



## CITY OF MISSISSAUGA OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

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### ***Greetings from Mayor Carolyn Parrish***



On behalf of the City of Mississauga and our Members of Council, I would like to wish the City of Kariya a happy and prosperous new year. May the year ahead be filled with new beginnings, joy and prosperity for the residents of your great city.

As we step into 2026, we also prepare to celebrate the 45<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the sister city relationship between Mississauga and Kariya! This is a remarkable milestone that I am honoured and excited to commemorate.

Over the past 45 years, the partnership between our two cities has created numerous opportunities for cultural and economic exchanges between Mississauga and Kariya staff and residents. I am proud of the connections we have built and the significant impact our friendship has had in our vibrant and diverse communities.

Since our two cities partnered in 1981, I am proud to see how each has grown and flourished into modern, vibrant, global hubs of activity and innovation. As we look ahead to the next 45 years, I look forward to continuing to grow this partnership with a renewed commitment to strengthening the ties between our two cities.

I wish Kariya City, Mayor Inagaki and his Council, staff and residents a wonderful new year filled with many successes and good fortune. As we kick off this special anniversary year, Mississauga is proud to call Kariya our sister city and we look forward to celebrating many more milestones in the future.

Sincerely,

Carolyn Parrish  
Mayor, City of Mississauga