Miho no Matsubara Conservation and Utilization Plan

Inquiries: Miho no Matsubara Culture & Creativity Center, Miho Shirube 2054-340-2100

Japan's Cultural Properties Protection Act, which up until now emphasized conservation, was amended in 2018 and now emphasizes "utilizing cultural properties while conserving them". Miho no Matsubara is both a nationally designated "Place of Scenic Beauty" and a UNESCO World Heritage Site. In order to preserve, utilize, and pass Miho no Matsubara down to future generations, we will be stepping up the Miho no Matsubara Preservation and Management Plan (enacted in 2011) to create the Miho no Matsubara Conservation and Utilization Plan. As part of this process, we will accepting public comments from the residents of Shizuoka City, so please give us your opinions.



About Miho no Matsubara:

- The zone designated as a Place of Scenic beauty includes not only the areas around the "Hagoromo Pine" and Miho Shirube but spans a wide area including Orido (home to Tokai University), Masaki, and Uchihama (home to the Shimizu S-Pulse practice grounds).
- To pass down this beautiful landscape to future generations, the city and prefectural governments
 collaborate in conservation initiatives, volunteers rake up leave and pick up trash, and facilities such
 as Miho Shirube and parks are maintained, allowing residents learn about and enjoy this special place.
- Special permission is required when constructing or removing buildings such as houses with the designated area.



Public Comments

When: Tues 7 Jan to Fri 7 Feb

How to Submit: Via the City Website URL www.city.shizuoka.lg.jp/s3478/s013100.html

*Plan drafts and opinion forms are available at Miho Shirube, the City Information Corner at each Ward Office, on the City Website, etc.

Related Lectures

Each lecture includes an explanation of the plan outline

Trees and People's Lives: Lecture by Tree Doctors from the Tokai Region (Japan Tree Doctors Association)

When: Sat 18 Jan, 13:00-16:45

Where: Shimizu Fureai Hall (3F, City Hall Shimizu Office) **Topics:** Maintenance and management of roadside trees, functions of the forest bathing components called phytoncides, and more!

*Head straight to venue on day of event (Free).

Inquiries: Japan Tree Doctors Association Shizuoka Branch

28 080-3635-0394 (Ishikawa)

Pines and Seaside Plants: Pine Tree Lecture

When: Tues 7 Jan, 13:30-15:30
Where: Miho Lifelong Learning Center

Capacity: 20 people (free)

Applications: Apply by phone or in person to Miho Lifelong



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