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Hon. Men-An Pan

Magistrate

Pingtung County, Taiwan

Dear Magistrate Men-An Pan:

On behalf of the Council of Asian Liberals and Democrats (CALD) we would like to thank you for hosting the CALD Smart City Blueprint Seminar-Workshop last 23-26 August 2019. Indeed, we felt the warm hospitality of Pingtung County and the warm welcome from your people.

We would like to thank you for gracing the event despite the typhoon. We really appreciate your presence during the closing ceremony. The farewell dinner you hosted left a very meaningful memory of Pingtung to all of us. You showed the warmest welcome the Pingtung way. We definitely enjoyed the delicious food and the great company. You made us feel home in Pingtung.

We also greatly appreciate all the help and assistance that the Pingtung City Government extended to us - from the preparations to the final day of our event. We would like to thank all the directors from different departments of the Pingtung City Government who attended the sessions and shared their expertise and vision of a Smart Pingtung. The delegates learned a lot from the presentation and the vibrant dialogue.

We would like to thank, in particular, the team from the Department of International Affairs of the Pingtung City Government, for all the help and assistance they showed us. We commend the team for their professionalism and efficient work ethic exemplified during our stay.

Lastly, we want to wish you all the best in your future endeavor. Please remember that you have a family in CALD that will continue to stand for democracy and good governance with you. We trust that you will continue to serve the people well, with hard work and dedication, through your innovative programs. We are leaving Pingtung with a smile in our hearts and we hope to come back again very soon.

Once again, thank you and we hope to see you again in future CALD activities.

Sincerely,

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