### Panasonic's smart city initiative

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# Short introduction of me

- Worked for the Japan Newspaper Publishers & Editors Association (4 years)
- PhD from Keio University's Graduate School of Media and Governance
- Visiting international student at the University of Georgia (Athens, USA)
- Studied ICT use in local governments under a natural disaster
- Moved to Norway, University of Agder (3 years)
- Involved in EU Horizon 2020 project, SMR (Smart mature resilience)
- Back to Japan summer 2018

Academic background: policy management





•A Smart City provides effective *integration* of **physical, digital and human systems** in the built environment to deliver a sustainable, prosperous and inclusive future for its citizens.

BSI PAS 180 - Smart Cities Vocabulary

### Background of SC initiatives



54 percent of the world's population now live in cities increasing from 30 percent in 1950.

In most places urbanization is expected to continue in the next years.

By 2050, 66 per cent of the world's population is projected to be urban.



Source: World Urbanization Prospects, United Nations, 2014 Revision



Note: Urban and rural population in the current country or area as a percentage of the total

population, 1950 to 2050.

region. The proportion is expressed as a percentage of the total population, 1950 to 2050.

United Nations, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, Population Division: World Urbanization Prospects 2018. (https://esa.un.org/unpd/wup/Country-Profiles/)

## Situation in Japan

### Background of SC initiatives

• Average temperature in the past 100 yearts



Source: Ministry of Environment, Japan, 2013

## Background of SC initiatives

• Energy consumption trend (1973-2011) in Japan



Source: Agency for Natural Resources and Energy, Japan, 2013

### Fujisawa Sustainable Smart Town

http://fujisawasst.com/EN/movie/

### Town overview

• Time frame: 100-year

Number of detached houses: 1,000

Population size: 3,000

- Facilities
  - Committee Center
  - Commercial facilities (shops, offices, incubation center)
  - Wellness Square (elderly care, nursery school)
  - Community Solar Power Generation System
  - Delivery Center





### Town design concept

- 1) What kind of <u>lifestyle</u> would be appropriate for residents to embrace the smart life?
- 2) What kind of <u>space</u> would such a lifestyle require to allow one to call it smart?
- 3) What kind of <u>technology</u> and <u>infrastructure</u> would be required to build this <u>space</u>?

< 9 keywords for living in the town>

Eat, work, learn, nurture, play, keep healthy, gather, connect

# Overall target (in terms of energy self-sufficiency)

- 1) Reduce CO2 emissions by <u>70</u>% compared to the 1990s
- 2) Reduce water usage by <u>30</u>% compared to 2006
- 3) Increase in reusable energy use up to <u>30</u>%
- 4) Secure <u>3</u> days worth of emergency kits (lifeline)



### Security

### Wellness

### Community







#### Fujisawa SST Council





Conceptual image of emergency backup power supply system for detached houses





#### Hardware and software preparation for emergencies





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ter prevention purposes by ensuring safety in emergencies. In addition to monitoring by cameras, a certain number of street lights will remain illuminated to ensure safety, and house entrance lights as well as room lights will provide faint street lighting.



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Elderly care facility, assisted residences for the elderly





- ・介護/医療/看護のシームレスな情報連携により最適なサービスを提供
- ・住民へのヘルスケア教育を発信、世代を問わない未病教育への取り組み(神奈川県未病センター認証)
- ・互助の関係を育む環境づくり
- •Provides the best possible care through the seamless cooperation of elderly care / medical care / nursing care providers.
- •Provides healthcare education to local residents. Undertakes initiatives to help people stay healthy regardless of age. (Certified by the Kanagawa Mibyo Center.)
- •Creates an environment where mutually beneficial support is encouraged.





#### Smart air conditioner monitoring service

Based on the combination of an air conditioner compatible with a cloud service and a non-contact sensor, this system keeps an eye on residents' health and safety by detecting information about their living spaces and lives while at the same time guaranteeing their privacy. It detects information such as residents' body motions during sleep and their presence in their private room, and sends it to the nursing care staff. This will help improve nursing care services as well as the staff work efficiency.





#### The town portal interface



Posts from residents Posts from commercial partners





# Delivery SQUARE









#### IoT delivery box







## Automated delivery car for on-demand delivery service

#### \*prototype

#### ■ロボネコヤマト自動運転走行実験



# The Triple bottom line framework of sustainability

The notion of sustainability entails a comfortable standard of living in the capacity of nature

**Economic, environmental**, and **social** sustainability should be incorporated into a single structure



	Information systems in the town	Corresponding town goals
Social sustainability	The town portal	Community building, connecting people, engagement of residents, communication with all stakeholders in the town Delivery of integrated town services (gateway to each service)
	50 integrated security cameras and LED street lamps. Photos from security cameras can be shown in tablet and other mobile devices/home computers.	Security and safety
	Emergency warning in VIERA TV	Security and safety
	SNS: SOY LINK	Community building, connecting people, engagement of residents, communication with all stakeholders in the town Note: this system is a trial
Environmental sustainability	Home Energy Management System (HEMS) Energy consumption report and eco-life recommendation report as output from HEMS	Monitor energy use in each household for creation, storage, and saving energy to fulfill the following numeral target: •CO <sub>2</sub> reduction by 70% (compared to the 1990) •Detached homes to emit zero CO <sub>2</sub> •Renewable energy use of up to 30%
Environmental / social sustainability	IoT delivery, on-demand delivery services	Create a novel distribution system Achieve energy efficiency
Social sustainability	Monitoring service for elderly people	Keeping healthy Record individual health information and share with related institutions

#### Interface for the Town Portal



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#### Interface for HEMS output and eco-life recommendation report



HEMS output interface on a tablet

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Energy consumption report

#### Eco-life recommendation report



# Kashiwa-no-ha Smart city project

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Pq6Tlo\_VpbU&feature=youtu.be

## Conclusion

- Fujisawa sustainable smart town generates new services.
- FSST potentially approaches all aspects of sustainability, i.e., Environmental, Economic, and Social sustainability.
- Panasonic formed a platform for collaboration among cooperate partners and residents.
- This platform plays a key role in creating new services.
- Various cooperate partners try new attempts with residents in different service domains.
- ICTs are foundation of these new attempts and services.

### Thank you for your attention!!