

## **Governor Koike's main remarks**

- In order to advance a sustainable recovery, we will roll out initiatives that aim for a forward-looking recovery such as addressing the climate emergency and supporting the arts and culture which bring us inspiration and happiness, while restoring people's mindset.

- I consider it essential for measures to be advanced by not only government alone, but through the solidarity of various actors. Based on this, we are taking new initiatives for the 2020 Games as well to make them a sustainable Games.

- Cities play a vital role in addressing global challenges. Now is the time to take action. We, the cities of the world, must put effective measures into action ahead of national governments and guide global efforts.

Specifically, we conducted a project to make the medals awarded at the Games from our "urban mine". Hydrogen-powered fuel cell vehicles, called "MIRAI", are being used for Games operations. As a legacy of the Games, some of them are scheduled to later be utilized by the Tokyo government, municipalities, and elsewhere.

- With this forum serving as the starting point for the world to progress toward a sustainable recovery together, while working with everyone who participated today, I hope to establish a new international network for cities to share their knowledge and initiatives.