

Letter of intent - Global Network of Age-friendly Cities and Communities

The municipality of Hallstahammar has for a long period of years a central aim to develop itself as an age friendly city. Cooperation between local, regional and national actors and agencies has been of vital importance in order to provide adequate services, and to develop measures to promote active aging and well-being in our municipality.

We are now eager to take further steps with the help of the Network cycle of continual improvement. We have an local elderly advisory board in place on a city level, aimed specifically at addressing broad societal issues of interest for elderly in our municipality. The Age friendly Cities Initiative will serve as a supportive framework for the advisory board's future work for the coming years.

We believe that the initiative will help us work more coherently and altogether better on the topic of the demographic changes and the ageing population. Further developing the current local policies and finding inspiration in initiatives in other cities will aid our work in becoming a truly age friendly city.

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