

# Friends of Aileu Delegation

## 1-14 July 2019

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Cr Karen Sherry, Cr Joseph Haweil, Cr Mark Riley  
and Project Officer Chris Adams



Mambai Rai Husar (Mambai Country Navel of the Land)  
Foho Tatamailau (Mt Ramelau) above the clouds

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Left: Quintao (Suku Liurai) and KEUMA members Nelson (at rear), and Fernanda, Xavier (KEUMA President) and Angela (front row) at UNTL/VU SDG conference

Above: includes (Centre) Olga (Aileu Rotaract President) and (Right) Domingos (Past President)





With Gaspar Freitas, Coordinator Xanana  
Gusmao Reading Room  
Santa Cruz cemetery





With Mrs Nuni Nobre at ALOLA

With guide at Chega! exhibition





With Mr Abilio Caetano (Vice-minister State Administration), and Mrs Nina Soares Pinto, Mr Germano Dias and Mr Herminio Moniz





Agora Food Studio, Dili

Selo Lake, Selo Craik, Aileu





Dili Vanilli farm visit

Looking south from Aileu to the mountains





Alto Pinto driver and all round guide and companion

With Mrs Domingas de Jesus  
at Das Flores Central School





At Aileu Resource and Training Centre: with (left) Natalia, Paula, Sister Rosalva, Jacinta (Manu Casa Resource & Training Centre), Sabino and Joaquinho





ARTC's Kadalak Dame garden





Aisirimou Suku, Aileu  
At Nicolau Lobato statue  
With Suku Chief Mr Ilidio Maufelo and assistant





At Uma Dame (Peace House) with  
Aileu Municipal Youth Centre members





Reception at offices of the  
Aileu Municipal Administration





Meeting with Aileu Municipal Administrator  
Mr Joao Tilman do Rego and staff,  
and Aileu Directors of government ministries





With staff of Uma Ita Nian Parish Clinic

Juliano, Jose, Luis and Cristiano at St Francis  
Assisi Disability Workshop





With Mr Galiano Gaillos, Director Agriculture, and staff

With Mr Rogerio Conceicao, Manager Aileu Municipal Health Centre, beside the Hospital's clean water system





Aileu Municipal Health Centre and Hospital  
with Manager Mr Rogerio Conceicao





Traditional and civic welcome for  
Prime Minister Tau Matan Ruak













PM (centre, red shirt) with Aileu Municipal Administrator and Government ministers

An elder asking for more question time





Group photo time  
... some of us caught mid-action ...





..... more group photos .....





..... and more .....





On the way up into the hills  
to Manu Casa, Lequidoe





# Manu Casa Resource and Training Centre

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Mt Tatamau reforestation project





Inspecting protection works at  
Tataloko and Lidai springs





Afternoon tea at Manu Casa





Returning from Lequidoe to Aileu





With Rotaract President Olga Falcao  
A second afternoon tea  
with Natalia, Joaozinho and family





Meeting with members of  
Aileu Anan Association





At Uma Dame with members of  
Aileu Anan Association





Aileu market





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Aileu Youth Centre friendship games





Walk to Cristo Rei, Dili





View from Cristo Rei





Dili Cathedral

Alola Fair





A well deserved rest ....  
.....and homeward bound





Mr Abilio Caetano, vice-minister for State Administration

Jimmy Campos, photographer/journalist





Lourenco Ico of Selo Craik, Aileu, Medical Technologist at National Hospital

With Aoife Carli-Hannan, Henrique Rodrigues (COSPEPAL Central School) and members of Arte Mambai Rai Husar





With Domingos de Jesus, Alipio Simoes and  
Abilio de Araujo

Judit Martins, Rotary Dili





Meeting with Mrs Victoria do Rego,  
Marcos da Costa, Mr Camilo da Costa, Mr Domingos Vidigal  
and Henrique Rodrigues



## Some outcomes from the delegation's visit

- 1 Councillor delegates improved understanding of current situation in Timor-Leste and Aileu
- 2 Connections between councillor delegates and partners and stakeholders, including:
  - # Timor-Leste Government Ministry of State Administration
  - # Aileu Municipal Administration and Government Ministries
  - # Aileu Civil Society partner organisations
- 3 Handed over copies of Friends of Aileu Annual Report 2018
- 4 Agreement to re-establish the Aileu Friendship Commission
- 5 Agreement to pursue renewal of Friendship Agreement for period beyond 2020
- 6 MA's request to identify specific priorities, consistent with Municipal Strategic Planning
- 7 MA's invitation to 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary 30 Aug Popular Consultation celebrations (15 & 16 Aug in Aileu)
- 8 MA is open to participation in 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebrations in 2020, including video documentation



## **Some Priorities of the Municipal Administration for the Friendship Relationship**

### **1 Education and Training**

Including recommencing tertiary scholarship program, with agreed criteria and processes, taking account of AILA's final report on interview survey

### **2 Health**

Build on previous assistance, including better targeting through an audit of needs, services, skills for the Friendship and equipment

### **3 Environment and Waste Management**

Agreement to prioritise development of a waste management strategy for Aileu

### **4 Agriculture, Economic Development and Tourism**

Including request for contributions to cultural and historic museum

### **5 Community to community engagement**

Continue to develop personal connections, including through CERES Global and youth activities



	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	← From 28 Jun						To 15 Jul →
	Aileu Delegation and CERES Global engagement; Christopher Adams						
	FW: Friends of Aileu: Councillor Delegation to Timor-Leste; Council Calendar						
8 <sup>AM</sup>	Breakfast Disc▲	Breakfast; Disc▲	Breakfast; A↻	Breakfast; A↻	Breakfast; A↻	Breakfast; A↻	Breakfast; Disc▲
9	Orientation/re (incl. visit to XRR, Santa Cruz, Coreos, ALOLA, Chega Dili	Timor Telecon	Mestra Domin	Meetings Aileu Municipal Admin Aisirimou	Prime minister visit to Aileu	Meet AILA members at Uma Dame	Area Branca/Christo Rei
10		Ambassador Peter Roberts Aust Embassy, L	Visit Aileu Resource and Training				Rest/pack/che
11							
12 <sup>PM</sup>		Coffee Letefol	Lunch Aileu		Lunch Bombei	Check out acco	ALOLA Fair Cat
1		Lunch Agora	Around town site visits:	Lunch Aisirimc	meet catequis	Lunch Aileu	Lunch Wasabi
2	Lunch Castawa	Travel, visit Seloï Lake, Martin Hardie	Nicolau Lobato, Chefe Ilidio,	Uma Ita Nian (	Out of town site visits, Manu Casa	Church & Kada	Check out Cofi
3	Nina Pinto	Martin Hardie		St Francis Assi	CTRA & reforestation Project	Sports; Aisirimc	Drop off councillors depart 17:05
4	Vice-minister	Dili Vanilli Dili-Aileu	Aileu Municipal Youth Centre	Agriculture		Travel Aileu-Dili	Discovery Inn to Airport
5	Rest	Check in accor		Hospital			
6			MaryAnne; ISF		Meet Rotaract	Check in; Disc	
7	Dinner with CERES Global	Dinner; Aile ↻	Dinner; Aile ↻	Dinner; Aile ↻	Dinner; Aile ↻	Dinner Little Pattaya	
8	Delicious Timor						
9	o/n Discovery	o/n Projetu ↻	o/n Projetu ↻	o/n Projetu ↻	o/n Projetu ↻	o/n Discovery▼	