

## **City Planning Vision for Tokyo**

### **The Basic Concept and Six Goals and Seven Basic Strategies**

This city planning vision clarifies basic policies for the strategic implementation of policy-driven urban planning for Tokyo to become the city it envisions.

The City Planning Vision for Tokyo, formulated in 2001, was revised in July 2009 to reflect the current circumstances surrounding Tokyo. Under the basic concept of “creating an attractive and prosperous, environmentally-leading city that will serve as a model for the world,” this vision aims to advance urban planning to not only bolster Tokyo’s international competitiveness and ensure safety and security, but to also place greater importance on the perspectives of the environment, greenery, and cityscape.

Six goals have been established to achieve this basic concept, and the direction of policies that Tokyo should take to achieve these goals is expressed in the form of seven basic strategies.

#### **<Six Goals>**

1. Maintain and develop urban dynamism that is internationally competitive
2. Coexist with the global environment, which is critical to sustainable development
3. Restore beautiful urban spaces surrounded by rich greenery and water
4. Create, convey, and pass down our unique urban culture
5. Create a city where residents can live comfortably, safely, and with peace of mind
6. Obtain and coordinate the participation of a variety of entities, including residents, municipalities, corporations, and non-profit organizations

#### **<Seven Basic Strategies>**

1. Improve the regional transportation infrastructure
2. Establish centers that increase economic vitality
3. Make the transition to a low-carbon city
4. Form networks of water and greenery
5. Create attractive urban spaces
6. Achieve an improved living environment
7. Create a highly safe, disaster-resistant city