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Cover Photo: Thousands of people dance along the main street of Taira for the Iwaki Odori Festival.

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Book Cover Photo: View of Onahama Port from the second storey of Iwaki La La Mew. You can see the new bay bridge stretching from behind Aquamarine Fukushima towards the ocean.

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From the Editor

Inside this edition, we report about Iwaki's recent courtesy visit from a Micronesian delegation as part of this city's expanding international relations after last year's PALM 7 Summit. Our Agricultural Tour also introduces Wonder Farm, the unique and newly opened farming experience facility. Finally we reveal how Onahama Port, one of the areas affected by the 2011 Great East Japan Earthquake, is further developing and revitalising 5 years after the disaster.

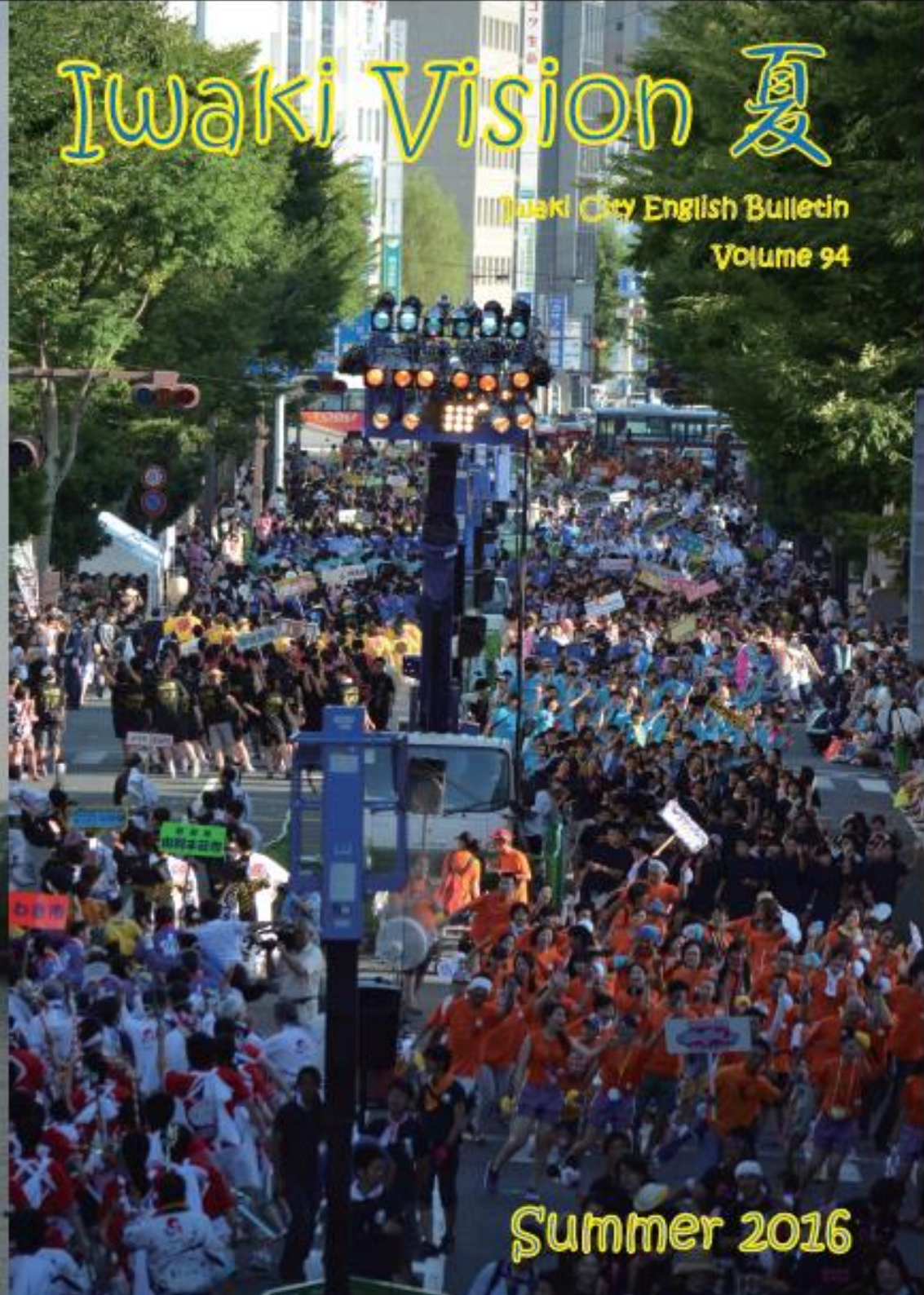
As of this issue, the editor of Iwaki Vision has relocated from the Coordination and Citizenry Affairs Division on the first floor to the Tourism Exchange Division on the fifth floor of Iwaki City Hall. Although my location in the office has changed, I still look forward to producing Iwaki Vision in a new office environment from now on.

- Ben

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