

SEOUL SMART CITY PRIZE



PRIZE CATEGORY

TECH-INNOVACITY

Projects that focus on integration of innovative policies and technologies in all sectors of society and domains ranging from mobility, safety, welfare, environment, energy, culture, and governance

HUMAN-CENTRICITY

Projects that are designed to prioritize digital inclusion in smart city development, and that aim to serve the citizen population, such as the elderly, youth, and the disabled

SPECIAL MENTION

Projects selected in collaboration with a WeGO partner organization or corporation based on the project's adherence to the partner's values and mission

LEADERSHIP

Individuals that have demonstrated leadership in developing or promoting the innovative use of technology and data to impact the lives of global citizens

ELIGIBILITY

CITIES

Local government
Regional government
National government

CORPORATIONS

Corporation
SME
Start-up

INSTITUTIONS

NGO
Public Agency
University

INDIVIDUALS

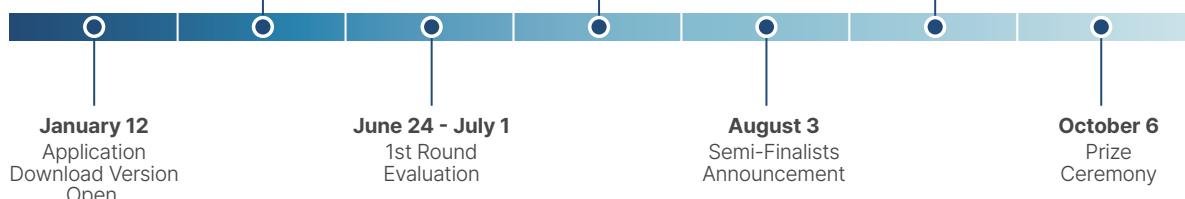
Leaders in smart city development

TIMELINE 2026

February 13 - May 29
Website Application Open

July 20 - 27
2nd Round Evaluation

October 6
Finalists Announcement



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PRIZE FOR WINNERS



- Awarded at the Seoul Smart City Prize Ceremony 2026
- Appointed winners will be invited to Seoul Smart City Prize Ceremony 2027 as one of the prize presenters
- Appointed winners will be given an opportunity to share and promote the winning project in various global stages including a tailored capacity-building training program, a dedicated exhibition booth and speakerships at international events
- Among the winners, selected projects will be given an opportunity to collaborate on a smart city project implementation on various models such as feasibility study*
- Gain global publicity via official website, publication, press releases, and media channels

*Award benefits may be adjusted depending on budget availability and operational conditions.



WINNERS OF 2025

TECH-INNOVACITY

★ GOLD	Dubai (AI-Powered Food Safety Ecosystem)
★ SILVER	Hong Kong (Innovative 3D Digital Mapping Project in Hong Kong) Paris Est Marne & Bois (WaterSecure Swim & Flood)
★ BRONZE	Pohang (TABOSO: A Cooperative Mobility Platform Powered by Local Currency Payments) Praeferre (Tedamine) Rio de Janeiro (App Civitas)
CORPORATION	Aramco (City Brain: Ahead of Issues)
INSTITUTION	GATE Institute (City Digital Twin of Sofia)

HUMAN-CENTRICITY

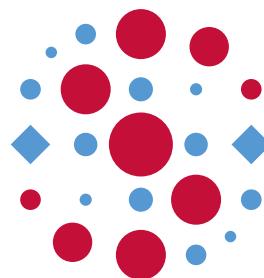
★ GOLD	Prague (Innovation Management)
★ SILVER	Nairobi (Konza Smart City Project: Integrated Urban Intelligent Ecosystem) Taoyuan City (Juvenile 3P Model: Prediction, Prevention Protection)
★ BRONZE	Internet Society Tanzania (Tanzania SmartJiji Public Health (TSPH) Project) Kocaeli (Happy City Kocaeli: Integrated Civic Governance for Inclusive Urban Well-being) Sharjah (Muwasah (Arabic for "consolation"))
INSTITUTION	Association Lviv Agglomeration (Human-Centric Recovery and Inclusion Model) Fundación Pequeños Pasos (Wayuu Smart Voices: Indigenous Digital Inclusion through Community Technology)

LEADERSHIP

Mayor of Cali, Alejandro Eder
Mayor of Fullerton, Fred Jung

SPECIAL MENTION

WeGO Smart City Index - Rabat
New York Climate Exchange - Alexandria
SEMI - iSEN INC.



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