

**ILLINOIS (8)**

<b>City or town in Japan</b>	<b>City or town in U.S.</b>	<b>Sister City since</b>
Asahikawa, Hokkaido	Bloomington/Normal	October 11, 1962
Tokorozawa, Saitama	Decatur	May 6, 1966
Osaka, Osaka	Chicago	November 9, 1973
Tainai, Niigata	Carbondale	July 17, 1988
Kiyotake-cho, Miyazaki	Waukegan	May 3, 1990
Ashikaga, Tochigi	Springfield	October 10, 1990
Namerikawa, Toyama	Schaumburg	July 4, 1997
Okuwa-mura, Nagano	Shelbyville	August 6, 1997

**INDIANA (12)**

<b>City or town in Japan</b>	<b>City or town in U.S.</b>	<b>Sister City since</b>
Kuji, Iwate	Franklin	October 5, 1960
Tajimi, Gifu	Terre Haute	June 18, 1962
Shiojiri, Nagano	Mishawaka	June 5, 1972
Takaoka, Toyama	Fort Wayne	April 8, 1977
Shizuoka, Shizuoka	Shelbyville	November 3, 1989
Kakuda, Miyagi	Greenfield	September 12, 1990
Ota, Gunma	Lafayette & West Lafayette, Tippecanoe County	October 7, 1993
Kawachinagano, Osaka	Carmel	April 8, 1994
Miyoshi-cho, Aichi	Columbus	February 16, 1995
Tochigi Prefecture	State of Indiana	July 16, 1999
Tochigi, Tochigi	Evansville	July 19, 1999
Tahara, Aichi	Princeton, Gibson County	August 8, 2002

**IOWA (11)**

<b>City or town in Japan</b>	<b>City or town in U.S.</b>	<b>Sister City since</b>
Kofu, Yamanashi	Des Moines	August 16, 1958
Yamanashi Prefecture	State of Iowa	March 14, 1960
Ichikawa Sango-cho, Yamanashi	Muscataine	August 7, 1990
Kitamori, Yamanashi	Remorse	July 4, 1993
Koshu, Yamanashi	Ames	September 20, 1993
Minami Alps, Yamanashi	Marshalltown	October 20, 1993

Shibata, Niigata	Orange City	June 20, 1995
Tamana, Kumamoto	Clarinda	April 3, 1996
Kai, Yamanashi	Keokuk	October 19, 1998
Minami Alps, Yamanashi	Winterset	November 3, 1999
Yamanashi, Yamanashi	Sioux City	November 2003

### KANSAS (3)

City or town in Japan	City or town in U.S.	Sister City since
Omitama, Ibaragi	Abilene	October 3, 1984
Hiratsuka, Kanagawa	Lawrence	September 21, 1990
Oumihachiman, Shiga	Leavenworth	February 1, 1997

### MINNESOTA (10)

City or town in Japan	City or town in U.S.	Sister City since
Nagasaki, Nagasaki	St. Paul	December 7, 1955
Ibaraki, Osaka	Minneapolis	October 22, 1980
Yuasa-cho, Wakayama	Cambridge	March 15, 1986
Yuasa-cho, Wakayama	Braham	March 16, 1986
Isumi, Chiba	Duluth	October 3, 1990
Akita, Akita	St. Cloud	June 22, 1993
Izumi, Osaka	Bloomington	November 24, 1993
Ikata, Ehime	Red Wing	August 8, 1995
Misato-machi, Miyagi	Winona	September 29, 2001
Shirakawa, Fukushima	Anoka	October 13, 2002

### MISSOURI (9)

City or town in Japan	City or town in U.S.	Sister City since
Nagano Prefecture	State of Missouri	April 1, 1965
Kurashiki, Okayama	Kansas City	May 20, 1972
Suwa, Nagano	St. Louis	September 23, 1974
Higashi Murayama, Tokyo	Independence	January 26, 1978
Isezaki, Gunma	Springfield	July 18, 1986
Hakusan, Ishikawa	Columbia	March 7, 1988
Haruna, Gunma	Grandview	March 19, 1991
Shibata, Niigata	St. James	December 10, 1998

Aizuwakamatsu, Fukushima	Lee's Summit	November 21, 2002
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### NEBRASKA (3)

City or town in Japan	City or town in U.S.	Sister City since
Shizuoka, Shizuoka	Omaha	April 1, 1965
Oozu-machi, Kumamoto	Hastings	July 22, 1995
Oozu-machi, Kumamoto	Arapaho	July 22, 1995

### NORTH DAKOTA (1)

City or town in Japan	City or town in U.S.	Sister City since
Kanuma, Tochigi	Grand Forks	October 5, 1998

### SOUTH DAKOTA (1)

City or town in Japan	City or town in U.S.	Sister City since
Nikko, Tochigi	Rapid City	November 1, 1994

### WISCONSIN (14)

City or town in Japan	City or town in U.S.	Sister City since
Oiso, Kanagawa	Racine	July 1, 1982
Miharu-machi, Fukushima	Rice Lake	August 21, 1987
Kanonji, Kagawa	Appleton	January 27, 1988
Chiba Prefecture	State of Wisconsin	May 21, 1990
Nasukarasuyama, Tochigi	Menomonie	May 23, 1991
Iwaizumi-cho, Iwate	Wisconsin Dells	August 6, 1992
Kamogawa, Chiba	Manitowoc	November 8, 1993
Isumi, Chiba	Waupun	August 29, 1995
Tsubame, Niigata	Sheboygan	January 11, 1996
Mitoyo, Kagawa	Waupaca	January 28, 1997
Ami-machi, Ibaragi	Superior	April 11, 1997
Aisho-cho, Shiga	West Bend	August 14, 1998
Maebashi, Gunma	Menasha	August 6, 2002
Obihiro, Hokkaido	Madison	October 25, 2006