

May 15, 2012

Mayor Bratina and Hamilton City Council
Hamilton City Hall
2nd Floor - 71 Main St. West
Hamilton, ON L8P 4Y5

Dear Mayor Bratina and Hamilton City Council:

Mohawk College and Jiaying Vocational Technical College have been negotiating an agreement of cooperation since June 2010. Dean Rick Court and I along with other colleagues have visited Jiaying Vocational Technical College three times during the past two years and are very impressed with their facilities and management team. We are hopeful that we will be able to finalize our negotiations during the Deputy President of the College's first visit to Mohawk in June 2012.

The delegates from Jiaying City are:

1. Mr. Chai, Yongqiang, Deputy Mayor of Jiaying Municipal People's Government (DOB: Jul.3rd, 1961)
2. Mr. Zhao, Jianming, Director of Jiaying Education Department (DOB: Mar.6th, 1962)
3. Mr. Shen, Xianghong, Deputy Director of Jiaying Science & Technology Department (DOB: Jul.1st, 1967)
4. Mr. Shen, Jianlong, Deputy President of Jiaying Vocational Technical College (DOB: Oct.8th, 1962)
5. Mr. Wang, Weirong, Deputy Director of Jiaying Sports Department (DOB: Dec.10th, 1969)
6. Mr. Zhang, Xinmin, Deputy President of Tongji Zhejiang College (DOB: Feb.28th, 1963)

Because the delegation includes officials from the College as well as municipal officials, the Chinese government will only provide approval for the trip if an invitation letter is sent from both Mohawk and Mayor Bratina. We would greatly appreciate Mayor's assistance on the matter and look forward to welcoming Jiaying delegates to Mohawk College and Hamilton.

Sincerely,



Rob Maclsaac
President

