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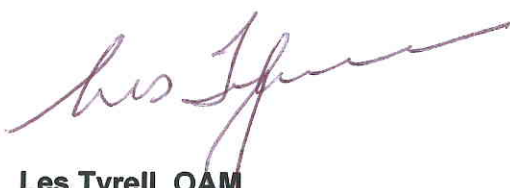
Dear Sir/Madam

As Mayor of Townsville City Council, and Chair of the Townsville Local Disaster Management Group, I am proud to endorse this city's nomination to participate in the United Nations "Making Cities Resilient" campaign.

This campaign will assist in strengthening local governments' commitments to help reduce risks to the communities from natural disaster events.

I look forward to this council's application being received which will enable us to commit to the 10-point checklist of the campaign.

Yours sincerely



Les Tyrell OAM
Mayor of Townsville