(1) Individual Number mailing will begin in October!

- The "My Number" Individual Number system is about to begin in Japan.
- The Individual Numbers, each one unique to its holder, are important because they are required for procedures at municipal offices, etc.
- From October 2015 on, your municipality will mail an envelope to your residence (at the address registered therewith).
- The envelope contains a "Notification Card" with your Individual Number on it. [Envelope]



(Front) 個人番号 1234 5678 9012 既番号 花子 平成元年3月31日生 性別 女

[Notification Card]

(Back)

(2) Handle your Individual Number with care!

- Keep your Notification Card at hand and be careful not to throw it away or tear it.
- To avoid illegitimate use of your Individual Number, do not tell it to others except as required.

(3) "Individual Number Cards" will be available!

- ◆ Your "Individual Number Card" also serves as an ID card bearing your Individual Number.
- ◆ In some municipalities, convenient options like having convenience stores issue residence certificates are available.
- ◆ To apply for an "Individual Number Card", fill in and send back the application provided with the "Notification Card."

[Individual Number Card]









(4) If you have any questions

- ◆ Go to the site below, or call the number below. You can also contact the municipal office of the town where you live (your municipality).
 - Web site http://www.cas.go.jp/jp/seisaku/bangoseido/index.html
 - · Call center

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Monday – Friday 9:30 – 17:30 (not available on weekends or holidays)

[From 1 October 2015 through 31 March 2016]

Monday - Friday 9:30 - 20:00 Weekends/holidays 9:30 - 17:30

(Not available during the New Year's holiday)

*Call charges will apply because these are Navi-Dial services.