

Namie Town's Effort to Become a Zero-carbon City

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Namie Town Before the Earthquake



Special Products



Ooborisoma -Ware



Seafood



Sake



Namie Fried Noodles



DASH Village

The Great East Japan Earthquake



- Tremor of seismic intensity 6+ (JMA scale)
- Tsunami over 15 meters high
 - Flooded: 6 km²
 - > Houses completely destroyed: 651
 - > Business sites destroyed: 1,000
 - > Dead: 182

Because of the nuclear accident the next day, we could NOT save lives that might have been saved.

Moving toward Reconstruction

- 2011: All 21,000 residents of Namie evacuated.
- 2016: We returned to Namie.



Reopening of JR Joban Line

Opening of Namie Roadside Station

Reopening of Joban Expressway



Reopening of Ukedo Fishing Port



Reopening of farms



Opening of Child Center

Development of public housing

Flower cultivation

Fukushima Hydrogen Energy Research Field

- March 5, 2020: Namie Town declared its commitment to net zero emissions by 2050.
- March 7, 2020: Fukushima Hydrogen Energy Research Field (FH2R) completed in Namie Town.



Expand Introduction of Renewable Energy

Renewable energy generation businesses are developing throughout the town, leveraging the abundant renewable energy potential. They already produce renewable energy equivalent to the amount of power consumed by the town prior to the disaster.
We will build a model for local production and consumption to fully utilize town-generated power in the town.



Building Smart Communities





Efforts towards Realizing a Hydrogen-based Society

We are working on various efforts towards realizing a hydrogen-based society.



≪Introducing FCs to public facilities and FCVs as official vehicles≫



 \ll Introducing various FCVs is under consideration \gg



≪Awareness-rising activities for children≫



≪Namie-produced hydrogen used in Tokyo Olympic torch≫



 \ll Building and street design incorporating hydrogen, with architect Kengo KUMA \gg



 \ll Working on tourism businesses using hydrogen \gg



≪Declaration of Municipal Partnership for Hydrogen Advancement of Smart Sister Cities between Namie Town and Lancaster ≫

In conclusion

- Namie Town will do its best to utilize hydrogen as a new
- energy source for the reconstruction of the town.
- We appreciate your support, cooperation and suggestions.

