



Meal-Sharing Program for Seniors in New Taipei City



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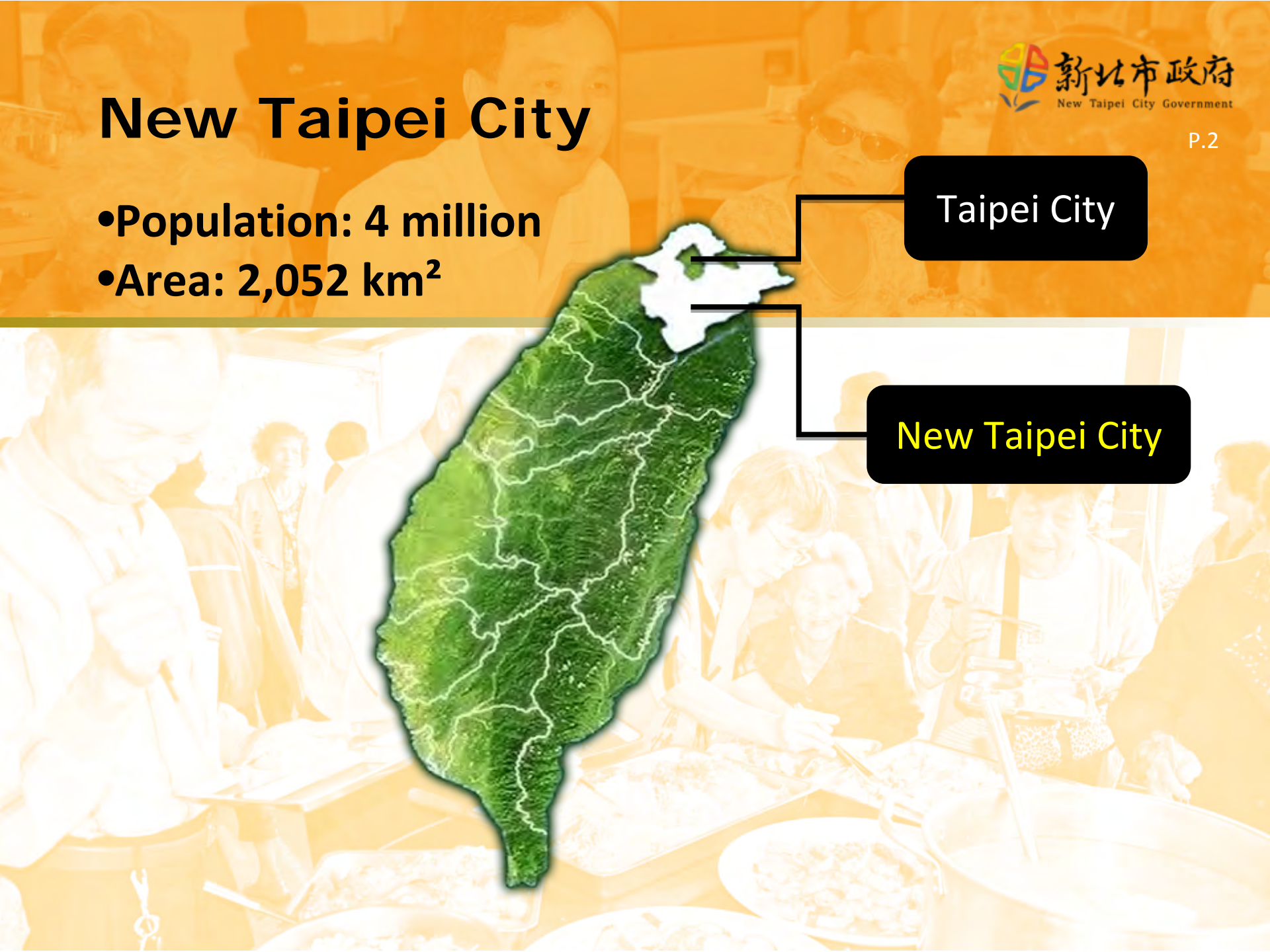
New Taipei City

- Population: 4 million
- Area: 2,052 km²

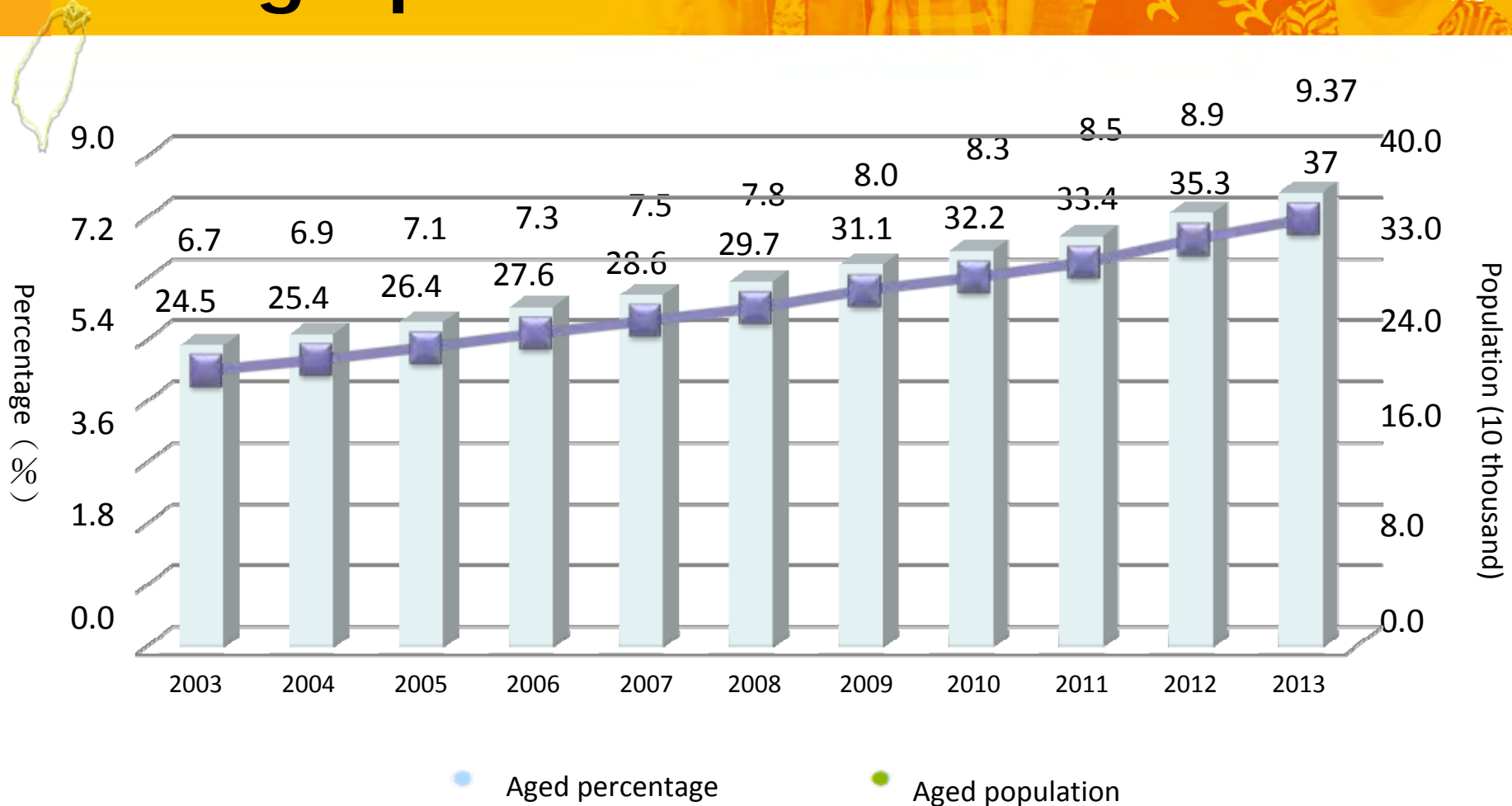


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Taiwan's graying demographics



Over the past 10 years, the elderly population in New Taipei City has grown by 108,038, a 44.03% increase.

At the end of October 2013 the total population in New Taipei City was 3,952,335; the elderly population totaled 370,146 (the largest such pop. in Taiwan); the 65-and-over population

Meal-Sharing Program for Seniors



Eating alone and
nothing tastes right

Meal-sharing engages
everyone to care for the
elderly



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Meal-Sharing Program for Seniors

- Ensure a City of Lifestyle Wellness



Farm & Share



Senior citizens planting vegetables in an abandoned houses in Yusheng Village, Tucheng District

Meal-Sharing Program for seniors

- Creating a More Livable City

We hope to expand the program to 600 sites by the end of 2014. By the end of July, 2014, 644 meal-sharing sites across 29 districts have been tallied, attended by nearly 25,000 senior citizens.

Seniors share their home-grown vegetables together in garage, Meitian village, Jinshan District



Meal-Sharing Program for Seniors - Ensure a City of Lifestyle Wellness



Meal-sharing becomes a combination of
social engagement, fitness and community
service.

Conclusion

1 Ensuring the program's sustainability and viability to engage more senior citizens.

2 Supporting the program's growth into a network of interpersonal relationship and wellness builders.

3 Creating a mutual-help network among the elderly, to encourage aging in place.





Thanks for watching!