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**To the Particular Attention of all Honourable Members, Networks,
Partners, Guests, Moderators, Speakers, and Participants to
FAMI5_2021 of UCLG Africa**

Subject/ : Message of Appreciation, Thanks, and Gratitude.

As part of the contribution to the United Nations Decade of Action and its 2021 Action Plan, UCLG-Africa, through its Academy ALGA, organized, in hybrid mode, the 5th edition of the African Forum of Territorial Managers and Training Institutes targeting Local Government (FAMI5_2021) from 6 to 11 December, 2021, in Marrakech-Safi Region of the Kingdom of Morocco. The theme of the Forum was "Local Africa Goes Digital and Smart : Time to Act is Now!!!".

Some **5 665 participants** took part to this event, face-to-face, via the Zoom Platform and Facebook page of UCLG-Africa. The participants from 46 African Countries and 21 non-African Countries, among which 30% are women and 70% are men.

More than 100 presentations and as many good practices were made during the Forum which will be shared with you, in particular on the UCLG-Africa Portal: www.uclga.org and the website of its Academy: www.uclgafrica-alga.org.

Please find enclosed the press release issued at the end of the Forum as well as the General Report of FAMI5_2021 adopted by the participants during the closing session on Friday December 10, 2021.

We would like to express to all of you our most sincere thanks for your participation, which certainly contributed to the success of this 5th edition of FAMI, despite the constraints linked to the Covid-19 pandemic.

To enable UCLG-Africa to better serve you in the future, we have the honor to send you hereafter an Evaluation Questionnaire of the Forum to fill in following the link is below:

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=ZqHJoXIOGkSQYMWehBGzrYN-t4vyPp5GovSUvq_kZQVUOFExSUhSRFISVVVPQTgxVIRRWENCRjgxRS4u

We wish you all Happy Holidays, and a very Happy New Year 2022.

Yours, Sincerely,

Jean Pierre ELONG MBASSI

Secretary General



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