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OITA

オール市民でまちを創る

ワンチーム
おおいた

—ひとが真ん中。—



大分市長
足立 信也

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Mayor of Oita

大分市は、緑豊かな山々と青い海や川、そして温暖な気候に恵まれた地勢を有し、中世には戦国大名・大友宗麟により海外との交易が積極的に進められ国際貿易都市となるなど、古くから東九州の要衝として重要な役割を担ってまいりました。昭和39年の新産業都市の指定を契機に産業集積が飛躍的に進み、平成9年の中核市の指定、平成17年の佐賀関、野津原両町との合併を経て、産業・教育・福祉等の都市の機能が充実した多彩な魅力と活力あふれる県都として大きく成長してまいりました。

一方、本市の人口は平成29年から減少を続け、少子化対策は最優先の課題となっております。また、本市での自然災害による死者数は約30年間ゼロとなっておりますが、近年は各地で風水害等による甚大な被害が頻発する中、今後もあらゆるリスクに対応した災害に強いまちづくりが求められております。さらには、社会における価値観の多様化やデジタル化の進展など、社会経済情勢が大きく変化する中、多様な人材の能力や個性を生かすことも重要となっております。

このような中で、市民一人ひとりと真摯に向き合い、ひとを中心に考える「ひとが真ん中。」という基本姿勢のもと、「ひとを守る」「ひとを育む」「ひとを支える」「ひとを豊かに」「ひとを元気に」の5つをまちづくりの柱として、今を生きる世代だけでなく次の世代にとりましても誇りが持てる大分市の実現に向け、市政運営に取り組んでまいります。

互いに多様性を認め合いながら、大分のあらゆる主体の力を結集し、「one team OITA (ワンチームおおいた)」で、まちづくりを進めてまいりますので、皆様にはこの冊子を通して、本市への理解を深めていただき、更なる市勢伸展にお力添えをいただければ幸いです。

Blessed with lush green mountains, the blue sea, and crystal clear rivers, Oita City has long played an important role as a key hub in eastern Kyushu. The city actively traded with overseas countries under the leadership of Otomo Sorin, a territorial lord in the Sengoku Period (1467-1590), and became an international trading city. Oita City was designated by the national government as a new industrial city in 1964 which led to the significant growth of its industrial concentration, and then it became a core city in 1997. Through the mergers of Saganoseki and Notsuharu towns in 2005, the city has made great strides as a prefectural capital full of vitality equipped with diverse functions in various fields such as industries, education, and welfare.

Meanwhile, the city's population has continued to decline since 2017 and has been actively tackling the issues of declining birthrate. In addition, the city has been able to keep the number of fatalities caused by natural disasters at zero for the past 30 years. In response to the significant damage caused by frequently occurring natural disasters nationwide, it is necessary to establish measures for the widest possible range of risks to develop a city that can better withstand disasters. Furthermore, it has become more important for local governments to fully utilize the capabilities and individualities of its diverse human resources due to the significant changes in social and economic conditions such as the diversification of values in society and the progression of digitalization.

Under such circumstances, Oita City sets five goals as the major pillars for development: protecting citizens, nurturing citizens, supporting citizens, providing affluent environment for citizens, and making citizens happy and healthy. These goals are based on the fundamental concept of approaching individual citizens with sincerity by putting them first. Thus, we are committed to managing the municipal administration to ensure Oita City's development that both current and future citizens can take pride in.

We advance city development through an understanding of the diversity of individuality and gathering the strength of a wide variety of organizations in the city into Team Oita. We look forward to your continuing encouragement and support as we work to achieve the goals of Oita City Outline 2023.