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# Krasyliv Friendship City

Project and Fundraising Launch

June 29, 2026

# AGENDA

- Introduction
- Messages from the Mayors
- History and Nature of the Friendship Agreement
- Life in Ukraine Presentation – Ukrainian Congress of Canada
- Past and Future Projects
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- Question Period and Refreshments

# INTRODUCTION

## 10 Working Group Members:

- Mayor Steve Ferguson
- Councillor Bill Roberts
- Municipal Staff – Joy McLeod and Sarah Harvey
- Rotary Club of Picton – Don Leslie (Chair), Jim JJ Johnston and Paul Epp
- Community Members – Roxanne Mackenzie (Vice-Chair), Kathy Reed and Andriy Vanchuk



# Message from Mayor Nina Ostrovska

## Video Placeholder

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## Facts about Krasyliv

- Located in Western Ukraine
- History dates back to 1444
- 29,600 residents
- Area of 436 km<sup>2</sup>  
(about 40% the size of PEC)
- Main industry is agriculture supported by commercial food production and farm equipment manufacturing
- Recent regional amalgamation of 1 town (Krasyliv) and 30 villages.
- Home to 3,200 displaced persons from the war



# History of the Friendship City Agreement

- Krasyliv delegation visited Prince Edward County in 2019 to learn about regional amalgamations
- Spring 2024, Council approved creation of a Working Group comprising municipal leadership and staff, a sponsoring organization (Rotary Club of Picton) and members of the public
- Fall 2025, Council and Krasyliv approve final wording of Friendship Agreement

# Nature of the Friendship City Agreement

## Goal

*“The goal of the friendship agreement is to foster mutual understanding and plan joint efforts in the areas of arts, culture, education, sports, youth services, tourism, environment, public health, and business development.”*

## Expectations

*“...each Party will create and maintain a local working group to organize and advance the goal of this agreement. Collectively, the groups will explore projects and activities of benefit to each community and be responsible to obtain support of their municipal government, residents and/or community organizations as necessary.*

*We will support exchange visits between our cities within the abilities of each community. This Agreement does not entail any financial commitments on either Party.”*

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# Past and Future Projects

- Christmas Cards

- In November - December Roxanne Mackenzie, Kat community for personal
- 492 cards were sent to community



cards designed by XXXXX around the people of Krasyliv for support of their

- Next Project

- Krasyliv children are in need of portable generators
- 200 size 4 soccer balls will be sent this summer. 200 size 5 soccer balls will be sent this summer.
- Sources for school supplies are being explored



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# FUNDRAISING

- Funds needed for junior soccer balls is \$4,071.34 which includes logos for each municipality printed on the balls, taxes and shipping to Krasyliv
- Estimate \$4,244 for senior soccer balls
- Tonight we are receiving donations from:
  - The Rotary Club of Picton - \$3,000
  - Prince Edward County 4H Sports Club - \$1,200
  - Councillor Bill Roberts - \$ 500
- Donation jar and QR Code for CanadaHelps available if you wish to help us with the projects to come.

# Questions and Ukrainian Refreshments

- **Friendship City Project website coming soon to TheCounty.ca**
- **Contact e-mail: *friendshipcity@pecounty.on.ca***

**Questions??**

**Ukrainian Refreshments**



THANK YOU

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