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To: The Mayor and Each Member of Limerick City and County Council
Re: Mayoral Visit to New York City, USA

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A Chomhairleoir, a Chara,

The Irish Consul General to New York, Mr Cíaran Madden has agreed to host a Limerick event in the Consulate on 345 Park Ave, New York on the evening of 13th February, 2020. Limerick City and County Council is to launch Brand Limerick at the event. The event is to be attended by members of the Limerick diaspora in the New York area with attendees from the social, political, business, educational, sporting, and cultural life of the city and region.

Whilst in New York City, the Mayor will also meet with the Mayor of Albany, NY, Ms Kathy Sheehan and her officials. The Mayor will also meet with the family of Ms Ellen O'Grady, the first female Deputy Police Commissioner of New York, who originally hailed from Limerick.

The Mayor will arrive in New York on the evening of 11th February and return on 14th February 2020.

The costs associated with the visit are €1,450 (flights, transfers and accommodation).

In accordance with Section 142(5) of the Local Government Act 2001, as amended, the approval of the Council is hereby sought for the visit to New York, USA.

Yours sincerely,

Vincent Murray

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