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## Yorozu Donates Bear Traps to Tsuruoka City, Yamagata

Amid a surge in dangerous encounters and damage caused by wildlife such as bears and wild boars in recent years, Yorozu built cage traps to catch the bears using its expertise and experience in steel product manufacturing, and donated them to Tsuruoka City, Yamagata Prefecture.

In designing and making the traps, we sought the advice and suggestions of the Hunters Association of Tsuruoka City, and three traps have already been set in the surrounding mountains and forests. We will make further improvements to the trap and expect to deliver additional 15 traps by this fall.

Yorozu Group will continue to actively contribute to the local community as well as the safety and security of the people living in the area.



President Hiranaka speaks to the press  
in front of the donated traps



Scene from the Donation Ceremony at  
Tsuruoka City Asahi Government Building