

# Flood Hazard Map for Chuo Ward

In Chuo Ward, inundation events due to flooding of the Yodo River and the Yamato River, flooding in the Neyagawa River basin (Neyagawa River, Second Neyagawa River, Hirano River, diversion aqueducts of Hirano River, and Furukawa River), a storm surge, and inland flooding and tsunami inundation events due to a massive Nankai Trough earthquake are assumed to occur.

- Is the area where you live prone to inundation?
- Where is the nearest safe evacuation shelter?
- Are there any roads or underpasses that could be covered with water on the way to the evacuation shelter?

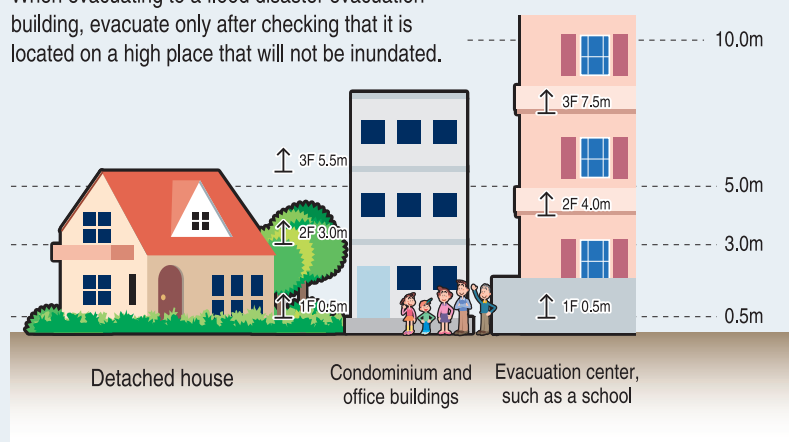
Using this map, check in advance where safe evacuation shelters (disaster shelters, etc.) are located and which evacuation route to take to ensure safe evacuation in the event of an emergency.

In the event of a large-scale inundation, disaster shelters are expected to be crowded. If evacuation shelters are located far from your house, you should expect that it will take time for the elderly to evacuate.

It is also important to secure more than one temporary shelter other than predesignated evacuation centers, such as securing condominium or other high buildings in the neighborhood by negotiating with owners in advance.

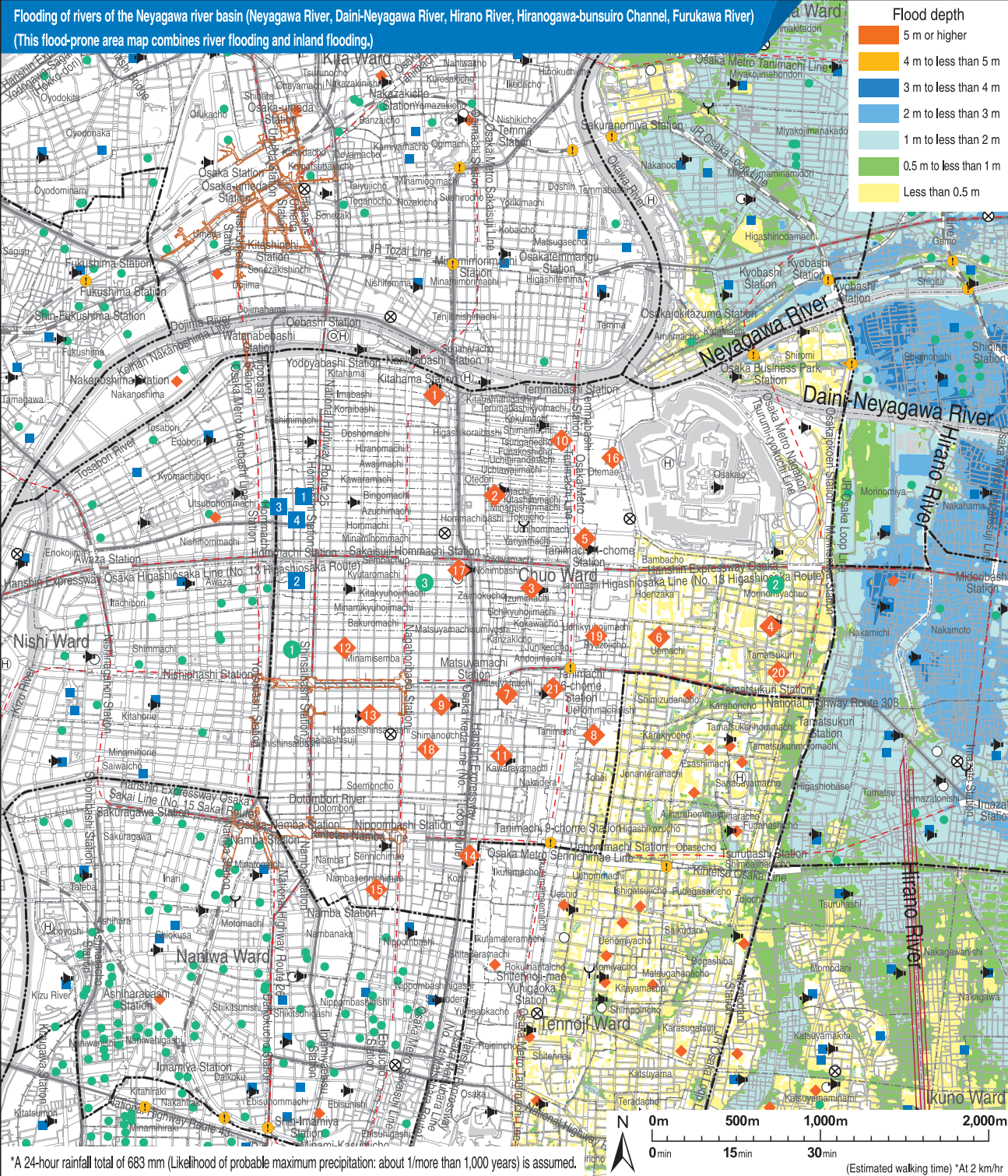
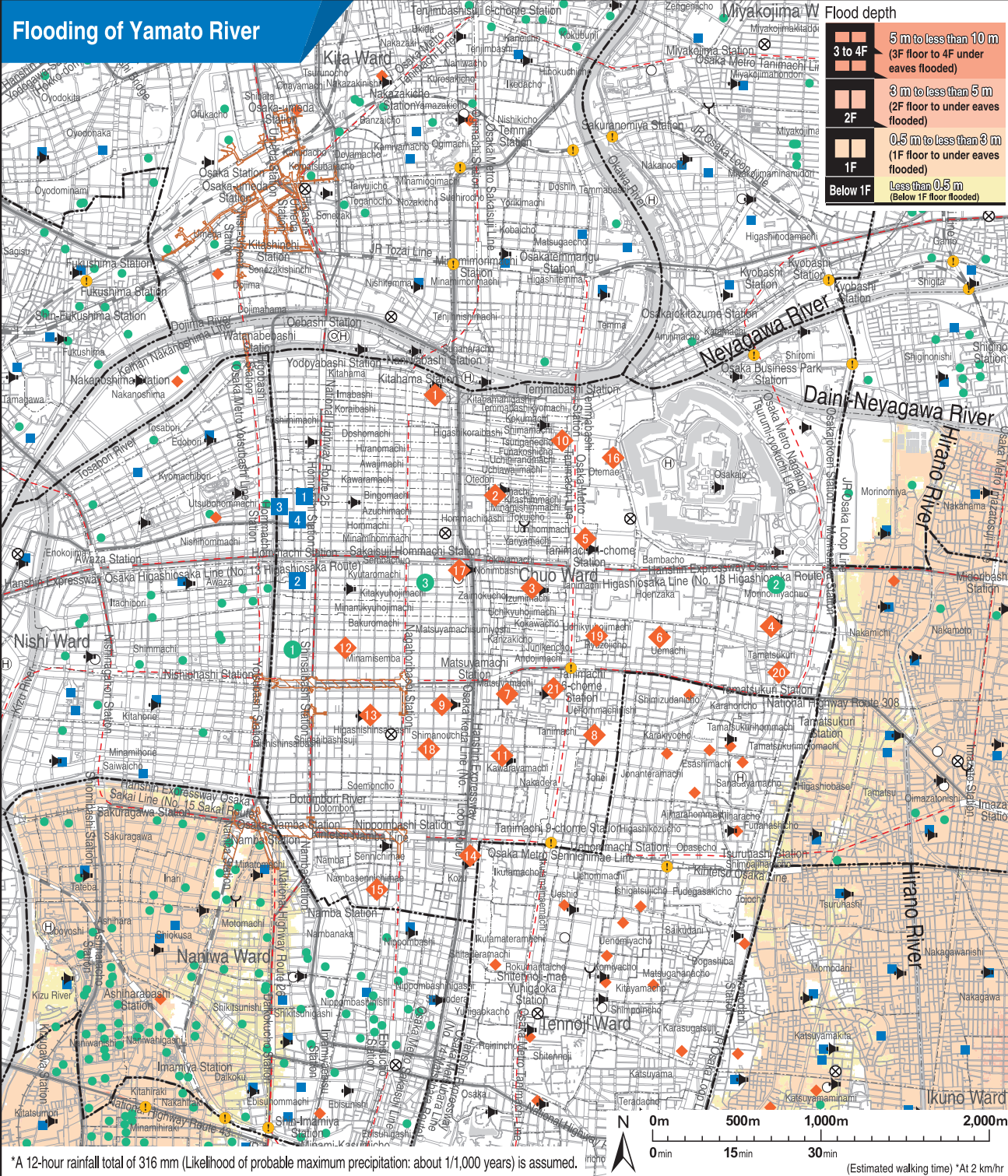
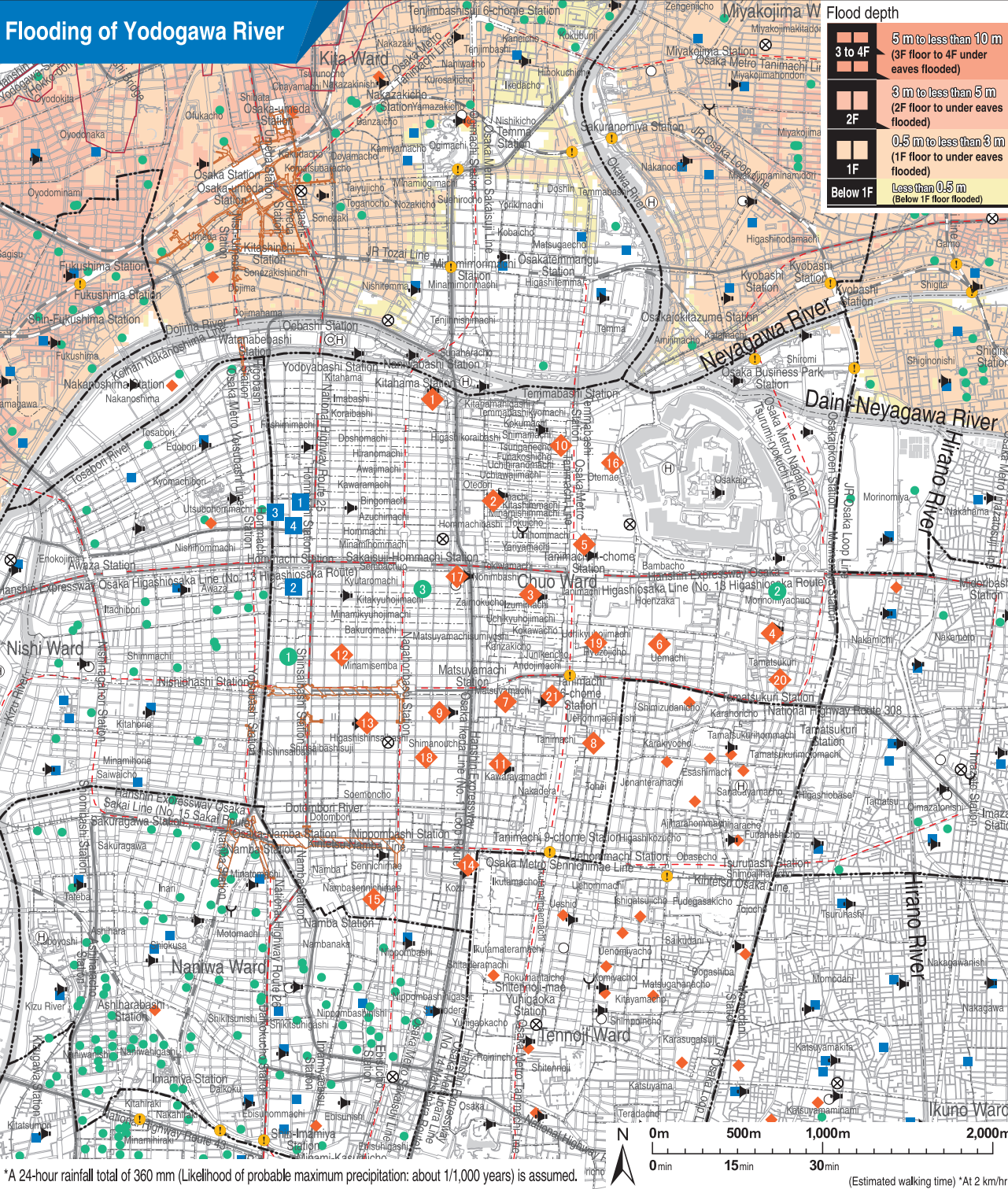
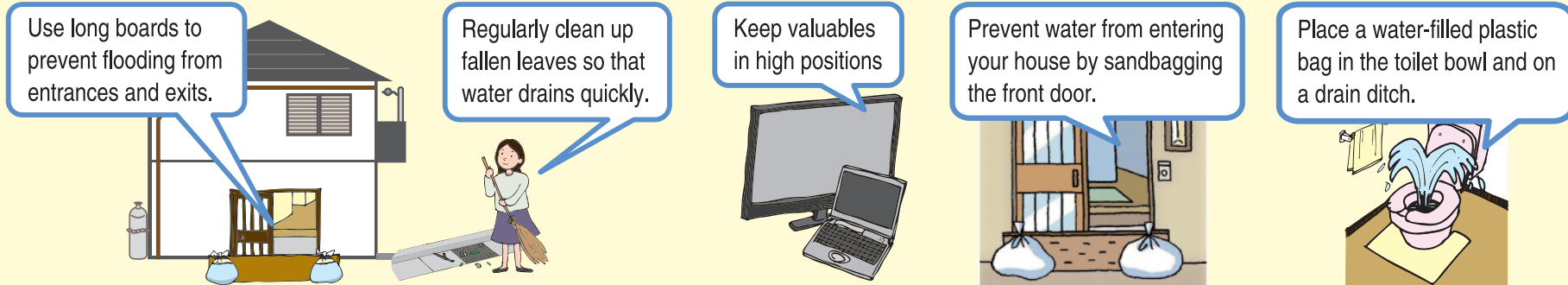
Moreover, since it is dangerous to move out of your house during stormy weather, remaining in your house can be an alternative to evacuation as long as you have made appropriate disaster preparations at home.

Note:  
When evacuating to a flood disaster evacuation building, evacuate only after checking that it is located on a high place that will not be inundated.



## Safety measures for your house

Reduce the likelihood of your house being inundated and your home contents damaged.



## Designated disaster evacuation site

(Opens according to the disaster situation)

1	Kaihei Elementary School	1-5-7 Imabashi
2	Naka Oe Elementary School	2-3-14 Itoyamachi
2	Naka Oe Kindergarten	2-4-8 Minami-shinmachi
3	Minami Oe Elementary School	1-3-3 Nonimbashi
4	Tamatsukuri Elementary School	2-3-43 Tamatsukuri
5	Higashi Junior High School	4-1-5 Otemae
6	Chuo School for the Deaf	1-19-31 Uemachi
7	Minami High School	6-17-32 Tanimachi
8	Uemachi Junior High School	3-2-30 Uehommachinishi
9	Minami Junior High School	1-10-23 Shimanouchi
10	Chuo High School	1-1-5 Tsuriganecho
11	Chuo Elementary School	2-8-4 Kawaramachi
12	Minami Kindergarten	3-2-19 Minamimemba
13	Minami Elementary School	1-14-29 Higashishinbashi
14	Kozu Elementary School	3-4-21 Kozu
15	Kawahara Hall	5-25 Namba-sennichimae
16	Otemae High School	2-1-11 Otemae
17	Chuo Ward Community Center	1-2-27 Kyutaromachi
18	Chuo Hall	2-12-31 Shimanouchi
19	Doza Kindergarten	1-1-4 Uchikyojochimachi
20	Tamatsukuri Kindergarten	1-9-10 Tamatsukuri
21	Toen Kindergarten	6-5-34 Tanimachi

## Flood disaster evacuation bldg.

(Accepts evacuees if an evacuation information is issued\*)

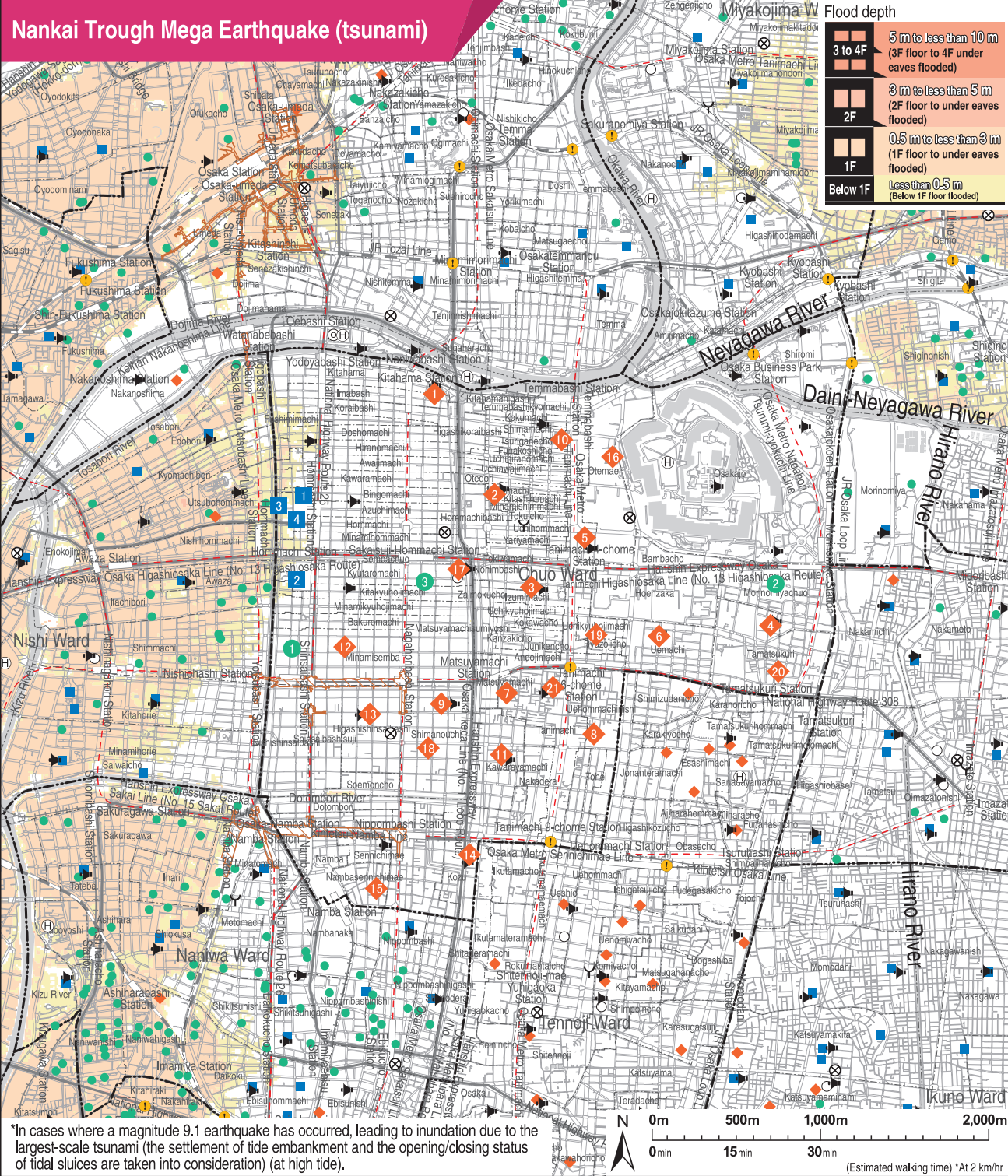
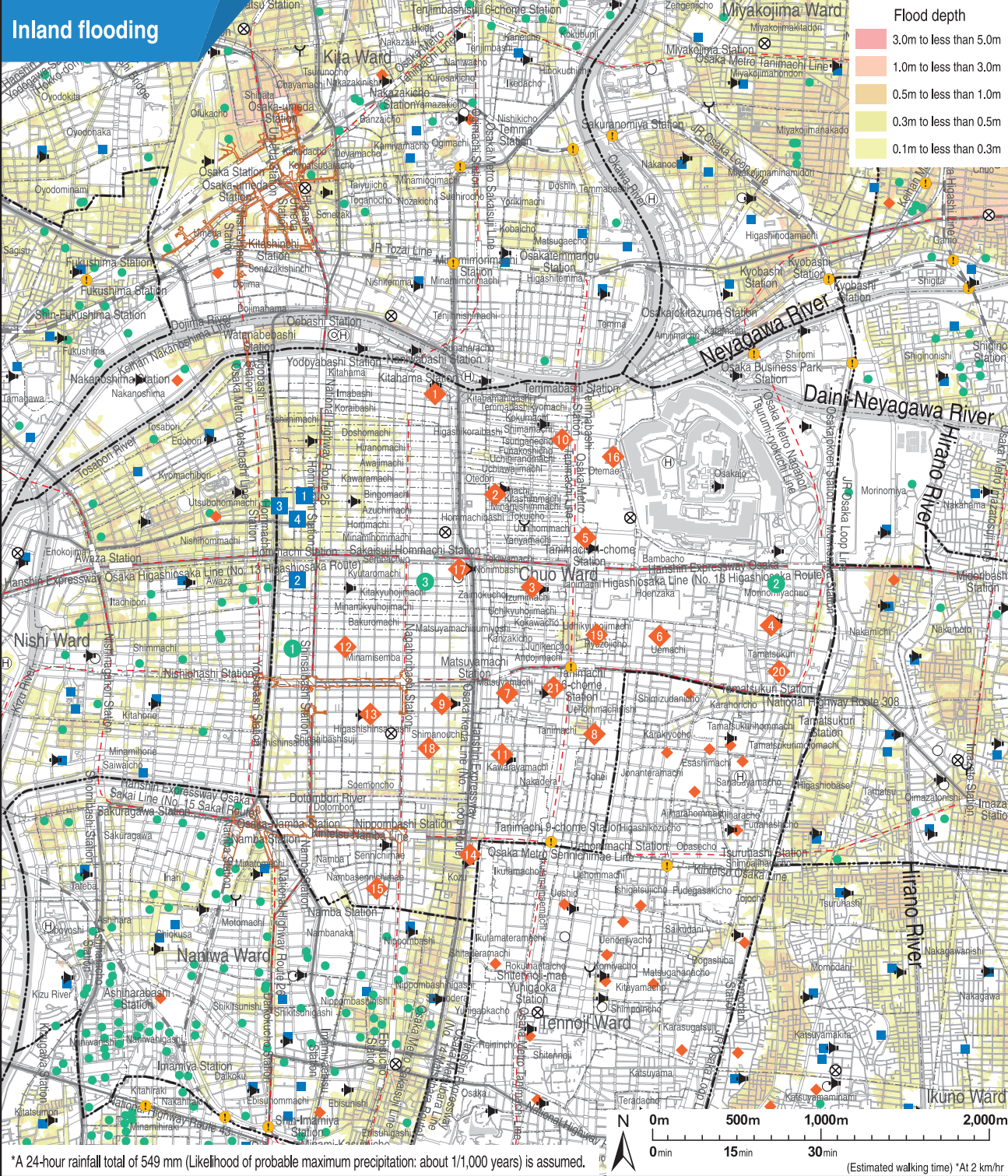
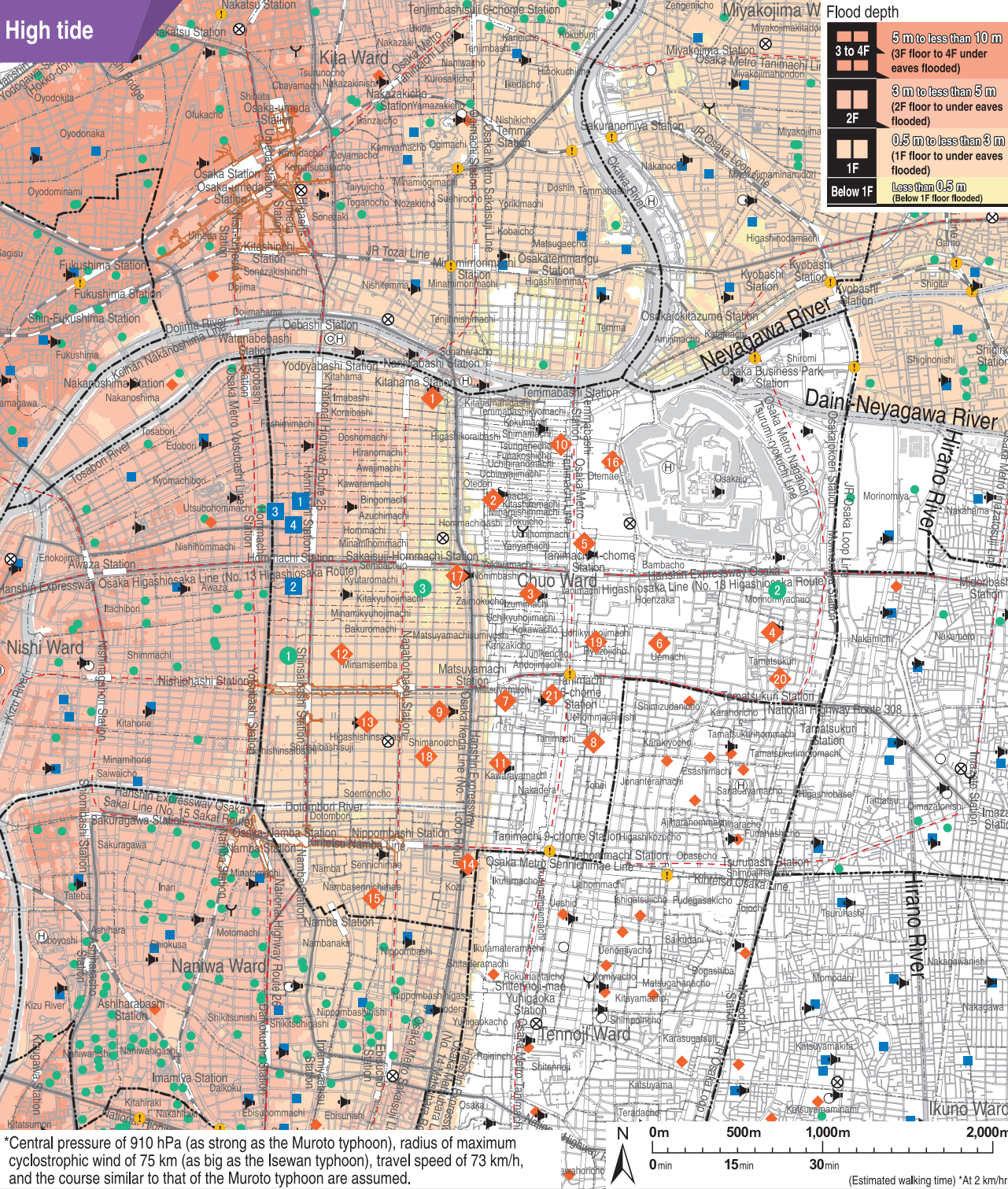
1	Minami Semba Shinsaiishi Building	4-7-11 Minami-semba
2	LIFE CENTRAL SQUARE Morinomiya Store	2-1-30 Morinomiya-Chuo
3	LIFE Sakaisuji Hommachi Store	1-7-5 Kyutaromachi

## Designated disaster evacuation site & flood disaster evacuation bldg.

(The former opens according to the disaster situation)  
(The latter accepts evacuees if an evacuation information is issued\*)

1	Honganji Tsumura Betsuin Temple (Kita-Mido)	4-1-3 Hommachi
2	Shinshu Otani-ha Namba Betsuin Temple (Minami-Mido)	4-1-11 Kyutaromachi
3	Aijitsu Hall	4-7-11 Hommachi
4	Soai Junior and Senior High School	4-1-23 Hommachi

\*As of March 2021.  
(Please see the website for an updated list of designated hazard areas.)  
\*For the evacuation time limit, please see the "List of Registered Flood Disaster Evacuation Buildings" on Osaka City's website, the Osaka City Map Information Site, or your local noticeboard.



Map information site,  
MapNavi Osaka

Hazard maps and disaster prevention facilities can be found online.

\*This map shows hazard areas for flooding (river flooding, high tide, inland flooding, tsunami). It does not list designated safety areas and temporary safety areas. Please use this hazard map to find safe evacuation areas in the event of flooding.

\*Flood-prone areas have underground shopping and facilities for the infirm. Please see the Regional Disaster Management Plan for more information. (The Regional Disaster Management Plan is available at your closest ward office, City Hall, and on Osaka City's website.)

## Regular precautions and preparations

Have items ready that you can bring with you when you evacuate (emergency kit)

Items for emergency grab-and-go bag (backpack, etc.)

- Drinking water
- Emergency food
- Valuables
- Medical supplies

- Other
- Whistle
- Thick gloves (work gloves)
- Clothes (outerwear, underwear, socks)
- Portable heat patches
- Plastic bag and wrap
- Toiletries, hygiene products, masks
- Shoes with durable soles
- Dry cell and mobile batteries
- Portable toilet
- Tissues and wet wipes
- Flashlight and lantern
- Radio
- Helmet and protective hood
- Rain and cold protection gear
- Towel and handkerchief
- Utility knife and can opener
- Disposable ware (chopsticks, paper plates)
- Sanitary napkins and toilet paper

**Legend**

- Designated disaster evacuation site
- Flood disaster evacuation bldg.
- Designated disaster evacuation site & flood disaster evacuation bldg.
- City Hall
- Ward Office / Ward Health and Welfare Center
- Police station
- Fire station
- Disaster relief heliport
- Outdoor emergency speaker
- Underpass
- House collapse hazard zone
- JR
- Private railway
- Subway
- Underground shopping
- Train station
- National route
- Ward border
- Town border

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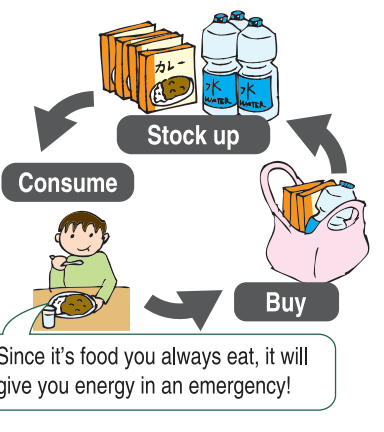
Have your stockpile ready

You may not be able to shop normally for several days after a natural disaster. Have peace of mind by adequately stocking basic necessities for yourself and your family on a day-to-day basis.

- Daily stocking
  - Stock up on food you often eat with long expiry dates; buy more when you consume them (rolling stock method)
- Food for at least 7 days
  - Alpha rice that can be eaten by adding water, canned food, hardtack, instant and retort pouch food, dietary supplements, snacks, condiments, soup, etc.
- Drinking water for at least 7 days
  - 3 liters a day per adult
- Toilet supplies
  - Temporary toilet, waste storage containers, toilet bags, toilet paper
- Fuel
  - Portable gas stove, gas canisters, solid fuel
- Blanket, sleeping bag
- Plastic wrap for food
- Plastic tank

## Rolling stock method

An economical method in which food is consumed before they expire.



## Necessities for applicable families and households

- Infants
  - Baby food
  - Powder and liquid milk
  - Diapers
  - Baby wipes, etc.
- Pregnant women
  - Mother and child health handbook
  - Absorbent cotton Gauze
  - Items for newborns, etc.
- Elderly
  - Denture
  - Food for the elderly
  - Adult diapers, etc.
- People with illnesses
  - Contact info for attending physician
  - Medicine for preexisting illnesses
  - Medicine notebook, etc.
- Pets
  - Leash
  - Cage
  - Toilet supplies
  - Pet food, etc.
- Other
  - Eyeglasses
  - Contact lenses
  - Hearing aid, etc.