



COUNCIL CONNECT



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Welcome to CivicApps!

Making public data easy to find and easy to use.

The first annual CivicApps Challenge is now open! This unique innovation event recognizes and rewards the best ideas and apps from the community. Join this growing community of innovative thinkers! Help us identify and recognize the best ideas and apps in the region. Share your own ideas. Submit an app to make life easier for everyone. So get your thinking caps on, share your ideas, and show us what you've got.



BE HEARD. Tell us the ideas you would like to see realized. Comment and vote for ways to make public information more accessible and useful.

GET INVOLVED. Show us how to use, combine and represent the information government holds in more useful and interesting ways. Your ideas provide data and input for developers to better understand the local communities' needs and create apps that matter.

TURN IDEAS INTO REALITY. Apps are what make it happen. Your participation is what turns the vision for public data into reality. Submit ideas that unlock the potential of local data and you could win cool stuff.

FEATURED IDEA

Portland Poetry Boxes

FEATURED APP

Public Art PDX

TOP IDEAS from people just like you

most popular ideas right now

| | |
|---------------------|--|
| Augmented Portla... | |
| Portland API (PA... | |
| History App | |
| Use sidewalk dat... | |

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TOP APPS made with change in mind

most popular apps right now

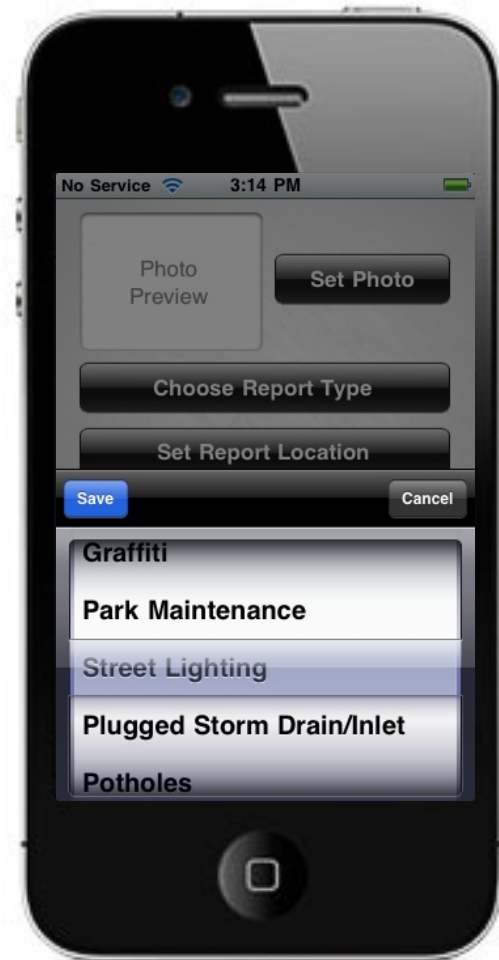
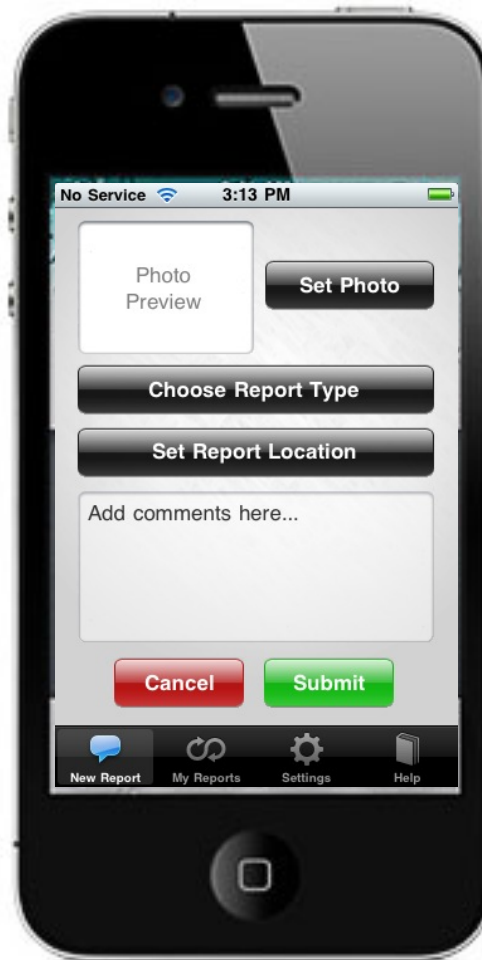
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| Pdxtrian | |
| PDX Bus | |
| Portland Crime | |
| Clackamas County... | |

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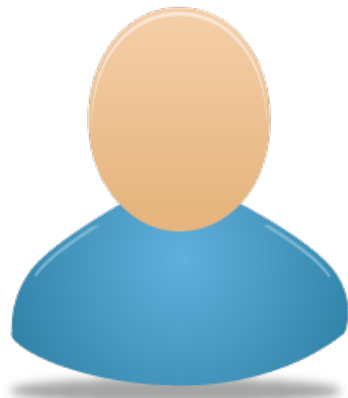
PDX Reporter

FOR iPhone & ANDROID



City Council Agenda Data

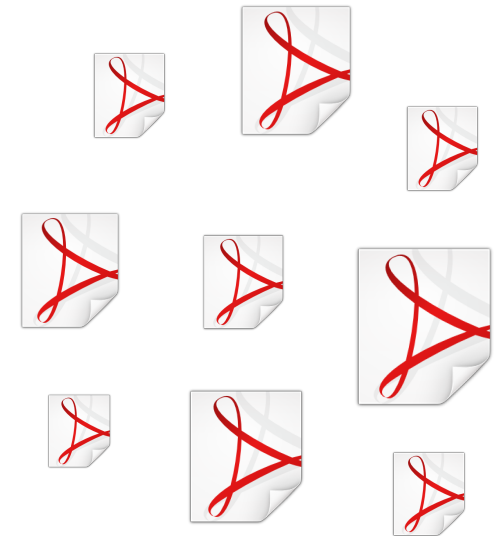
The old method...



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**WORD
DOCS**



PDFS

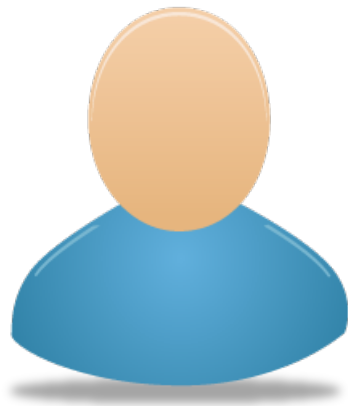


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- Front-end management tool
- Easy RESTful API access

City Council Agenda Data

...the new method.



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DB



JSON



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Front-End Application Demo



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Data Structure

Agendas, Sessions & Items



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: Data Structure

What's in an Agenda?

id: 275

status: 2

Footer: "Footer text"

title: "Portland City Council Agenda"

sessions: [...]



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Data Structure

What's in a Session?

id: 282

header: "THOSE PRESENT WERE..."

start_date: "2011-05-25 09:30:00.0"

location: "City Hall - 1221 SW Fourth Avenue"

message: "Due to lack of an agenda there will
be no meeting."

items: [...]



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: Data Structure

What's in an Item?

id: 875

heading: "Times Certain"

disposition: "Ordinance 2912"

Files: "attachment.pdf"

topic: "Portland Rose Festival Foundation..."

bureaus: "Office of Neighborhood Involvement"

motions: [...] (Contains the Council votes)



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: API Overview

BASE URL:

<http://api.portlandoregon.gov/councilagenda/>

GETTING AGENDAS:

agendas

agenda/[id]

GETTING SESSIONS:

agenda/[id]/sessions

session/[id]

GETTING ITEMS:

session/[id]/items

item/[id]



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Sample Application Demo



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Brainstorm Session



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GITHUB REPO

<https://github.com/eGovPDX>

- Front-end Application
- API Documentation
- Sample Application
- Resources



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