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Yakushima Town  
Taiheiyo Cement Corporation

## Completion Ceremony of “Life Center Yakuden EV Quick Charging Station” was held in Yakushima Town

Taiheiyo Cement Corporation (Headquarters: Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo; President and Representative Director: Yoshifumi Taura; hereinafter “Taiheiyo Cement”) has completed the “Life Center Yakuden EV Quick Charging Station,” a facility equipped with EV quick chargers and related installations in Yakushima Town, Kumage District, Kagoshima Prefecture (Mayor: Koji Araki; hereinafter “Yakushima Town”), and a completion ceremony was held on December 5.

Yakushima Town, as "the closet island to decarbonization," has utilized its abundant water resources to supply more than 99% electricity was produced by hydroelectric power, a renewable energy source. In December 2023, the town announced the "Yakushima Town's Zero Carbon Island Declaration" which expressed its commitment to actively pursue decarbonization.

In support of this declaration, Taiheiyo Cement planned the installation of quick chargers on the premises of a supermarket operated by a subsidiary of Yakushima Denko Co., Ltd. (hereinafter “Yakushima Denko”), a group company, and commenced construction in October 2025.

With the completion of the facility, a ceremony was held on December 5, attended by more than 50 participants, including representatives from Yakushima Town, Kagoshima Prefecture, local stakeholders, Taiheiyo Cement, and construction partners.

The outline of this facility is as follows:

- “Installation of EV quick chargers” to contribute to the infrastructure development for EV adoption underway in Yakushima Town
- “Construction of parking areas using paving blocks that fix CO2” contributing to carbon neutrality
- “Development of a rest area” using low-carbon and long-life concrete made from SHIRASU promoted by Kagoshima Prefecture



Overall view of the EV quick charging station



Scene from the completion ceremony  
\*EV chargers are available free of charge.

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