Six City Strategy: Making our open data your business

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Open (data, APIs, Source code)

Impact: driving change, improving life quality, saving time

New apps and services

Experimental, yet functional: ensuring fast development but also privacy (mydata), security, architectural aspects

Developer engagement

Engaging (in data collection & app/tech creation)

Enabling business creation in all levels of IoT tech stack, creating larger market
Lessons learnt

• Put effort to find the common ground – it is slower, maybe not as innovative, but more scalable
• Work needed city-national-EU-global levels to improve the data work flows
• Local ecosystems form the global ecosystem
• Don’t forget the medium sized and large companies, or the not yet tech-savvy
• Think through the data value chain, not just app creation
Next steps

- Interoperability is constant process - > new collaboration models and new roles needed in the city side
- Re-use of services, sharing and collaborating on code
- Ease of discovery (data sources, APIs, docs)
- Go for easy wins to get PoC’s on scalability
- Re-thinking data production, sharing best practices
  - Synchronicity, MySMARTlife and more
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