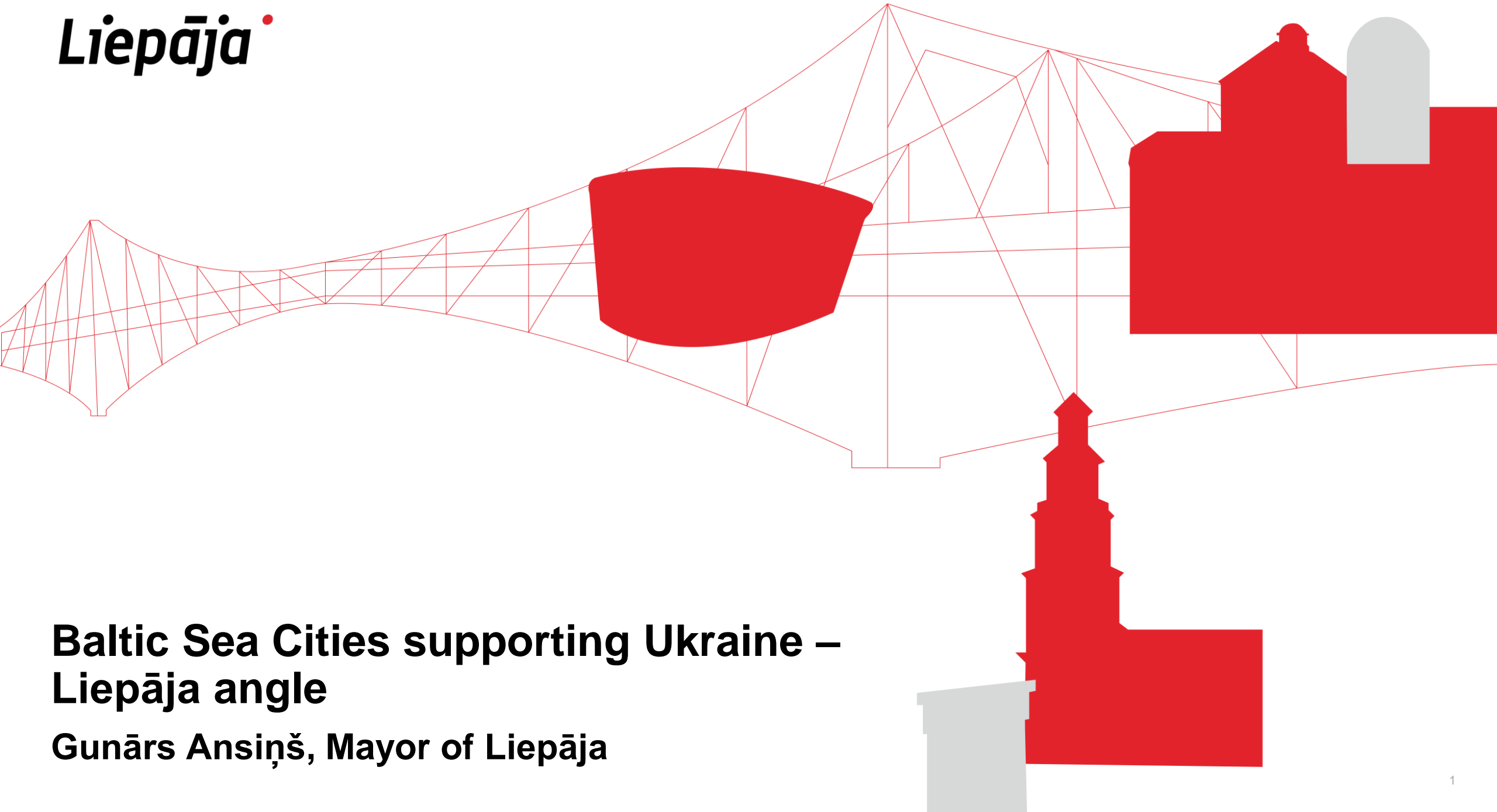


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**Baltic Sea Cities supporting Ukraine –
Liepāja angle**

Gunārs Ansiņš, Mayor of Liepāja



A global outlook with a comfort of a small town

- The 3rd largest city in Latvia and the 10th largest in the Baltic States
- Approx. 70 000 population
- The second largest manufacturing centre in Latvia
- The most popular tourism destination after Rīga
- Transition from former closed Soviet military base to modern and open cultural city

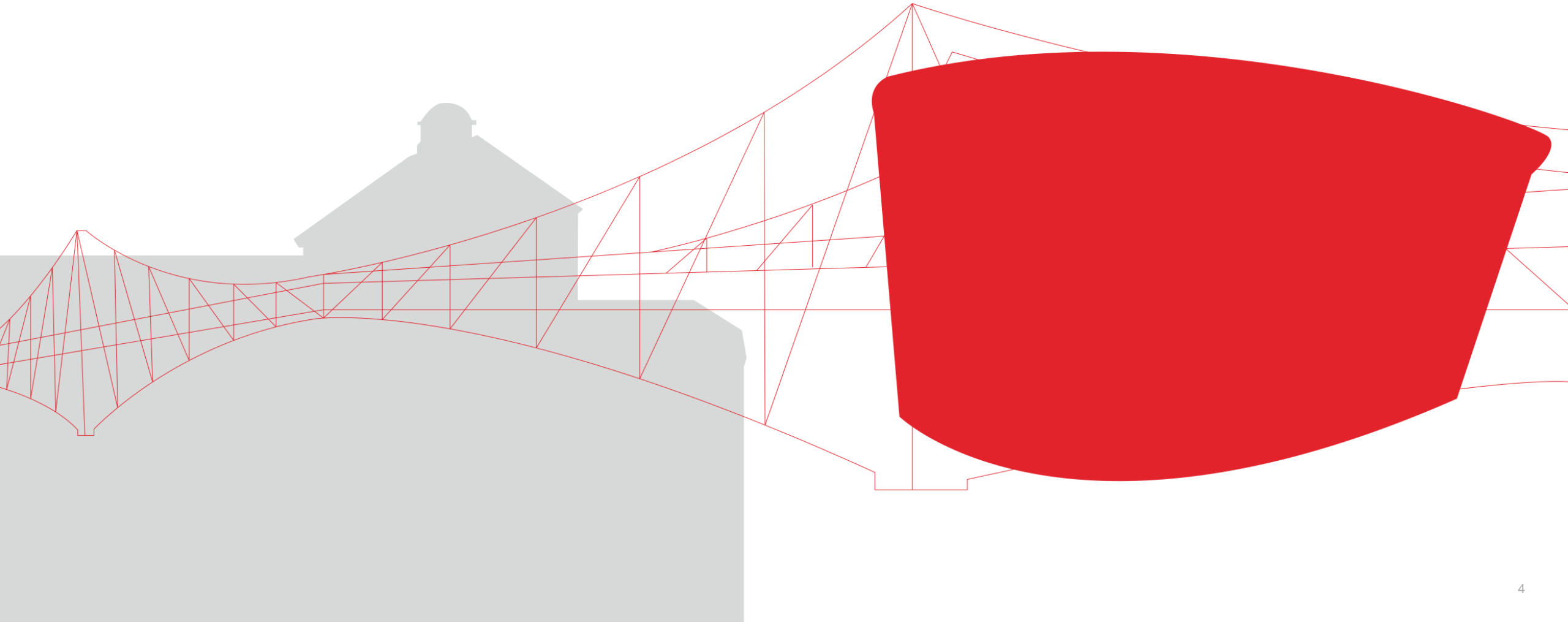


City goals in cooperation with NGOs and residents of Liepāja

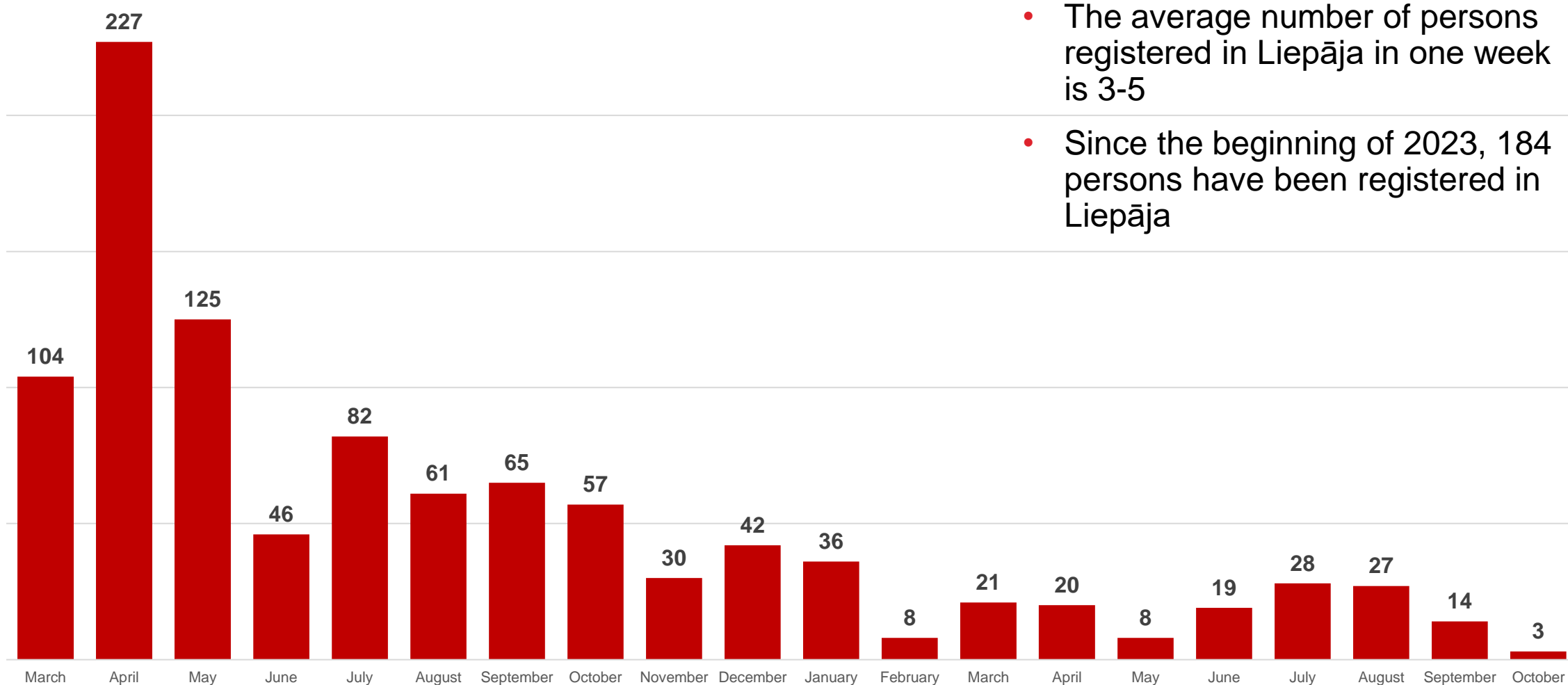
- To support and integrate Ukrainian civilians who have taken refuge in Liepāja
- To support the citizens and soldiers in Ukraine

Support for Ukrainians in Liepāja

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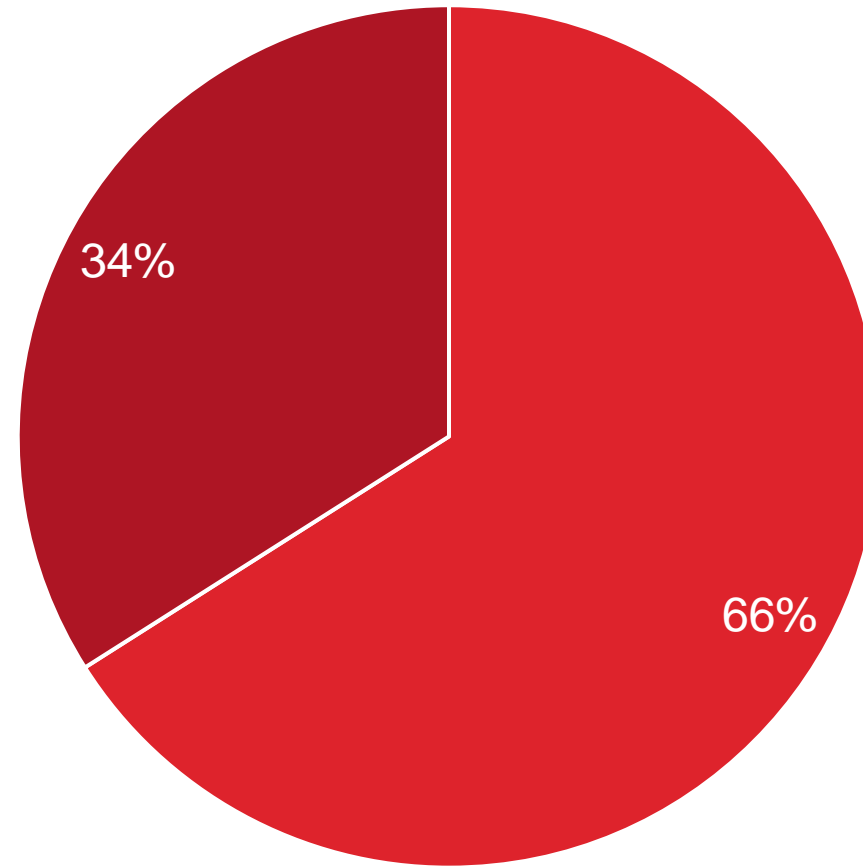
Ukrainians in Liepāja



- The average number of persons registered in Liepāja in one week is 3-5
- Since the beginning of 2023, 184 persons have been registered in Liepāja

First month of the war – by 27.03.2022, 611 persons were registered
A total of 1,634 persons are registered

Ukrainians in Liepāja



■ adults ■ minor children

A total of 1,634 persons are registered



Support for Ukrainians in Liepāja

- Provision of primary support (accommodation, catering, material support)
- Support for Ukrainians traveling in transit
- Social support: guardianship, allowances, food, household goods, public transport etc.
- Employment opportunities for Ukrainians in cooperation with the State Employment Agency
- Consultations & conversation evenings on education, employment, social support, health, etc.

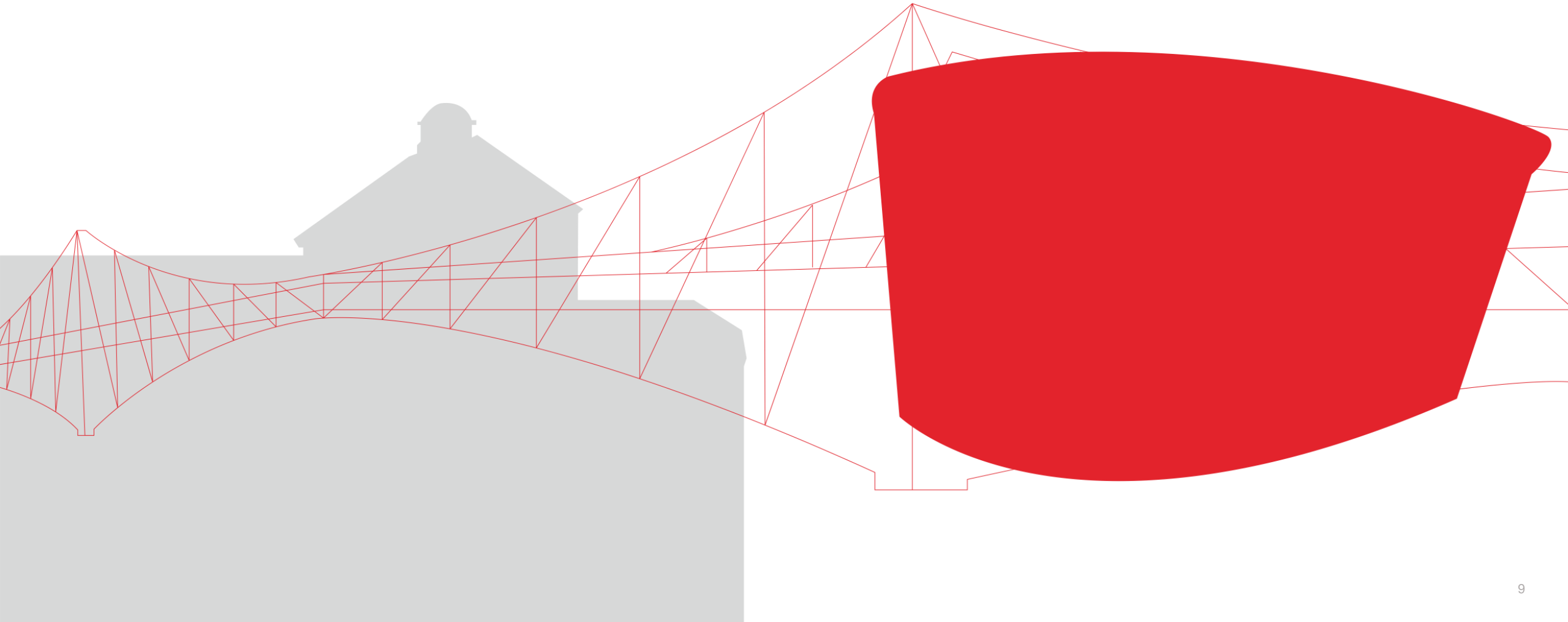


Support for Ukrainians in Liepāja

- Accommodation: 1576 persons in municipal and private households
- Education: 39 learners in kindergartens; 83 – in schools; Latvian language lessons available for all Ukrainians
- Various cultural, sports and networking events, children's camps and classes, group therapy, etc.

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Support to the citizens and soldiers in Ukraine

- Charity and support campaigns for Ukraine (donation of money & goods)
- Participation in the urban renewal program

Charity and support campaigns for Ukraine

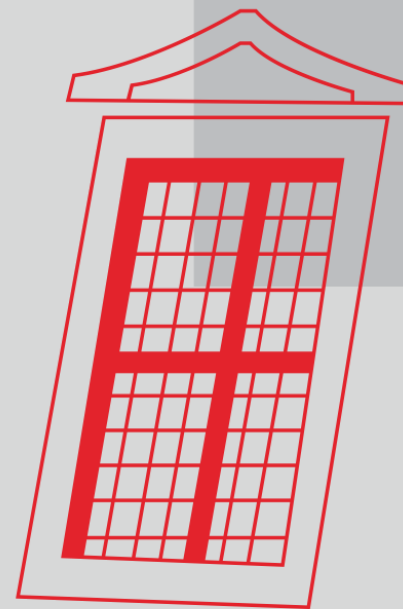
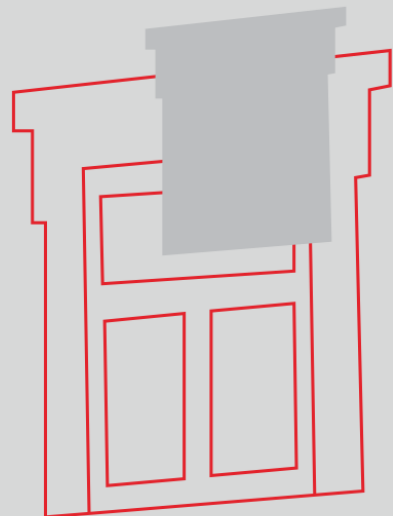
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Thank you!

Gunārs Ansiņš
Mayor of Liepāja
October 2023

