



[Waterworks pump installation completion ceremony in Da Nang]

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Contributing to CO₂ reduction! Energy-saving high-efficiency pump installed in Da Nang waterworks

Yokohama Water Co., Ltd. is working to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in Vietnam.



Six completed pumps

A ceremony was held on September 22 to commemorate the completion of the renewal of the Da Nang Water Supply Joint Stock Company's existing waterworks pumps with new energy-saving types. This project was the first construction work financed by JCM (Joint Crediting Mechanism) in Da Nang City through Yokohama's Y-PORT Project.



Indian Festival of Lights "Diwali in Yokohama" celebrated for 15th consecutive year

On October 14 and 15, the Indian festival "Diwali in Yokohama 2017" was held in Yamashita Park, cosponsored by the International Affairs Bureau. The festival featured a wealth of opportunities for visitors to immerse themselves in Indian culture, from performances of musical instruments, dancing, and fashion

shows to the many booths offering traditional food and wares.



Diwali, the "Indian Festival of Lights," is part of New Year celebrations in India and other regions in Asia. Diwali in Yokohama is arranged each year to take place around the same time it is observed in India, and now reaches its 15th consecutive year.



Over 2,000 residents of Yokohama come from India. This year, 2017, was declared by the governments of both nations as the "Year of Japan-India Friendly Exchanges," and marks the 60th anniversary of the Japan-India Cultural Agreement adopted in 1957.

Davao City delegation meets with Deputy Mayor Watanabe

A delegation of officials from Davao City, the Philippines, visiting Japan to promote tourism and investment shared a meeting with Yokohama Deputy Mayor Watanabe on October 18.



After the meeting, the city gave presentations on Yokohama's own methods of promoting tourism, as well as Yokohama's broad range of exchange with the Philippines, such as its sister city relationship with Manila and its international collaboration through CITYNET and the Y-PORT Program.

