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Machine learning is in the budget in Ohio, but only after the state's technology chief told departments for more than a year that they had to wait. He had a plan.

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Uber launches open data platform revealing city traffic flows

The ride-hailing company is offering data from its more than 2 billion rides per year on a new website intended to assist city planners.

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Long Beach unveils map-centric open data portal

A new city website pairs data with maps to make exploring and playing with city information an activity accessible to residents of all technological skill levels.

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Washington, D.C., transit cybersecurity comes under Senate scrutiny

After San Francisco transit was temporarily crippled by a ransomware attack in late 2016, Sen. Mark Warner is worried that Washington, D.C.'s transit might be vulnerable.

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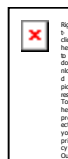
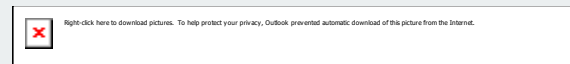
House Majority Leader Kevin McCarthy has reintroduced a bill that would make sure the Obama program — which has affected countless state and local policies — sticks around.

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Chicago's open records lawsuits totaled more than \$670,000 in 2016

An inordinate volume and volatility of unfulfilled open information requests in a single year underscores the role of federal leadership, specifically law enforcement transparency policies started by President Barack Obama.

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