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111023-N-TO330-217 YOKOHAMA, Japan (Oct. 23, 2011) - Capt. Eric Gardner, commanding officer of Naval Air Facility (NAF) Atsugi, speaks at Naval Support Facility Kamiseya during the Seya Festival commemorating the upcoming 100th Anniversary of a gift of friendship given by Japan to the United States. Approximately 3,000 cherry blossom trees which still stand along the Potomac River in Washington, D.C.

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111023-N-TO330 289 YOKOHAMA, Japan (Oct. 23, 2011) - Capt. Eric Gardner, commanding officer of Naval Air Facility (NAF) Atsugi, along side Mr. Masato Yamada, vice mayor of Yokohama, plants a cherry blossom tree during a tree planting ceremony at Naval Support Facility Kamiseya during the Seya Festival commemorating the upcoming 100th Anniversary of a gift of friendship given by Japan to the United States. Approximately 3,000 cherry blossom trees which still stand along the Potomac River in Washington, D.C.

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111023-N-TO330 259 YOKOHAMA, Japan (Oct. 23, 2011) - Attendees of the Seya Festival held at Naval Support Facility Kamiseya participate in a dance led by the Bon Odori dancers of Naval Air Facility (NAF) Atsugi. The Seya Festival was held to commemorate the

upcoming 100th anniversary of a gift of friendship given to the United States by Japan in 1912. (U.S. Navy photo by Mass Communication Specialist Seaman Apprentice Vivian Blakely/Released)