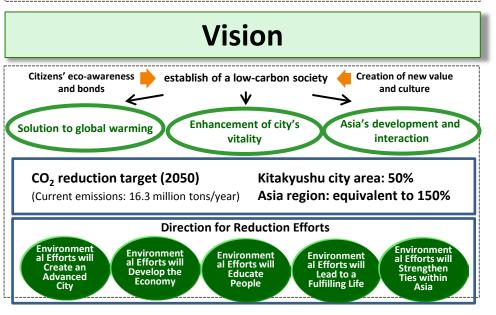
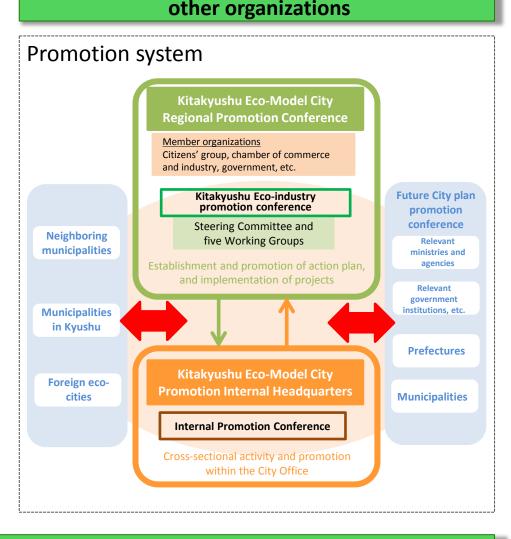
# 「環境未来都市」構想

# Kitakyushu Eco-Model City [City of Kitakyushu, Fukuoka]



- Population: 959,000 (as of Aug. 1, 2015)
- Area: 491.95 km<sup>2</sup> (as of Oct. 1, 2014)
- Land use: forest (42.7%), residential land (14.0%), industrial land (7.0%), agricultural land (6.0%), commercial land (3.2%) (as of March, 2011)
- Main industries: Manufacturing industry, core manufacturing industry, automotive industry, electric components and devices industry, environment and energy industry, etc.





Roles of government, citizens, corporations and

## **Overview of characteristic efforts**

### Kitakyushu Regional Energy Base Project

#### Forming an Energy Base for Stable and Cost-efficient Energy Supply through Low-Carbon Strategies

- Creates a city in which the lives of local residents are stable and businesses can conduct activities and achieve targets
- Forms a city that location of choice for many companies
- Builds a city that contributes to the success of both Kitakyushu and the broader region of Kyushu

Kitakyushu aspires to be a base that supports regional growth and discovers solutions to environmental/energy problems.



#### Kitakyushu Asian Center for Low Carbon Society

The collective environmental technologies of the City of Kitakyushu and Japan are used to promote a "Low-Carbon Asia"

#### Asian Center for Low Carbon Society Established in June 2010

The Center is jointly operated by the city of Kitakyushu, the Environmental Cooperation Center of the Kitakyushu International Techno-cooperative Association (KITA), and the Kitakyushu Urban Center of the Institute for Global Environmental Strategies (IGES). It aims to reduce  $CO_2$  emissions by 150% throughout Asia by 2050 (compared to 2005 levels in Kitakyushu).

# Kitakyushu: Economical benefits Revitalization of local economy Creation of new businesses

- Creation of new businesses learning from Asia
- Asian cities: Social Benefits

  Improvement of quality of life
  Solution to environmental issues
  Improvement of energy efficiency



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