

Osaka City Sewerage Science Museum

Have you ever wondered how dirty water is cleaned? At this museum, you can have a fun time learning about sewage systems.

[Manhole Cover Cards]

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* You must complete a survey to receive a card.
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Get a Kinnikuman
manhole cover
card!



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Ajigawa tunnel

There used to be many ferries along the Aji River, but one of them, the Gempo Ferry, which connected Konohana Ward and Nishi Ward, has been replaced by a tunnel. In the past, cars could also pass through, but now it is only for pedestrians and bicycles.



▲ Ajigawa tunnel



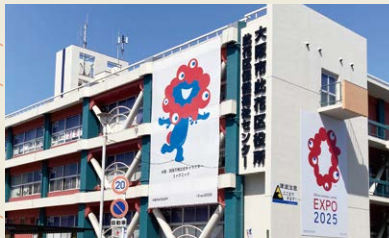
Take the elevator
to the underground
tunnel!



Konohana Ward Office

Based on the concept of "creating the environment," the exterior of the building features the color of the earth (reddish brown), the color of trees (green), and the color of flowers (bright yellow). At the main entrance, a huge Myaku-Myaku banner measuring approximately 6 m wide and 9 m high welcomes you.

* The banner is on display for a limited time until the end of Expo 2025 Osaka, Kansai on Oct. 13, 2025.



The birthplace of Setsubun sushi rolls

Nowadays, eating a whole sushi roll in one sitting on Setsubun in February is a regular tradition. Actually, this tradition is said to have originated in Dempo (then Sarumura) in Konohana Ward. Note: This is just one of several theories.



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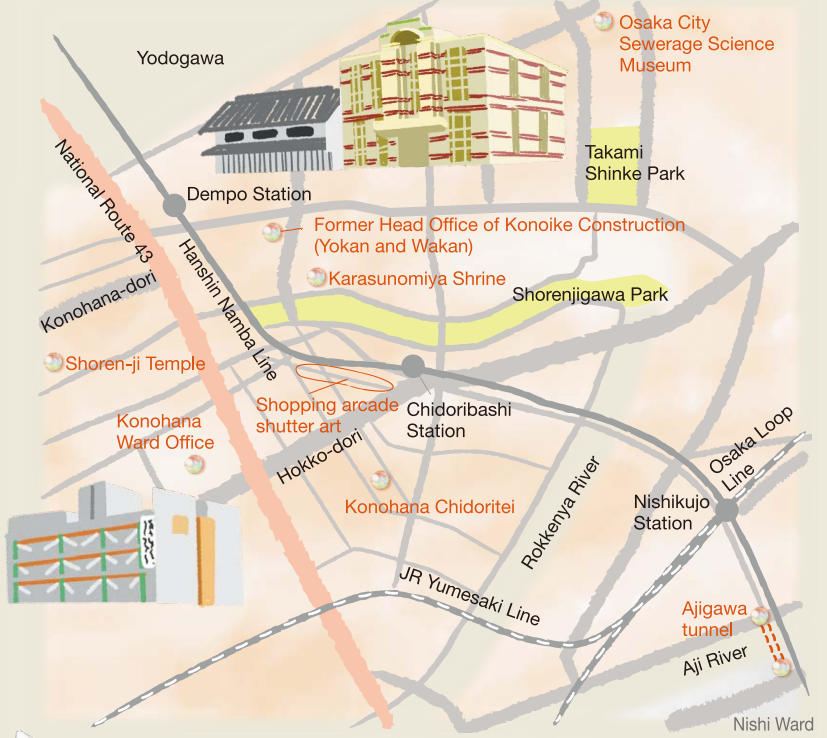


Shopping arcade shutter art

Due to factors such as population decline and the development of transport networks, the busy shopping arcade is now full of shuttered shops, so we had artists paint them.



Nishi Ward



Maishima Incineration Plant

A waste incinerator designed by Vienna, Austria-based artist Friedensreich Hundertwasser, this plant can process up to 900 tons of waste per day. Tours are available (90 minutes; must be reserved online at least 10 days in advance).
* See map on pp. 8-9.



▲ Maishima
Incineration
Plant

