

ASIAN NETWORK OF MAJOR CITIES 21

(ANMC21)

REPORT

of the 13th Plenary Meeting in Tomsk

**Tomsk, Russia
5-6 September, 2014**

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OUTLINE OF THE PLENARY MEETING

1. Name of the Meeting:

The 13th Plenary Meeting of the ANMC21 in Tomsk

2. Date:

5-6 September, 2014

3. Venue:

Tomsk Polytechnic University

4. Participants: 107

Bangkok	4
Delhi	Unable to attend
Hanoi	9
Jakarta	Unable to attend *Submitted a proxy
Kuala Lumpur	Unable to attend
Metropolitan Manila	Unable to attend
Seoul	7
Singapore	Unable to attend
Taipei	Unable to attend
Tokyo	31
Tomsk	53
Ulaanbaatar	3
Yangon	Unable to attend

(As attached are the list of head participants and all participants)

5. Host City:

Tomsk, Russia

SCHEDULE OF THE 13TH PLENARY MEETING IN TOMSK

	September, 4 (Thursday)
16:00-16:30	Welcome Delegates
17:00-18:00	Opening Ceremony for ANMC21 Exhibition
19:00-20:00	Welcome Dinner
	September, 5 (Friday)
09:15-09:30	Welcome coffee
09:30-10:00	Opening Ceremony of the 13 th Plenary Meeting
10:00-11:00	Policy Dialogue: Improving the Lives of City Residents through New Social Approaches
11:00-11:15	Coffee-Break
11:15-12:30	Policy Dialogue: Improving the Lives of City Residents through New Social Approaches
12:30-14:00	Lunch
14:00-16:00	Field Trip: Tomsk Special Economic Zone
16:00-18:00	Field Trip: summer country house/dacha
	September, 6 (Saturday)
09:00-09:15	Wrap-up Session
09:15-10:15	Report on the implementation of joint projects, Q&A session
10:15-10:30	Coffee-Break
10:30-10:40	Proposal on new joint projects/pilot programs and review of current joint projects
10:40-11:00	Deciding of the host city of the next Plenary Meeting
11:00-11:10	Wrapping up of the Plenary Meeting, adoption of the Final Declaration
11:10-11:25	Break
11:25-12:30	Signing of the Tomsk Declaration and press conference
12:30-15:00	Transfer to the Park “Okolitsa” and Farewell Reception

Venue of the Plenary Meeting: Tomsk Polytechnic University

ANMC21 Exhibition (4 – 6 September 2014): Cultural Centre of Tomsk Polytechnic University (including “Pictures drawn by children” exhibition, Member Cities PR Booth, Joint Projects Exhibition and Cultural performances).

HEAD OF DELEGATION LIST

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Mrs. JESSADACHATR Nitaya, Minister of Royal Thai Embassy)

[Delhi]

Unable to attend

[Hanoi]

Mr. LE Hong Son, Vice Chairman of Hanoi People's Committee

[Jakarta]

Unable to attend

*Submitted a proxy

[Kuala Lumpur]

Unable to attend

[Metropolitan Manila]

Unable to attend

[Seoul]

Mr. IM Jomh Seok, Vice Mayor of Political Affairs

[Singapore]

Unable to attend

[Taipei]

Unable to attend

[Tokyo]

Dr. MASUZOE Yoichi, Governor of Tokyo

[Tomsk]

Dr. ZHVACHKIN Sergey, Governor of Tomsk Region

[Yangon]

Unable to attend

[Ulaanbaatar]

Mr. ENKHTSENGEL Tseyen, Vice Mayor in charge of Social Development of

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PARTICIPANTS LIST - 13TH PLENARY MEETING OF ANMC21

City	Full name	Designation/ Department
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	GURDIN Yury	Deputy Governor of Tomsk Region for Investment Policy and Property Relations
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KOZLOVSKAYA Oksana	Speaker of Legislative Duma of Tomsk Region
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	ANDO / Toshiaki	Second secretary, Embassy of Japan in Russia
Ulaanbaatar	ENKHTSENGEL Tseyen	Vice Mayor in charge of Social Development
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	TUYA Badarch	Director of the Investment and Construction department of the Bayanzurkh district
Hanoi	LE Hong Son	Vice Chairman of Hanoi People's

		Committee
	NGUYEN Thanh Hai	Deputy Director of Department for Foreign Affairs
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MEETING RESULTS

1. Opening

- Governor of Tomsk Region, H.E. Dr. Zhvachkin delivered the opening remarks
- H.E. Dr. MASUZOE Yoichi, Governor of Tokyo delivered his opening remarks on behalf of ANMC21 Secretariat

2. Policy Dialogue: «Improving the Lives of City Residents through New Social Approaches»

The Policy Dialogue started with the presentation of Tomsk City themed “Solutions in Improving the Lives of City Residents through New Social Approaches”, followed by presentations from Tokyo, Seoul, Hanoi, Ulaanbaatar.

- **Tomsk:** “Solutions in Improving the Lives of City Residents through New Social Approaches”

Tomsk is one of the most ancient cities of Siberia and Russia. However, in spite of its centuries-old history, Tomsk is one of the «youngest» cities of the country. Every fifth resident of Tomsk, a city with half-million population, is a student.

Tomsk State University and Tomsk Polytechnic University are included in the top 15 higher educational institutions of the country. This demonstrates the unique nature, competitiveness and high potential of the Tomsk's scientific and educational cluster.

There are two areas of activities aimed at strengthening the city's potential:

The first one is to create the modern environment for intellectual, professional and personal development. The second one is to support talented students and to develop youth initiatives in the socio-economic and socio-political life of Tomsk Region.

The "Tomsk Embankment" project is aimed at creating a new microdistrict which meets all the current requirements in terms of architecture, planning, and infrastructure.

The student community takes an active part in the social life of the Tomsk Region. There are the Youth Parliament and the Youth Council of Tomsk through which the young people advocate for their interests.

The first and the most successful Russian special economic zone is functioning in Tomsk to retain high-potential and talented graduates from Tomsk universities in the region.

A great deal of projects is targeted to older adults: gas supply to households, "social taxi", discounts on utility bills. In spring and summer pensioners come to their dachas (summer houses). Older adults provide vegetables and berries not only for themselves but also for their children and grandchildren and sell surplus crops at specially designated market places.

- **Tokyo:** "Tokyo 2020"

Tokyo will be hosting the 2020 Olympic and Paralympic Games.

We are setting the goal of making the Olympic and Paralympic Games 2020 the best in history.

Towards this goal, preparation will be carried forward steadily, including the establishment of venues and road infrastructure, and working toward ensuring safe management of the Games. We will also be actively promoting various initiatives to bring as many people from abroad as possible to visit Tokyo, and to give them firsthand experience of the charm of the city.

As for efforts for improving the quality of citizens' life through the power of sports, we are implementing various measures aimed at establishing an environment where everyone can enjoy sports, regardless of age or living environment. The Tokyo Marathon, held since 2007, has worked as a trigger to change many people's awareness of sports.

By fully utilizing the momentum of enthusiasm for sports generated by the decision of a Tokyo Olympic and Paralympic Games in 2020, we will make "Sports City Tokyo" a reality—a place where everyone can enjoy sports anytime and anywhere, and where the people and the city are invigorated through the power of sports.

- **Seoul:** "Seoul, a Happier City through Communication"

"Citizens are the mayor" is the main slogan of Mayor Park Won Soon's first and second term. Since there are 10 million citizens in Seoul, this translates into 10 million mayors that we need to serve. Communicating with the citizens to understand what they want and coordinating the different opinions to reach a consensus have become an important process in the city administration.

Mayor Park initiated a new communication policy for Seoul. The three pillars of SMG's new communication policy include sharing, listening and engaging, and responding.

First of all, SMG set out to share public data with the citizens in a transparent manner. Now, more than 1.67 million documents including internal reports and meeting minutes are available on the Seoul Open Data Square.

Second, SMG emphasizes listening and engaging with the citizens. Various channels are open to gather public opinion. For example, the mayor and some 100 stakeholders discuss major policy issues at the “Listening Policy Workshop”. 82 workshops have been held up until now and 76% of the opinions were reflected in our city policies.

The last pillar of SMG’s communication policy is “responding.” When citizens share their opinion on SNS such as Twitter or Facebook, the Mayor or the public servants at the responsible division reply back.

- **Hanoi:** “Improvement of people’s living standards through new social initiative with focus given to the young and elderly”

Remarkable social initiatives aimed at improving the living standards of the elderly

1. Establishment of associations of the elderly from central to local levels. Ha Noi has associations of the elderly at city, district and township levels and branches at grass-root level. These are organizations of the elderly established to serve the spiritual life of the elderly and to mobilize the elderly’s wisdom and experience to strengthen the Party and Government.

2. Giving guidance to associations of the elderly in organizing different kinds of clubs to serve the elderly (cultural, sport and poetic clubs)

3. Organization of longevity ceremonies (visiting and offering gifts) for their elderly;

4. Investing in and mobilization of funds to build premises (cultural house, recreation areas and sport centers) for the elderly.

New social initiatives aimed at improving the living standards of the young of the Capital

Basing on the Government’s Strategy on the development of the young and Ha Noi’s Program on the development of Hanoian young people for the period of 2011 – 2020, Ha Noi has put forth new social initiative aimed at improving the living standards of Hanoian young people:

1. Focus given to young and high quality human resource through projects, emulation activities and campaigns:

2. Regular education and training given to forge the young’ goals, ideals and healthy ways of living in order to up hold patriotism, contribute to safeguarding national independence and stay firm on the path to Socialism

- **Ulaanbaatar:** “Social initiatives and citizen’s involvement in Ulaanbaatar city”

The vision of Ulaanbaatar city is to develop a world class environment which not only respects its citizens but develops a thriving globally competitive economy harmonized with nature while increasing its capacity to deliver innovative technology based industries.

Priorities of Ulaanbaatar

- To become Green, Healthy and Safe city
 - City with a better living condition, having well knit social life
 - To create a favorable environment for practicing a good governance, developing modern technologies
 - To have more rapidly developing satellite towns and villages
 - To develop the City as an attractive tourist destination in the Asian Region
- To develop the City to standards of Capital cities of the World's Developed Countries

3. Summary of Policy Dialogue by host city Tomsk

Creation of comfortable urban environment is a complex task. Although this task is largely about inclusive public space, it should not be limited to urban infrastructure. Residents, young and senior alike, should be fully included into the public life and should be offered every possible opportunity to express themselves and take an active part in all aspects of diverse city life. New social institutions and initiatives can help local governments accomplish this ambitious goal.

4. Joint Project Implementation Reports

- (1) "The Technology and Industry Platform"
(Reporting city: Tokyo)
- (2) "Welcome to Asia" Campaign
(Reporting city: Tokyo)
- (3) Promotion of Asian Business and Investment Projects
(Reporting city: Hanoi)
- (4) ICT Initiatives for Urban Development
(Reporting city: Tokyo)
- (5) Urban and Global Environmental Problems
(Reporting city: Tokyo, Ulaanbaatar)
- (6) Network for Crisis Management
(Reporting city: Tokyo)
- (7) Countermeasures to Combat Infectious Diseases in Asia
(Reporting city: Tokyo)
- (8) Asian Performing Arts Festival

- (Reporting city: Tokyo)
- (9) Junior Sports Program
(Reporting city: Tokyo, Tomsk)
- (10) Staff Capacity Enhancement Program
(Reporting city: Tokyo)

6. Proposal on new joint projects/pilot programs and review of current joint projects

- (1) There are no proposals on new joint projects
- (2) Presentation of new pilot programs: “Russian Language Education Program”
(Reporting city: Tomsk)

7. Proposal on a thorough review of how the ANMC21 should be

Cities agreed to refrain from deciding on the next host city at the meeting. Secretariat will seek the views of the member cities by the end of the year.

8. The Adoption of the Tomsk Declaration

The results of the meeting were summarized and the Tomsk Declaration was adopted

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Tomsk Declaration

We, the representatives of Hanoi, Seoul, Tokyo, Ulaanbaatar and Tomsk, participated in the 13th Plenary Meeting of the ANMC21, held in Tomsk from September 5 to 6, 2014. We highly appreciate and express our sincere gratitude to Tomsk for successfully hosting the 13th Plenary Meeting.

Being aware of the fact that urban life is associated with different challenges for different ages and social groups and that these challenges are not limited to infrastructural issues, but can be social and political in nature;

Agreeing that new social institutions and initiatives can help local governments overcome these challenges by fully involving all residents, young and senior alike, in the public activities and offering them every possible opportunity to express themselves and take part in all aspects of diverse city life;

Acknowledging the willingness of Tomsk to share its experience of youth engagement in social projects, volunteering, entrepreneurship and politics;

Having conducted open and friendly discussion on common issues and challenges confronting Asian major cities and the joint projects of the ANMC21;

Hereby we declare:

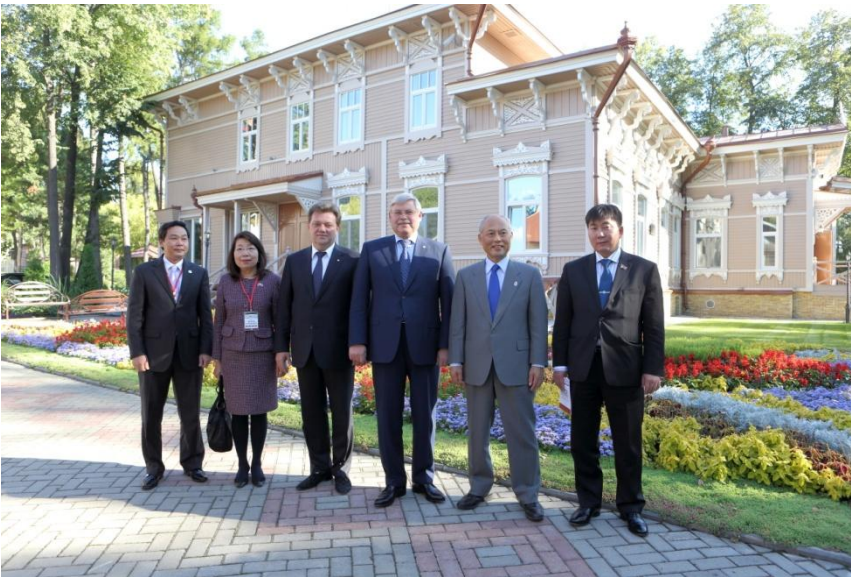
1. to discuss problems that are important to urban residents and jointly search for solutions, paying special attention to the needs and interests of different age groups;
2. to address the needs of young people and involve them in all aspects of city life by encouraging creation of youth organizations, providing career advice and guidance in business endeavors, promoting healthy lifestyles, offering volunteering opportunities and educating them about social and political initiatives of the city;

3. to focus on intergenerational initiatives that bring together young and senior citizens, paying particular attention to projects, where senior residents can share their professional expertise and personal experience with young people, and recognizing the special role of sports in bridging the generation gap;
4. to improve policies and ensure information exchange regarding the member cities' best practices that improve lives of city dwellers from different social groups;
5. to agree on implementing Joint Projects and Pilot Programs including a new pilot project, "Russian Language Education Program," carried out by Tomsk to enhance cooperation in the field of education and foster closer cultural ties between member cities;
6. to agree on the need to conduct a thorough review of how the ANMC21 should be and direct that the Secretariat will disseminate the results of the Tomsk Plenary and seek views from the Member Cities by the end of 2014.

September 6, 2014
Tomsk

PHOTOGRAPHS OF THE PLENARY MEETING

Policy Dialogue



Welcome Session



Opening Ceremony



**Opening remarks by
HE MASUZOE
Yoichi ,
Governor of Tokyo**



Hanoi Delegation



Seoul Delegation



**Ulaanbaatar
Delegation**



Policy Dialogue



**Signing Ceremony of
Tomsk Declaration**

Field Trips



**Field Trip to Tomsk
Special Economic
Zone**



**Opening of Ecology
park in Tomsk Special
Economic Zone**



**Site Visit to Park
“Okolitsa”**

ANMC21 Exhibition



**ANMC21 Exhibition
Ribbon snipping
ceremony**



**ANMC21 Exhibition
Opening remarks by HE
Zhvachkin Sergey,
Governor of Tomsk
Region**



**Performance given by
artists from Seoul**



**Performance given by
artists from Tokyo**



Seoul City PR Booth



Tokyo City PR Booth