

## **Promotion of Barrier-free Urban Design**

Based on an ordinance for the development of buildings that can be used without difficulty by the elderly and those with disabilities (Barrier-free Building Ordinance), which stipulates barrier-free requirements depending on the use and size of buildings, the TMG is promoting the development of barrier-free structures to ensure that buildings in Tokyo are more accessible to all people including the elderly, persons with disabilities, and those with infants.

### **Initiatives for the Renewal of Stations and Communities**

Railway stations and their surrounding areas are community centers that support residents' lives and business activities, but many issues still remain such as the delay in developing barrier-free facilities.

To transform the stations and their surroundings into bustling and vital community centers that are convenient for everyone, improvement of facilities such as concourses and station squares are underway at Higashi-nakano and other stations.



**Removing barriers by installing ramps**



**Multi-purpose restroom**