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Boston's transit discovery

As a group, they've had their driver's licenses for the shortest period of time, but they don't want to live in places where they have to use them. Transit and city planners should take careful note of a new study of Boston's next-generation workforce.

Better learning outcomes with data

Tacoma, Washington's high schools were thought of as "dropout factories" not so long ago, with only a little over half of their students graduating on time. Learn how Microsoft's IT solutions helped Tacoma and other school districts take advantage of their data to create better learning outcomes for their students -- and to spend more time with them.

Smart City Expo World Congress Barcelona

The Barcelona Smart City Expo begins Tuesday, Nov. 17, designed to bring participants together to promote efficient, economically viable, sustainable and livable cities. If you're going, make plans to join Civic Resource Group for an evening reception and demonstration, and Enevo for an event breakfast. Several other Council partners are also presenting and exhibiting, including Black & Veatch, CH2M, Cisco, Cubic Transportation Systems, eCube Labs, GE, IBM, Itron, Microsoft, Qualcomm, Schneider Electric, Siemens, Silver Spring Networks and Veolia.

Daimler to market energy storage

As the demand for renewable energy grows, the need for efficient energy storage systems to balance its variable output grows along with it. Mercedes-Benz car maker Daimler plans to deploy what it says is the world's largest second life EV battery-based energy storage unit early next year -- and to market it in the German power sector.

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