

WHAT IS SUSTAINABILITY?

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If the people of Berkeley enhance the quality of their lives, they will not only become happier but also live longer.

PROJECT QUESTIONS

In small groups you will research ways to address 1 of the questions below. Then your class will create a single presentation of combined recommendations to answer the Project Question.

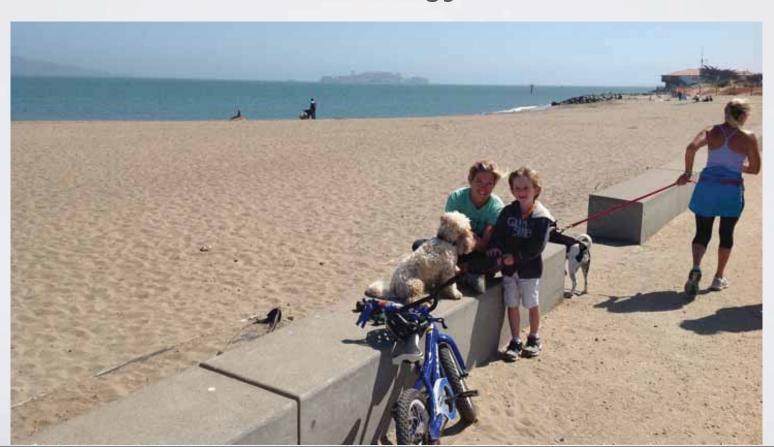
Project Theme: Energy & Sustainability
How can the City of Berkeley increase environmental sustainability and energy-efficiency in the Downtown area?

How can the City Increase young people's participation in efforts to make Downtown more "green" and energy-efficient? How can the City increase the use of public transit, walking and bicycling to improve energy savings Downtown?

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INCREASE YOUTH PARTICIPATION

Think about how to increase to occasions for close contacts between children and nature so they can learn about energy and sustainability.

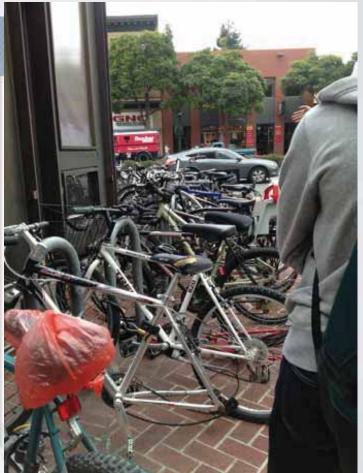


INCREASE USE OF TRANSIT, WALKING AND BIKING

Think about using buses and bicycles in Berkeley









SITE VISIT TO PROJECT AREA: DOWNTOWN BERKELEY









MAKETEAMS









COMMUNITY MAPPING



MATT SCHREIBER

Berkeley resident, UC Berkeley Student, Y-Plan Program Assistant

INTERVIEW BERKELEY RESIDENTS



URBAN INSPIRATION TOUR: CHRISSY FIELD

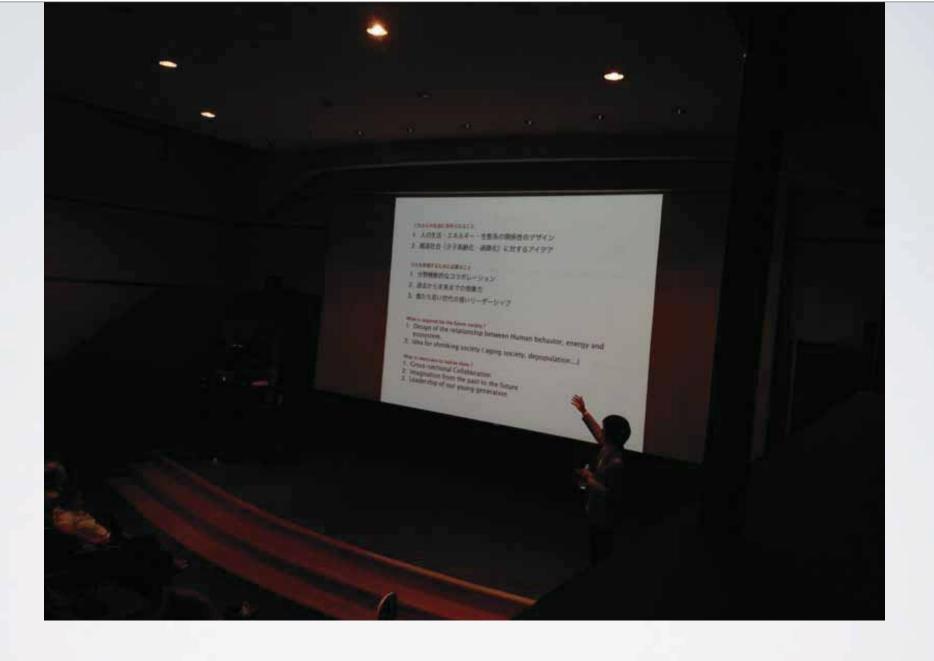




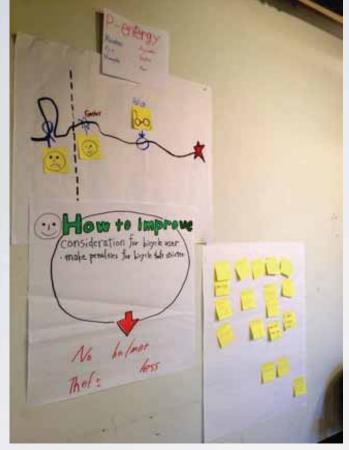
URBAN INSPIRATION TOUR: SPUR



URBAN INSPIRATION TOUR: CITY HALL

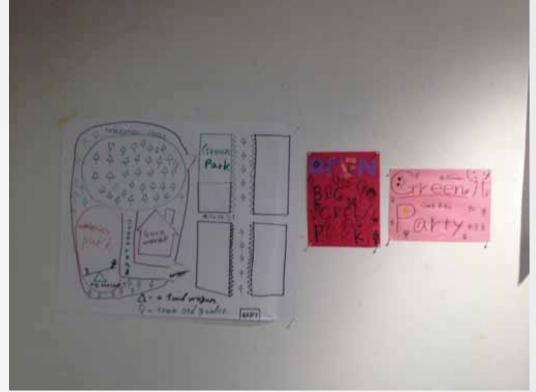


GUEST SPEAKERS: DANA BUNTROCK, NORIHISA KAWASHIMA & SHIRL BUSS









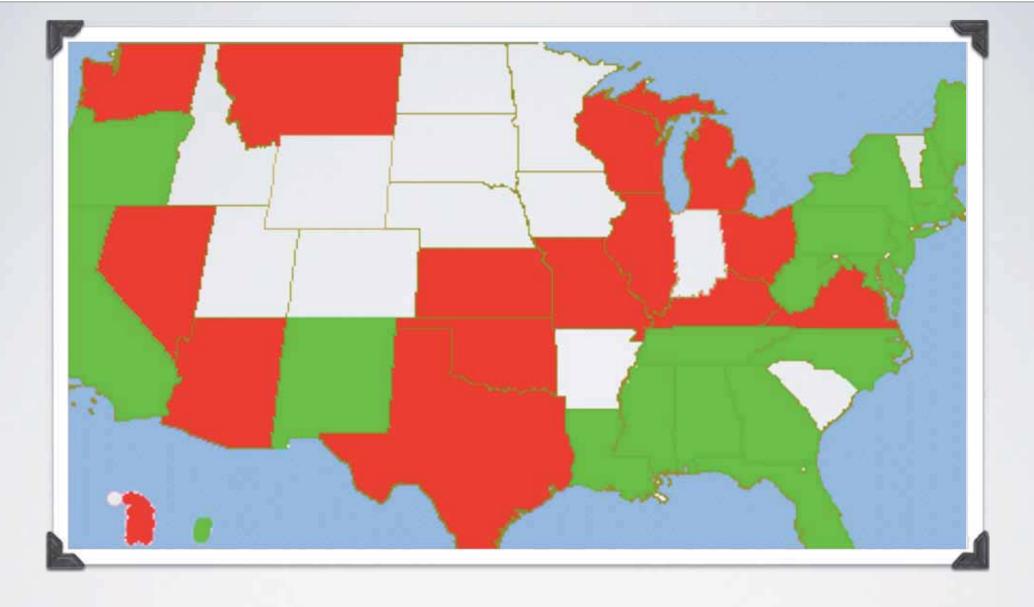
CHARETTE



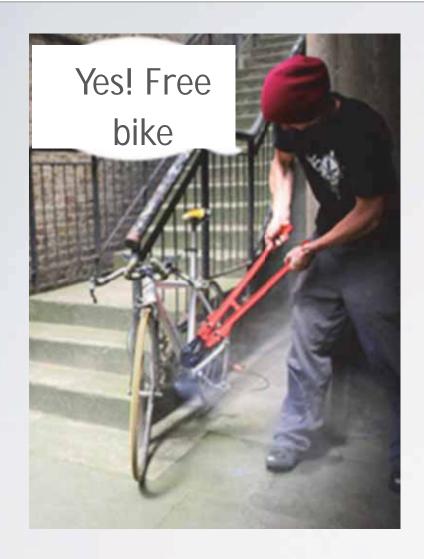
MAKING A HAPPY TOWN!



Rules for wearing helmet



Map of the United States mandatory bicycle helmet laws.(Data of 2010)





Theft



Many accidents between cars and bikes





In the U.S. there are only a few bicycles with basket unlike in Japan





We compared the good points and bad points in thinking of ways to improve the environment for biking









Rent and share bicycles



Improve streets for pedestrians and bicycles

Result

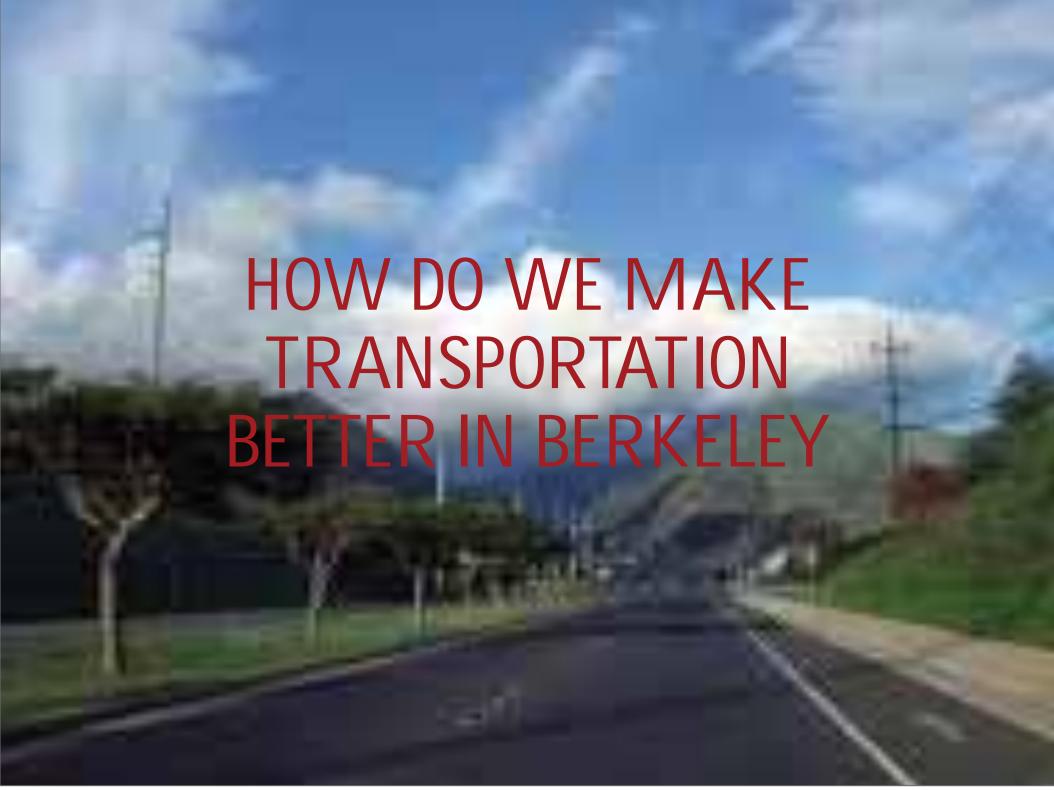
- Leads to energy savings, can prevent global warming
- Interaction with local people increase the information can be shared



Let's make a beautiful city for walking and biking!

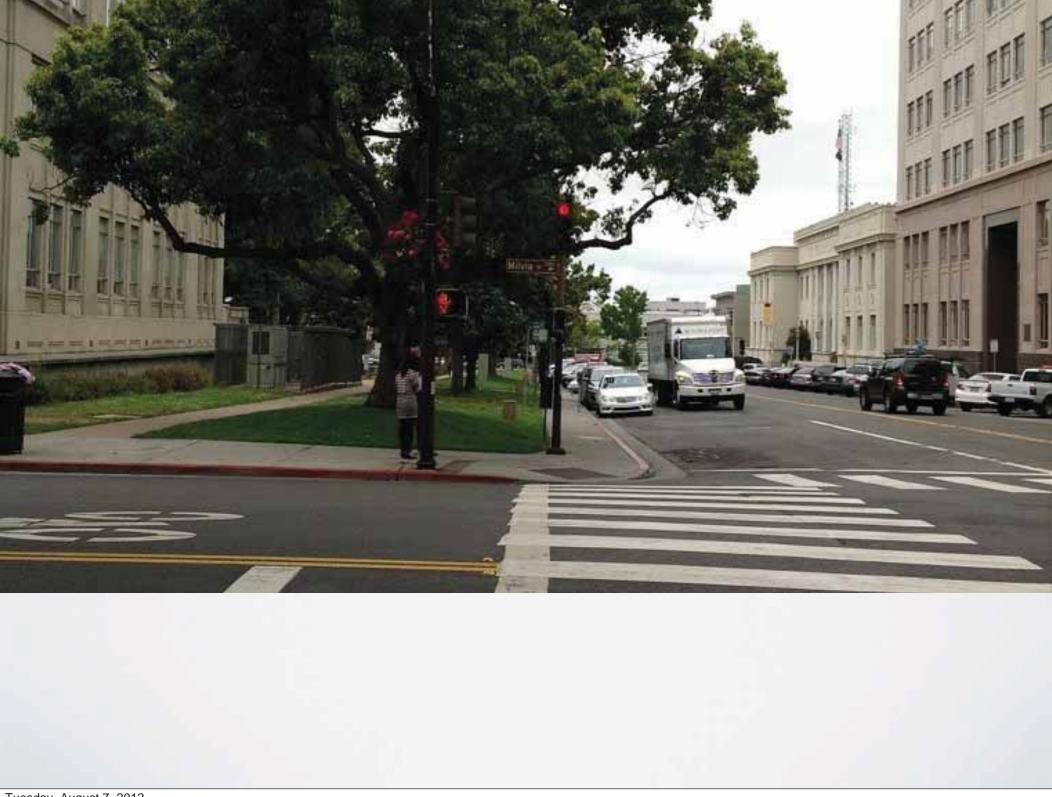


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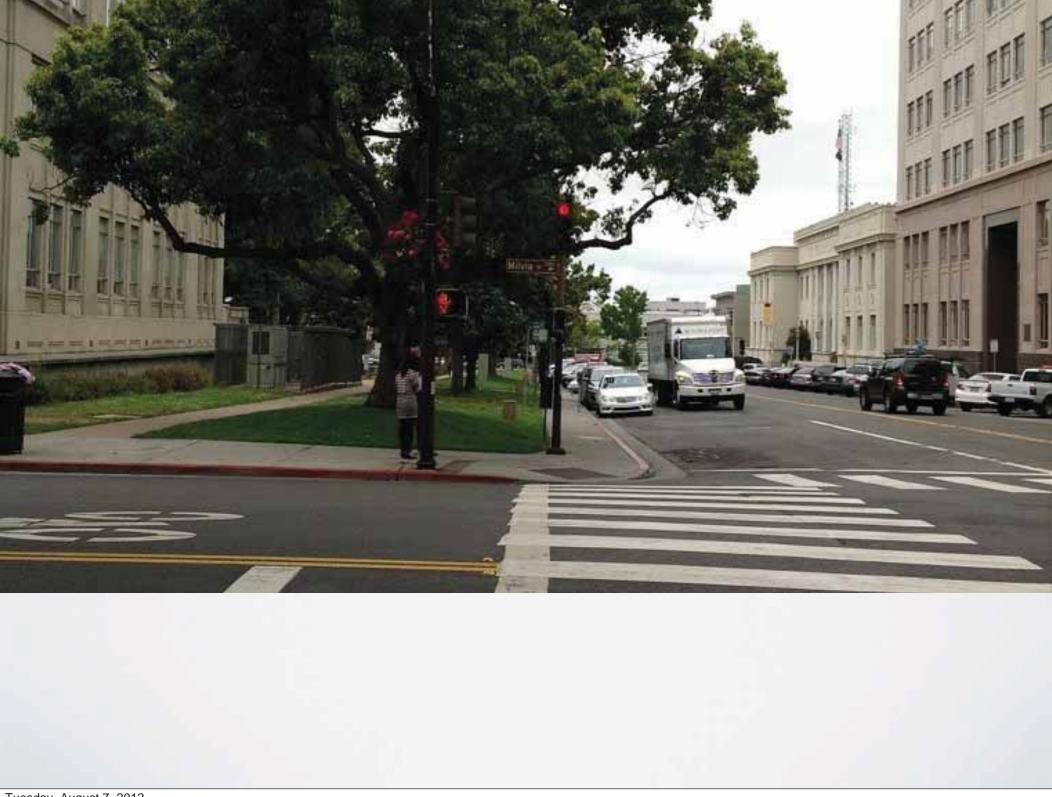


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THE TIME OF THE TRAFFIC LIGHT SHOULD BE LONGER FOR WALKING







THE BUSES SHOULD BE ON TIME





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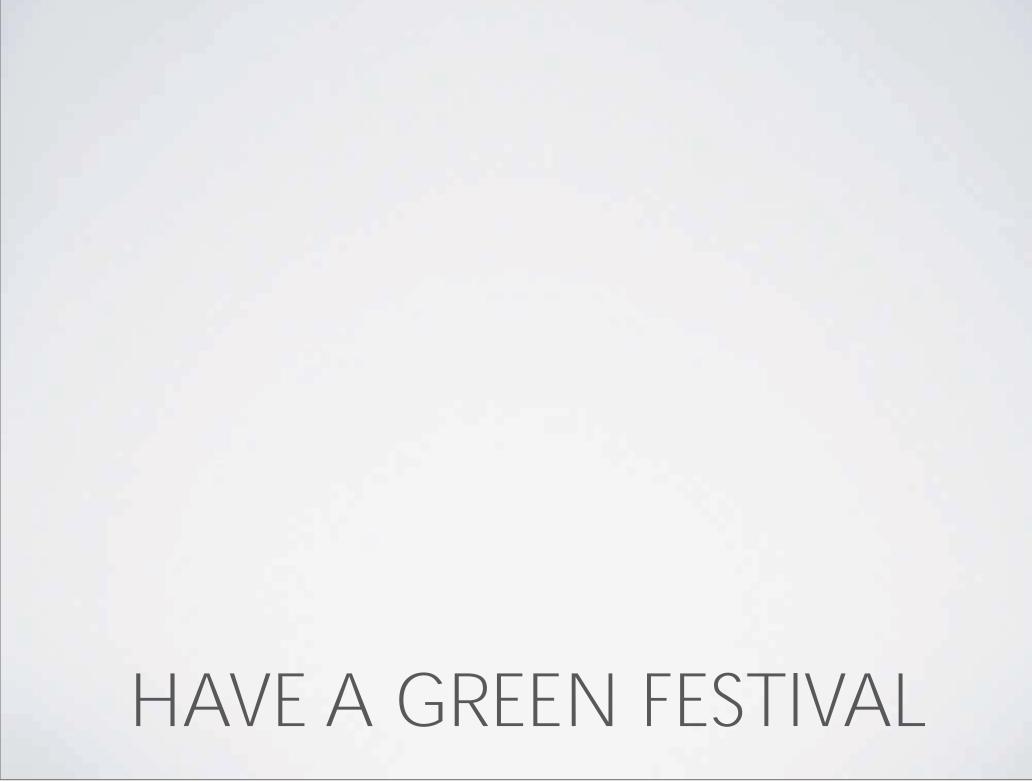




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HAVE A GREEN FESTIVAL



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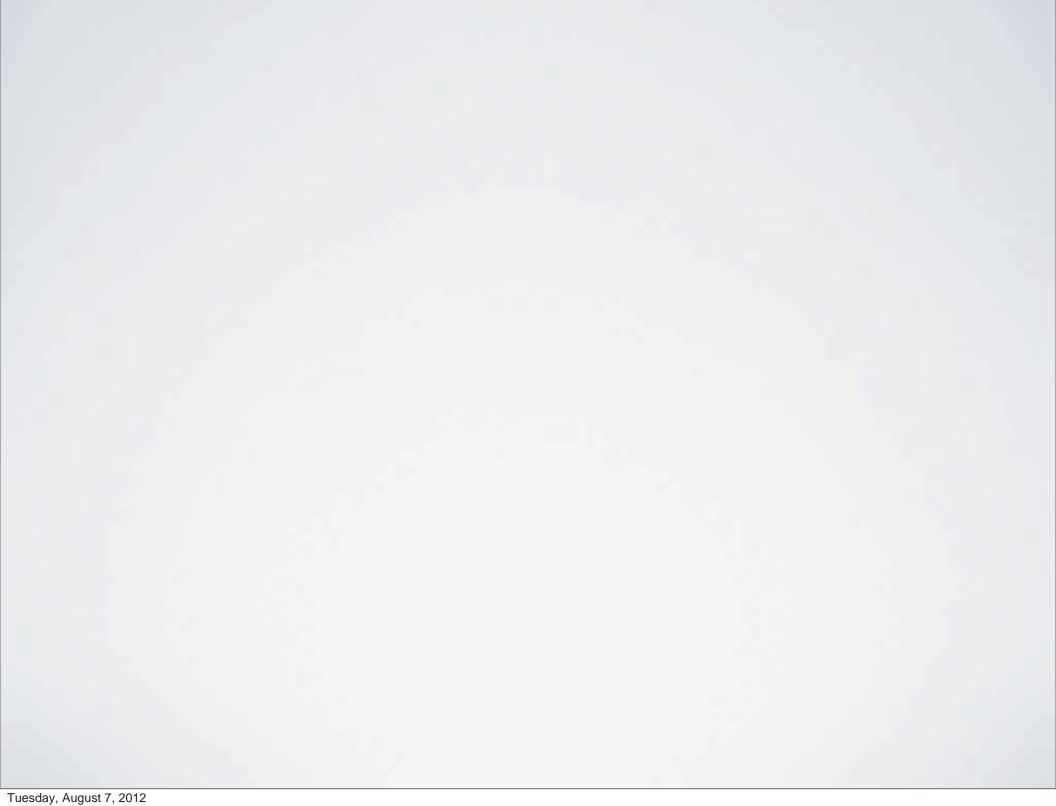
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People can learn that it is fun to plant and grow owers and vegetables.





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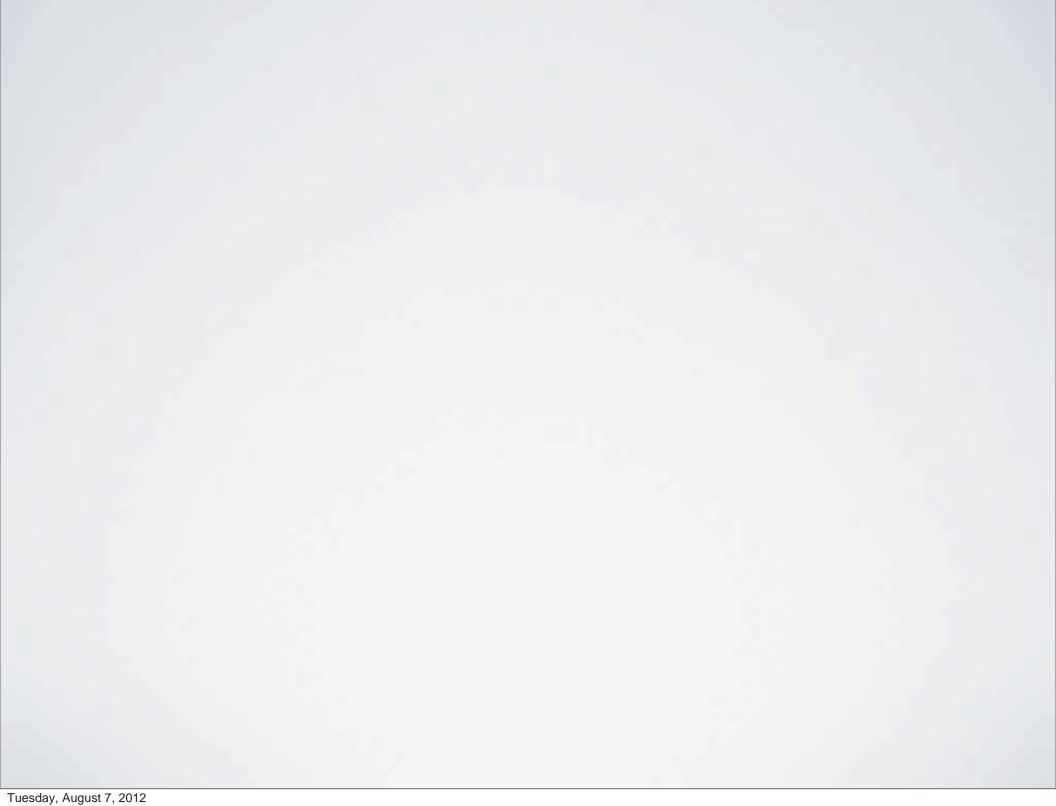


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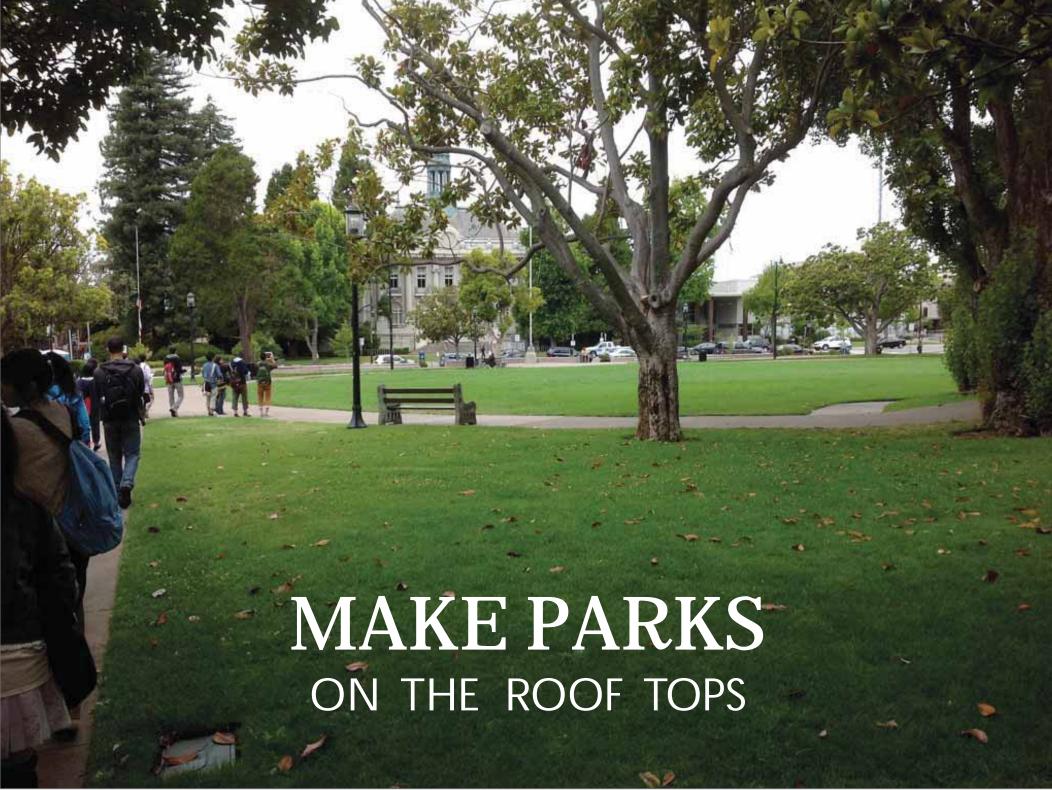


PLANT URBAN FOREST Plant urban forest The youth community can also plant trees during the party to create an urban forest. **Effect** Planting owers and trees in Berkeley on a regular basis allows for enjoyment by youth and the community and reduces carbon



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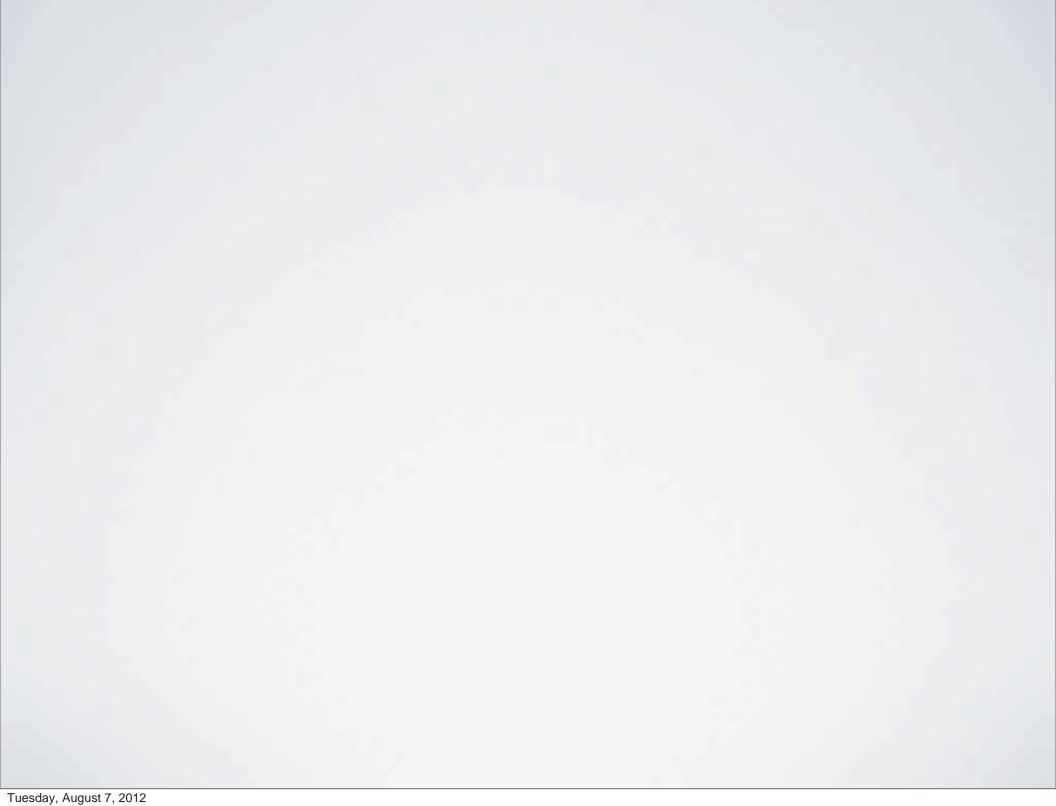
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Teenager

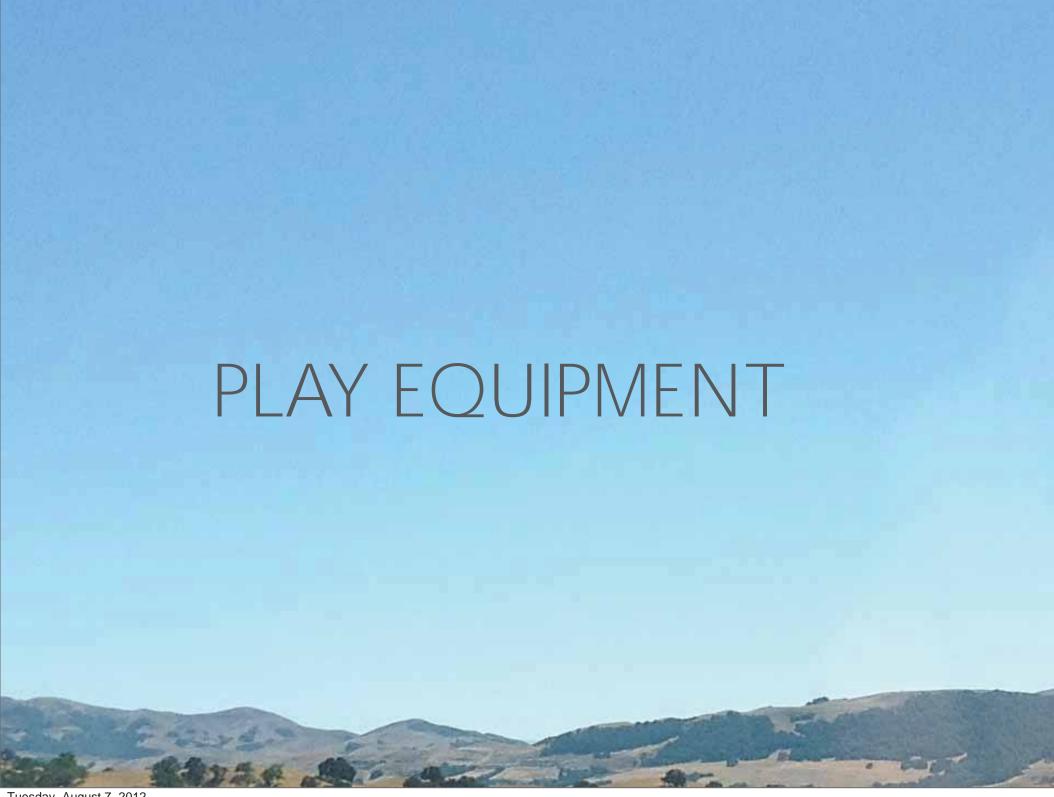








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WHY USE

dirty slide







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dirty slide







beautiful slide









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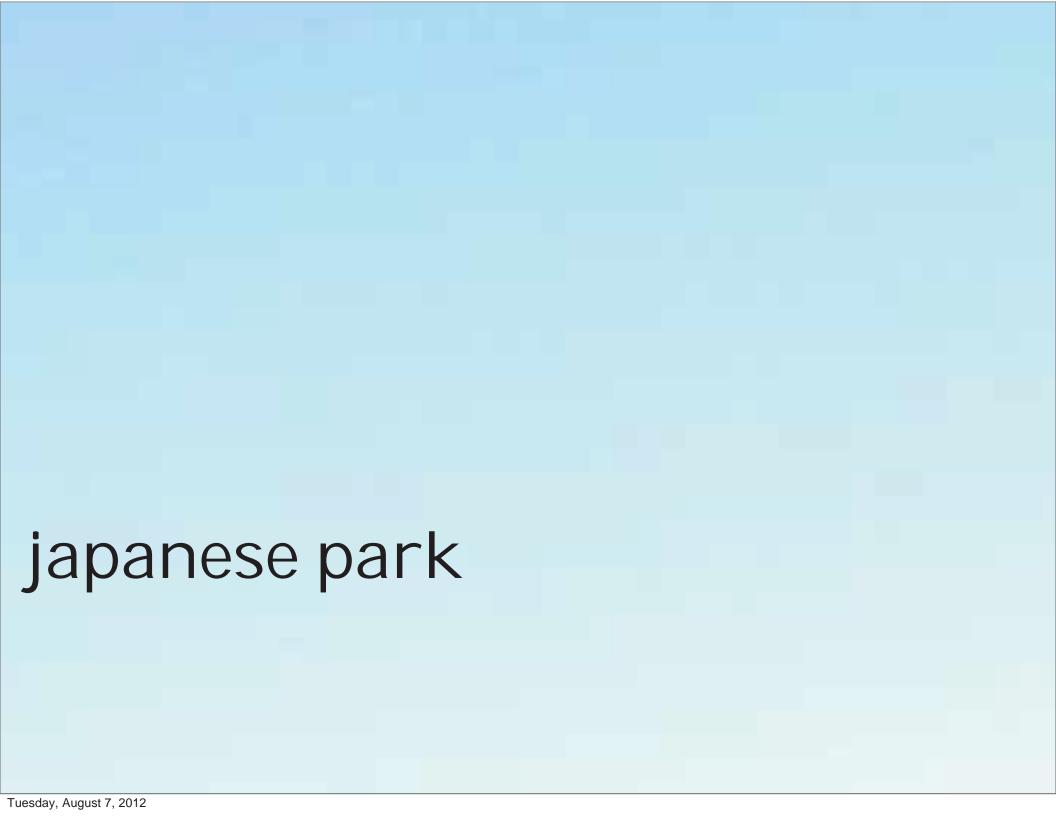






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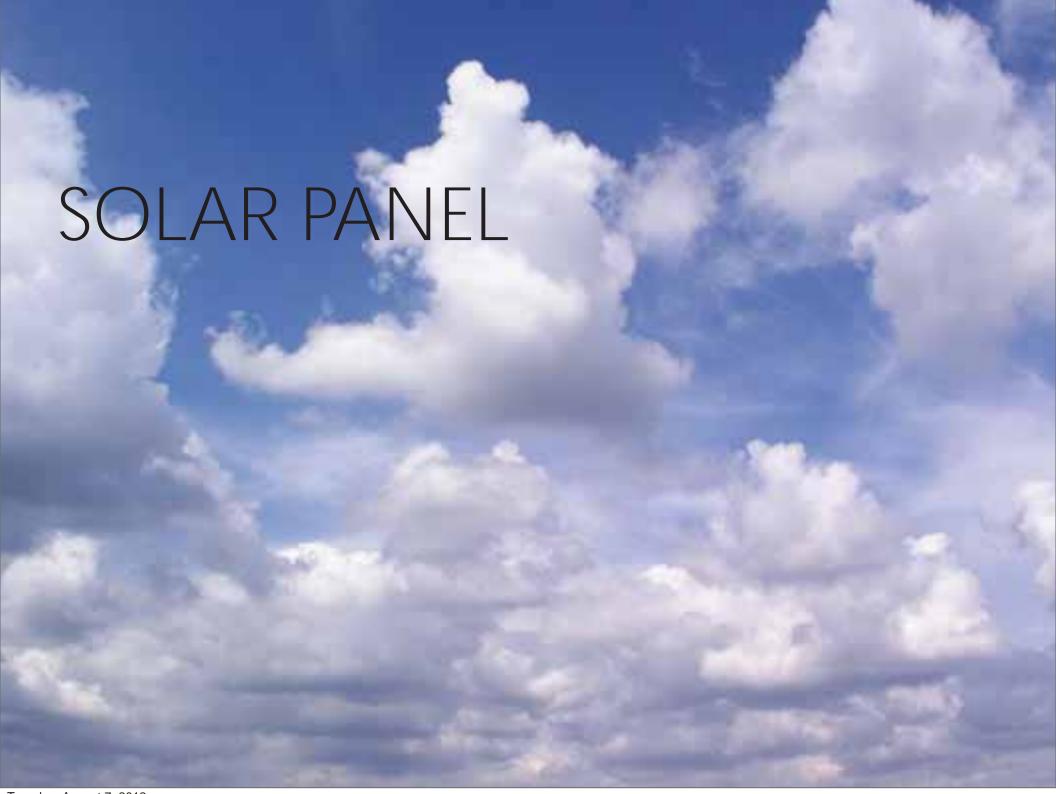
japanese park



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Atsuyuki Watanabe

My home



Fukushima Prefecture Koriyama City



In Fukushima there are still many areas with high radiation.

There is still misunderstanding and prejudice.

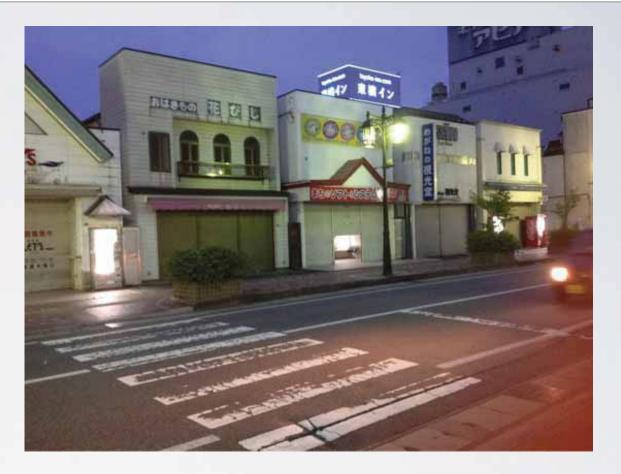
IMPACTS ON THE COMMUNITY



Masayuki Shimoda



Iwate Prefecture, Morioka City



Since gas and electricity was not available after the earthquake, it was extremely cold.



Ayumi Nabana

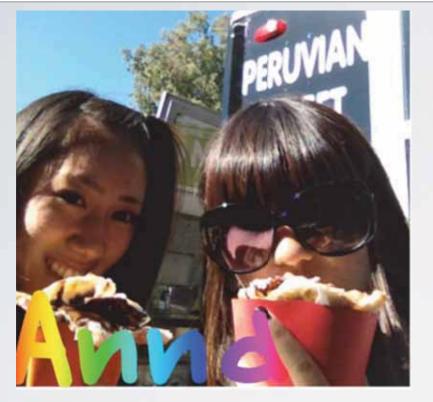


Iwaki Fukushima



We need to reduce radioactive damage.

HOME



Anna Naganuma

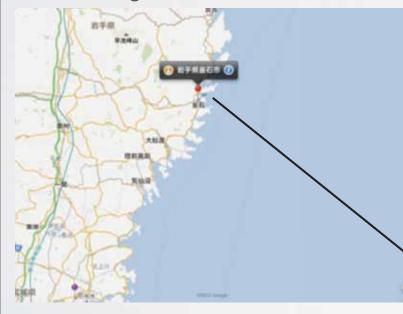




This is a picture of debris that is being neglected because it is labeled as another community's trash.



Kuga Noda



Kamaishi, Iwate



Sometimes we suffer from having too much water, but other times we suffer from lack of water.

HOME







Reina Takazawa



Sendai Miyagi

There are many temporary houses established now but we need to rebuild our permanent houses.



CHANGES FOR SELF RELIANCE: Ideas and experiences

ALTERNATIVE ENERGY





Mizuki Kumagai





We need to start working on sharing information, reducing nuclear power plants and using more wind and solar power for electricity since they are much healthier and safer.



Kento Saito



Electrical backup systems must be developed to ensure the ability to use internet communication

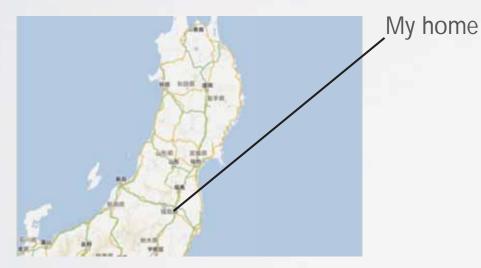
My home during a disaster.



FOOD AND WATER SECURITY



Norimichi Miwa



Sichigashuku, Miyagi



Clean water is scarce therefore we need to build water puri cation kits



Masahiro Kimura



Ishinomaki Miyagi





Collecting rainwater will help conserve our water resources.



Shoko Fukagawa



Sendai Miyagi



This earthquake caused a shortage of food and water.

We must be prepared next time.



Hiroto Numakura





Because we have arable land, it was not dif cult to grow rice and vegetables.

However, we had no gas or electricity so we were not able to cook.

As a result, we had to prepare food from re just like our ancestors.







HOME

I want to grow my own vegetables to prepare for a future disaster.

Higashimatsushima, Miyagi

BETTER COMMUNICATION





Ryo Takahashi

My home



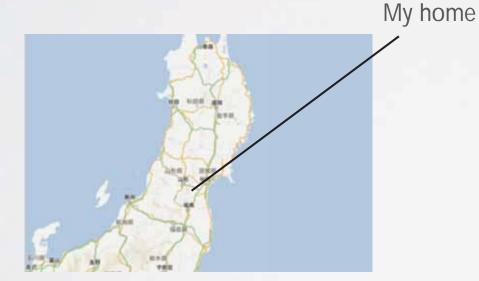
Nachigaoka, Miyagi



We need to share contact information and plan emergency response, to help us during a disaster.



Masahiro Oba



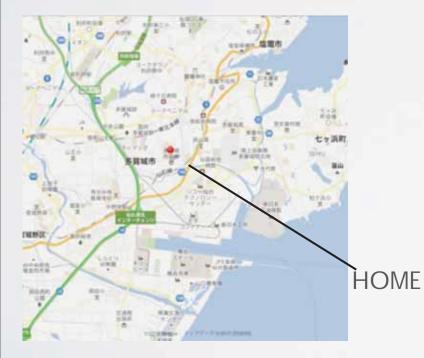
Tagajou, Miyagi



Through the disaster, I thought it was important to help others by exchanging information and sharing food.







We need to increase periodic neighborhood meetings.

Tagajyo Miyagi



Reiho Go



Fukushima Prefecture Iwaki City



I want to focus on 3 issues: temporary housing, increased lonely death and enhanced communication abilities.

COMMUNITY BUILDING FOR A SUSTAINABLE TOHOKU





Minami Horie



Sendai, Miyagi



The disaster brought us closer and we should maintain these stronger relationships.

HOME



Taishi Ota



Miyagi Prefecture Sendai City



I learned the importance of family and of being thankful.





Mayu Suzuki



Ishinomaki Miyagi

I want to volunteer with junior high school students.

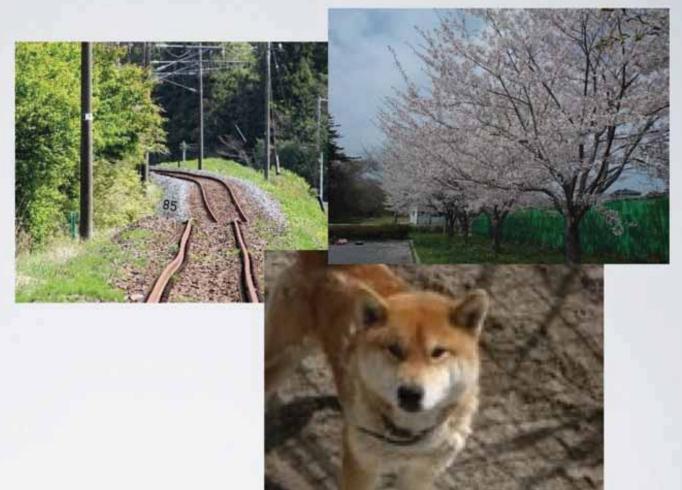


Ayaka Murakami



My home

Iwate Prefecture Oshu City



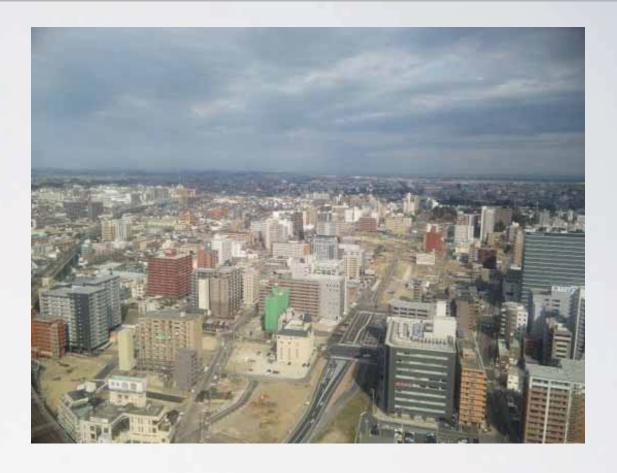
We have to prepare the coast for future disasters.



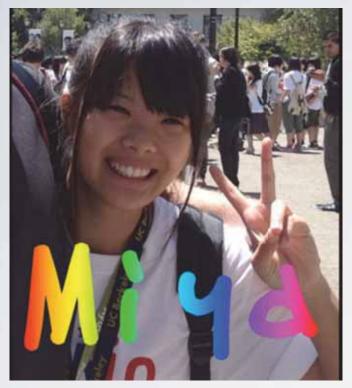
Ikue Takahashi



Sendai Miyagi



I was able to learn the importance of family and friends through the earthquakes.



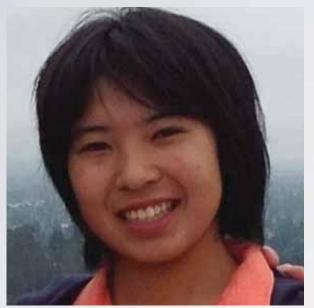
Miya Fujiwara



Iwanuma, Miyagi Prefecture



I learned to help others.



Airi Mori



Fukushima Prefecture Shirakawa City



My home

Even though my town was ravaged by the nuclear disaster, we are still strong.



Kana



Sendai Miyagi



Tohoku has not fully recovered yet.
When I return, I want to help rebuild my community.

THANK YOU!



Questions?

