

Postscript

Due to heavy rains caused by Typhoon No.21 on the 22nd October 2017, the Tabane River in Yubara suffered flooding, and many of the hanzaki were washed down the river.

Although the current conditions are still being surveyed, the local residents and related parties hope to cooperate in order to make Yubara an easy environment for the hanzaki to return to live in.



The Tabane river before Typhoon No.21



The habitat buried underneath the earth



Breeding cave in Tabane area and dominant male (82cm)
(17th September 2016)



A breeding hole washed down the river

Disappered Hanzaki



Protected Species : Kijika Frog