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## Neighborhood Associations

### 1. What is a “Neighborhood Association?”

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It is an official group created by people living near to each other.

There are many neighborhood associations in Hino Town.

Joining a neighborhood association enables you to meet and make friends with the people living nearby.

We work together to make their community safe and livable.

### 2. Neighborhood Association/Council Activities

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#### ① We work together for a safe and secure community.

○ In case of an earthquake or fire, we practice evacuation.

○ We also practice putting out fires.



○Protecting children

Members watch over the local children going to/from school to prevent traffic accidents.



○Members check in on the elderly living alone.



○Members patrol the streets to prevent robberies and molestation.

②Keeping the Town Clean

○Members look after the streets and parks. They also keep the rubbish collection area clean.



### 3. Disposal/collection of rubbish

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○Rubbish is separated and disposed of by type.

There are rules about what rubbish to throw away each day of the week.

Separate and dispose of your rubbish according to the rules for the area where you live.

○Rubbish may only be disposed of on certain days.

○Take out your rubbish on the morning of the day the collector comes.

○Leave it at the designated collection spot.

○Use ONLY Hino Town designated rubbish bags.

Designated bags may be purchased at stores in Hino.

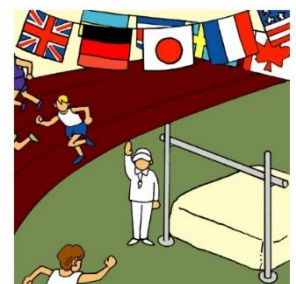
○If something is unclear, ask someone living nearby or the town office.

### 4. Getting along with the people living nearby

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○Greet people who live nearby when you see them.

○Do not make loud noises or speak loudly in the early morning or at night.



## 5. For a healthy and enjoyable life

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○An 'athletic day' is held. Everyone enjoys getting exercise together.

○There are festivals. Many delicious foods are sold.

Enjoy these events with other people in town.



## 6. Information about daily life

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○The town office distributes various information about Hino.

It is useful for your daily life.



○Circulars (notices from the neighborhood and/or town office) are passed around. Read them and then pass them along to the next house.

## 7. Neighborhood association fees

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○Each neighborhood association collects fees from all members.



○The fees collected are used to pay for necessary items.

○The amount is determined by each neighborhood association.

○Fee collection will be explained by the neighborhood association leader  
when he/she welcomes you.



## Neighborhood Association Sample Notices

A collection of sample notices using “easy Japanese” for giving neighborhood association announcements to foreign members. The samples can also be downloaded from the town’s website; so everyone is urged to make use of them.



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### 1. Meeting notice

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【Please attend a meeting of the ○○ Neighborhood Association.】

Plans for this year and money allocation will be decided.

When : ○ month ○ day (○ day of the week), ○○ : ○○

Where : ○○ Meeting Hall

If you are unable to attend the meeting, please write your name on the proxy form.

The proxy form should be given to Mr/Ms ○○ by ○ month ○ day.

※The proxy form is a piece of paper that allows another person to speak/act on your behalf.

## 2. Rubbish Collection/Disposal Notice

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(Disposing of Rubbish)

Rubbish must be separated by type and then thrown away.

Rubbish is thrown out/collected on a certain day.

See “Hino Town Resource and Rubbish Collection Calendar”

Rubbish is thrown away in the morning on the day the rubbish collector comes.

Rubbish is disposed of and collected at the designated spot.

Use ONLY Hino Town rubbish bags.

Rubbish bags for Hino Town are sold at most stores in town.

If you have any questions, ask someone living nearby or contact the Hino Town Office.

Hino Town, Traffic and Environmental Policy Division  
(TEL : 0748-52-6578)



### 3. Neighborhood Association Fee Notices

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(Money collected by the neighborhood association)

The neighborhood association collects fees from all members.

The money collected is used to pay for necessary items.

Mr/Ms ○○ will collect the money.

Neighborhood association fee : ¥○○○○

When : ○ month ○ day (○ day of the week) ~

○ month ○ day (○ day of the week)

○○ : ○○-○○ : ○○

If you will not be at home, inform us in advance.

TEL 0748-○○-○○○○

## 4. Activity Notice

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### 【Neighborhood Association Cleaning】

Members of the neighborhood will gather to clean.

We will be tidying the street(s). Please join.

When : ○ month ○ day (○ day of the week)\*

○○ : ○○ - ○○ : ○○

Gathering location : ○○ Meeting Hall

Thing(s) to bring : sickle

\*In case of rain, it will be postponed to ○ month ○ day.

(Neighborhood Associations' Athletic Day)

Enjoy getting exercise with others in town.

There will be prizes. Please join in.

When : ○ month ○ day (○ day of the week)\*

○○ : ○○ - ○○ : ○○

Where : ○○ Elementary School playing field

Participation is free.

\*In case of rain, it will be postponed to ○ month ○ day.