

Training on City-to-City Collaboration for Creating Low-carbon Society

Program

Date: November 27th to 29th, 2019 (3 days)

Venue: Oarks Canal Park Hotel Toyama (11-1, Ushijima-cho, Toyama City, Japan)
(Training Venue and staying are the same hotel)

Organizer: Ministry of the Environment, Japan (MOEJ)
Institute for Global Environmental Strategies (IGES)

Language: Japanese & English (Interpretation)

Objectives: Familiarize with the Japan's "City-to-City Collaboration for Creating Low-Carbon Society" program, and exchange visions and knowledge on low-carbon cities among Japanese and participating municipalities and stakeholders.

Participants: Total of about 30 participants:

- Hulhumale City of Maldives, Luang Prabang City of Lao PDR, Siem Reap of Cambodia, Dhaka North City Corporation of Bangladesh, Samoa
- Toyama City, Toyota City, Ube City, Oguni Town of Kumamoto Prefecture, Mie Prefecture, Yotsukaichi City, and related organizations

Reference:

- Pamphlet of City-to-City Collaboration by Ministry of Environment, Japan

"Creating Sustainable Low-Carbon Cities through City-to-City Collaboration

https://www.env.go.jp/earth/coop/lowcarbon-asia/english/project/data/jcm_guidebook_CtC_EN.pdf

"City-to-City Collaboration Programme for Low-Carbon Society 2018"

[https://www.env.go.jp/earth/coop/lowcarbon-](https://www.env.go.jp/earth/coop/lowcarbon-asia/english/project/data/jcm_pamphlet_C2C_2018_EN.pdf)

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Nov. 27 (Wed)

Session 1 Introduction

9:30-10:00	Opening Remarks Ministry of Environment, Japan (MOEJ) <i>Environmental Affairs Department, Toyama City</i> Group Photo
10:00-10:20	Orientation Purpose and Schedule of the Training Institute for Global Environmental Strategies (IGES) <i>All Participants</i> Introduce yourself
10:20-10:40	Break
10:40-12:00	Ice Break (Group work using the Diamond Ranking method) What are the priority elements for "Sustainable City"? <i>All Participants</i> Facilitators: Ryohoku Junior High School in Ayase City & IGES
12:00-13:15	Lunch Break
Session 2 Benefit of City-to-City Collaboration	
13:15-14:00	Mechanism of City-to-City Collaboration for Creating Low-Carbon Society <i>MOEJ</i> Q&A
14:00-14:45	Experience Sharing of City-to-City Collaboration <i>Environmental Affairs Department, Toyama City</i> Q&A
14:45-15:00	Break
15:00-15:50	Application Procedure for City-to-City Collaboration Projects <i>IGES</i> Q & A
15:50-16:00	House-keeping
16:00-16:30	Walk to the Toyama City Hall, Observation Deck (Optional participation) (Optional)

Venue: (AM) Oaks Canal Park Hotel Toyama (4th Floor), (PM) Tower 111, Sky Gallery 4th Floor

Nov. 28 (Thur)	
Session 3 Low-Carbon Transportation and Compact City	
9:00-10:15	<p>Good Practices from Japan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Vibrant City Development Department, Toyama City</i> <i>Hokusan Co. Ltd.</i> <i>Planning Department, Toyota City</i> <i>Policy Division, Oguni Town (Discussion: Waita LLC)</i> <p>Q&A and Discussion</p>
10:15-10:30	Coffee Break
10:30-11:30	<p>Visions and Challenges from Overseas</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Hulhumale City, Maldives</i> <i>Dhaka North City Corporation, Bangladesh</i> <i>Luang Prabang, Lao PDR</i> <p>Q&A and Discussion</p>
11:30-13:00	Lunch Break
13:00-14:15	<p>(Visit) Light Rail Transit (LRT) and other</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Vibrant City Development Department, Toyama City</i>
14:15-14:45	Bus Transfer
14:45-15:45	<p>(Visit) Toyama City Environment Center</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Environmental Affairs Department, Toyama City</i>
15:45-16:15	Bus Transfer
Session 4 Reflection	
16:15-17:25	<p>Visualize Your Thoughts for Low-Carbon Society (Individual work) through the Lego-Serious Play method</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Moderator: Certified facilitator of Lego-Serious Play & IGES</i>
17:25-17:30	House-keeping

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Nov. 29 (Fri)

Session 5 Renewable Energy in Urban Planning

09:00-10:15	<p>Good Practices from Japan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Environmental Affairs Department, Toyama City</i> <i>Agricultural Department, Toyama Kankyo Seibi Co., Ltd.</i> <i>Planning Department, Toyota City</i> <i>Environmental Policy Division, Ube City</i> <p>Q&A and Discussion</p>
10:15-10:30	Break
10:30-11:30	<p>Visions and Challenges from Overseas</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Siem Reap Province, Cambodia</i> <i>Samoa</i> <p>Q&A and Discussion</p>
11:30-13:00	Bus Transfer & Lunch Break
13:00-14:00	<p>(Visit) Micro Hydro Power Generation Facilities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Environmental Affairs Department, Toyama City</i>
14:00-14:30	Bus Transfer
14:30-15:30	<p>(Visit) Toyama City Farmers Support Center</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Environmental Affairs Dept., Toyama City</i>
15:30-16:00	Bus Transfer
Session 6 Reflection & Way forward	
16:00-17:10	<p>Incorporate Your Thoughts for Low-carbon Society with Others (Group Work) through the Lego-Serious Play method</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Moderator: Certified facilitator of Lego-Serious Play & IGES</i>
17:10-17:30	Closing Ceremony