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COMMITMENT CERTIFICATE BY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION,
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We are gratified to declare today on the 6th August 2024, that we, the Kozhikode Municipal Corporation, in the district of Kozhikode, Kerala, India are dedicated to becoming an Age Friendly City to promote and strengthen Multi sectoral and Multi stakeholder partnering to foster healthy and dignified ageing.

With nearly 17.32 percent of population aged 60 and above, surpassing the National and the State average of Old Aged People, we, the Kozhikode Corporation have a vision to transform India's First UNESCO City of Literature into and Age Friendly City.

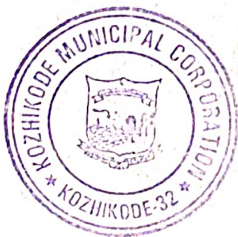
In line with the Age Friendly Frame Work proposed by the UN World Health Organization (WHO), we seek to reduce health inequities and improve the lives of Older People, their families and Community through Collective action in four areas: Changing how we think, feel and act towards age and ageing; developing community in ways that foster the abilities of Older People; delivering person – centered integrated care and primary and secondary Health services responsive

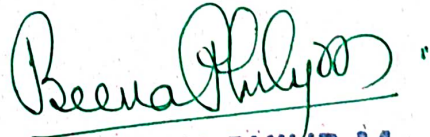
to Older people; and providing Older People who need it with access to quality long term care.

Looking ahead, the Municipal Corporation aims to ensure adequate participation from various Government Departments, International and Regional Organizations, Civil Society, the Private Sector, Academia and the Media to actively contribute to achieving the goal through direct actions, partnering with *olders* and by participating in the network for stakeholders to work together. This partnership helps to build capacities in data collection and analysis monitoring and evaluation, training Health and Care workers.

We, thus pledge to contribute to the progressive realization of all human rights of older adults. We promise to provide a supportive environment to our older adults to pursue new activities such as further education a new career or a long-neglected passion. We also promise to prevent and respond to the abuse of Older adults and to work to develop a portfolio of effective approaches to address the abuse of Older adults,

By signing this declaration, we affirm our dedication to realize all the commitments mentioned above. We pledge to consider the ageing population in all the policies, projects and programs developed and implemented by us. Together we can create a society that respects and supports People of all ages, ensuring a better future for generations to come.




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