









## PRE-CONFERENCE DAY – WEDNESDAY 30 OCTOBER

<p>9:00am-12:30pm</p>	<p><b>Smart Cities Activator Training Workshop, Location: Arcadis, Level 16, 580 George Street</b></p> <p>This training workshop, offered by the Smart Cities Council, will demonstrate how public sector stakeholders can use the Smart Cities Activator to accelerate smart cities plans and projects. Especially designed for participants in SCC’s Local Government Smart Cities Network (who get free access to Smart Cities Activator planning and collaboration tools), the workshop will train delegates to use built-in smart cities best practices, ecosystem management tools and planning templates to advance their smart cities journeys. Delegates will also provide input to shape community-wide knowledge sharing and other features that will be added in upcoming releases.</p> <p>This training workshop will be hands-on and collaborative, requiring the use of laptops or tablets to participate in collaborative modules with other delegates. This training workshop will include private sector and academia as well, who also have a critical role to play in the creation of sustainable project development models.</p> <p><b>5G Readiness Workshop, Location: The Forum, Level 2, Telstra Customer Insights Centre, 400 George Street</b></p> <p>This exclusive workshop is a first-of-its kind for government representatives that focuses on helping cities get ‘ready’ to engage in the roll-out of 5G infrastructure and services. Building off the National 5G Principles for City Design, this interactive workshop will cover some key fundamental 5G theory (spectrum, connectivity, latency), a deep dive on the 5G principles (collaboration, urban infrastructure co-location, governance etc), along with interactive work sessions to help identify key priorities for a city and map actions to proactively engage in the delivery of 5G infrastructure and services. Joining the line-up of presenters and specialists will be the City of Melbourne, Place Design Group, ENE-HUB, Smart Sensor, Astrolabe Group and Telstra.</p> <p>This workshop is brought to you by our sponsors ENE-HUB, Place Design Group, Telstra and Smart Sensor.</p>
<p>1:30pm - 5:00pm</p>	<p><b>The Local Government Smart Cities Network Meeting (Invitation Only), Location: City of Sydney, Town Hall House</b></p> <p>This meeting will bring together members of the Smart Cities Local Government Network from across Australia and New Zealand, as well as other local government delegates attending Smart Cities Week. This meeting will focus on reviewing activities across the region, including policy making, procurement, private sector engagement and funding and financing. This meeting will also provide an opportunity for local government delegates to meet with Smart Cities Week international experts and keynotes on a one-on-one level.</p>
<p>6:00pm - 8:00pm</p>	<p><b>Welcome Reception, Location: Hilton Hotel, George Street, Sydney</b></p> <p>As the official welcome reception for SCW Australia, this gathering is an opportunity to network with peers old and new. In addition, we are excited to bring you the Sydney launch of Women in Smart Cities Global, who will be facilitating a short series of Pecha-Kucha style presentations from industry leaders. This evening of networking and inspiration is brought to you by Cisco.</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Johanna Pitman, Women in Smart Cities Global</li> <li>• Meredith Hodgman, Women in Smart Cities Global</li> <li>• Claire Daniel, UNSW</li> <li>• Catherine Pepper, GHD</li> <li>• Angie Abdilla, Old Ways New</li> <li>• Zdravka Paskaleve Newman, Cisco</li> </ul> <div style="text-align: right;"> <p><b>Hosted by:</b></p>  </div>





**DAY 1 – THURSDAY 31<sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER**






8:30am – 10:30am	<p><b>PLENARY</b></p> <p><b>Welcome and Acknowledgement of Country:</b> Adam Beck, Smart Cities Council</p> <p><b>The Warm-up:</b> Yasser Helmy, Smart Cities Lead Asia Pacific, Cisco</p> <p><b>Ministerial address:</b> The Hon Victor Dominello MP, Minister for Customer Service, NSW Government</p> <p><b>International Keynote:</b> Zach Bookman, Co-Founder and CEO of OpenGov (USA)</p> <p><b>It's a Mayor's World:</b> Alicia McKay interviews Khal Asfour, Mayor of Canterbury Bankstown Council</p> <p><b>Over the Horizon:</b> Margaret Petty of University of Technology Sydney muses on innovation and entrepreneurship</p> <div data-bbox="2211 430 2567 672" style="text-align: right;"> <p>Hosted by:</p>  </div>
10:30am – 11:00am	<p><b>NETWORKING BREAK</b></p>
11:00am – 12:30pm	<p><b>PLENARY</b></p> <p><b>The Roundtable:</b> Adam Beck moderates a discussion with the C-Suite on “The Business of Smart Cities – The Next Decade”.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Chief Operating Officer – Ben Pole, Ipswich City Council</li> <li>• The Chief Executive Officer – Scott Waters, City of Darwin</li> <li>• The Chief Digital Officer – Michelle Fitzgerald, City of Melbourne</li> <li>• The Chief Information Officer – Bernadette Stone, Brisbane City Council</li> </ul> <p><b>International Keynote:</b> Eugene W. Grant, Mayor of Seat Pleasant, Maryland (USA)</p>




12:30pm – 2:00pm	<p><b>LUNCH</b></p> <p><b>The Lab:</b> The Emerging Innovators Think Tank: Applying fresh perspectives to tackle local government challenges</p> <p><b>The Stage:</b> Neighbourlytics is pleased to announce the finalist cities for the inaugural Launch Cities program. These Launch Cities will be leading the way, using wellbeing as a framework to guide investment in technology and infrastructure, inform budgetary planning and resource allocation, evaluate impact of city programs over time.</p>				
2:00pm – 3:30pm <b>Breakout Session</b>	<p><b>The Leadership Circle</b></p> <p><u>Aggregating opportunities: Smart cities across boundaries</u></p> <p>In this session we discuss one of the most exciting trends in smart cities action and investment – cross jurisdiction partnerships.</p> <p>Guests:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Stephen Smith, Local Government Association of South Australia</li> <li>• Tom Griffiths, South West Group, Western Australia</li> <li>• Jannat Maqbool, Hamilton City Council, NZ</li> <li>• Daniel Adams, City of Prospect</li> <li>• Matthew Szymczak, City of Greater Geelong</li> </ul> <p>Moderator:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Catherine Caruana-McManus, Meshed</li> </ul> <p><b>Hosted by:</b></p> 	<p><b>The CB City Project Accelerator</b></p> <p><u>The Brief:</u> Everyone is talking about it, but are they doing it? How do we measure social wellbeing, and invest in it for greater outcomes? In this Accelerator session you will learn to build a social wellbeing framework to guide your smart city strategy, and investments, and join the few that are using technology and data to accelerate social wellbeing outcomes.</p> <p>Session leads:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rebecca Bell, City of Canterbury Bankstown</li> <li>• Andrea diGiovanni, Neighbourlytics</li> </ul> <p><b>Hosted by:</b></p>  	<p><b>The Boardroom</b></p> <p><u>National blueprints: Smart precincts, estates and buildings</u></p> <p>Australia and South East Asia are some of the most highly urbanising places on the planet. The projected urban growth is eye-watering, which begs one to ask – how will we ensure this growth is smart and sustainable? Join urban development leaders from across Australia and ASEAN as we discuss best practice, investment opportunities and knowledge exchange across the region.</p> <p>Guests:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tim Simpson, Austrade</li> <li>• Seamus McCarthy, Lendlease</li> </ul> <p>Moderator:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Kok-Chin Tay, Smart Cities Council ASEAN</li> </ul> <p><b>Hosted by:</b></p>  <p>Australian Government Australian Trade and Investment Commission</p>	<p><b>The Lab</b></p> <p><u>Civic innovation in the city: Unlocking the potential of our citizens in the smart cities movement</u></p> <p>Civic Innovation is the rapid explosion of citizen-led, or citizen-powered innovation that occurs when citizens play an active role in democracies. But how do we unlock this potential? Join us in The Lab as we deliver a hands-on learning session to understand the five key principles and map your organisations maturity in civic innovation.</p> <p>Lab Leaders:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Don Sharples, Atlometer</li> <li>• Amanda Newbery, Articulous</li> <li>• Claire Chaikin-Bryan, Lake Macquarie City Council</li> </ul> <p><b>Hosted by:</b></p>  <p>Smart Cities Council® Australia New Zealand <b>Civic Innovation Task Force</b></p>	<p><b>The Data Room</b></p> <p><u>The Data Essentials: Purpose, ethics, governance and privacy</u></p> <p>The new oil, some say. The data economy, others quip. It doesn't matter what is driving your data interests, and journey, your 'purpose' is the most important attribute. Oh, and ethics, and privacy and governance! Join us for the first of four data deep dives in The Data Room. Highly interactive, diverse representation and voices, and 'cutting through the noise' commentary is what you will be part of.</p> <p>Guests:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nicole Stephensen, Ground Up Consulting</li> <li>• Zac Bookman, OpenGov</li> <li>• Neil Glentworth, Community Data</li> <li>• Jen Bednar, City of Casey</li> <li>• Bill Dekker, British Standards Institution</li> <li>• Sean Audain, Wellington City Council</li> </ul> <p>Moderator:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Martin Stewart-Weeks, Public Purpose</li> </ul>
3:30pm – 4:00pm	<p><b>NETWORKING BREAK</b></p>				

<p>4:00pm – 5:00pm</p>	<p><b>PLENARY</b></p> <p><b>National Keynote:</b> Romilly Madew AO, CEO Infrastructure Australia – “Building a Smart Infrastructure Nation”</p> <p><b>In Conversation:</b> The smart infrastructure discussion continues with Romilly Madew, Ian Maxted (Chief Development Officer, Broadspectrum) and Cynthia Gillespie (Director Advisory Services, WSP).</p>	<p><b>Hosted by:</b></p> 
<p>6:00pm – 8:00pm</p>	<p><b>Australian Smart Cities Awards Reception</b> <b>Hosted by Telstra</b></p> <p>(Telstra Theatre, Customer Insights Centre, Level 2, 400 George St, Sydney)</p> <p>The Australian Smart Cities Awards were the nation’s first dedicated smart cities award scheme established to recognise and reward leadership, celebrate best practice and stimulate action to advance the smart cities movement.</p>	<p><b>Hosted by:</b></p> 

## DAY 2 – FRIDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> NOVEMBER

<p>9:00am – 10:30am</p> <p><b>Breakout Session 1</b></p>	<p><b>The Leadership Circle</b></p> <p><u>The Smart State: City Deals as a springboard to a smart nation</u> The City Deals program in Australia is now more than two years old and were heralded as a major opportunity to change the operating model of government and industry collaboration, co-investment and regulatory reform. It has also been a major onramp for State and Territory Government to engage in the national smart cities agenda. So where are we at with exploiting the biggest opportunity from City Deals – to bind our nation together on smart cities?</p> <p>Guests:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Glenn McRae, Queensland Treasury, South East Queensland City Deal</li> <li>Simon Hunter, NSW Department of Planning Industry Environment</li> <li>Richard Wood, Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Cities and Regional Development</li> </ul> <p>Moderator:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Michael Comninos, Astrolabe Group</li> </ul>	<p><b>The Data Room</b></p> <p><u>Collect: Networks, sensors and devices</u> It is one of the most transformative functions of the smart city – the internet of things. But what happens in a 5G world? How will we be connecting and collecting information in the emerging data economy?</p> <p>Guests:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Paul McManus, Meshed</li> <li>Russell Bennett, Southern Grampians Shire Council</li> <li>Daniel Adams, Prospect City Council</li> <li>Zdravka Paskaleve Newman, Cisco</li> <li>Michelle Fitzgerald, City of Melbourne</li> <li>Claire Chaikin-Bryan, Lake Macquarie City Council</li> </ul> <p>Moderator:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Craig Young, Telecommunications Users Association of New Zealand</li> </ul> <p><b>Hosted by:</b></p> 	<p><b>The Boardroom</b></p> <p><u>Civic data and new models of social value</u> As data finds new value in the digital economy, old models of thinking, engaging and exchanging need to be re-worked. This interactive session will explore our smart cities social contract, and how data and its value can be unlocked to deliver better community outcomes.</p> <p>Guests:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Professor Marcus Foth, QUT</li> <li>Assoc. Prof. Peta Mitchell, QUT</li> <li>Nicholas Camels, QUT</li> <li>Dr Joel Fredericks, University of Sydney</li> </ul> <p><b>Hosted by:</b></p> 	<p><b>The Agora</b></p> <p><u>Strategy and Transformation: Case studies from the field</u> This session sees some of the nation's best when it comes to smart cities strategy development of organisational transformation.</p> <p>Case studies from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>John Coudounaris, Waverley Council</li> <li>Nathaniel Bavinton, City of Newcastle</li> <li>Ben Sinnott, Wyndham City Council</li> <li>Gary McCullough, City of Canning</li> <li>Tim Farrell, Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Cities and Regional Development</li> <li>Merrick Spain, Civic Analytica</li> </ul> <p>Moderator:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Belinda Comninos, Astrolabe Group</li> </ul>	<p><b>The CB City Project Accelerator</b></p> <p><u>The Brief</u> Participants in this hands-on session will embark on a design exercise, to create a specification for next generation public realm – our streets, places and spaces. Covering new mobility and next generation urban infrastructure, how will our streets of the future, and associated places and spaces, respond to rapid digital transformation.</p> <p>Session leads:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Valerie Giammarco, City of Canterbury Bankstown</li> <li>Chris Isles, Place Design Group</li> </ul> <p><b>Hosted by:</b></p>  
<p>10:30am – 11:00am</p>	<p><b>NETWORKING BREAK</b></p>				

<p>11:00am – 12:30pm</p> <p><b>Breakout Session 2</b></p>	<p><b>The Leadership Circle</b></p> <p><u>Deploying with purpose</u> This session takes a deep dive into the range of deployments that have completed over the past year, for the purposes of delivering better community outcomes, and informing future action and investment. Here from leading cities across Australia and New Zealand, and what drives their smart cities investments.</p> <p>Guests:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Daniel High, City of Perth</li> <li>• Sarah Leach, Brisbane City Council</li> <li>• Josh Sattler, City of Darwin</li> <li>• Grace de-Leon, Christchurch City Council</li> </ul> <p>Moderator:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Johanna Pitman, Women in Smart Cities Global</li> </ul>	<p><b>The Data Room</b></p> <p><u>Communicate: Data storage, cyber security and resilience</u> Cloud, fog, or edge. Warehouse, lake, puddle or stream. Where and how you store data, to ensure the smart city remains ‘on’ and functioning, regardless of risk, shock or stress, is one of the most important issues facing our cities, and our nation. In a ‘never-off’ data economy, what’s your strategy to keep your services safely functioning?</p> <p>Guests:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gordon Campbell, SRA</li> <li>• Olivia Simons, City of Sydney</li> <li>• Robert Linsdell, Vertiv</li> <li>• Greg Goode, Frame Group</li> </ul> <p>Moderator:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lani Refiti, Deloitte</li> </ul> <p><b>Hosted by:</b></p>  	<p><b>The Boardroom</b></p> <p><u>The digitally enabled organisation</u> In this boardroom session we explore pathways and tools for accessing the knowledge and developing the skills to shape more innovative and digitally enabled workplaces.</p> <p>Guests:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jamye Harrison, Arcadis</li> <li>• Gareth Robbins, Arcadis</li> <li>• Amy Baxendale, Arcadis</li> </ul> <p><b>Hosted by:</b></p> 	<p><b>The Agora</b></p> <p><u>Data in the smart city: Case studies from the field</u> We talk about data being the new oil, the data economy and data-led decision making – but what does this look like in practice? In this series of case studies, we hear from organisations that are generating value from data and changing the way investment in infrastructure and services is made.</p> <p>Case studies from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bernadette Stone, Brisbane City Council</li> <li>• James Vidler, City of Newcastle</li> <li>• James Peet, Moreton Bay Regional Council</li> <li>• Jag Walia, City of Melville</li> <li>• Sean Cohen, Suez</li> <li>• Michelle Fitzgerald, City of Melbourne</li> </ul> <p>Moderator:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Claire Daniel, UNSW</li> </ul>	<p><b>The CB City Project Accelerator</b></p> <p><u>The Brief</u> It is one of the most innovative and emerging models of data management and governance, and its only at Smart Cities Week. Join us in the CB City Accelerator as we build the foundations of a Civic Data Trust, step by step.</p> <p>Session leads:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Petryce Donovan, City of Canterbury Bankstown</li> <li>• Dr Vanessa Savage-Douglas, GWI</li> <li>• Merrick Spain, Civic Analytica</li> </ul> <p><b>Hosted by:</b></p>  
<p>12:30pm – 1:30pm</p>	<p><b>LUNCH</b></p>				

<p>1:30pm – 3:00pm Breakout Session</p>	<p><b>The Leadership Circle</b></p> <p><u>Our new mobility future</u> It's the most contested space in our cities. Its changing quicker than any other piece of real estate. And it affects everyone's lives every day. Our streets, and the emerging mobility options using them, is creating a change never before seen in the history of our cities. From MaaS platforms, micro freight delivery and e-scooters, to e-bikes and food and parcel delivery. Everything in our streets is changing.</p> <p>Guests:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Marco Maréchal, Connected (Netherlands)</li> <li>• Chris Isles, Place Design Group</li> <li>• Matt Coetzee, Sense Strategy Consulting</li> <li>• Tegan Mitchell, City of Sydney</li> <li>• Damien Hewitt, SAGE Automation</li> <li>• Nikki Eylon, Parkam</li> <li>• Steve O'Connor, JCDcaux</li> <li>• Ashleigh Cormack, Uber</li> </ul> <p>Moderator:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sara Stace, Transport for NSW</li> </ul> <p><b>Hosted by:</b></p> 	<p><b>The Data Room</b></p> <p><u>Crunch: Analytics for organisational transformation</u> From digital twins and social wellbeing analysis, to citizen science and analytics as-a-service models. From command and control centres and digital humans, to gamification and open budgeting platforms. There is no value in data until it is converted into insight. Join us for this final session in The Data Room as we showcase the latest and emerging techniques for generating value from data.</p> <p>Guests:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Daniel Booth, City of Melbourne</li> <li>• John Hawke, City of Perth</li> <li>• Dr Vanessa Savage-Douglas, GWI</li> <li>• Kristy Ferguson, WSP Digital</li> <li>• Eric Louw, Aurecon</li> </ul> <p>Moderator:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Merrick Spain, Civic Analytica</li> </ul> <p><b>Hosted by:</b></p> 	<p><b>The Boardroom</b></p> <p><u>Smart city financing, partnerships and procurement: From now to next</u> There are more than 20 well known models for funding and financing smart cities investment. From PPP's to alliance contracting, and Business Improvement Districts to Tax Increment Financing. But while funding and financing projects is key, there are the critical issues of procurement and collaboration that often are the real success factors of a project achieving real outcomes. Join us as we unpack the interconnected issues of financing, procurement and partnerships for smart cities.</p> <p>Guests:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bob Matchett, ENE-HUB</li> <li>• Kristian Handberg, AGL</li> <li>• Avi Naidu, Taronga Group</li> <li>• Lauren Jewell, Aurecon</li> <li>• Haifa El Ashkar, CSG International</li> </ul> <p>Moderator:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meredith Hodgman, Women in Smart Cities Global</li> </ul>	<p><b>The Agora</b></p> <p><u>Smart Cities Deployment: Case studies from the field</u> There is nothing better than 'action' in the smart city. Whether it be an installation, activation or deployment – a solution was delivered. In this session six exciting deployments will be shared, highlighting the problem, the solution and the lessons learned.</p> <p>Case studies from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Warwick Keating, SMEC</li> <li>• Scott Traver, Sunshine Coast Council</li> <li>• Russell Bennett, Southern Grampians Shire Council</li> <li>• Kathryn Lindsay, Broadspectrum and Keith Henry, Telensa</li> <li>• Piers Hogarth-Scott, KPMG</li> <li>• Patrick Spedding, Appfusions</li> </ul> <p>Moderator:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Narelle Turner, Broadspectrum</li> </ul> <p><b>Hosted by:</b></p> 	
<p>3:00pm – 4:00pm</p>	<p><b>Closing Reception</b></p>				