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technological advances to help citizens, communities and

authorities understand the functioning of cities and the

consequences of different planning options.