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Public-Private Partnership for Local Production and Local Consumption of Renewable Electricity in Kawasaki City Receives the Climate Change Action Award from the Minister of the Environment

The City of Kawasaki (Location: Kanagawa Prefecture; Mayor, Norihiko Fukuda), KAWASAKI MIRAI Energy Co., Ltd. (Head Office: Kawasaki-shi, Kanagawa Prefecture; Representative Director and President: Atsushi Ida; "Kawasaki Mirai Energy") and Yamato Transport Co., Ltd. (Head Office: Chuo-ku, Tokyo; Representative Director and President: Yutaka Nagao) are proud to announce that they have jointly won the Climate Change Action Award from the Minister of the Environment in the category of Advanced Introduction and Positive Practice (Mitigation). This comes in recognition of the three entities' work at the Yamato Transport Takatsu Chitose Sales Office to realize local production and local consumption of electricity from renewable energy sources through public-private partnership. An award ceremony was held on Monday, December 2 to honor the award winners.

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Right: Award ceremony

(From left) Tomonari Mitamura, Deputy Mayor of Kawasaki City; Katsuhiro Matsui, Executive Officer, Yamato Transport (Managing South Kanto); Kentaro Doi, Director-General, Global Environment Bureau; Atsushi Ida, Representative Director and President, Kawasaki Mirai Energy

The Climate Change Action Award from the Minister of the Environment is presented by the Ministry of the Environment to individuals and organizations that have made outstanding achievements in climate change mitigation and climate change adaptation. Launched in 1998, the 2024 Climate Change Action Award from the Minister of the Environment marks the 27th time this program has been held.
URL: https://www.env.go.jp/earth/ondanka/min_action_award/index.html

The award was presented to Yamato Transport's Takatsu Chitose Sales Office for its efforts to achieve local production and local consumption of renewable electricity through public-private partnerships in the Decarbonization Leading Area of Kawasaki City. In addition to contributions to climate change mitigation, its ripple effect, sustainability, and innovativeness, these efforts received an overall positive assessment for their concrete greenhouse gas reduction effects through the implementation of advanced initiatives.

Going forward, we will continue to work together to promote decarbonization initiatives in Kawasaki City and contribute to the creation of a sustainable future city.

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• Local Production and Local Consumption of Renewable Electricity through Public-Private Partnership in Kawasaki City, a Decarbonization Leading Area: Yamato Transport launches 100% renewable energy-powered operations at a local sales office (October 16, 2024)

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