# Section 2 Facility Plans

## **1 Transport Facilities**

#### (1) Roads

## a. Urban Planning Road

Roads are essential urban facilities to support urban activities and life, and in Tokyo, the Urban Planning Roads of about 3,210km have been approved. On the other hand, the completion ratio remains about 65%, and the implementation plan is formulated every about 10 years. The roads to preferentially develop are selected and systematically and efficiently developed.

Regarding the Urban Planning Roads in the Ku-region area in the past, after the City Planning had been approved in 1946 (initial approval), due to changes in social and economic conditions, the review of the entire Urban Planning Roads (re-examination of the Urban Planning Roads) was carried out in 1950, in 1964 (inside Loop 6), in 1966 (outside Loop 6), and in 1981 (the entire Ku-region area).

Regarding the Urban Planning Roads in the Tama region, after the plan in the Hachioji City Planning Area had been approved in 1930, as the plan for each City Planning Area has been individually approved, those plans were not the ones integrated for the entire Tama region. Therefore, the Urban Planning Roads were reviewed in consideration of the entire Tama region in 1961 and 1962. After that, the network of the Urban Planning Roads was examined in 1989 due to changes in social and economic conditions.

In carrying out the development, the implementation plans to select the roads to develop preferentially were formulated, for the Ku-region in FY1981, FY1991 and FY2003, and the Tama region in FY1989, FY1995 and FY2006, and systematically and efficiently carried out. In FY2015, in order to promote more efficient road development, the "Development Policy for City-Planned Roads in Tokyo (Fourth Business Plan)" was formulated in cooperation and collaboration with the 23special cities, 26 cities and 2 towns, integrating the ward and Tama areas. In this policy, the future vision that Tokyo should aim for is the "realization of a ringshaped megalopolis structure," "reorganization into an intensive regional structure," and "realization of a safe and secure city," and the basic goals of road development to achieve these goals are "vitality," "disaster prevention," "lifestyle," and "environment." Based on this basic goal, the necessity of city-planned roads that have not yet been started was verified, and 320 sections of 226 km were selected as routes to be developed on a priority basis by 2025. In addition, 9 sections (4.9 km) for which the necessity was not confirmed were designated as "candidate routes for review (sections)," 28 sections (30.4 km) for which the necessity was confirmed but the content of the city planning needs to be reviewed were designated as "routes for review (sections)," and 8 sections for which new city-planned roads are necessary in order to realize the future urban image that Tokyo is aiming for were designated as "sections for which new city-planned roads are necessary" and decided to proceed with the study of these routes, and by the end of FY2022, procedures were completed to change the urban planning for 15 sections (approx. 7.1 km)

In FY2019, TMG, 23special cities, 26 cities and 2 towns worked together to examine the city roads that had not yet been started, excluding priority development routes, and formulated the

"Basic Policy on Ideal City-Planned Roads in Tokyo," while steadily promoting the development of necessary urban planning roads in accordance with the development policy (fourth business plan).

In the basic policy, based on the premise of the verification of the future city road network in the development policy (fourth business plan), the contents of the plan were examined, and approximately 12 km of nearly finished roads and bridges were selected as the routes to be changed. By the end of FY2022, procedures were completed to change the city plan for approximately 3 km, 5 bridge-piers, 2 branch lines, and 1 intersection widening section. For these routes, the necessary city planning procedures will be carried out after coordinating with the relevant municipalities regarding the zoning and other related plans, based on the future vision of the urban area along the route and the actual conditions of the region.

# \*Refer to Table 3-10 The current development status of the Urban Planning Roads (page 148)

## b. Urban Expressway

After the war, in order to reduce congestion of automobile traffic and to eliminate passing traffic from local streets in Tokyo, it became necessary to have automobile-only roads that are separated from local streets and do not have flat intersections.

The Tokyo Metropolitan Government started the study in 1951 and based on the recommendation for the construction of the Urban Expressway System by the Committee on Capital Construction in 1953, "Basic Policy for the Tokyo City Planning Urban Expressway" of the Ministry of Construction (at that time) approved in 1957 and the consideration by the Task Force for the Tokyo City Planning Urban Expressway, the Urban Expressway Network of 8 Routes with 2 branch routes, road length approx. 71km was approved as the City Planning for the first time in August 1959. Since then, there have been changes to the plan, such as the addition of new routes, extension of existing routes, and changes to some of the alignments, and as of April 1, 2023, the total number of routes that have been approved for city planning is 19 routes and 3 branch routes, with a total length of approximately 226 km. Of these, 1 new line under construction is the Outer Loop Road, extending approximately 16 km.

Of the routes that have been approved for city planning, those that are already in service are: Route 1, Route 2, No. 2 Branch Route, Route 3, Route 4, No. 4 Branch Route, Route 5, Route 6, Route 7, Route 8, Route 9, Route 12, Bayshore Route, Bayshore Branch Route, Adachi Route, Katsushika Edogawa Route, Oji Route, Central Circular Shinjuku Route, Express Outer Loop Road Katsushika Route, Central Circular Shinagawa Route, part of Outer Loop (between Oizumi-cho 5-chome and Oizumi-cho 1 chome, Nerima City) and part of the Harumi Route (between Harumi 2 chome, Chuo City and Ariake 2 chome, Koto City), for a total of 19 routes and 3 branch routes, extending about 207 km.

In addition, the project is currently underway for one route, the Outer Loop (between Oizumicho 4 chome, Nerima City and Unane 3 chome, Setagaya City), which is approximately 16 km long.

\*Refer to Table 3-11 The current development status of Urban Expressway (page 148) Figure 3-12 Urban Expressway Network (page 52) Figure 3-13 Expressway Network (page 52)



Figure 3-12 Urban Expressway Network

Figure 3-13 Six Expressways Connecting Cities and Three Ring Expressways in The Tokyo Metropolitan Area



凡例	Legend
供用中	In service
事業中又は都市計画決定済み	Under Construction or Approved in City Planning
検討路線	Expressway under Study
構想路線	Expressway under planning
空港・飛行場	Airport
港湾	Port
令和5年4月現在	As of April 1, 2023

番号	日本語	英語
	第3-13図高速道路ネットワーク	Figure 3-13 Expressway Network
1	関越自動車道	Kanetsu Expressway
2	東北縦貫自動車道	Tohoku Expressway
3	常磐自動車道	Joban Expressway
4	首都圈中央連絡自動車道	Metropolitan Inter-city Expressway
5	核都市広域幹線道路	Core City Wide-area Arterial Road
6	東京外かく環状道路	Tokyo Outer Loop Road
7	多摩新宿線	Tama Shunjuku Route
8	10号線	Route 10
9	首都高速中央環状線	Metropolitan Expressway Central Circular Route
10	京葉道路	Keiyo Road
11	東関東自動車道水戸線	Higashi Kanto Expressway Mito Route
12	高速晴海線	Harumi Expressway
13	東関東自動車道館山線	Higashi Kanto Expressway Tateyama Route
14	中央自動車道	Chuo Expressway
15	新東名高速道路	New Tomei Expressway
16	東名高速道路	Tomei Expressway
17	横田空港	Yokota Airport
18	調布空港	Chofu Airport
19	成田空港	Narita Airport
20	千葉港	Port of Chiba
21	羽田空港	Haneda Airport
22	川崎港	Port of Kawasaki
23	横浜港	Port of Yokohama
24	東京港	Port of Tokyo
25	第二東京湾岸道路	2 <sup>nd</sup> Tokyo Bay Shore Road
26	東京湾アクアライン	Tokyo Bay Aqua Line

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## (2) Urban Rapid-Transit Railroad

In Tokyo area, there is a great deal of commuting demand due to active urban activities. Especially the railroad lines from peripheral areas to the center of Tokyo are heavily crowded. We have been enhancing the transportation capacity by the construction of subways and the enhancement to quadruple tracks to reduce congestion during commuting hours. As a result, congestion has been reducing year by year, but still not enough, needing further railroad network developments.

As for the railroad network development plan in the Tokyo area, we are studying matters such as the improvement of existing lines, the construction of new lines and the enhancement to quadruple tracks, based on Recommendation No.198 of the "Way of the Future City Railway in Tokyo Area" by the Council for Transport Policy in April 2016 and No. 371, "Future Subway Network in the Tokyo Area" (July 2021) which is the latest development plan. As for the subways, 13 lines (railroad length approx. 361 km) were approved in the City Planning as of April 1, 2023.

Also, we are trying to make road traffic smoother at railroad crossings where a railway and a road are crossing and eliminate railroad crossing accidents, and working on the continuous multilevel crossing project to eliminate a number of crossings by continuously elevating railways for a certain zone, for the purpose of unifying the urban districts divided by railways. We are carrying forward this project based on the outline that MLIT formulated. As of April 1, 2023, regarding 28 zones, railway length approx. 113.5 km in Tokyo, the City Planning has been approved as the continuous multi-level crossing project.

On the other hand, we have been carrying forward the development of a new railway system as well as a new transportation system which has the transportation capacity intermediate between a railway and a bus in order to respond to various urban transportations. Thus far, the Tama Intercity Monorail between Tama Center and Kamikitadai, Tokyo Waterfront Area Rapid Transit (Yurikamome) between Shimbashi and Toyosu, the Nippori-Toneri Liner between Nippori and Minumadai-shinsui-koen, the Joban Line (Tsukuba Express) between Akihabara and Tsukuba, and the Tokyo Waterfront Area Rapid Transit (Rinkai Line) between Shinkiba and Osaki have been opened respectively.

\*Refer to Table 3-15 "Completion Status - City Planning for Subways" (page 149) \*Refer to Table 3-16 "Status of city planning decisions and completion of continuous grade separation projects of existing railroads etc." (page 150)



	No.	Railway Route Name
E.e H	1	Construction of a new directly connected line to the urban central area
"ro nh	2	Construction of the Haneda Airport Access Line and starting a mutual direct operation
jec an		between Keiyo Line and Rinkai Line
ce: ati	3	Construction of the New Airport Line
Project contr enhancement international	4	Construction of a new lead track at Haneda Airport Domestic Terminal Station of the Keikyu
al ntr		Airport Line
ibu: of	5	Extension of the new Joban Line (the Tsukuba Express)
Project contributing enhancement of international	6	Formulation of a new subway plan for urban central and waterfront areas, and integrated development of the said plan and the extension of a new Joban Line
	7	Extension (Toyosu –Sumiyoshi) of Tokyo Subway Line 8 (Yurakucho Line)
	8	Formulation of the new subway plan for the urban central area and Shinagawa
t.H	9	Construction of the new East-West Transportation System Omiya Route
Project the gro	10	Extension of the Saitama Railway Line
jec	11	Extension of the Tokyo Subway Line 12 (Oedo Line)
ject cor growth	12	Extension of the Tama Toshi Monorail Line
th	13	Extension of the Tokyo Subway Line 8
E E.	14	Extension of the Tokyo Subway Line 11
contributing wth in the ar	15	Construction of a new railway line connecting between the Sobu Line and the Keiyo Line
le a	16	Extension of the Keiyo Line toward the Chuo Line and quadruple-tracking of the Chuo Line
C C	17	Quadruple-tracking of the Keio Line
enhancement a	18	Construction of a new public circular transportation system in the surrounding areas of the Special-ward area.
an	19	Combined freight and passenger use of the Tokaido Freight Branch Line and construction
Cer		of the new Kawasaki Approach Line
ne	20	Quadruple-tracking of the Odakyu Odawara Line and extension of the Odakyu Tama Line
	21	Quadruple-tracking of the Tokyu Denentoshi Line
of	22	Extension of the Yokohama Municipal Subway Line 3
	23	Construction of the new Yokohama Circular Railway
	24	Extension of the Izumino Line

凡例	Legend
国際競争力の強化に資する鉄道ネッ トワークのプロジェクト	Railway network project contributing enhancement of international competitiveness
路線の新設	New line construction
路線の新設(起終点が未定のプロジ ェクト)	New line construction (projects with undetermined start and terminal points)
既設路線の改良	Improvement of the existing lines
地域の成長に応じた鉄道ネットワー クの充実に資するプロジェクト	Project contributing enhancement of a railway network according to the growth in the area
路線の新設	Construction of lines
複々線化	Implementation of quadruple tracks
駅空間の質的進化に資するプロジェ クト等	Project contributing enhancement of the quality of station space
駅のプロジェクト等	Project regarding stations, etc.
注1) 「路線の新設」には貨物線の 旅客線化を含む	Note 1) Changing cargo lines to passenger lines is included to new line construction
注 2 ) 「既設路線の改良」には複々 線化は含まない	Note 2) Implementation of quadruple tracks is not included in new line construction

	No.	Railway Route Name
	1	Construction of a new directly connected line to the urban central area
Pr en	2	Construction of the Haneda Airport Access Line and starting a mutual direct operation
oje ha	2	between Keiyo Line and Rinkai Line
ect nce	3	Construction of the New Airport Line
em tio	4	Construction of a new lead track at Haneda Airport Domestic Terminal Station of the Keikyu
Project contributing enhancement of international	1	Airport Line
rib t c	5	Extension of the new Joban Line (the Tsukuba Express)
of	6	Formulation of a new subway plan for urban central and waterfront areas, and integrated
ing	Ŭ	development of the said plan and the extension of a new Johan Line
04	7	development of the said plan and the extension of a new Joban Line Extension (Toyosu –Sumiyoshi) of Tokyo Subway Line 8 (Yurakucho Line)
	8	Formulation of the new subway plan for the urban central area and Shinagawa
t H	9	Construction of the new East-West Transportation System Omiya Route
Project the gro	10	Extension of the Saitama Railway Line
gr	11	Extension of the Tokyo Subway Line 12 (Oedo Line)
	12	Extension of the Tama Toshi Monorail Line
ject contributing growth in the ar	13	Extension of the Tokyo Subway Line 8
in th	14	Extension of the Tokyo Subway Line 11
tributi in the	15	Construction of a new railway line connecting between the Sobu Line and the Keiyo Line
ıtii	16	Extension of the Keiyo Line toward the Chuo Line and quadruple-tracking of the Chuo Line
	17	Quadruple-tracking of the Keio Line
er	18	Construction of a new public circular transportation system in the surrounding areas of the
ıha		Special-ward area.
enhancement 3a	19	Combined freight and passenger use of the Tokaido Freight Branch Line and construction
em	0.0	of the new Kawasaki Approach Line
len	20	Quadruple-tracking of the Odakyu Odawara Line and extension of the Odakyu Tama Line
	21	Quadruple-tracking of the Tokyu Denentoshi Line
of	22	Extension of the Yokohama Municipal Subway Line 3
	23	Construction of the new Yokohama Circular Railway
	24	Extension of the Izumino Line

	Table 3-17 Railroad and New Tr	ansit System Plan	
Name Item	① Tama Monorail development Project	② Tokyo Waterfront Area Rapid Transit Rinkai Line (Yurikamome) development Project	
Objective	Tama Monorail creates a traffic network useful and comfortable to move for the purpose of the enhancement of public transport network with the direction of north and south in Tama region and the mutual cooperation among nucleus cities.	Tokyo Waterfront Area Rapid Transit Rinkai Line (Yurikamome) is developed to increase the traffic convenience in the waterfront areas as a new means of transport connecting between the Tokyo waterfront area and the urban central area, and supports the development of the waterfront areas, as well as creates the traffic network by extending to Toyosu and connecting with existing lines.	
Outlines of Project	<ul> <li>(Completed lines)</li> <li>1 Zones <ul> <li>Tama Center-Kamikitadai 16.0 km</li> <li>Number of stations: 19</li> </ul> </li> <li>2 Number of users <ul> <li>Approx. 143,000 per day (Ave in 2018)</li> </ul> </li> <li>3 Establishment <ul> <li>Tachikawa-Kita - Kamikitadai: Nov. 1998</li> <li>Tachukawa-Kita - Tama Center: Jan 2000</li> </ul> </li> <li>4 System employed <ul> <li>Straddled Type Monorail</li> <li><ul> <li><ul> <li><ul> <li>Extending Zones&gt;</li> </ul> </li> <li>Project contributing to enhancement of a railway network according to the growth in the area Kamikitadai - Hakonegasaki</li> <li>Tama Center - Hachioji</li> </ul> </li> </ul></li></ul></li></ul>	<ul> <li>(Completed lines)</li> <li>1 Zones Shimbashi-Toyosu Approx. 14.7 km Number of stations: 16</li> <li>2 Number of users Approx. 111,000 per day (Ave in 2019)</li> <li>3 Establishment Shimbashi-Ariake: Nov. 1995 Ariake- Toyosu: Mar. 2006</li> <li>4 System employed Standard Type New Transit System</li> </ul>	
Project Owner	Tama Center     Hachida       Infrastructure     Portion:     Tokyo     Metropolitan     Gov.,       Bureau     of     Construction	Infrastructure Portion: Tokyo Metropolitan Gov., Bureau of Construction and Bureau of Port and	
	Infrastructure Outer Portion: Tokyo Tama Intercity Monorail Co., Ltd. (Third Sector)	Harbor Infrastructure Outer Portion: YURIKAMOME Inc. (Third Sector)	
Major Milestones	Oct 1981 :Announce Approx. 93 km (lines in conceptual phase)Dec 1982 :Tama Center-Kamikitadai 16km positioned in the Long-Term Plan Adopted as gov. subsidy proj. Tokyo April 1986 :April 1983 :Adopted as gov. subsidy proj. Tokyo Tama Intercity Monorail Co., Ltd. foundedDec 1987 :License obtained (Act on Rail Tracks)Sep 1989 :Approval in the City Planning (Teamcenter - Kamikitadai)Jun 1990 :Approval for the Construction (Stage1 : Tachikawak-Kita - Kamikitadai)Jul 1990 :Approval for Project under the City Planning ActDec 1990 :Start of the Construction (Stage2 : Tachikawa-Kita - Tama Center)Nov 1991 :Start of the Construction (Stage2 : Tachikawa-Kita - Tama Center)Nov 1991 :Start of the Construction Headquarter approved next lines to developJun 1994 :Kamikitadai-Hako negas aki 7 km Project Extension adoptedNov 1998 :Tama Center-Tachikawa-Kita in ServiceJan 2000 :Tama Center-Tachikawa-Kita in ServiceJan 2000 :Extension of Hakonegasaki, Machida, Hachioji positioned in the Recommendation of Council for Transport Policy No.18April 2018 :Hakonegasaki, Machida, Hachioji positioned in the Recommendation	Nov 1986 :Positioned as the planning proj. in the 2nd Long Term Plan YURIKAMOME Inc. founded License obtained (Act on Rail Tracks, Railway Business Act) Approval for City Planning Stage1 (Takeshiba-Futo - Int'l Exhibition Center)Jul 1990 :Approval for the City Planning Stage2 (Shinbashi - Takeshiba- Futo)Nov 1995 :Jul 1990 :Jul 1996 :Shimbashi-Ariake in Service Approved that the extension to Toyosu completes by 2005 and Toyosu-Kachidoki is studied after reviewing the situation later in the Basic Policy of the Tokyo Water Front City Development.Feb 1997 :Tracks, Ariake-Toyosu Approval in the City Planning (Ariake-Toyosu) Start of the Construction The Extension to Kachidoki positioned in the Jan 2000 :Mar 2006 :Ariake-Toyosu in Service	

Table 3-17 Railroad and New Transit System Plan

③ Nippori-Toneri Line <u>Development Project</u> The Nippori-Toneri Liner is developed for the purpose of the elimination of the poor transportation conditions in the north-east area of the Special-ward area and the development in the areas along the Line, as a result of the recommendation of Council for Transport Policy No.7 in Jul 1985.	A New Joban Line (Tsukuba Express) <u>Development Project</u> The New Joban Line is developed for the purpose of the enhancement of the public transportation in the north-east area of the Special-ward area and the promotion of development in the areas along the Line, as well as the response to increasing commuting demand from Chiba and Ibaraki, as a result of the recommendation of Council for Transport Policy No.7 in Jul 1985.	(5) Tokyo Waterfront Area Rapid Transit <u>Rinkai Line Development Project</u> The Tokyo Waterfront Area Rapid Transit Rinkai Line was positioned in "the Third Tokyo Long Term Plan" in Feb 1990, and 12.2km between Shin- Kiba - Osaki was developed to create the railroad network as an urban infrastructure to support the capital region megalopolis	
<ol> <li>Zone Nippori - Minumadai-shinsuikoen Approx. 9.7 km Number of stations: 13</li> <li>Number of users: 91,000 per day (Ave in 2019)</li> <li>Establishment March 2008</li> <li>System employed Standard Type New Transit System</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Zone Akihabara-Tsukuba Approx. 58.3 km Number of stations: 20</li> <li>Number of users: 278,000 per day (Ave in 2019)</li> <li>Establishment August 2005</li> <li>System employed Railroad (Extending Zones)</li> <li>A railway network project contributing to enhancement of international competitiveness Akihabara - Tokyo (New Tokyo)</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Zone Shin-Kiba - Osaki Approx. 12.2km Number of stations: 8</li> <li>Number of users: 259,000 per day (Ave in 2019)</li> <li>Establishment Shin-Kiba – Tokyo Teleport in March 1996 Tokyo Teleport – Osaki in Dec 2002</li> <li>System employed Railroad</li> </ol>	
Infrastructure Portion: TMG., Bureau of Construction Infrastructure Outer Portion: Tokyo Metropolitan Subway Construction Co., Ltd (Third Sector)	Metropolitan Intercity Railway Company (Third Sector)	Tokyo Waterfront Area Rapid Transit, Inc. (Third Sector)	
Jul 1985 : The Recommendation of Council for Transport Policy Nov 1986 : Positioned in "the 2nd Tokyo Long Term Plan Apr 1991 : Adopted as gov. subsidy proj. Oct 1992 : Approval for the Proj. owner of the infrastructure outer portion (Tokyo Dec 1995 : License obtained (Act on Rail Tracks) Aug 1996 : Approval for the City Planning Dec 1997 : Start of the Oct 2007 : Construction Approval to transfer the rail tracks business (from Tokyo Subway to Bureau of Mar 2008 : Transportation Tokyo Metropolitan Gov.) In service	Jul 1985 : The Recommendation of Council for Transport Policy Nov 1986 : Positioned in "the 2nd Tokyo Long Term Plan " Sep 1989 : The Enforcement of "Act on Special Measures for Comprehensive Promotion of Housing Land Development and Railway Development in Metropolitan Area" Mar 1991 : Metropolitan Intercity Railway Company founded Jan 1992 : License obtained for the Type I Railway Business Approval for the City Planning, Start of the Construction (Akihabara – Shin-Asakusa) Groundbreaking ceremony Approval for the City Planning, Start of the Aug 2005 : Construction (Shin- Apr 2016 : Asakusa - Tokenkyo) In service Extension of Joban Shinsen (Akihabara – Tokyo (New Tokyo)) positioned in the Recommendation No.198 of Council of Transport Policy	Mar 1991 :Tokyo Waterfront Area Rapid Transit. Inc foundedNov 1991 :License obtained for the Type I Railway Business (Stage1 project zone)Mar 1992 :Start of the construction (Stage1 project zone)May 1994 :License obtained for Stage 2 project zoneDec 1995 :Approval for the construction obtainedMar 1996 :Shin-Kiba - Tokyo Teleport in service Approval for the Stage 2 project zone in the City Planning Stage 2 project zoneMar 1996 :Construction started Stage 2 project zone construction started Tokyo Teleport - Dec 2002 :Mar 2001 :Construction started Tokyo Teleport - Tennōzu Isle in service Tennōzu Isle — Osaki in service (the entire line in service)	

## (3) Parking Place Development zones and Parking Lots (Cars, Bicycles)

Parking places for vehicles are necessary to respond to the urban parking demand and to reduce illegal on-street parking, and facilitate road traffic. Therefore, we are developing the City Planning parking spaces based on the City Planning Act, the large-scale building mandatory parking facilities based on the Parking Lot Act and the Tokyo Metropolitan Parking Place Ordinance and the parking lots with notification, as well as designating the parking place development zones.

Also, the Tokyo Metropolitan Parking Place Ordinance was amended in April 2002 and enforced in October 2002, in which the provision requiring parking facilities for disposal of goods for the buildings designed for specific use exceeding a certain size of total floor space was included.

The parking place development zone is the designated area where automobile traffic is extremely congested and it is required to maintain the effectiveness of roads and smooth road traffic, in the commercial areas, the neighboring commercial areas and their peripheral areas. If this area is designated, the parking place development plan in its area may be set up.

In Tokyo, 10 areas from the city center, Yoyogi, Shibuya, Ikebukuro, Ueno, Asakusa, Shinjuku City, Chiyoda City, Ota City, Adachi City and around JR Nakano Station in the special cities area of Tokyo, and 3 areas from Machida, Hachioji and Tachikawa in Tama region, totaling to 3,300ha have been designated in the City Planning as of April 1, 2023.

As for the City Planning parking spaces, approx. 16,100 spaces in 55 parking facilities were planned and 16,700 spaces in 48 parking facilities are in service as of April 1, 2023.

As for bicycle parking spaces, its development is necessary to eliminate illegally parking bicycles, and when the municipality develops bicycle parking spaces, it can construct bicycle parking spaces as a subsidized project from the central government after designated as the City Planning facility. In Tokyo, 114,500 spaces in 85 parking facilities were planned and 98,000 spaces in 74 facilities are in service as of June 1, 2023.

## (4) Airport (Airfield)

In Tokyo, there are seven airports and airfields of Tokyo International (Haneda), Oshima, Niijima, Kozushima, Miyakejima, Hachijojima and Chofu. The central government controls the Tokyo International Airport (Haneda) as the base airport of the international air transportation network and as the domestic air transportation network based on the Airport Act. The Tokyo Metropolitan Government controls each airport of Oshima, Niijima, Kozushima, Miyakejima and Hachijojima as the airport which has an important role in forming the international and domestic air transportation networks.

Chofu Airport, controlled by the Tokyo Metropolitan Government, is designated as "the Tokyo Chofu Airport" in City Planning.

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# TOKYO BRT

The Tokyo Metropolitan Government, in cooperation with operators, is promoting the Tokyo BRT project, a public transportation system linking the downtown area and the waterfront. The "Business Plan for BRT Linking Tokyo Metropolitan Center and Waterfront Subcenter" was formulated in April 2016 and revised in August 2018 based on subsequent changes in surrounding conditions.

The primary project started in October 2020 with a route from Toranomon to Harumi via Shimbashi, and the secondary on April 1, 2023, with an extended route to Ariake and Toyosu.

Full-scale service is scheduled to be available in the spring of 2024, before the opening of Harumi 5-chome West District (former site of the Athletes' Village).



P58 対訳表

日本語	英語
本格運行のルート及び停留施設	Routes and Stops of Full-scale Operations
検討路線	Study Route
東京国際クルーズターミナル	International Cruise Terminal
東京ビッグサイト	Tokyo Big Site
※選手村地区内停留施設 3 力所	*Names of three stops in the Athlete Village area (B31, B32, B33)
(B31/B31/B33)の名称は今後決定	will be determined later.

■停留施設の名称(10カ所)	Stop Names (10 stops
名称	Names
B11 虎ノ門ヒルズ	B11 Toranomon Hills
B01 新橋	B01 Shimbashi
BO2 勝どきBRT	B02 Kachidoki BRT
B03 豊洲市場前	B03 Michino Terrace Toyosu
B04 有明テニスの森	B04 Ariake-tennis-no-mori
B05 国際展示場	B05 Kokusai-tenjijo
B06 東京テレポート	B06 Tokyo Teleport
B21 晴海中央	B21 Harumi-chuo
B22 晴海 BRT ターミナル	B22 Harumi BRT Terminal
B23 豊洲	B23 Toyosu

■運行ルート(4ルート) ■Operating Route (4)			
ルート名称	Route Name	区間	<b>Operating Section</b>
幹線ルート	虎ノ門ヒルズ・新橋 ~	国際展示場・東京デ	ーレポート
Main Route	Toranomon Hills $ullet$ Shimbashi $\sim$ Kokusai-tenjijo $ullet$ Tokyo Teleport		ijijo ∙ Tokyo Teleport
はるみ・豊洲ルート	虎ノ門ヒルズ・新橋 ~ 豊洲市場前		
Harumi/Toyosu	Toranomon Hills $ullet$ Shimbashi $\sim$ Toyosu-shijomae		osu-shijomae
選手村ルート	新橋~(仮)晴海五丁目(※名称は今後決定)		
Athletes Village	Shimbash i $\sim$ HARUMI FLAG (tent.)(*Name will be determined later)		
勝どきルート	新橋~勝どき BRT		
Kachidoki	Shimbashi $\sim$ Kachidoki BRT		

#### (1) Parks and Green Spaces Planning

Greenery such as Park and Green Spaces is essential to maintain safe and comfortable urban life, such as the function to maintain a comfortable environment, disaster prevention function including evacuation space, the operation base in times of disaster and fire spread prevention, and the recreation function as a place of relief for citizens of Tokyo etc.

The 2021 City Planning Area Master Plan calls for the creation of a green city by promoting the development of city planning parks and green spaces, and the conservation of agricultural land and forest land, as well as the creation and conservation of greenery in all areas, together with various measures for disaster prevention and urban renewal.

In City Planning, we have set up the plan of the City-planned Parks and Green Spaces for the purpose of the acquisition and development of land as an infrastructure, and the designation of the Green Zoning Space to preserve greenery in private land.

The plan of the City Planning Park and Green Space has gone through many transitions since the "Tokyo City Ward Revision Design", but the prototype of today's plan of the City Planning Park and Green Space was set up around 1960, which is the base of the current plan of the City Planning Parks and Green Spaces. Subsequently, large-scale lands such as the returned former military bases, the land after relocation to Tsukuba, and the old factory sites have been approved as Parks and Green Spaces in the City Planning. Please see **Table 3-18 (page 151)** for the current approval status of the Parks and Green Spaces in this table.

As for the Green Zoning Space, we designate areas such as "Special Green Conservation Area" to conserve as green spaces by restricting further development, "Scenic Area" to conserve scenic beauty in urban areas, and "Productive GreenZone" to create a favorable urban environment with an attempt to coordinate with agriculture, we are working to conserve private green spaces. Please see **Table 3-19 (page 151)** for the current designation status. In addition to this, we are taking steps to do various things such as preserving Open Public Spaces through the Total Design System, rooftop and wall greening, and farmland conservation in preparation for fulfilling green.

#### a. Development Policy for City Planning Parks and Green Spaces

In 2006, TMG, special wards, cities, and towns jointly formulated the "Development Policy for City Planning Parks and Green Spaces," which defines priority parks and green spaces and priority development areas to be developed over the next 10 years. After its revision in 2011, the plan was revised in July 2020 to realize a green Tokyo and build a disaster-resistant city, which are the goals of the "Grand Design for Urban Development" (formulated in September 2017) and the "Strategic Vision for Tokyo's Future" (formulated in December 2019). We have designated 164 priority development areas with a total area of approx. 530 ha for the planning period until 2029, and are pushing ahead with the project.

## b. Privately-run Parks and Park Urban Development Systems

The "Privately-run Parks System" is to newly adopt the vitality of the private sector, and promptly develop and open the City-planned Parks and Green Spaces as park space, as well as to develop the City-planned parks by public project, and was established as the new

system of the park development uniquely in Tokyo in May 2006. Specifically, in the undeveloped City-planned Parks, preferential treatment such as easing of building regulations is given to the private business projects that the Tokyo Metropolitan Government approves and their condominiums, etc. can be constructed on their property. At the same time, the private business operators must develop, manage, and open a certain size of land as park space without cost.

The "Park Urban Development System" was established in December 2013 as the system to use City-planned Parks and Green Spaces for different purposes under the condition of securing land larger than the prescribed level as a green space of community facilities in the areas not in service for more than 50 years since the initial City Planning was approved, for early development of park functions such as the improvement of disaster prevention level in a community and the creation of green rich urban spaces, in the urban development in cooperation with private urban development.

## c. Guidelines for Greenery Development in Privately Owned Public Spaces

In the past, in the green projects for Privately Owned Public Spaces created by various urban development programs, consultation and coordination were implemented among interest parties after approval of the project, so it's not good enough in forming the greenery networks among Privately Owned Public Spaces. Therefore, based on the "Guidelines for Greenery Development in Privately Owned Public Spaces" established in May 2007, we provide private developers with a "Green Data Map" and the "Guidebook regarding the Guideline for Greenery Development in Privately Owned Public Spaces" in advance, then we consult and coordinate with them from a planning and conceptual stage to make the project high quality with consideration for the creations of greenery networks, comfort, safety and townscape.

## d. Creation of Kankyojiku

"Kankyojiku" are networks of urban spaces lush with greenery. These networks are created when the urban facilities that form the infrastructure, including roads, rivers, and parks, and the adjacent communities are developed in an integrated manner to generate broad and substantial greenery, open spaces, and pleasant townscapes.

By creating "Kankyojiku", as the especially expected effects, the contribution to the restoration of the beautiful city of Tokyo surrounded by water and greenery corrido such as the realization of broad and substantial greenery road networks, and the improvement of environment and attractiveness of the city, are included.

The Tokyo Metropolitan Government is utilizing guidelines on Kankyojiku formulated in 2007 and the Kankyojiku Council established in 2008 to promote the formation of these areas. In addition, the Tokyo Metropolitan Government is also working with municipalities to create Kankyojiku, learning from areas where the program has already been implemented.

## e. Comprehensive Policy for Green Conservation

Especially for the challenges with respect to reducing existing green in private land and greening of all urban spaces, the Tokyo Metropolitan Government and the municipalities (except the island area) jointly instituted a "Comprehensive Policy for Green Conservation" to systematically conserve green in Tokyo in May 2010. In order to further promote the preservation of greenery as the planning period comes to an end, the policy was revised in July 2020, and based on the "Policy for Protecting Existing Greenery" and other policies, the

amount of land to be reserved for greenery by FY 2029 was set at approx. 306 ha, and we are working to secure greenery in cooperation with local municipalities.

## (2) Urban Landscape

a. Toward Creation of Attractive Urban Landscape

As the interest of citizens of Tokyo in a good landscape is growing, affluence and a sense of peace, furthermore adding cultural atmosphere, have been required in the ' iture urban development.

In order to utilize various charms of Tokyo in the landscape creation, not only conventionally accumulating individual projects, we need to work on the landscape administration from a comprehensive viewpoint. For this reason, we have been conducting efforts unique to Tokyo, such as enacting the "Tokyo Metropolitan Government Landscape Ordinance" in December 1997, designating the distinctive landscapes and natures which are forming the landscape framework of Tokyo as the "Basic Landscape", and promote landscape control by utilizing local characteristics, even before the central government enacted the law of the same concept.

The Landscapes Act was enacted in 2004, the system with a certain amount of effectiveness in landscape design was established, and the Tokyo Metropolitan Government became "the Landscape administrative body" that is the responsible organization of measures under the Landscapes Act. Taking this occasion, as we review our efforts in the past, and are promoting cooperation with a wide range of fields across inside and outside of the Bureau such as City Planning, architectural administration, and the tourism policy, as well as utilizing Landscape Act, we are to pursue the system to create landscape control effectively.

We completely amended "Tokyo Metropolitan Government Landscape Ordinance" in October 2006, such as adding the provisions relating to the enforcement of the measures. Furthermore, we instituted the "Tokyo Metropolitan Landscape Plan" combining the efforts as a Landscape administrative body and the efforts unique to Tokyo in March 2007.

With respect to the areas that have a certain extent and landscapes or tourism resources with distinctive characteristics from others, including the "Basic landscapes" which are forming the main landscape structures of the entire Tokyo Metropolitan area such as the Sumida River and Kokubunji Terrace, further including the vicinity of the Cultural Property Gardens and the surrounding area of the Waterfront Area, as we position those areas as "Landscape Creating Special Areas" in the notification system under Landscape Act, we will be promoting the landscape creation intensively, by designing landscape and regulating outdoor advertising materials integrally with respect to layout, height, size, color, configuration, design, outdoor facility and greenery.

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1奥多摩町	Okutama_Town
2 檜原村	Hinohara_Village
3青梅市	Ome_City
4日の出町	Hinode_Town
5 あきる野市	Akiruno_City
6 八王子市	Hachioji_City
7 瑞穂町	Mizuho_Town
8 羽村市	Hamura_City
9 福生市	Fussa_City
10 武蔵村山市	Musashimurayama_City
11 昭島市	Akishima_City
12 東大和市	Higashiyamato_City
13 立川市	Tachikawa_City
14 国立市	Kunitachi_City
15 国分寺市	Kokubunnji_City
16 日野市	Hino_City
17 多摩市	Tama_City
18町田市	Machida_City
19 東村山市	Higashimurayama_City
20 小平市	Kodaira_City
21 小金井市	Koganei_City
22 府中市	Fuchu_City
23 稲城市	Inagi_City
24 清瀬市	Kiyose_City
25 東久留米市	Higashikurume_City
26 西東京市	Nishitokyo_City
27 武蔵野市	Musashino_City
28 三鷹市	Mitaka_City
29 調布市	Chofu City

30 狛江市	Komae_City
31 練馬区	Nerima-ku
32 杉並区	Suginami-ku
33世田谷区	Setagaya-ku
34 板橋区	Itabashi-ku
35 豊島区	Toshima-ku
36 中野区	Nakano-ku
37 新宿区	Shinjuku-ku
38 渋谷区	Shibuya-ku
39 目黒区	Mekuro-ku
40北区	Kita-ku
41 文京区	Bunkyo-ku
42千代田区	Chiyoda-ku
43 中央区	Chuo-ku
44 港区	Minato-ku
45 品川区	Shinagawa-ku
46 大田区	Ota-ku
47 江東区	Koto-ku
48 台東区	Taito-ku
49 荒川区	Arakawa-ku
50 足立区	Arakawa-ku
51 葛飾区	Katsushika-ku
52 墨田区	Sumida-ku
53 江戸川区	Edogawa-ku
54 島しょ	Islands
55 父島	Chichijima
56 凡例	Legend
57 臨海景観基本軸	Waterfront Basic Landscape
58 隅田川景観基本軸	Sumida River Basic Landscape
59神田川景観基本軸	Kanda River Basic Landscape
60 玉川上水景観基本軸	Tamagawa Josui Water Supply Basic Landscape
61 国分寺崖線景観基本軸	Kokubunji Terrace Basic Landscape
62 丘陵地景観基本軸	Hilly Area Basic Landscape
63 文化財庭園等景観形成特別地区	Cultural Property Gardens, etc. Landscape Creating Special Area
64 水辺景観形成特別地区	Waterfront Landscape Creating Special Area
65 小笠原(父島二見港周辺)景観	Ogasawara (Futami Port, Chichijima surrounding
形成特別地区	Area) Landscape Creating Special Area
66一般地域	General Area
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Area Classification		Scope		Main Sizes Subject to Report (Building etc.)	
Basic Landscape	Waterfront	Water Area: Water areas including off Haneda, off Central Breakwater, off Kasai Rinkai Park Land Area: Land areas up to 50m from a waterfront and off Kasai area reclaimed by the Developed Land Readjustment Project		15m in height or more or total area 3,000 $\mathrm{m}^{2}$ or more	
	Sumida R.	Sumida R. and within 50m from the river sides.		15m in height or more or total area 1,000 $\mathrm{m}^{2}$ or more	
	Kanda R.	Kanda R. and within 30m from the river sides and Nihombashi R.			
	Tamagawa Josui W.S.	Both side within 100m from a center of Tamagawa Josui Water Supply		$10\mathrm{m}$ in height or more	
	Kokubunji Terrace	[Low Ground Side] Within approx. $360\mathrm{m}$ from the cliff	【Terrace Side】Within approx. 80 m from the cliff	10m in height or more or total area 1,000 $\mathrm{m}^{\!2}$ or more	
	Hilly Area	Within approx. 500m from a foot of hilly areas		10m in height or more	
Landscape Creating Special Areas	Cultural Property Gardens etc.	Within approx. between 100m and 300m from each periphery of Hamarikyu, Kyu Shiba Rikyu Garden, Kiyosumi Garden, Shinjuku Imperial Garden, Koishikawa Botanical Garden, Rikugien, Kyu-Iwasaki-tei Garden, Kyu-Furukawa Garden, Tonogayato Garden		20min in height or more	
	Waterfront	Especially focused area in the Basic Landscape of the Waterfront and Sumida R.		15m in height or more or total area 3,000 $\rm m^2$ or more (15m in height or more or total area 1,000 $\rm m^2$ or more in the Sumida Basic Landscape area)	
	Ogasawara (Futami Port, Chichijima Surrounding Area)	Futami Port, Chichijima surrounding area		The third floor or more excluding basement or total area 300 $\mathrm{nf}$ or more	
Others	General Areas	Areas other than the Basic Landscapes and the Landscape Creating Special Areas in Tokyo		[Special Wards] 60min height or more or total area 30,000 m <sup>2</sup> or more	[Municipalities] 45m in height or more or total area 15,000 m <sup>2</sup> or more

Other than the notification under the Landscapes Act, we have newly established "the Prior Consultation System in regard to the construction of large-scale buildings" as the efforts unique to Tokyo. By this, as we consult business operators with respect to the landscape from the planning and proposal stages, directed to the buildings to which various urban development systems such as the Specified Block System and the Comprehensive Design System are applied. We will try to promote their plans properly to contribute to the creation of a good landscape, such as the creation of urban areas with a sense of unity, the conservation and regeneration of historic buildings, and the development of public open space and green space.

Also, we work on the realization of a stately urban landscape, by positioning the most important areas in Tokyo in forming the landscape of Tokyo as the Landscape Guiding Area, and applying the standards specified in each area separately, such as controlling the appropriate height of the building planned to build in the area surrounding the buildings symbolizing the capital city of Tokyo, including the Diet Building, the State Guest House, the Meiji Memorial Picture Gallery and Tokyo Station Marunouchi Building, to conserve scenery views from the Cultural Property Gardens, and to promote stately landscape surrounding the Imperial palace.

Tokyo Metropolitan Government supports actively the municipalities that have intentions to become the Landscape administrative body and conduct the landscape administration from the viewpoint that the municipalities are closely related to the local residents who should make efforts to create a good landscape with residents, as well as to promote the realization of the beautiful and stately capital city Tokyo and the creation of the landscape appropriate for its community under the Tokyo Metropolitan Landscape Planning as the Landscape administrative body. In the meantime, it is important for Tokyo to create the landscape as the capital of Japan, and urban areas lie across a boundary line of the municipality so they need to create the landscape integrally. Therefore, with respect to the measures on the wide-area landscape, we will work on the creation of the landscape from a broad-based viewpoint, coordinating and cooperating with the municipalities.

#### b. Townscape creation by the citizens of Tokyo themselves

We enacted the Ordinance on the Promotion of the Stylish Townscape Creation in Tokyo in March 2003 and established the townscape creation system that the citizen of Tokyo themselves mainly works on the creation of the townscape.

In this system, in promoting the townscape creation, the governor designates particularly important areas as the Key Townscape Area, and the committee (the Townscape Preparatory Committee) set up by the community residents mainly works on the integral creation of townscape, utilizing regional initiative. A townscape designer who assumes the townscape of the area is selected at the request of the committee, and the designer and local residents jointly institute the townscape guidelines which become a standard of the townscape creation in the area. In the Key Townscape Area where the governor approved its guidelines, as the construction business operators will consult the committee concerning the townscape in advance, the voluntary local townscape creation will be guided.

The characteristics of this ordinance are to institutionalize the townscape consultation between the private sector (the local committee) and the private sector (the business operators) so that a unique and attractive townscape can be created in harmony with the community.

## c. Good landscape creation by the regulation of outdoor advertising materials

The Tokyo Metropolitan Government enacted the Tokyo Metropolitan Ordinance on Outdoor Advertising Materials in 1949, and subsequently, we have been regulating outdoor advertising materials to maintain the scenic beauty of the community and to prevent dangers to the public, by repeating several amendments to the ordinance.

As for the coordination with the townscape creation, we amended the ordinance and added "the Creation of Good Townscape" in its purpose as a result of the amendment of the Outdoor Advertisement Act and the report of the Tokyo Metropolitan Advertising

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Materials Committee ("the concept of future advertising material regulations in Tokyo") in 2005.

Also, in the Tokyo Townscape Plan instituted in March 2007, as we designated the Cultural Property Gardens surrounding areas and waterfront areas as the particularly important areas (the Townscape Creation Special Area) in creating good townscape, we enact the regulations unique to the areas with respect to the landscape control on buildings and displays of outdoor advertising materials.

Furthermore, in order to secure the effectiveness of the regulation of outdoor advertising materials, we amended the Tokyo Metropolitan Ordinance on Outdoor Advertising Materials in April 2007, and have been able to regulate based on that ordinance. We established a new subsidy system to promote the removal and modification of advertising materials subject to the regulation, in cooperation with the Wards since fiscal year 2009, and during three years by the end of fiscal year 2011, we removed and modified almost every advertising material subject to the regulation.

As for illegal advertising materials interfering with a good townscape, we enhanced the measures (to publish the violators' names and to create a new provision for a civil fine) by the amendment of the ordinance in 2005, and in order to improve the effectiveness of the control of illegal advertising materials, the approval seals are required to attach on the approved advertising materials since December 2008.

We will effectively enforce the regulation of outdoor advertising materials and actively work on the townscape improvement, in cooperation with the municipalities.

## 3 Supply and Treatment Facilities

## (1) Water Supply Facilities

Following the addition of waterworks services to the City Ward Improvement Design in 1890, the prewar First Water Works Improvement Project and then the postwar Second Water Works Improvement Project (Tama River system) were decided and implemented in order to respond to the increase in water demand. Afterwards, the Murayama and Yamaguchi Dams were completed under the First Project, and then the Ogouchi Dam was completed under the Second Project.

## (2) Sewage Facilities

The target areas of sewage services in the Special-ward area in the prewar time were limited to within the old Tokyo City (i.e. approximately the area inside the Yamanote Line and the west half of Koto area). After the adoption of the Tokyo City Sewerage Plan which is the biases of the present sewerage of the Special-ward area in 1950, the target areas were expanded to the entire Special-ward area by the revision of the Plan in 1962 and the addition of new areas in 1963. This was followed by partial changes. However, in order to respond to the increase in sewage discharge along with the urban development in these years, we carried out full-fledged revisions of the Plan for the areas east of Ara River (Kosuge, Kasai and Nakagawa treatment areas) in December 1974 and revision for five treatment areas in the areas west of the Ara River (Shibaura, Sunamachi, Ochiai, Morigasaki and Shingashi treatment areas) in July 1976.

The plans were changed gradually, with revisions in terms of the Odai and Shingashi treatment areas in 1981, the Mikawashima treatment area in 1983 and the Kasai treatment area in 1989, and the addition of the coastal area in 1989 and the port reclamation center in February 1995 to the Kasai treatment area.

The dissemination project in the Special-ward area steadily progressed and the sewage coverage reached 100% at the end of the fiscal year 1994.

The outline of the current city planning on which decisions have been made is as follows: division of the 56,396 ha of drainage districts into 10 treatment areas, an extension of main sewers to approximately 1,123 km, and development of 83 pumping facilities, 15 water reclamation centers, one water treatment centers and two sewage sludge incineration plants. In these regards, the Bureau of Sewerage has obtained approval for and implemented these city planning projects.

Although sewage services had already been in operation in some cities in the Tama area since around 1950, the full-fledged services started with the implementation of river basin sewerage services based on the "Three Tama Areas Comprehensive Drainage Plan (the second)" formulated by TMG in 1968.

The basin sewerage has a major purpose of achieving the water quality environmental standards of so-called public water bodies, including rivers, lakes and marshes, and the sea area, and of realizing a comfortable living environment in those basins, managed by multiple municipalities in the basin. After efficiently collecting and processing sewage from public sewers across administrative areas, it is released to rivers and other places. This basin sewer is composed of main facilities such as the main sewer line, a pumping station and an end treatment plant, and the prefectures are in principle responsible for construction and

maintenance.

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The River Basin Sewerage Plan has divided 49,082 ha of 26 cities, three towns and one village into eight sewerage areas (Nogawa, Kitatama I, Kitatama II, the upper Tama River, Minamitama, Asakawa, Akigawa and the right bank of the Ara River); city planning decisions have been made on seven water reclamation centers, two pumping facilities, and expansion of main sewers to approximately 232 km (including rainwater).

The sewage improvement projects outside the city planning areas include the specific public sewerage project for environmental protection in parts of Okutama Town and Hinohara Village.

# Reference: Table 3-21 Current status of sewerage facilities (page 149)



Shibaura Water Reclamation Center (Photo by Bureau of Sewerage TMG)

# (3) Waste Incineration Plants

With lively urban activities, Tokyo generates a huge amount of waste every year, hence how to achieve hygienic and efficient treatment and disposal of such waste is an important issue. As of April 2023, the City Plan has designated 21 waste incineration plants (e.g. Tamagawa

Incineration Plant) and 16 waste treatment plants within the Special-ward area.

Reference: Table 3-22 Waste incineration plants in Special-ward area (page 152)

As for Tama and island areas, the Plan has designated 25 waste incineration plants (e.g. Hachioji Municipal Kitano Incineration Plant), 23 waste treatment plants and 12 wastewater treatment facilities.



Nerima Incineration Plant - Clean Authority of Tokyo Waste disposal of the special wards HP

# (4) District Heating and Cooling

The District Heating and Cooling is a system to consolidate the heat source equipment (e.g. boilers and freezing machines) that used to be installed in each building into the District Heating and Cooling Plant, thereby supplying necessary heating media (i.e. steam, hot and cold water) through conveyance pipes to buildings in certain areas and providing air conditioning and hot water thereto. In Tokyo, as of April 1, 2021, the city planning decisions have been made in 71 areas.

## 4 Rivers and others

In the postwar era, urbanized areas have expanded to the periphery of Tokyo due to population explosion; many places, not to mention lowlands, as a result, have suffered from river overflow and flooding caused by typhoons or torrential rains. In this regard, TMG has carried out various types of river improvement projects in order to protect citizens from such flood disasters.

#### (1) Rivers

For the purpose of preventing flood disasters by improving rivers that are likely to flood, the city planning decisions have been made on 38 rivers (e.g. Kanda, Shakujii, and Nogawa Rivers), the total length of which is approximately 326 km.

## (2) Canals

The plans for canals were decided in 1947; however, there has been a significant trend in the replacement of canals by land traffic thereafter, which resulted in the abolition and reduction of the plans in 1964, leaving only six canals (e.g. Furukawa and Onagigawa Rivers) to this day.

#### (3) Tidal Sluices

Tidal sluices are intended to protect lowlands in Koto and Kamata from the high tide; city planning decisions have been made on two sea embankments, 27 riverbank embankments and one tide sluice.

In addition, the Bureaus of Construction and Port and Harbor, TMG, have carried out the projects on high-tide measures.

## 5 Other Urban Facilities

#### (1) Markets

As of April 1, 2023, for wholesale markets, there are 9 markets, including Ota Market and one meat market in the Special-ward area in operation as the City Planning Facilities. In the Tama area, there are two markets – "Tama New Town Market" and "Tokyo Tama Seika Kunitachi Wholesale Market" (a local wholesale market) – in operation as the City Planning Facilities. However, due to rapid changes in the environment surrounding wholesale markets, in the "10th TMG Wholesale Market Development Plan", we shall promote to ensure the functionality required for a wholesale market and make efforts to respond to the needs of the times.

Also, Tsukiji Market was relocated to the Toyosu area in October 2018.

In addition, with the opening of Toyosu Market, abolition procedures for city planning facilities at Tsukiji Market were completed, in fiscal 2019.

#### (2) Slaughterhouses

In the Special-ward area, a city planning decision was made on the establishment of the Shibaura Slaughterhouse in Konan 2, Minato-ku. Currently, it is operated as part of the meat market of the Central Wholesale Market, the area of which is about 6.2 ha, the decision overlapped with the meat market.

In the island areas, city planning decisions have been made on two slaughterhouses, including the Hachijomachi Slaughterhouse.

## (3) Crematoria

As of April 1, 2023, in the Special-ward area, there are seven crematoria on which city planning decisions have been made: one TMG-operated crematorium (Mizue), one operated partly by an administrative association (Seaside Regional Funeral Hall), and the others by private sectors. Also, there are seven crematoria in the Tama area and ten in the island areas on which city planning decisions have been made.

## (4) Collective Housing Facilities

Collective housing facilities are urban facilities set forth in the City Planning Act; a collective housing facility has a group of 50 houses or more in a single housing complex with other facilities such as walkways attached thereto.

This is intended to carry out the development of housing complexes together with that of public facilities (roads, parks, shops, etc.). As of March 31, 2023, there are 32 housing complexes in the Special-ward area and 45 in the Tama area, that is, 77 in total (a complex that covers two or more city planning areas is counted as one) and about 66,000 houses are set forth in the City Plans.

## (5) Collective Government and Public Office Facilities

Collective government and public office facilities are set forth in the City Planning Act and intended to be constructed systematically together with associated facilities so that the buildings of the national or local government are concentrated in certain urban areas corresponding to the functions of those buildings, to improve public convenience and to promote efficiency in public services together with pursuing high-level land use.

In Tokyo, a city planning decision was made in the Kasumigaseki area (about 98.5 ha) in 1958 (revised afterwards in 2021).

# (6) Distribution Business Parks (Projects for Developing Urban Distribution Centers) In order to streamline road traffic and improve distribution functions, the Act Concerning the Improvement of Urban Distribution Centers was enforced in July 1966 (and then partially revised in May 1993).

In accordance with the "Basic Policy for Distribution Facility Development" that was adopted in December 1966, TMG decided to develop urban distribution centers in five areas – the south area (two Wards in Keihin), northwest (Itabashi), north (Adachi), east (Kasai), and southwest. As for the south area (about 73.7 ha), northwest (about 31.4 ha), north (about 33.3 ha) and east (about 51.7 ha), TMG has designated them as distribution business zones and made city planning decisions on those distribution business parks, thereby launching projects and providing services.

In 2023, the South Area Distribution Business Park underwent city planning changes in order to promote appropriate renewal.

Reference: Table 3-23 Current status of development of urban areas for distribution business (page 152)



South distribution business complex (Provided by Japan Motor Terminal Co., Ltd.)