## Taking Advantage of the Opening of Tottori Prefectural Museum of Art to Build a Lively and Vibrant Kurayoshi City

## **Kurayoshi City, Tottori Prefecture**



## Situation (background, aims, etc.)

- ♦ Although Kurayoshi city has retained many examples of traditional culture, tourists usually visit for only a short time, making it difficult to increase the number of overnight stays by visitors.
- ♦ We are promoting Kurayoshi city tourism to museum visitors by carrying out initiatives to increase tourist consumption and increase the non-resident population, creating a buzz in the city.

## Details (project outline, etc.)

- Taking advantage of the opening of the Tottori Prefectural Museum of Art to attract visitors from both inside and outside the prefecture and encourage them to stay in the city
  - Development of 'high value' community-based and experiential (immersive and hands-on) tours
  - Operation of 'Green Slow Mobility' and a Loop Bus
- ♦ Initiatives that link the opening of Tottori Prefectural Museum of Art to the revitalisation of the town
  - Cooperation with locals such as commercial and industrial organisations, high school students, restaurants and more
- $\Diamond$  Regional revitalisation initiatives which are already underway
  - 'Good Living *kurashiyoshi* Kurayoshi Project: Developing People, Developing Neighbourhoods'
  - Community development utilising pop culture





Results (features and innovations, future developments, etc.)

- ♦ People will be encouraged to take advantage of their visit to the art museum to tour the city and visit repeatedly, thereby stimulating the local economy.
- ♦ We see this as an opportunity to shine a new light on and promote Kurayoshi as a city imbued with culture.

