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Federation of Gay Games Board of Directors, Honorary Life Members, General Assembly Member
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It is my pleasure to support the Gay Games XIII 2030 Denver Bid Committee and welcome the International Federation of Gay Games, all athletes, artists and supporters to the City of Denver. The Games represent Colorado's opportunity to truly "Change the World" by supporting the mission of the FGG to promote equity, diversity and inclusion through sport and culture. We will endeavor to support the FGG's core principles of Participation, Inclusion, and Personal Best™ by bringing 12,000 athletes and artists to our great state via a myriad of world-class sport, cultural and celebration festivities.

All events and activities will highlight Denver's many fine attributes: LGBTQ affirming state and local government and elected officials and laws, world-class facilities for all abilities, safety and security, an abundance of established LGBTQ+ ally sport and cultural organizations and teams, national corporate and non-profit support and more.

I look forward to personally participating and engaging at the upcoming Gay Games in Denver.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mike Johnston".

Mike Johnston
Mayor