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Dear Members of the Wikimania 2016 Jury:

On behalf of the Tourism Promotions Board (TPB), I am privileged to extend this warm invitation to the Wikimedia Community to hold Wikimania 2016 in Manila.

It is noteworthy that the Philippines has more than adequately provided a hospitable venue for innumerable international conventions in several areas of human endeavors such as education, social science, law, travel and tourism, medicine, and sports, among others. The holding of Wikimania 2016 in the Philippines is yet another opportunity to further promote international friendship, service and understanding.

It is with sincere hope that we will be given the opportunity to welcome your group to the Philippines. Rest assured that the Tourism Promotions Board will extend it utmost support to ensure the success of Wikimania 2016.

Thank you and Mabuhay

Very truly yours,

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