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### **City of Alexandria to Host Special Concert to Celebrate Alexandria's Swedish Sister City Helsingborg, Sweden**

The City will host a musical extravaganza on Saturday, January 30 highlighting the relationship between the City of Alexandria and its Sister City, Helsingborg, Sweden. This special concert is scheduled at 4 p.m. at Convergence, an artistic community at 1801 North Quaker Lane. Helsingborg's Mayor, Carin Wredström, will be in attendance. Helsingborg has been a Sister City of Alexandria since 1966.

Mayor William D. Euille says, "We are pleased to have a delegation from Helsingborg in Alexandria. I encourage all citizens to join me at this concert and enjoy some Swedish culture."

The program features the "The Seven Sopranos", "Lucia Girls," a Helsingborg-based teen choir, the Alexandria Choral Society, "The Swedish Jazz Duo" and "The Groomsman," Alexandria Harmonizers.

The program is sponsored by the City of Alexandria in partnership with the Office of Citizen Assistance, Office of the Arts, the Alexandria Commission for the Arts, Alexandria Choral Society, Alexandria Harmonizers, Alexandria Performing Arts Association, Alexandria Singers, and Empowered Women International.

Seating will be on a first-come, first-served basis. Following the concert, there will be a reception honoring our Swedish guests, providing an opportunity to meet the musicians as well as a presentation of art by Empowered Women International's visual artists and artisans. Reservations are required by emailing [cfripp.rsvp@ewint.org](mailto:cfripp.rsvp@ewint.org).

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