

## **Dialogue to share current situations of locals near the intermediate storage facilities in Futaba and Ohkuma Towns and surrounding areas**

*Continuing the dialogue in cooperation with the International Commission on Radiological Protection (ICRP)*

Date: March 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>, 2017

Venue:

March 11 (Sat): Field tour in Futaba Town (pre-registered participants only)

March 12 (Sun): Dialogue in Naraha Town (open to the public)

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### **Objective:**

March 11, 2017 marks the beginning of the seventh year since the Great East Japan Earthquake and Fukushima Daiichi nuclear power plant accident took place. Recovery, in terms of infrastructure in areas where people have been living, as well as areas people will soon be able to live, has progressed well. However, for difficult-to-return zones, recovery progress and plans for the future have been limited. The struggles felt in evacuation areas are not well known to the general public, and it has been difficult to share the evacuees' experiences and issues during this time. Furthermore, the plan to build intermediate storage facilities in Ohkuma and Futaba Towns is moving forward, with reconstruction bases to be designated there in five years. It is hard to say that the viewpoints of people living in these places are widely shared across Japan. Japan as a whole not solely Fukushima Prefecture must be prepared to face the long-term consequences of both the difficult-to-return zones and the intermediate storage facilities. This dialogue will be an opportunity for locals to be heard, to voice their difficulties, and to establish a platform for further discussion regarding the kind of future that they desire.

## **Program:**

### 11 March (Sat): Field tour in Futaba Town

- 8:00- Start from Tenbounoyado-Tenjin (where we stay)
- 8:23- Tatsuta Station (the train leaves from Iwaki station at 7:53)
- 10:30- Tour of Mr. Shinichi Tanaka's house in Hosoya Area of Futaba Town
- 12:30- Tour of Community Centre in Sanaza Area of Futaba Town guided by Mr. Takashi Chigira
- 14:30- End of tour
- 16:30- Arrival on Tenbounoyado-Tenjin
- 18:00- Welcome Reception at Tenbounoyado-Tenjin (no fee)  
All participants are welcome to join the reception.

\*For restricted access areas, the number of participants is limited. Pre-registration is required.

\*Accessible hours are 9:00–17:00.

\*Eating and drinking is not permitted. We can drink water in the bus.

### 12 March (Sun): Dialogue at Aozora Nursery School in Naraha Town (open to the public)

- 9:30 Start of the dialogue (Chair: Jacques Lochard and Ryoko Ando)
- 9:30–9:40 Opening remarks (Jacques Lochard)
- 9:40–10:00 Reflection of yesterday's field tour (Ryoko Ando)
- 10:00–10:20 General situation of Futaba Towns (Recovery Promotion Section, Futaba Town)
- 10:20–10:40 Radiation dose measurement in Ohkuma and Futaba Towns (Hiroko Yoshida)
- 10:40–11:00 Coffee break
- 11:00–11:20 Land Owners Association of the intermediate storage facilities (Yukiharu Monma)
- 11:20–11:50 Preservation of dancing of Sanaza Area Futaba Town (Yaeko Hangai)
- 11:50–12:10 Life in Sanaza Area (introductory video to be played) Mr. Takashi Chigira
- 12:10–13:10 Lunch (lunch box will be provided)
- 13:10–14:40 Dialogue (chaired by Jacques Lochard)

This dialogue is to share the current situations, issues, and future of the people of Futaba and Ohkuma Towns. Each participant will have the opportunity to answer 3–5 minutes of simple questions prepared by the chair.

Dialogue participants: Takashi Chigira(Futaba Town), Yaeko Hangai(Futaba Town), Yukiharu Monma(Ohkuma Town), Yoshiharu Monma(Ohkuma Town), Nagahisa Shiga(Ohkuma Town), Yoichi Ohashi(Futaba Town), Shinichi Tanaka(Futaba Town), Hiroko Yoshida(Tohoku University), Noriko Sato(Minamisoma).

- 14:40–15:20 Coffee break
- 15:20–15:40 Summary (Thierry Schneider)
- 15:40–16:10 General discussions
- 16:10–16:20 Closing remarks (Claire Cousins)
- 16:20–16:25 Adjourn (Ryoko Ando)

## **Accommodations:**

Tenbounoyado-Tenjin (Maximum capacity of 57)  
<http://naraha-tenjin.net/cycling-terminal/tenbounoyado-tenjin>

**Meals:**

March 11: Lunch will not be provided. Each participant to the field tour will bring their own provisions. Reception will be held at the Tenbounoyado-Tenjin.

March 12: Lunch will be provided at the dialogue venue.

**To news media:**

The media will not be permitted to join the [field tour](#) on March 11 (Sat). The dialogues on March 12 (Sun) are open to all, and we warmly welcome your presence.

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