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**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN
THE CENTRE FOR LIVEABLE CITIES AND WRDLCTY PTE LTD
ON KNOWLEDGE EXCHANGE AND COLLABORATION TO CREATE LIVEABLE,
LOVABLE AND SUSTAINABLE CITIES**

12 February 2025 – Singapore’s Centre for Liveable Cities (CLC), and WRDLCTY Pte Ltd, a global forum for urban innovation, have signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for knowledge exchange and international collaboration to advance the creation of endearing, distinctive and sustainable cities.

2 The MOU was inked by Hugh Lim, Executive Director, CLC, and representatives from WRDLCTY – Director Christopher Fair and Managing Director Anupam Yog, at a CLC Lecture on what makes cities lovable and liveable.

Scope of MOU

3 This MOU, a first between CLC and [WRDLCTY](#), aims to provide an overarching framework for knowledge exchange and collaboration across various platforms such as conferences and symposiums, joint research projects, studies and publications. Through the MOU, CLC and WRDLCTY also seek to leverage on each other’s networks and to build new connections globally.

4 This MOU enables both CLC and WRDLCTY to draw on the collective expertise and experience in curating and organising global conferences and knowledge-sharing events. Both parties will support and collaborate through participating in expert panel discussions, and programming complementary sessions or workshops at key events, such as CLC’s upcoming World Cities Summit in June 2026. WRDLCTY will be bringing their global WRDLCTY conference to Singapore for the first time, alongside the upcoming World Cities Summit, and work with CLC to expand and enrich conference offerings for all participants.

5 CLC and WRDLCTY will also be delving further into knowledge and insights, experience and new methods for the measurement and design of liveable and sustainable cities and regions. Both parties will explore avenues such as co-authoring knowledge products (e.g., blogs, articles, urban briefs, etc.) that translate existing research work into actionable steps for implementation.

6 “CLC and WRDLCTY believe that cities should be liveable, distinctly loveable and sustainable. Through this partnership, we aim to offer greater insights, inspire more innovative approaches and solutions, and leverage on each other’s networks to reach out to more city leaders and urban practitioners around the world. CLC looks forward to our collaboration, and especially to WRDLCTY sharing their knowledge and bringing their WRDLCTY conference alongside the World Cities Summit in 2026,” said Hugh Lim, Executive Director, CLC.

7 “CLC and Resonance have both been studying and sharing best practises in sustainable urban development and innovation for more than a decade. This collaboration is not only an opportunity to bring the best minds from both our organizations together on key research initiatives, but to amplify our outreach and knowledge sharing together with countries, cities and communities around the world,” said Christopher Fair, President and CEO of Resonance and Director, WRLDCTY.

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About the Centre for Liveable Cities

Set up in 2008 by the Ministry of National Development and the then-Ministry of the Environment and Water Resources, the Centre for Liveable Cities (CLC) aims to distil, create and share knowledge on liveable and sustainable cities.

The CLC's work spans four main areas: Research, Capability Development, Knowledge Platforms, and Advisory. Through these activities, it hopes to provide urban leaders and practitioners with the knowledge and support needed to make our cities better.

For more information, please visit www.clc.gov.sg

About Resonance

[Resonance](#) creates transformative strategies, brands and campaigns that empower destinations, cities and communities to realize their full potential.

As leading advisors in real estate, tourism and economic development, Resonance combines expertise in research, strategy, branding and communications to make destinations, cities and developments more valuable and more vibrant.

Resonance also organizes [WRLDCTY, a global conference](#) inaugurated in 2020 that is focused on urban design, real estate, and technology, aimed at shaping the future of cities

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