

Новосибирская общественная организация «ИНСТИТУТ РАЗВИТИЯ ГОРОДА»

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Dear Dr. Utsumi,

We believe this is important for us to participate in your initiative of Global Socio-Economic-Energy-Environment Development (GSEEED) project.

As you know, one of our main projects ("Big Novosibirsk") refers to developing further our web resource at www.megansk.ru which mission is to inform people about important events and to coordinate projects really important for their life. Therefore, within GSEEED project we will be able to fulfill those two functions, at least, for the Novosibirsk region, and also more than that.

Besides, me personally, with all my previous experience in coordinating and interpreting many international and local projects, could be helpful in making bridges for people of different cultures and different languages, which will be certainly needed within this GSEEED project.

Sincerely,

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