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See who's tops in a new **ranking of smart cities leaders** (and the ideas you should steal from them.) But don't steal these **citizen engagement bad ideas**. And look at how **sensors are really helping** Buffalo's homeless.

Now you're caught up,
Jesse

Learn to build citizen engagement at Smart Cities Week. Smart Cities Week, September 27-29 in Washington, D.C., features an entire track to help you get citizens more involved in your initiatives. Learn how to build awareness and support for smart cities projects and how public-private partnerships can help. Register today.

Steal these ideas from top Asia-Pacific smart city projects. A total of 14 projects were recognized as the top smart city initiatives in Council Associate Partner IDC's annual Smart City Asia-Pacific Awards for 2016. Click to the site to learn about two of the award-winning projects and find strategies and approaches you can use for your own smart city transformations.

Want to be a hit with citizens? Avoid these engagement misses. Technology alone doesn't make a city smart. Cities also need engaged citizens. Learn from three engagement attempts that missed the mark and review the three qualities that will help make your projects a success.

Hearts for the Homeless uses Enevo technology to improve efficiency. Buffalo, NY-based Hearts for the Homeless has fed and clothed the community's homeless and poor since 1990. With new technology and powerful data, today the nonprofit is able to streamline its operations. Get details at the site.

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