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The cities of the UBC network

## Invitation to the open meeting of the UBC – youthful cities commission in Turku 12-15 April, 2016

Dear members of the UBC network,

On behalf of the city of Turku it is my pleasure to invite you to the open meeting of the UBC youthful cities commission in Turku (Finland) on 12<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> April 2016. The main topic of the meeting is youth leisure time.

As Europe has a financial downturn, one can't deny that it effects on the sensitive groups of inhabitants (and young people in particular) will have a lasting effect. Therefore inclusion of young people through leisure time and non-formal learning as one of its instruments have been defined as the key topics for the meeting.

Being an active member of the UBC youthful cities commission ourselves, we are convinced that this meeting will create space for exchange of knowledge and foster further cooperation among the UBC cities. Turku is one of the oldest city in Finland. During your stay we will make sure that You get to know the Turku city and it's leisure time opportunities.

Detailed programme of the meeting and practicalities will be disseminated shortly by the organizers.

Aleksi Randell

Mayor

City of Turku