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Dear Madam, Sir,

The city of PANEVĖŽYS confirms its commitment to be Project Partner in the activities of the URBACT Action planning network proposal entitled **Mapping the gendered landscape - A sustainable and tailor-made method for inclusion and urban development led by the municipality of Umeå, Sweden.**

The specific challenge we wish to address in this Action planning network as a Project Partner is how public organizations can play a greater role in creating conditions for gender equality through a holistic understanding of how gender inequality is created in the specific place. The cities in this project wish to explore how the method of *The gendered landscape* can be adapted to different city contexts and method be deepened into action plans that can be used in the cities as a basis for understanding the core issues for the city when it comes to working with gender equality. The action planning network helps the participating cities in identifying common challenges and sharing experiences and learning from each other on the innovative solutions adapted to specific local contexts. The action planning network thus creates an exchange on challenges faced by cities with an understanding of gender inequality that is globally understood but in a local context.

We are convinced that by working through this URBACT network, we will be able to better address these challenges. In this context, if the proposal is approved within the framework of the URBACT III Programme, we will participate in the project, take on roles and implement activities as indicated in the Phase 1 work programme. More especially, we commit to participate in the transnational meetings planned, to contribute to the production of the Baseline study, to identify key stakeholders to be involved and to contribute to the production of the Phase 2 Application.

To this end, we also formally commit to engaging the funds needed to co-finance ERDF. The details of this contribution are outlined within the Phase 1 application.

Yours sincerely

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