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LETTER OF SUPPORT FOR

TROMSØ'S CANDIDACY FOR EUROPEAN YOUTH CAPITAL 2026

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Norwegian YMCA-YWCA is part of a worldwide network and experienced methods through the biggest organization of and for young people and the largest female network globally. In Norway we reach more than 40 000 children and young people yearly. We do it through the method of empowering young people. It's both focusing on the resources individually and the process collectively. That means that we always start with building trust and relations, providing tools and motivation to take an active place in society.

We endorse the candidacy of Tromsø for the title of European Youth Capital and their aspirations to enhance youth engagement and foster youthful citizenship both within the city and throughout the entire region. In our experience Tromsø is an engaged and proficient candidate for this role and task.

As the only Nordic applicants in the running for European Youth Capital, we believe that Tromsø has the potential to enhance and inspire youth-led activities in the entire region.

We commend Tromsø's dedication to empowering young individuals and their initiatives. We fully support their candidacy.

On behalf of KFUK-KFUM Norge/YWCA-YMCA Norway

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