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US Africa Sister Cities Conference

Cape Town and Johannesburg, South Africa

August 7-15, 2007

US Africa Sister Cities will host our 16th Annual and Fourth African Conference in South Africa, August 7-15, 2007. The conference theme is “**Investing in Africa**”.

The primary conference will be held in Cape Town. During and after the conference we will visit Robben Island, Victoria & Alfred Waterfront and Townships, then to Johannesburg, where we will have tours to MuseuMAfrica, Soweto and Mandela Museum. Tread the paths to greatness by Nelson Mandela and Walter Sisulu. Stand on the only road in the world that carries the honor of two recipients of the Nobel Peace Prize. There will also be side tours and trips to other sister cities in Southern Africa.

The total cost of the trip is \$2,850; the registration is \$400, which includes conference in Cape Town along with tours, luncheons, reception, dinner and closing event. Make check payable and send to DC-Dakar. For more information and conference registration, contact DC-Dakar (202) 635-7479 or srs-usasc@rcn.com. Airfare and hotel reservations contact Henderson Travel, (301) 650-5700 or 1-800-327-3209 ext. 506. Airfare on South African Airways is \$1,850 including taxes. A \$100 deposit for the airfare plus \$300 deposit for your room reservation is due ASAP. Hotel & breakfast only in Cape Town and Johannesburg is \$600 per person on double occupancy. Additional \$256 per person for a single and deposit for hotel and air is non-refundable. Tour number is T1166.

The Conference was established in 1991 to address program issues focusing on Africa. We are an advocate organization emphasizing issues that affect Africa and promoting public awareness through our African sister cities. We encourage friendship and better understanding, values of mutual respect, cooperation and benefit as well as a higher quality of life economically, technically, and environmentally.

For the past 15 years, representatives from many of the 107 U. S. cities and 110 African cities, towns or villages that are “Sister Cities” have met annually to exchange information and promote joint projects. Every fourth year the Conference is held in an African country.

US cities that have sister cities in South Africa:

Beaufort - **Beaufort, NC**

Cape Town - **Galveston, TX**

Durhan - **Chicago, IL**

George - **Tacoma, WA**

Grahamstown - **East Palo Alto, CA**

Johannesburg - **New York, NY**

King Shaka District Municipality - **Mobile, AL**

King William's Town - **Milwaukee County, WI**

Lawaaikamp - **Saint Paul, MN**

Nelson Mandela Metropolitan Municipality, Eastern Cape - **Jacksonville, FL**

Oukasie - **Berkeley, CA**

Pietermaritzburg - Msunduzi , KwaZulu-Natal - **Hampton, VA**

Port Elizabeth – **Jacksonville, FL**

Queenstown - **Milwaukee, WI**

Royal Bafokeng Nation - **Prince George's County, MD**

Tshwane Metropolitan Municipality, Gauteng - **Washington, DC**

Let us know if you are interested in side trips to Zambia, Namibia, Botswana, Zimbabwe and/or Swaziland.