

Large-scale disaster preparation and crime prevention!

Please join your neighborhood association!

Protect yourself and your family from natural disasters

Survival Passport

Chapter 154

It is impossible for public agencies to save everyone if an earthquake or other disaster strikes. In the Great Hanshin-Awaji Earthquake, only around 20% of the people rescued were saved by emergency services such as the fire department or the police. The other 80% were saved by neighborhood associations and by community connections. We can save more lives by checking the safety of the people around us.

In addition to disaster safety, neighborhood associations also work to keep everyone safe through installing crime prevention cameras. The city can cover camera installation costs. If installed with help from your neighborhood association, we can expect crimes (such as motorbike/bicycle theft, empty house break-ins, etc.) to go down.

*Neighborhood associations include apartment management associations.

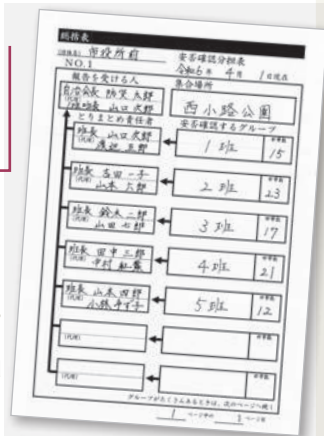
Disaster Preparation

In Minoh City neighborhood associations run large-scale disaster safety checks

Quickly check everyone is safe with the

Safety Checklists

Neighborhood associations use safety checklists to decide in advance which groups run safety checks, who reports and receives results, where the meeting places are, etc. Make sure to regularly check which group you are in and what your role is.



NOW is the time to update your safety checklists!

Now is when general meetings are on, so it is also the time to update your safety checklists! Please make sure to update them and check everyone's roles.

You can get safety checklists from the Minoh City Office Civil Defence Division. They are also on the City Website.

In Minoh City neighborhood associations are the first to get essential utilities/supplies until services start again

The Elementary School District Emergency Management Committees give emergency supplies needed in a disaster (such as water, food, etc.) to the neighborhood associations to distribute.

Crime Prevention

In Minoh City neighborhood associations have installed around 900 crime prevention cameras

The city can cover camera installation costs.

- To install in areas with low camera coverage*: **80% subsidy**
- To install in areas with camera coverage: **40% subsidy**

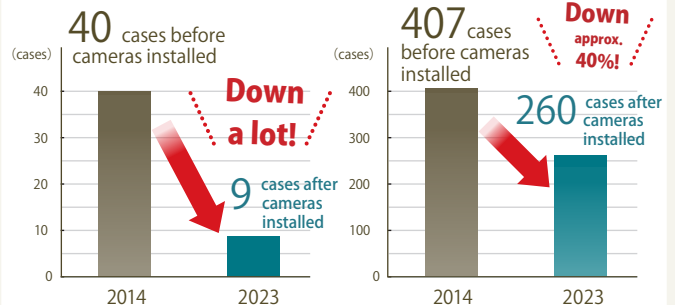
*Areas with low camera coverage are areas with no crime prevention cameras installed (specifically areas without cameras within a 150 m radius).

Important Crime prevention cameras are very effective at lowering crime rates. For installation, please contact the Minoh City Office Civil Defence Division (☎ 072-724-6750). In Minoh City you can use camera covers (that black out private doors, entrances, windows, etc. so they cannot be seen on camera) to protect your privacy.

After installing crime prevention cameras... Street crime goes down!

Empty house break-ins

Bicycle/Motorbike theft



*Both results cover all of Minoh City.

To protect yourself and your family from disaster and crime, the first step is to join a neighborhood association!

Call us right now! Minoh City Office staff in charge of neighborhood associations Direct line ☎ **072-724-6179**

Please also call us for neighborhood associations (including apartment management associations) wanting to join district emergency management committee activities.

For information about neighborhood associations, please see the "Neighborhood Associations General Information" page on the City Website (QR Code).



*Financial support (for crime prevention cameras, etc.) is conditional on the council's vote.

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