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Taking aim at hunger

A refugee camp in Kenya that's expanding faster than it can be supported is getting a boost from MasterCard and a United Nations organization. See how an effort to support small farmers could greatly ease hunger in an area where it's becoming exponentially worse.

5 cities, 5 smart ideas

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Hear HUD Secretary Julian Castro at Smart Cities Week

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Transforming power in Europe

Alstom is playing a key role in a new electrical transmission line that connects France and Italy. When done, it will set a world record. But it could also change the nature of how power is supplied in Europe and improve overall grid stability. Find out why.

Partner spotlight

Read about the new government initiative to advance next-gen hybrid electronics that **Qualcomm** and **GE** are involved in (and what it means to cities)... see how **Cubic Transportation Systems** will continue to keep London moving... get details on **Bechtel's** effort in Abu Dhabi to train engineers on infrastructure projects... plus more from **Silver Spring Networks**, **Saudi Telecom** and **CH2M**.

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