



“सम्पूर्ण क्षेत्रको समुचित विकास, खाँदवारी नगरपालिकाको प्रयास”

# खाँदवारी नगरपालिका

## Khandbari Municipality

खाँदवारी, सङ्खुवासभा  
Khandbari, Sankhuwasabha

१ नं. प्रदेश, नेपाल ।  
Province No. 1, Nepal  
Date: May 10, 2019

Ref No. 2110  
F.Y:075/076

Mr. Clint Folsom  
Mayor  
Town of Superior  
Colorado, USA

Dear Sir,

It is very nice to know from our friend Mr. Narayan Shrestha, who lives in your beautiful town for more than 25 years. His initiative to make our two towns as a sister cities is very much welcomed by our city, Khandbari Municipality.

Our Municipality is fully interested to have such sister relationship between our two towns and want to explore and materialize the areas of mutual co-operation. We, Khandbari Municipality, are looking forward to establish and flourish our friendship as soon as your city approves our request.

We are very much thankful to you, your Municipality and the citizen of your town as well as board of trustees through Mr. Shrestha. A brief introduction of our Municipality has been attached herewith.

Sincery Yours,

Murari Prasad Khatiwada  
Mayor

Khandbari Municipality

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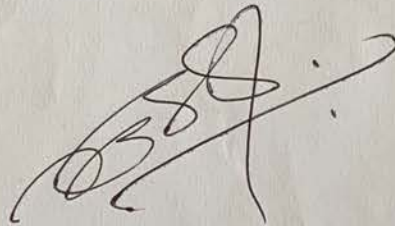
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## General Information of Khandbari Municipality

Khandbari is the district headquarter of Sankhuwasabha District in Kosi Zone of Province no 1, Nepal. It is also a major town of Nepal and the town of many different races and ethnic groups. Khandbari Municipality was established in 2053 Magh 18 (B.S) by combining 3 VDCs namely Manakamana, Pangma and Malta and later in 2073 by combining Khandbari Municipality and Sitalpalti Village Development Committee. Geographically Khandbari Municipality covers huge area, consists of total 11 wards having area 122.78 square kilometres . It borders with savapokhari rural municipality in the east, Sadananda Municipality in the west, Panchkhapan and chainpur municipality in the south and chichila and silichong rural municipality in the north. Subsistence agriculture farming, mainly small scale livestock is the main source of occupation and livelihood of the majority of the population. As it lies at the altitude of 457m to 1080 m from the sea level, it has cool temperate climate. The climate itself is one of the attractions in the municipality for the tourist who desires to escape hot climate in the terai regions temporarily. Sekaha bazar, Manakamana Temple, Khorande, harelodanda and Chichila Point etc are the most famous touristic destinations in the nation located in the municipality. These and other potential locations in the municipality can attract large number of tourists from adjoining Dhankuta, Bhojpur, Dharan and Itahari Sub Metropolitan cities, Biratnagar Metropolitan city, other neighboring cities in the eastern region, nationwide and Indian tourist as well.

Total population of Khandbari Municipality (2011 Census) is 31,177 of which female is 16,467 (52.81%) and male is 14,710 (47.19%) residing in 7,446 households and its coordinates 27°22'N 87°13'E. Koshi highway (Basantapur-Chainpur-Tumlingtar-Khandbari-Num) is the main access road of Khandbari Municipality. About 3 km north from Khandbari lies another small bazaar known as Manebhanjyang which is an emerging business centre peak in the world and also the world lowest valley Tumlingtar which is about 18 km from Khandbari.



Silichong Gaunpalika

# संखुवासभा जिल्ला खाँदवारी नगरपालिका

Chichila Gaunpalika

Sabhapokhari Gaunpalika

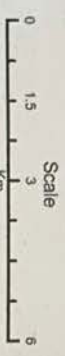
Bhojpur

Panchpakhan Gaunpalika

Chainpur Nagarpalika

**संकेत**

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- बडा सीमाना
- गाउँपालिका / नगरपालिका सीमाना
- जिल्ला सीमाना



Projection System: MUTM, Spheroid - Everest 1830  
LLRC, 2016

स्रोत: स्थलचित्र नक्सा (स्केल १:२५,०००/१:५,००,०००), मापी विभाग र जनगणना २०६८, केन्द्रिय तथ्यांक विभाग  
नयाँ पाठे: गाउँपालिका, नगरपालिका तथा विशेष, सरकारी वा स्थानीय क्षेत्रको संख्या तथा सीमाना निर्धारण आयोग





# Khandbari Municipality

## Khandbari, Sankhuwasabha

### Province No.1, Nepal



Ref No. १०८३



Date: Thu, 04 Jun, 2020

Mayor, Town of Superior  
Superior Colorado

Dear honorable Mayor, **Mr. Clint Folsom**

It has been awhile that we have sent you a request/interest of our friendly relationship, as sister city between our two new developing municipalities. I do understand that we have a lot of difficult time to go through because of this killer Novel Corona virus, Covid-19, in the world.

In Nepal it is growing day by day, but in our municipality, it is reported that one person has been infected with this virus. I would say we got informed in advance, learned how to get ready from other countries' trouble. So far we are very much lucky.

We the people of our Municipality would like to send our sincere condolence of loss of more than 100,000 lives of our friendly country America. Any human loss is a big loss, but 100,000 is a humongous loss. Our deepest condolence and heartfelt sorrow goes to you from the people of our Municipality. God must give you and your citizen's strength to cope with this sad time.

As far as our official friendship goes, please do not forget us. We may be living in the far up in the remote mountain village of Nepal, but we have a lot to offer and we both can gain sharing our culture, environment, tourism aspects, Educational exchanges, but in the health area needless to say that it will be one way street, USA to Nepal only. We can not offer so much in health area at this time.

I understand Colorado is also full of natural beauty, but not the similar mountains like ours in Nepal. Sorry please, I had to say this just to add a small humor. Your town, the other cities near by you and all in Colorado, I understand that there are more than 500 people from Khandbari origin Nepali living in Colorado. Among them our most respected Khandbari born Nepal origin American, **Mr. Narayan Shrestha** is the permanent resident of your town, since almost 3 decades. He is very well known personality in Nepal, with his humanitarian work in our district and rest of Nepal. His friendship with Nepal past and current high ranking leaders of Nepal, makes us proud that he was born in our town and lives in your town.

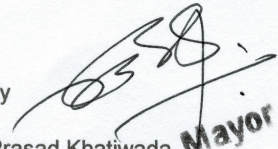
Please without delay, if there is a way that you can make our friendship official, would give both our city a good platform to work closely with our goals. I understand that because of this Corona virus may be delaying it which I understand, but if there is any way you all do something getting it done faster would give us a plan to host your team in our town or we coming to your town to have an agreement signing ceremony.

There are so many things that we can work together to make our two cities citizens to work in many areas. We want to make this planet earth a better place by sharing our culture, friendship, understanding, sharing knowledge, the beauties of our two cities and countries, Tourism, education and many more. Let us please make it very much rewarding by being known to each other and expanding our horizon as far as we can reach.

Please give my best regards to your fellow Town councils and citizens of Superior, on behalf of the fellow citizens of my Municipality, the members and the staff of the Municipality and from myself. My humble request to you that, there is nothing to lose but gain from our friendship.

I thank you so much and hoping to hear back with positive note.

Sincerely

  
Murari Prasad Khatiwada  
Mayor  
Khandbari Municipality  
Sankhuwa Sava, province-1  
Nepal