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Dear members of „Mogollon“,
dear Duane, Guy, Jon and Bryan,

time has passed so fast and now our traditional Bürgerfest 2017 is already over.

I would like to express my gratitude to you for your great performances at our Imperial Hall, Haidplatz and Emmeramsplatz.

You being part of Bürgerfest already became tradition and so it is not surprising that Regensburg's citizen cannot wait to see you whenever there is any opportunity to. You always bring a little piece of Arizona with you and enrich our Bürgerfest with your gigs, charism, charme and humor.

But especially this year was a real highlight: You made us almost cry as you presented the „Sister cities song“ during the official reception at the Old Town Hall. Celebrating the already 40th jubilee of Tempe's and Regensburg's friendship could not have been more emotional. Thank you so much for this great contribution to our festivities! Nothing could fit better into our international encounter as your song is about the main idea of being sister cities: Bring the world together.

I am convinced that where there is friendship and mutual trust, there is no place for hostility and aggression. Especially the current situation full of war and terrorism shows that we have to stick close together.

As you know the next come together of our both cities is planned for October yet.

Unfortunately, I am personally not able to attend Tempe Ocotberfest this year because of already existing obligations. Although this really is a pity I am simultaneously glad to announce that our Third Mayor, Mr. Jürgen Huber, will travel to our American sister city on this wonderful occasion.

Nevertheless, I really hope you will be again part of the next Bürgerfest. I can imagine you are very busy with organizing and performing concerts and therefore I forward you the date already today: June 21th to 23th 2019. Of course we will support you again with covering travel costs like we did this year. I really hope we will meet again in June 2019 at the latest.

Best regards from Regensburg

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Gertrud Maltz-Schwarzfischer

Vice Mayor