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## Brief points to introduce Mr. Youichiro Hirano

Mr. Youichiro Hirano is here on a study visit from Matsuyama, Japan for 6 months. Mr. Hirano has worked for the "Municipal Assembly Secretariat Section" (Matsuyama's elected offices) for more than 16 years, supporting both electeds and appointed management staff.

Our sister city, Matsuyama, Japan, is paying Mr. Hirano's expenses for this stay so that he can study business practices in Sacramento, to learn and better understand how the City of Sacramento does its business, as well as to learn as much as possible about our entire City.

## Personal history

Name : ~~Yoichiro~~ **Yoichiro Hirano**

Address : 2-9-40, Hatadera  
Matsuyamashi, Ehimeken  
790-0913, Japan

### **Date of birth**

: August 10, 1957

### **Working experience at Matsuyama city office**

1981-1996 Municipal Assembly Secretariat Section  
:working on the general affairs staff  
:working directly for municipal assembly members

1997-1998 Park and Greenery Division  
:working on the forestation of privately owned areas

1999-present International Exchange and Culture Improvement Division  
:working on the sister city exchange program

### **Hobbies:**

Skiing , Music appreciation, and Travel