

# THE MISSING PIECE: VOICE OF SMART CITY CITIZENS

CHATTANOOGA: FROM DIRTY TO GIG CITY



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## **CHATTANOOGA IN FOCUS**

- The study
- The city
- The citizens
- The stakeholders
- The implications
- Our support





THRIVING MANUFACTURING



1970s – known as the

**DIRTIEST CITY** 

in the US



Today – has become a gig city with the

FASTEST INTERNET

in North America

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## **THE STUDY**

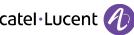
Identifying smart cities and meeting their citizens

## THE MCI MISSION

Market and Consumer Insight (MCI) investigates links between consumer behavior, market and technological trends to help Alcatel-Lucent and its clients, communication service providers, make more informed and impactful business decisions.

MCI experts dig deeper and reach farther to provide information that helps communication service providers formulate new thinking, including:

- Global and regional, urban and rural, insights
- Research on consumer, market and technological trends



## **GLOBAL RESEARCH FINDINGS**

# INVESTIGATING SMART CITIES

## Three-part research:

- Analysis of 18 cities to identify city categories
- Deep dive on7 cities
- Broad study of 52 cities to assess smart motivations

# FOUR MODELS WERE DISCOVERED

#### **Dream Box:**

- Turnkey city
- Public-private partnership

#### IT Box:

- Focus on IT excellence
- Privately funded

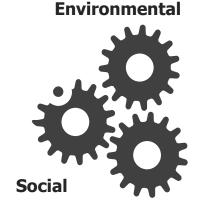
#### **Fragmented Box:**

- Independent projects
- Public-private funding

#### **Black Box:**

- Government-controlled
- Closed private ecosystem

# THREE MOTIVATIONS FOR DEVELOPMENT IDENTIFIED



**Economic** 

# WHAT WAS MISSING?



The voice of the citizen

#### More info about the four models:

http://www2.alcatel-lucent.com/knowledge-center/public\_files/Smart\_Cities\_market\_opportunity\_ExecSummary.pdf

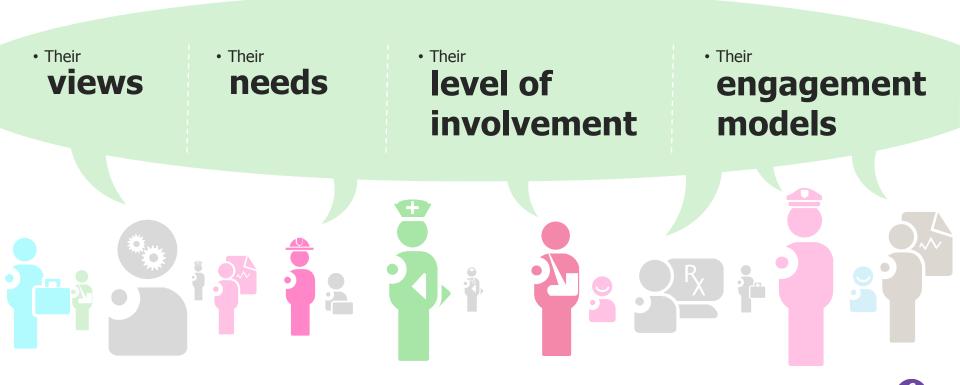
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## **UNDERSTANDING THE CITIZENS**

### Other studies have neglected the voice of the citizen

We can understand resulting implications for key stakeholders including city leaders, NGOs, regulators, enterprises, utilities, and service providers if we interpret:



## MEETING THE CHATTANOOGA CITIZENS AND STAKEHOLDERS

**ZURICH SWITZERLAND** (fragmented box)

**SAUDI ARABIA** (black box)

4 CITIES **STUDIED** ~100 in-depth interviews

**USA** (fragmented box)

CHATTANOOGA

WUXI CHINA (black box)



#### **36 IN-DEPTH INTERVIEWS**

IT, marketing services, architecture, public safety, utility service provider, venture capitalist, NGOs, tourism, city government

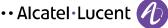
- 8 female
- 28 male
- 26 face-to-face interviews
- 10 telephone interviews
- Wide social demographic

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## **THE CITY**

Why put Chattanooga in the spotlight?



## THE DYNAMO OF DIXIE

## Successfully reinventing itself

#### THE CITY

#### Previous economic decline due to losses in manufacturing sector

- Named the dirtiest city in America in the 1970s
- Turnaround initiated in the 1980s by civic leaders, with strong NGO support, yet struggled with a lack of city identity
- Investments made in PPPs, citizen engagement, strategic planning, visioning and transformative projects

#### THE CHALLENGES

- Continuing downtown redevelopment
- Improving the educational system
- Reducing crime and poverty
- Upgrading aging energy infrastructure
- Bridging urban and rural communities

#### THE SMARTNESS

- Alcatel-Lucent's Fiber-to-the-Home
  - smart grid and high speed open broadband access
- Multipurpose smart lighting

   motion sensor lights,
   rain gauge and air sniffer
- Smart transportation, including electric buses
- Supports \$4B in economic growth

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# **THE CITIZENS**

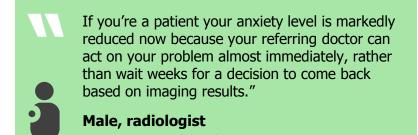
Understanding the missing voice

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# ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL BENEFITS TOP PRIORITY

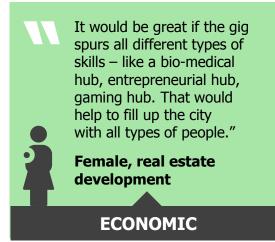
Citizens see **technology as an enabler** and recognize that significant economic, social and eco-sustainability benefits can be achieved via smart city projects.





#### **TRANSPORTATION**

#### **HEALTH**



We already draw people from different countries to our regatta every summer. Now we're involved in a trial to link sensors to a graffiti monitoring system in River City which can help make the riverfront even better."

Male, high tech development

**ENVIRONMENT** 

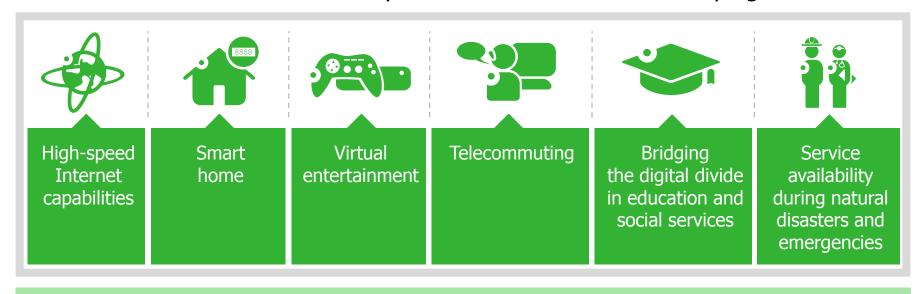


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# PERSONAL SERVICES INTEREST CITIZENS

Citizens are interested in services that **deliver tangible benefits** to their daily life at home and at work – and they want to be involved in developing them.





Because of the connectivity I could stay here instead of moving to Boston, and make the same kind of living and have the same kind of impact in that field."

Smart grid is key – it's been a year of disasters, storms, tornados etc. and I've hardly lost power. They had 45K customers back online in 45 seconds instead of 45 hours."

Male, marketing services

Male, tourism



**VOICE OF THE CITIZEN** 

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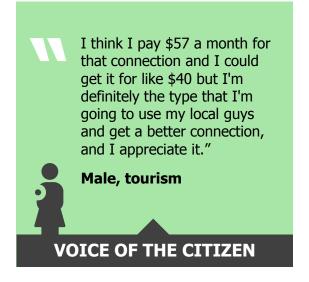


## **FOR NEW SERVICES:** RELIABILITY AND INVOLVEMENT ARE KEY

Citizens encourage competition, but prefer a provider who delivers reliable service and is adaptive to local needs – uptime, service restoration and responsiveness are vital.

## There is an expectation for an all-encompassing networked city and service development:

- Replacing aging infrastructure with high speed gigabit broadband network and smart grid
- Personalized, responsive customer service with ability to solve problems quickly
- Visible, active community involvement for local presence delivers market share gains





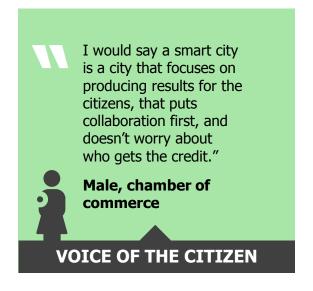
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## **MOVING BEYOND SMART CITY**

Citizens take pride in **environmental improvements** to the city. They expect further **collaboration and innovative ideas** to make the city smarter.

#### Can-do attitude:

- Leveraging technological infrastructure to improve lives for the underprivileged
- Responsiveness to citizen feedback
- Transparency and access to information



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## **STARTING CONVERSATIONS**

**Citizens are active** in smart city projects and want their involvement to continue.

#### **EXISTING ENGAGEMENT MODELS**

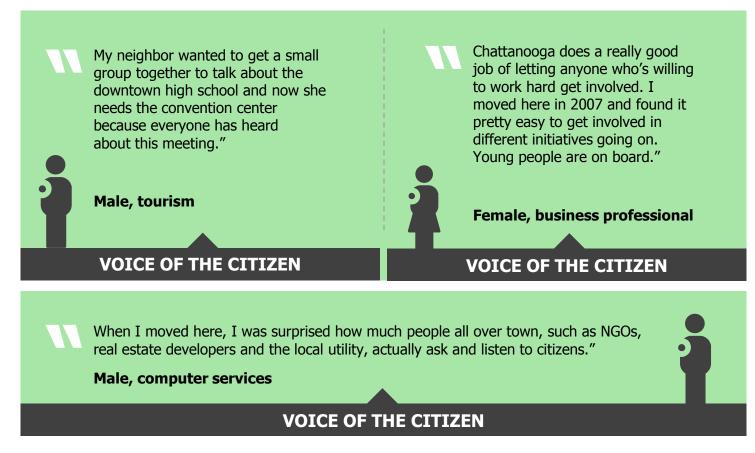
- Visioning process
- Open political framework
- Longstanding regional planning
- Active NGO programs
- Venture capitalist support
- Community technology council

#### **NEW ENGAGEMENT MODELS PAYING DIVIDENDS**

- 'Intentional' smart city conversations
- Gig prize contest
- Service provider organized community-wide outreach
- NGO sponsored citizen surveys

## **ACTIVE ENGAGEMENT**

Citizens engage in a broad range of ways, using multiple available channels.

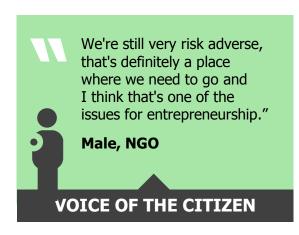




## **OVERCOMING CONCERNS**

### Two levels of concern – personal and community.

- Personal: privacy concerns are real, but most people recognize them as a part of their way of life and are willing to put up with this to reap the benefits
- Community: need to incorporate dissenting voices to avoid "groupthink"



Ultimately, citizens believe that improving quality of life is worth the risks involved in smart city development

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## THE STAKEHOLDERS

How are roles evolving to enable smart development?

## THREE MOTIVATIONS SHAPE THE AGENDA

Economic, social, and environmental motivations play an equal role in driving smart city development in Chattanooga.



# ECONOMIC GROWTH BRINGS BENEFITS TO VERTICAL INDUSTRIES







## **COMMUNITY WIDE PARTICIPATION**

Collaboration yields positive benefits.

- City leaders, NGOs, utility providers and real estate developers foster public participation
- City CIO fosters cross-departmental solutions
- Active efforts are made to increase transparency and open government

- Building of a gig city
- Can-do attitude boosts Chattanooga identity
- Increased tourism
- Business incubation delivers new jobs



It's elected officials who've created that climate that have got private businesses investing in this community. That's one of the reasons why Amazon located here. That's one of the reasons why Volkswagen located here. That's one of the reasons why young people are coming back here."

**Hamilton County leader** 



### PRACTICE MAKES PERFECT

### Seeing, learning, growing.

- Community leaders visited other cities to learn and avoid pitfalls:
  - Over 100 people visited BMW plant in Greenville,
     South Carolina to prepare for the new Volkswagen plant
  - A visit to Austin established Green Spaces initiative for greener buildings
- Now other cities learn from Chattanooga:
  - An NGO recently collected 26,000 face-to-face and online surveys in Chattanooga, an exercise which is now being replicated in Calgary, Canada



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## PUSHING BEYOND SUCCESSFUL CITIZEN ENGAGEMENT

Citizens are willing to participate and want to be part of smart city development. Stakeholders are creating an environment where **citizen voices are heard**.

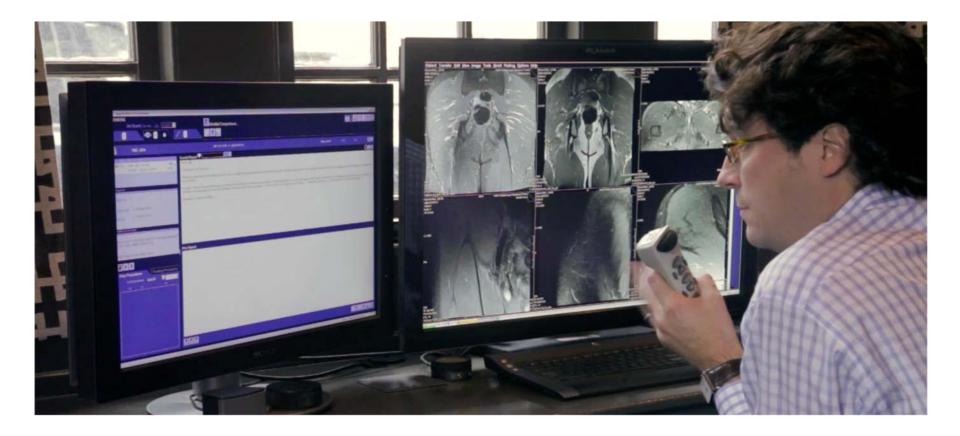
#### **EXISTING ENGAGEMENT PERCEPTIONS**

- Citizens have a high level of involvement and knowledge
- Strong, varied communication channels are needed
- Hundreds share their view in planned open meetings
- Involvement from across the spectrum – from the poorest residents to CEOs
- Young people have a voice via established organizations

#### **CONCERNS**

- Public service projects have lower levels of involvement
- Uncertainty around how to use vast amount of smart city data effectively

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## THE IMPLICATIONS

Technology can deliver tangible benefits

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# WHAT CAN WE LEARN FROM CHATTANOOGA?

- Offering multiple channels for engagement produces greater benefits
- A collaborative ecosystem produces innovative solutions that span urban-rural communities
- New sense of civic pride and identity emerges via smart city development
- Citizen engagement can produce share gains for service providers



# ENGAGE CITIZENS IN TACTICAL AND STRATEGIC PROJECTS

#### **TACTICAL**

- Enable rapid response mechanisms via online portals and living labs
- More informal projects visible in the community – applications days, technology training
- Promotion of engagement opportunities

#### **STRATEGIC**

- Forward-thinking citizens involved early on
- More participation in referendums
- Increase progress reports

- Ensure that stakeholders play a role in increasing awareness of participation opportunities
- Continue formally organized projects as well as soliciting involvement in informal projects
- Provide access to data to encourage development initiatives
- Focus on tactical involvement first
- Celebrate and promote successes

## **NEW MODELS, NEW ROLES**

- Create new channels for citizen engagement
- Formalize informal channels

 Match people to projects to leverage community talent

- Develop champions
- Canvas the globe for best practices

**BE A PROMOTER/SPONSOR** 

**BE AN INTEGRATOR** 

- Integrate ideas and what were siloed solutions into new, broader solutions
- Deliver better cost savings and benefits

**BE A MATCHMAKER** 

**BE A TRANSLATOR/TEACHER** 

- Bridge the needs of citizens, NGOs and cities by applying technological solutions to everyday needs
- Educate and train to overcome fears

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## THE OPPORTUNITIES ARE HUGE

When the model evolves, there are vast possibilities for **innovation and new business**.

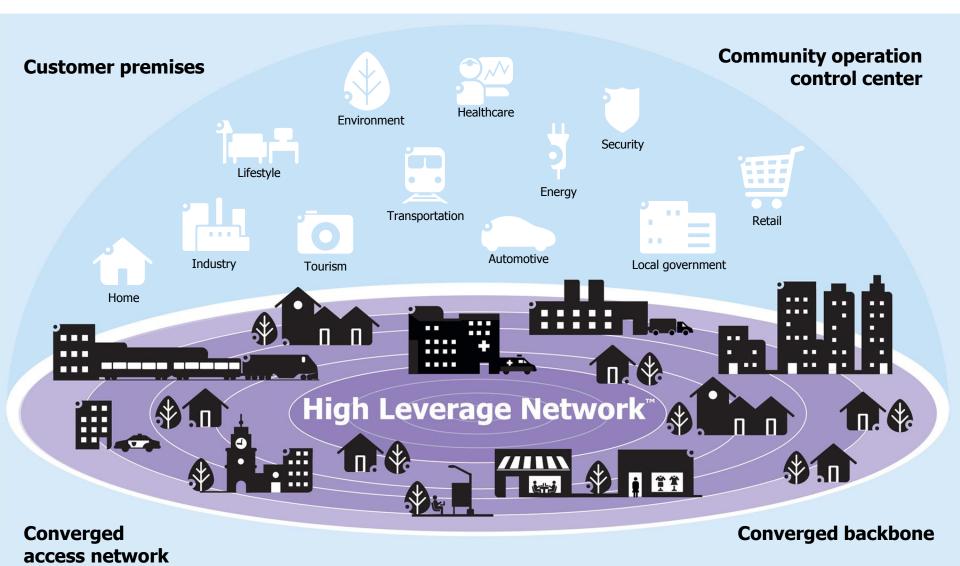
#### **SMART** GOVERNANCE **SMART** PEOPLE **SMART** ENVIRONMENT Democratic inclusion More consistent educational Real-time environmental monitoring experience Interconnecting organizations Reducing energy consumption e-education solutions Improving community access Promoting natural Training to overcome resource conservation Citizen involvement generation gaps **SMART** MOBILITY **SMART LIVING SMART** ECONOMY ¥£€\$ • Intelligent transportation systems Regional/global competitiveness · High-quality healthcare services Broadband access for all • Efficient traffic management · Electronic record management Car sharing/car pooling Rural population maintenance Smart home services Access to social services Electronic business processes



## **OUR SUPPORT**

Alcatel-Lucent can help you realize the smart city vision

# EMPOWERING A SMARTER AND MORE SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITY



## **ALCATEL-LUCENT SUPPORTS SMART CITIES**

#### **KNOWLEDGE**

- Research Insights
- Modeling/consult/design
- End-to-end project management
- R&D focused on solutions for social, economic and eco-sustainability challenges

# TECHNOLOGY, SERVICES AND APPLICATIONS

- High Leverage Network: GPON, FTTx, optics, IP, wireless (LTE, lightRadio)
- CloudBand
- Applications and customer experience management
- Urban Traffic Management
- Public safety: always on first responder
- Smart Grid and grid modernization
- Train-to-ground communication

#### **EXPERIENCE**

- Partnership, ecosystems development – Greentouch™ and ngConnect
- National/regional/ metro deployment
- Strategic Industries and public sector
- Global Service Provider Operations
- Standards bodies and regulators
- End-to-end holistic project integration



## MORE ABOUT SMART CITY CITIZENS

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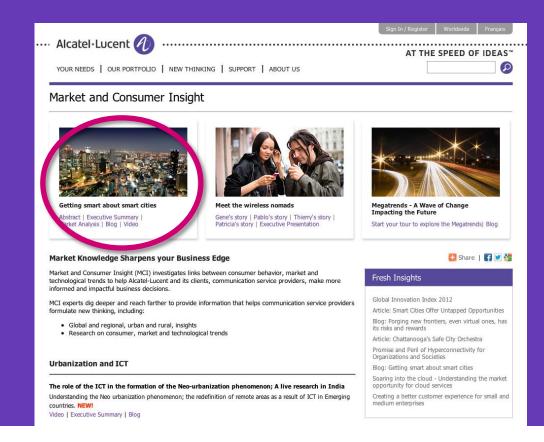
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