

**Grant Assistance for Grassroots Human Security Projects FY 2023:
Completion Ceremony of
“The Project for Establishing Greenhouse and Anti-hail net for Reforestation in Lori Region”**

On May 2nd 2024, the Completion Ceremony for “The Project for Establishing Greenhouse and Anti-hail net for Reforestation in Lori Region” which had been implemented within the framework of the Grant Assistance for Grassroots Human Security Projects FY 2023, was held at Gugark Village in Lori Region.

The Ceremony was attended by Mr. AOKI Yutaka, Ambassador of Japan in Armenia, Mr. Bernetsyan, the Deputy Mayor of Vanadzor community, Mr. Gumuchdjian the founder of "My Forest Armenia" NGO, along with stakeholders and beneficiaries of the project.

This project aims to improve disaster prevention in the region by constructing a greenhouse for growing seedlings for reforestation in Gugark village, Lori region, and installing anti-hail nets in the nursery adjacent to the greenhouse.

This project was carried out with the aim of increasing the quantity and quality of seedlings in order to expand the scale of tree-planting activities, thereby improving the region's natural environment and the living environment of local residents. Approximately 212,600 local residents will benefit annually from the implementation of this project.



A Greenhouse and a nursery was established



Ambassador Aoki's speech



The cutting of tape



Planting a commemorative tree