. Bucak (Turkey) 53. Bursa (Turkey) 54. Çanakkale (Turkey) 55. Canik (Turkey) 56. Deliilyas (Turkey) 57. Diyarbakir (Turkey) 58. Ein Elbasha (Jordan) 59. Emet (Turkey)</p>		<p>Organization of Islamic Capitals and Cities (Saudi Arabia) Union of Mediterranean Municipalities (Turkey) World Academy for Local Government and Democracy (Turkey)</p>
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60. Erzurum (Turkey)
61. Gaziantep (Turkey)
62. Gaziosmanpaşa (Turkey)
63. Gebze (Turkey)
64. Germencik (Turkey)
65. Gölcük (Turkey)
66. Greater Amman (Jordan)
67. Güzelyurt (Turkey)
68. Hasanşeyh (Turkey)
69. Hebron (Palestine)
70. İlkadım (Turkey)
71. Irbid (Jordan)
72. Jounieh (Lebanon)
73. Kadınhanı (Turkey)
74. Kahramanmaraş (Turkey)
75. Karatay (Turkey)
76. Kars (Turkey)
77. Kayseri (Turkey)
78. Keçiören (Turkey)
79. Kilis (Turkey)
80. Kütahya (Turkey)
81. Manisa (Turkey)
82. Meram (Turkey)
83. Niğde (Turkey)
84. Onikişubat (Turkey)
85. Pendik (Turkey)
86. Rize (Turkey)
87. Şahinbey (Turkey)
88. Salfet (Palestine)
89. Samsun (Turkey)
90. Sancaktepe (Turkey)
91. Sandıklı (Turkey)
92. Şanlıurfa (Turkey)
93. Sarıcakaya (Turkey)
94. Selçuklu (Turkey)
95. Sier (Palestine)
96. Sultanbeyli (Turkey)
97. Sultanhanı (Turkey)
98. Taffouh (Palestine)
99. Taşkesti (Turkey)
100. Tatlısu (Turkey)
101. Tavşanlı (Turkey)
102. Tokat (Turkey)
103. Trabzon (Turkey)
104. Tulkarm (Palestine)
105. Turhal (Turkey)
106. Tuşba (Turkey)
107. Yabad (Palestine)
108. Yalova (Turkey)
109. Yeşilyurt (Turkey)

110. Ziyaret (Turkey)

METROPOLIS

111. Sarajevo (Bosnia and Herzegovina)

Membership status to be confirmed:

AFRICA:

Baidoa (Somalia)

(Note: The only recorded UCLG member in Somalia is Mogadishu)

EURASIA

Baku Nizami (Azerbaijan)

Baku Sabayıl (Azerbaijan)

Gence Nizami (Azerbaijan)

Khirdalan (Azerbaijan)

Khiva (Uzbekistan)

Kokand (Uzbekistan)

Mingachevir (Azerbaijan)

Narimanov (Azerbaijan)

Quba (Azerbaijan)

Rasulzade (Azerbaijan)

Sahil (Azerbaijan)

Samarkand (Uzbekistan)

Şamkir (Azerbaijan)

Yasamal (Azerbaijan)

(Note: UCLG does not have recorded members in Azerbaijan and Uzbekistan)

EUROPE

Mamuşa (Kosovo)

Vushtrri (Kosovo)

(Note: UCLG does not have recorded members in Kosovo)

MEWA

Beyarmudu (Northern Cyprus)

Girne (Northern Cyprus)

(Note: UCLG does not have recorded members in Northern Cyprus)

CANDIDATE	SUBMISSION	CITIES/REGIONS SUPPORT	SECTION SUPPORT	ASSOCIATIONS SUPPORT
<p>Johnny Araya, Mayor of San José</p> <p>As Co-President</p> <p>Membership status of the candidate: Founding member</p> <p>Original membership: San José</p> <p><i>Supports from members</i> Africa: 1 LATAM: 7</p> <p><i>Supports from Sections</i> Eurasia: 1 LATAM: 1</p> <p>Total: 10</p> <p>4 membership statuses to be verified</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Biography - Motivation letter - Acceptance of terms of reference for UCLG Presidency - 10 statements of support from 3 different sections 	<p>AFRICA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Chefchaouen (Morocco) <p>LATAM</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Montevideo (Uruguay) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Mercociudades 2. UCLG-Eurasia 	<p>LATAM</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Association of Bolivian Municipalities / Asociación de Municipalidades de Bolivia – AMB (Bolivia) 2. Association of Ecuadorian Municipalities / Asociación de Municipalidades Ecuatorianas – AME (Ecuador) 3. Dominican Women’s Municipal Union / Unión de Mujeres Dominicanas Municipalista – UNMUNDO (Dominican Republic) 4. Federation of Argentine Municipalities / Federación Argentina de Municipios – FAM (Argentina) 5. National Federation of Mexican Municipalities / Federación Nacional de Municipios de México – FENAMM (Mexico) 6. National Union of Local Governments / Unión Nacional de Gobiernos Locales – UNGL (Costa Rica) <p>Membership status to be confirmed:</p> <p>Association of Venezuelan Mayors / Asociación de Alcaldes de Venezuela – ADAVE (Venezuela) (Note: UCLG has no recorded members in Venezuela)</p> <p>Federation of Free Municipalities of Peru / Federación de Municipios Libres del Perú – FEMULP (Peru)</p> <p>Ibero-American Union of Municipalists / Unión Iberoamericana de Municipalistas (Spain)</p> <p>National Council of Rural Parochial Governments of Ecuador / Consejo Nacional de Gobiernos Parroquiales Rurales del Ecuador – CONAGOPARE (Ecuador)</p>

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<p>Carolina Cosse, Mayor of Montevideo</p> <p>As President / Co-President / Chairperson of the Standing Committee on Gender Equality</p> <p>Membership status of the candidate: Member since 2013</p> <p>Original membership: Montevideo</p> <p><i>Supports from members</i> Europe: 4 NORAM: 1 Metropolis: 5</p> <p><i>Support from Sections</i> LATAM: 2</p> <p>Total: 12</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Biography - Motivation letter - Acceptance of terms of reference for UCLG Presidency - 12 statements of support from 4 sections 	<p>EUROPE</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Barcelona (Spain) 2. Barcelona Provincial Council / Diputación de Barcelona (Spain) <p>NORAM</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. Kitchener (Canada) <p>METROPOLIS</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. Bogotá (Colombia) 5. Mexico City (Mexico) 6. Montréal (Canada) 7. Santiago (Chile) 8. Sao Paolo (Brazil) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. FLACMA 2. Mercociudades 	<p>EUROPE</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Association of Netherlands Municipalities – VNG (Netherlands) 2. United Cities of France / Cités Unies France (Europe)
CANDIDATE	SUBMISSION	CITIES/REGIONS SUPPORT	SECTION SUPPORT	ASSOCIATIONS SUPPORT
<p>Altay Kulginov, Mayor of Nur-Sultan</p> <p>As Co-President</p> <p>Membership status of the candidate: Member since 2012</p> <p>Original membership: Association of Kazakhstan Local Authorities</p> <p><i>Supports from members</i> Africa: 2 ASPAC: 1 Europe: 1 Eurasia: 7 MEWA: 4</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Biography - Motivation letter - Acceptance of terms of reference for UCLG Presidency - 20 statements of support from 6 different sections 	<p>ASPAC</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Xi’an (China) <p>EURASIA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Bishkek (Kyrgyz Republic) 3. Chistopol (Russian Federation) 4. Kentau (Kazakhstan) 5. Sakha Republic (Russian Federation) 6. Yakutsk (Russian Federation) <p>MEWA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 7. Balikesir (Turkey) 8. Konya (Turkey) 9. Sarafand (Lebanon) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. CEMR 2. FLACMA 3. UCLG-ASPAC 4. UCLG-Eurasia 5. UCLG-MEWA 	<p>AFRICA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Association of Mayors of Central African Republic / Association des maires de Centrafrique – AMCA (Central African Republic) 2. South African Local Governments Association - SALGA (South Africa) <p>EURASIA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. Union of Local Self-Government of the Kyrgyz Republic (Kyrgyz Republic) 4. Volga Region Municipalities Association (Russian Federation) <p>EUROPE</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. Association of Dutch Municipalities (VNG)

<p><i>Supports from Sections</i> ASPAC: 1 Eurasia: 1 Europe: 1 LATAM: 1 MEWA: 1</p> <p>Total: 20</p>				<p>MEWA 6. Union of Dannieh Municipalities (Lebanon)</p>
CANDIDATE	SUBMISSION	CITIES/REGIONS SUPPORT	SECTION SUPPORT	ASSOCIATIONS SUPPORT
<p>Jang-Woo Lee, Mayor of Daejeon</p> <p>As President / Co-President</p> <p>Membership status of the candidate: Founding member</p> <p>Original membership: Daejeon Metropolitan Municipality</p> <p><i>Supports from members</i> Africa: 1 ASPAC: 18 Eurasia: 2 Europe: 2</p> <p><i>Support from Sections</i> Europe: 1 Total: 24</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - CV - Motivation letter - Acceptance of terms of reference for UCLG Presidency - 24 statements of support from 4 different sections 	<p>ASPAC</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Daegu (Republic of Korea) 2. Dhankuta (Nepal) 3. Gwangju (Republic of Korea) 4. Hamamatsu (Japan) 5. Incheon (Republic of Korea) 6. Jeju Special Self-Governing Province (Republic of Korea) 7. Kuala Lumpur (Malaysia) 8. Makati (Philippines) 9. Namiangju (Republic of Korea) 10. New Taipei City 11. Seoul (Republic of Korea) 12. Wuhan (China) 13. Xi'an (China) <p>EURASIA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 14. Kazan (Russian Federation) 15. Ulaanbaatar (Mongolia) <p>EUROPE</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 16. Brno (Czech Republic) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. CEMR 	<p>AFRICA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Union of Cities and Towns of Ivory Coast / Union des villes et communes de Côte d'Ivoire – UVICIVI (Ivory Coast) <p>ASPAC</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Association of District Coordination Committees of Nepal – ADCCN (Nepal) 3. Chinese People's Association for Friendship with Foreign Countries - CPAFFC (China) 4. Governors Association of Korea – GAOK (Republic of Korea) 5. Local Government New Zealand (New Zealand) 6. National League of Local Councils – NLC (Cambodia) <p>EUROPE</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 7. United Cities of France / Cités Unies France – CUF (France)
CANDIDATE	SUBMISSION	CITIES/REGIONS SUPPORT	SECTION SUPPORT	ASSOCIATIONS SUPPORT
<p>Li Mingyuan, Mayor of Xi'an</p> <p>As Co-President</p> <p>Membership status of the candidate: Member since 2012</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Biography - Manifesto - Acceptance of terms of reference for UCLG Presidency 	<p>AFRICA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Fez (Morocco) <p>ASPAC</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Andong (Republic of Korea) 3. Beijing (China) 4. Butwal (Nepal) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. CEMR 2. UCLG-Eurasia 	<p>ASPAC</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Chinese People's Association for Friendship with Foreign Countries – CPAFFC (China) 2. Governors Association of Korea – GAOK (Republic of Korea)

<p>Original membership: Xi'an Municipal Government</p> <p><i>Supports from members</i> Africa: 1 ASPAC: 34 Eurasia: 2 MEWA: 1</p> <p><i>Supports from Sections</i> Europe: 2</p> <p>Total: 40</p>	<p>- 40 statements of support from 5 different sections</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. Catbalogan (Philippines) 6. Changsha (China) 7. Chengdu (China) 8. Chongqing (China) 9. Daejeon (Republic of Korea) 10. Dalian (China) 11. Dhankuta (Nepal) 12. Dhulikhel (Nepal) 13. Fuzhou (China) 14. Guangzhou (China) 15. Guiyang (China) 16. Haikou (China) 17. Hamamatsu (Japan) 18. Hangzhou (China) 19. Harbin (China) 20. Jeju (Republic of Korea) 21. Jilin (China) 22. Jinan (China) 23. Kunming (China) 24. Makati (Philippines) 25. Nanning (China) 26. Seoul (Republic of Korea) 27. Shanghai (China) 28. Shenzhen (China) 29. Wuhan (China) 30. Wuxi (China) 31. Xiamen (China) 32. Yiwu (China) 33. Zhengzhou (China) <p>EURASIA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 34. Kazan (Russian Federation) 35. Osh (Kyrgyz Republic) <p>MEWA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 36. Konya 		
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<p>Bheke Stofile, Chairperson of the Council of Matjhabeng Local Municipality, President of the South African Local Government Association (SALGA)</p> <p>As Co-President</p> <p>Membership status of the candidate: Founding member</p> <p>Original membership: SALGA</p> <p><i>Supports from members of the World Council</i> Africa: 2 Eurasia: 1 Europe: 1 MEWA: 1 Metropolis: 1</p> <p><i>Supports from Sections</i> Africa: 1 ASPAC: 1 NORAM: 1</p> <p>Total: 9</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Biography - Manifesto - Acceptance of terms of reference for UCLG's Presidency - 9 statements of support from 7 different sections 	<p>AFRICA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Nouakchott Region (Mauritania) <p>EURASIA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Kazan (Russian Federation) <p>MEWA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. Konya (Turkey) <p>METROPOLIS</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. Gauteng Province (South Africa) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Federation of Canadian Municipalities – FCM 2. UCLG-Africa 3. UCLG-ASPAC 	<p>AFRICA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Association of Mayors of Central African Republic / Association des maires de Centre-Afrique (Central African Republic) <p>EUROPE</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Association of Netherlands Municipalities – VNG (Netherlands)
CANDIDATE	SUBMISSION	CITIES/REGIONS SUPPORT	SECTION SUPPORT	ASSOCIATIONS SUPPORT
<p>Jan Van Zanen, Mayor of The Hague, President of VNG</p> <p>As President / Co-President</p> <p>Membership status of the candidate: Founding member</p> <p>Original membership: Association of</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Biography - Motivation letter - Acceptance of terms of reference for UCLG Presidency - 30 statements of support from 6 different sections 	<p>ASPAC</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Xi'an (China) <p>EUROPE</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Barcelona (Spain) 2. Fuenlabrada (Spain) 3. Mannheim (Germany) 4. Paris (France) 5. Soria (Spain) <p>LATAM</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 6. Montevideo (Uruguay) 7. <p>MEWA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 8. Konya (Turkey) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Federation of Canadian Municipalities - FCM 	<p>AFRICA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Association of Burundian Municipalities / Association des communes du Burundi – ACO-Burundi (Burundi) 2. Association of Malian Municipalities / Association des municipalités du Mali – AMM (Mali) 3. National Association of Communes of Benin / Association nationale des communes du Bénin – ANCB (Benin) 4. National Municipal Councils' Association – NMCA (Libya) 5. South African Local Government Association – SALGA (South Africa)

<p>Netherlands Municipalities (VNG)</p> <p><i>Supports from members</i> Africa: 5 ASPAC: 2 Europe: 13 LATAM: 5 MEWA: 3 NORAM: 1</p> <p><i>Supports from Sections</i> NORAM: 1</p> <p>Total: 30</p> <p>1 membership status to be confirmed</p>		<p>NORAM</p> <p>9. Kitchener (Canada)</p>		<p>ASPAC</p> <p>6. Federation of Sri Lankan Local Government Authorities – FSLGA (Sri Lanka)</p> <p>EUROPE</p> <p>7. Association of Flemish Cities and Municipalities – VVSG (Belgium)</p> <p>8. Association of German Cities – Deutscher Städtetag (Germany)</p> <p>9. Association of Ukrainian Cities – AUC (Ukraine)</p> <p>10. German Association of the Council of European Municipalities and Regions (Germany)</p> <p>11. Italian Association of the Council of European Municipalities and Regions – AICCRE (Italy)</p> <p>12. Latvian Association of Local and Regional Governments - LALRG (Latvia)</p> <p>13. National Association of Local Authorities of Georgia – NALAG (Georgia)</p> <p>14. Swedish Association of Local Authorities and Regions – SALAR (Sweden)</p> <p>LATAM</p> <p>15. Association of Bolivian Municipalities / Asociación de Municipalidades de Bolivia – AMB (Bolivia)</p> <p>16. Federation of Argentine Municipalities / Federación argentina de municipios – FAM (Argentina)</p> <p>17. National Federation of Municipalities of Mexico / Federación nacional de municipios de México – FENAMM (Mexico)</p> <p>18. National Union of Local Governments of Costa Rica / Unión nacional de gobiernos locales de Costa Rica – UNGL (Costa Rica)</p> <p>MEWA</p> <p>19. Association of Palestinian Local Authorities – APLA (Palestine)</p> <p>20. Union of Municipalities of Turkey – UMT (Turkey)</p>
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				<p>Membership status to be confirmed:</p> <p>LATAM Federation of Free Municipalities of Peru / Federación de Municipios Libres del Perú – FEMULP (Peru)</p>
CANDIDATE	SUBMISSION	CITIES/REGIONS SUPPORT	SECTION SUPPORT	ASSOCIATIONS SUPPORT
<p>Berry Vrbanovic, Mayor of Kitchener, President Emeritus of the Federation of Canadian Municipalities</p> <p>As Co-President / Treasurer</p> <p>Membership status of the candidate: Founding member</p> <p>Original membership: Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM)</p> <p><i>Supports from members</i> Africa: 1 ASPAC: 2 Europe: 3 LATAM: 1 MEWA: 1 Metropolis: 3</p> <p><i>Supports from Sections</i> NORAM: 1</p> <p>Total: 12</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Biography - Motivation letter - 12 statements of support from 7 different sections 	<p>EUROPE</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Bristol (United Kingdom) 2. Mannheim (Germany) <p>LATAM</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. Montevideo (Uruguay) <p>MEWA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. Konya (Turkey) <p>METROPOLIS</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. Bogotá (Colombia) 6. Montréal (Canada) 7. Toronto (Canada) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM) 	<p>AFRICA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. South African Local Government Association - SALGA (South Africa) <p>ASPAC</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Federation of Sri Lankan Local Governments Authorities – FSLGA (Sri Lanka) 3. National League of Local Councils – NLC (Cambodia) <p>EUROPE</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. Association of Netherlands Municipalities – VNG (Netherlands)