



# Mexico City hosts the Latin American Mayors Dialogue

**W**ith the attendance of Mayors and Intendants from Central and South America, the Latin American Mayors Dialogue took place on November 11th, in the Old City Hall of Mexico City.

During this high-level meeting, two work sessions took place, entitled: “Democracy and Governance: shared challenges of Mayors in Latin America”, and “Common Agenda: commitments for regional integration.”

The Dialogue allowed the exchange of views, ideas and experiences among municipal officials committed to develop and strengthen democracy and governance, considering aspects such as political and administrative decentralization, as well as the promotion of practices and public policies that contribute to these processes in Latin American cities.



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## THE GOVERNMENT OF MEXICO CITY AND THE MUNICIPALITY OF ROSARIO SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Within the framework of the Latin American Mayors Dialogue, Mr. Cuauhtémoc Cárdenas, General Coordinator of Foreign Affairs of Mexico City’s Government, and Ms. Monica Fein, Intendant of the Municipality of Rosario, signed a Memorandum of Understanding, which promotes collaboration on issues and projects of common interest, as well as the exchange of experiences and best practices regarding urban development, sustainable development, economic development, social development and citizen participation.

## Mayors of Latin America are declared “Distinguished Guests” of Mexico City



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The participants of the Latin American Mayors Dialogue received the Medal and Scroll which officially declared them Distinguished Guests of Mexico City. The city’s newest illustrious visitors are: Mr. Gustavo Bordet, Intendant of Concordia, Argentina; Ms. Ana Olivera Pessano, Intendant of Montevideo, Uruguay; Mr. Sebastião de Melo Araújo, Deputy Mayor of Porto Alegre, Brazil; Ms. Monica Fein, Intendant of Rosario, Argentina.; Mr. Gerald Enrique Cumberbatch, Mayor of the District of San Miguelito, Panama; and Mr. Nazry Asfura, Mayor of Tegucigalpa, Honduras.

### ● MEXICO CITY SHARES ITS BEST PRACTICES IN MOBILITY

As part of the activities of the Latin American Mayors Dialogue, the participants were able to learn about Mexico City’s best practices in mobility, through technical visits made to the ECOBICI and Metrobus transport systems.

### ● LATIN AMERICAN MAYORS STRENGTHEN POLITICAL AND COOPERATION TIES

The Latin American Mayors Dialogue strengthened the political and institutional ties of participating local governments, which led to the establishment of a joint agenda that promotes integration and cooperation in Latin America; processes needed to drive regional action, voice and presence in the international context.

