

Meeting Summary Report
to the Secretariat of the Alliance for Healthy Cities

2nd Annual Meeting
of the Korean Chapter for the Alliance for Healthy Cities
(Korea Healthy Cities Partnership, KHCP)
September 12-13, 2007 Geumsan Gun, Republic of Korea

The Korean Chapter of the Alliance for Healthy Cities (Korea Healthy Cities Partnership, KHCP) convened its 2nd Annual Meeting on September 12-13, 2007 hosted by Geumsan County. The Meeting included the General Assembly of the Korean Chapter and a conference program with invited speakers from Australia and Taiwan. Nine Korean Healthy Cities(Changwon, Dobong, Gangnam, Geumsan, Gwangjin, Jinju, Jungu, Sungdong, Wonju) presented their experiences.

The General Assembly was chaired by Dr. Boo Ouk Rhee, Secretary of the Chair City(Changwon) and was attended by representatives from 22 full members(Busan Metropolitan City, Busanjin-gu, Changwon City, Dobong-gu, Dongjak-gu, Gangnam-gu, Geumsan-gun, Gwangjin-gu, Hwaseong City, Jinju City, Jung-gu, Namhae-gun, Seongbuk-gu, Seongdong-gu, Seosan City, Seoul Metropolitan Government, Wonju City, Yeongi-gun, Bucheon City, Andong City, Jangheung-gun) and, one associate member(Center for Health Promotion & Development, Seoul National University School of Public Health), and has agreed on the followings:

- The 3rd Annual Meeting will be hosted by Gangnam District in September 2008 concurrent with the 2nd Gangnam International Healthy Cities Symposium. International delegates are very welcomed to participate and announcements will be made in due course.
- As one third of AFHC members are Korean cities, we urge each other to more active participation in the AFHC, especially in being represented as a Steering Committee member.
- To show active participation in AFHC activities, we are eager to host the 4th General Assembly of the Alliance for Healthy Cities in the Republic of Korea.

The Korea Healthy Cities Partnership was established in September 2006 and currently has 25 full and associate members. The current chair city is Changwon.

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