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Dear Local2030 Islands Network Secretariat,

I am pleased to confirm that the Republic of the Marshall Islands supports the Four Principles of the Local2030 Islands Network:

- Identifying local goals to advance the UN Sustainable Development Goals and strengthen long-term political leadership on sustainable development and climate resilience.
- Strengthening public-private partnerships that support diverse stakeholders in integrating sustainability priorities into policy and planning.
- Measuring SDG progress through tracking and reporting on locally and culturally informed indicators.
- Implementing concrete initiatives that build island resilience and circular economy through locally appropriate solutions, particularly at the water-energy-food nexus.

With this communication, we express our intent to implement these principles and we are committed to engaging in collaborative island projects which advance the local implementation of the Sustainable Development Goals. The Republic of the Marshall Islands will make a clear statement of this commitment to our partners and the general public. Our top priorities of collaboration with the Local2030 Islands Network are "Collective Development of Indicators for Islands and Monitoring Instrument", "Financing of SDGs: How to attract investment and budgeting for SDGs", and "A green growth partnership (building on lessons learned from previous RMI efforts)."

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Anjanette Kattil".

Anjanette Kattil
Secretary of Foreign Affairs and Trade
Republic of the Marshall Islands