Tokyo Metropolitan Government (TMG) responses following the Great East Japan Earthquake



Damage Situation



Nuclear power plant accident



Evacuation zone established, many residents forced to evacuate

Radioactive material scattered over a wide area, impacting agricultural products, tap-water, etc.

Resulting power shortage significantly impacted business activities

TMG Responses



Tokyo Fire Department's Hyper Rescue Team



Road to Recovery



Photo taken at 1:00p.m. March 15



Stricken-areas being steadily revived thanks to domestic and overseas aid

Preparing for the possibility of an earthquake directly striking Tokyo - Drawing lessons from recent earthquakes-

Great East Japan Earthquake

Great Hanshin-Awaji Earthquake



Plate Subduction Earthquake

Urban earthquake

Photo: The Asahi Shimbun Company

Should Tokyo be directly hit by an earthquake, National government functions could be paralyzed, deepening the crisis

TMG Measures

Local Community

Distribution Network



Rebuilding a structure of mutual assistance suitable for a major city

e.g.) Disaster Management Neighborhood Units

Rebuilding a resource procurement structure e.g.) strengthening distribution network through dual-track procurement

Coordination/Cooperation with various entities

Local Community
e.g.) Disaster Management
Neighborhood Units



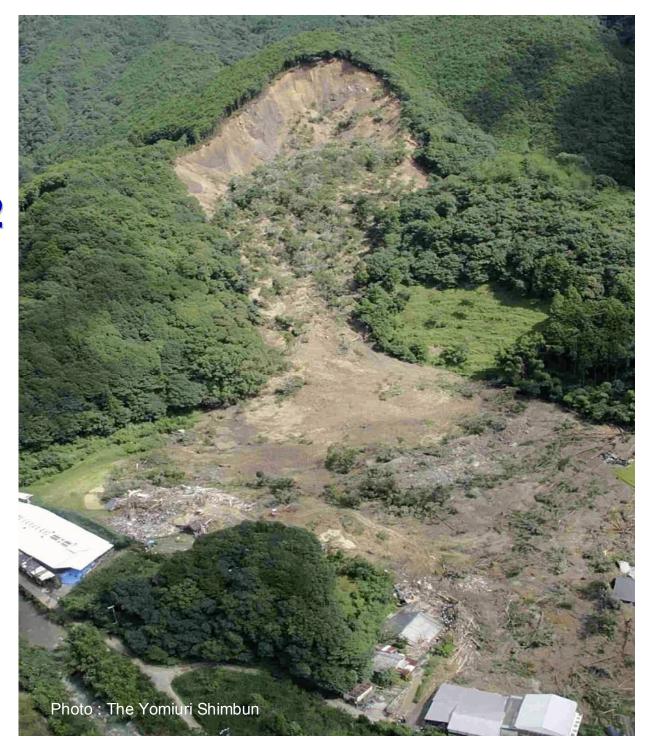
Local Governments e.g.) Greater Tokyo Area FEMA (Emergency Management Agency)



National Government e.g.) Self-Defense Forces



Deep-Seated
Landslide
Caused by
Typhoon No. 12



TMG Disaster Response Guidelines

- OResponding from new perspectives
- ODisaster measures improve and accelerate

Thank You