

6th Seminar on International Cooperation for Local Initiatives
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Title

Development of intercity cooperation in Yokohama

Summary

- (1) History and achievements of international cooperation in Yokohama
 - Role of foreign engineers in the Meiji Era in the improvement of the urban base
 - Pioneering international cooperation activities of the waterworks bureau and port bureau in the 1970s
 - Intercity cooperation through the establishment of CITYNET in 1987
- (2) Past international cooperation schemes
 - International cooperation through sister cities, independent cooperation
 - International cooperation in response to requests from the national government and JICA
 - International cooperation in response to requests from CITYNET
- (3) Development of new intercity cooperation linkages with JICA, CITYNET
 - JICA (Technical cooperation): Preservation of the Bali mynah (*Leucopsar rothschildi*)
 - Intercity technical cooperation using CITYNET: Training of port managers
 - Intercity technical cooperation linking JICA and CITYNET: Training for disaster prevention