# State of the Map India
## 2026 | Nashik

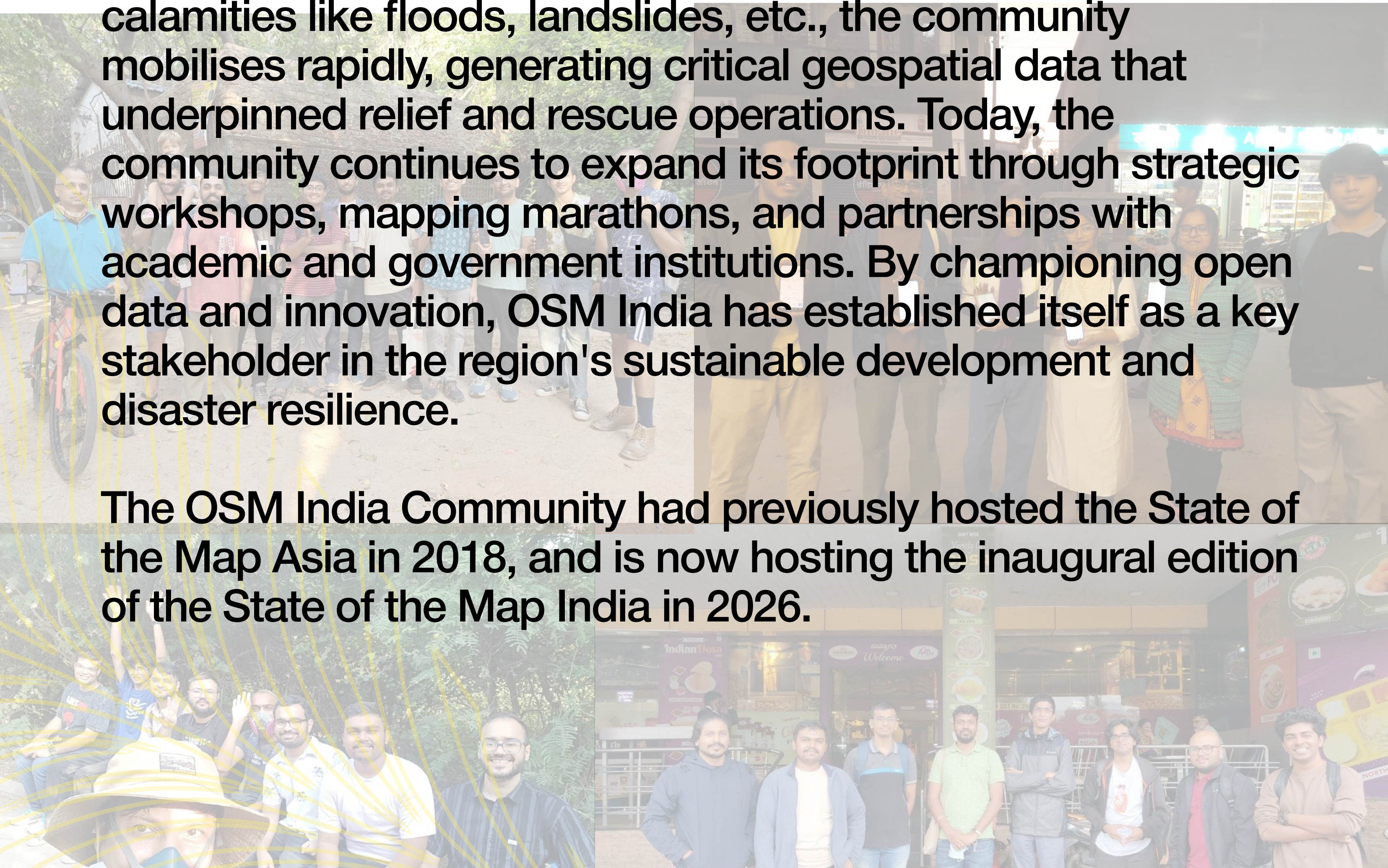# Sponsorship Deck

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# About Us

The OpenStreetMap (OSM) India community is a vibrant, passionate group of volunteers dedicated to improving geospatial data for India and beyond. Since its inception, the community has actively contributed to mapping the country's diverse landscapes, urban infrastructure, public services, and natural resources. From mapping rural areas to updating city maps with the latest infrastructure changes, the Indian OSM community has played a crucial role in providing accurate, up-to-date, and freely accessible geographic information. Their efforts have been instrumental in promoting open data, driving collaboration between technologists, planners, and local governments.

The OSM India community has proven to be a pivotal force during times of crisis. During many natural disasters and calamities like floods, landslides, etc., the community mobilises rapidly, generating critical geospatial data that underpinned relief and rescue operations. Today, the community continues to expand its footprint through strategic workshops, mapping marathons, and partnerships with academic and government institutions. By championing open data and innovation, OSM India has established itself as a key stakeholder in the region's sustainable development and disaster resilience.

The OSM India Community had previously hosted the State of the Map Asia in 2018, and is now hosting the inaugural edition of the State of the Map India in 2026.

# About
# The Event

State of the Map India 2026, abbreviated as SotM India 2026, is a regional variant of the global State of the Map event by the OpenStreetMap Foundation. It is a gathering that brings together geospatial enthusiasts, mappers, developers, researchers, and advocates of open data from across India and beyond. It serves as a platform to exchange knowledge, share mapping experiences, and explore new technologies related to geospatial data. The event features a wide range of activities, including workshops, technical sessions, mapping parties, and panel discussions, aimed at fostering collaboration and building the community's capacity to contribute to the OSM project. Participants gain hands-on experience in using OSM tools, learning best practices, and contributing to open mapping initiatives that benefit Indian and global projects alike.

This meetup also highlights the critical role of the Indian OSM community in addressing local challenges, focusing on themes like disaster resilience, environmental conservation, and urban planning, showcasing how open mapping can serve as a tool for social good. The event attracts participants from diverse sectors, including academia, government, NGOs, and tech communities, creating a unique interdisciplinary space. Whether experienced mappers or new contributors, attendees leave with new skills, ideas, and connections, driving forward the mission of making geospatial data more accessible and impactful for all.

# Event Schedule

## 24 Jan 2026

## Talks and Discussions

Being a part of FOSS4G Asia as a track, the entire day is dedicated to lightning talks, long talks and discussions related or dedicated to the OpenStreetMap Project.

## Expected Participation

50+ people

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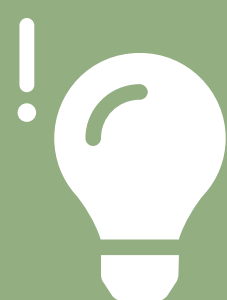
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