

Re: Boulder Sister City Organization 2016 Annual Report**The BOULDER/YAMAGATA CITY FRIENDSHIP COMMITTEE****Sakura Day 2015:**

On April 26, the 9th annual cherry tree planting project took place in Harlow Platts Community Park and Viele Lake. The Urban Forestry section of the Parks and Recreation Department along with many citizen volunteers took part in the event. This day they planted 23 more cherry trees to replace those damaged trees.

Over the 8 years the sakura project has planted over 200 cherry trees. Many earlier planted trees have matured enough to blossom. Unfortunately very unusual extreme temperature changes in the fall of 2014 has killed nearly all including the eight trees planted by the Sistercity Plaza.

**2016 WORK PLAN:**

Organizing and implementing a trip to Japan in April 17- 27, including visit to our sister municipalities of Yamagata and Takayama, Denver's sister city.

Respectfully submitted,
Yoko Tamaki Brandt
March 3, 2016

Financial report:

01/02/2015	Opening Balance	
	\$ 1,712.83	
	Miscellaneous expenses	
	\$ -87.52	
	Colorado Secretary of State file report	
	\$ -60.00	
01/04/2016	Closing Balance	\$ 1,565.31

Committee Member Volunteers: Yoko Tamaki Brandt
Kato Eiko, India Wood, Connie Holder, Peter Pollock,
Leslie Durgin, Clif Harald, David and Susan Everhart

