

**Mayors for Peace News Flash (December 2010) No.12**

Dear Mayors for Peace Member Cities,

Thank you for your ongoing support for the activities of Mayors for Peace.  
Please find below news related to the most recent activities of Mayors for Peace.  
If your city has any news it wishes to share with other member cities, please feel free to contact us!  
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**<\*> Network of Mercosur Cities Signs Agreement of Co-operation with Mayors for Peace** [Belo Horizonte, Brazil, December 3, 2010]  
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The Annual Assembly of Mercociudades gave its unanimous support to the Mayors for Peace 2020 Vision Campaign. Mercociudades represents 228 cities from the Mercosur region in South America.  
▼ Full article:  
<http://www.2020visioncampaign.org/pages/562/>

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**<\*> Urgent Appeal by Hiroshima Mayor Tadatoshi Akiba** [December 16, 2010]  
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The President of Mayors for Peace launched an urgent appeal to member cities to actively demonstrate their solidarity with Hiroshima and Nagasaki by making voluntary financial contributions towards the campaign aiming to eliminate all nuclear weapons by 2020 and to adopt a city council resolution which takes into account the political necessity of the campaign and gives mayors a fair system to calculate their financial contribution.  
▼ Full article:  
<http://www.2020visioncampaign.org/pages/563/>  
▼ Urgent appeal (PDF):  
[http://www.2020vc.org/fileadmin/user\\_upload/2020VC/Home/News/Mayor\\_Akiba\\_Letter.pdf](http://www.2020vc.org/fileadmin/user_upload/2020VC/Home/News/Mayor_Akiba_Letter.pdf)  
▼ Urgent appeal is also available at:  
<http://www.2020visioncampaign.org>  
▼ Sample city council resolution (Word):  
[http://www.2020vc.org/fileadmin/user\\_upload/2020VC/Home/News/City\\_Council\\_Resolution\\_EN.doc](http://www.2020vc.org/fileadmin/user_upload/2020VC/Home/News/City_Council_Resolution_EN.doc)

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**<\*> Mayors for Peace Member Cities – 104 New Cities**  
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Thanks to your invaluable support, as of December 1, the number of member cities reached 4,402 in 150 countries and regions. As a result of promotion at the World Congress of UCLG, many Latin American cities including 32 cities from Mexico joined Mayors for Peace. New members from Mozambique also joined. As our recruitment drive will continue, we would be most grateful if you could invite your fellow mayors, who are not yet our members, to join Mayors for Peace.  
▼ Related information (PDF):  
[http://www.mayorsforpeace.org/data/pdf/newmembers1012\\_en.pdf](http://www.mayorsforpeace.org/data/pdf/newmembers1012_en.pdf)  
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**<\*> Newly Arrived Information on “Member Cities’ Activities” Webpage**  
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