

21th February 2020

Mr. Claus Kaminsky Mayor of Hanau

Dear Mr. Kaminsky,

On behalf of the European Chapter of Mayors for Peace, I wish to express our deepest condolences and solidarity with the city of Hanau and its citizens, in particular with the families of the victims, for the far-right extremist attack that took place on Wednesday. I would also like to sincerely hope the early recovery of those who were injured. Our close solidarity belongs to all people in these communities.

As members of the worldwide alliance Mayors for Peace, we condemn any form of violence. Such an act is an attack on the whole of our civilization and values to build a culture of peaceful coexistence.

In this difficult time, we stand together for reconciliation, multicultural living and peace in our cities. The world needs cities of peace and coexistence.

Yours sincerely,

Josep Mayoral i Antigas The Chairman of the European Chapter of Mayors for Peace Mayor of Granollers, Catalonia, Spain