MEETING MINUTES

CITY OF PORTSMOUTH NH

Mayor's Blue Ribbon Committee on Sister

Cities

Thursday, November 20, 5 pm

Conference Room A and Zoom

Members of the public may attend in person or via Zoom.

Register to attend the Zoom Meeting:

https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/77rCq3BpTLmovyEAHqinXA

1. Old Business:

- a. Recap of Nichinan and Santarcangelo visits and receptions
 - i. 17 people (including the teachers) were in Portsmouth Oct 6-12, with reception at the library Thursday October 9 4:30-5:30 pm
 - ii. 16 students from Nichinan were here October 10-16. Mayor and officials and some committee members attended the PHS assembly October 14 at 2:00 pm.
- b. Carrickfergus (East Antrim), Northern Ireland: Alan Magee (son of Noel Magee, City Council, (signed agreement July 1994)) and his wife Laura visited with the Mayor, Mary Carey, Bob Sullivan and Ben Van Camp on October 10 and reviewed photos his father had taken here in 1996
- c. Portsmouth UK tour Chamber
- d. Upcoming events & news: Nichinan, Portsmouth UK,
- e. Update on Nelson, New Zealand
- f. Update on correspondence with Hungary
- g. Update on Sister City Fund/ Next Steps
- h. Review and approval of minutes from past meetings

2. Public Comment