You are warmly invited to attend a Hyvinkää -Safe Community site visit on 22nd of September 2016!

THURSDAY 22ND OF SEPTEMBER 2016

9.00  Leaving from Tampere, bus shuttle
10.30 Arriving at Hyvinkää
10.40-presentations
  • City of Hyvinkää
  • Rescue Department
  • Police Department
  • Safety at home and leisure time
  • Safety on road
  • Safety for elderly people
12.30 Lunch
13.30 Site Visit (Finnish Railway Museum) and coffee break
15.00 Shuttle to the Helsinki airport
16.00 Arriving at the Helsinki airport

Register for the site visit at: yrjo.heimonen@hyvinkaa.fi

Preliminary program is subject to change: Max. 50 people, shuttle fee of approximately 20 euros may be added.

WELCOME TO HYVINKÄÄ!

Hyvinkää is a city in southern Finland, about 65 kilometers north of the capital Helsinki. Hyvinkää is conveniently located on the country’s primary rail route that runs from Helsinki to the north. In addition, Helsinki-Vantaa airport is within easy reach, approximately 40 minutes’ drive from the city. The Hyvinkää municipality was founded in 1917 and chartered as a city in 1960.

The population of Hyvinkää is 47,000, and the number of people employed by the city (organization) is 2700. Another important public employer is Hyvinkää Regional Hospital (900 employees). Hyvinkää’s employment self-sufficiency is 92.1%. Main private employers are Konecranes Oyj (1100 employees) and Kone Corporation (900 employees).

Hyvinkää has 20 public and 11 private day care centers as well as 20 primary schools. In addition, the city is home to 2 colleges and 2 universities of applied sciences.

The city of Hyvinkää makes great effort in promoting safety at work, schools and day care centers, at home and leisure time as well as on roads. Most common safety challenges are related to fallings, substance abuse and social marginalisation. City of Hyvinkää was designated as a safe community in 2003 and re-designated in 2010.