

The People's Government of Baofeng County

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Dear Molin Valdes Helena

I am very honored to participate IDRC Davos 2010 as a special speaker and sign up the UNISDR campaign “Making Cities Resilient” with you. On behalf of the people's government of Baofeng County, I thank you very much for your and UNISDR's great support for Baofeng's disaster reduction and mitigation.

IDRC Davos 2010 has successfully embedded the global risk and disaster discourse into the themes of climate change, the MDGs, sustainable development and human security – all together in a very inspiring atmosphere supporting in-depth and fruitful discussions. Particularly the agreement “Making Cities Resilient” I signed with you would provide strategic platform and opportunity for Baofeng to improve international communication on disaster prevention and mitigation and enhance its capability which would be beneficial for Baofeng to adopt climate change, safeguard public citizens and develop in a sustainable way.

After the conference, I promptly informed the Davos conference and contents of agreement to Baofeng government which announced the sign-up campaign “Making Cities Resilient” with UNISDR rapidly. Baofeng has already fulfilled the agreement by spreading the knowledge and improving skill on disaster prevention and mitigation, updating the data of disaster and vulnerability on disaster emergency plan, investigating and adjusting anti-flood facilities and supervising school and hospitals.

Meanwhile, I've already notified National Platform and Hyogo Framework for Action

2005-2015 to Baofeng government, encouraging the government to carry out HFA as soon as possible, build up the platform for disaster reduction to improve Baofeng's behavioral and executive ability to prevent and mitigate disaster.

Let's stay in contact and share ideas, strategies, knowledge, experiences, best practice examples, and many more issues to the benefit of Bofeng.

Thank you once again for your outstanding support.

With best personal regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Shufeng Liu' in Chinese characters, written in a cursive style.

Shufeng Liu

President of Baofeng

