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Dear City of Melbourne Meeting Group Team

This is a written response in regards to Agenda Item 7.1 Post travel report by Councillor Susan Riley: Smart City Expo World Congress and Sharing cities Summit Barcelona, Spain, November 2018.

This travel report encapsulates Councillor Susan Rileys second visit to Barcelona for the Smart City World Expo

Conference and the Sharing Cities Summit.Building smarter cities for a better future is an essential subject to explore, and important for a brighter future for Melbourne. Melbourne is an international city and it is appropriate for

Councillor Riley to travel to Barcelona to participate in this important forum and to bringback innovative ideas to help

City of Melbourne manage the burgeoning city. Congratulations to Councillor Susan Riley for presentinga magnificent report. The photographic reportage is exemplary.

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Best regards

Chris Thrum

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