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1. CUSTOMER SEGMENT(S) Who is your customer?

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6. CUSTOMER CONSTRAINTS

What constraints prevent your customers from taking action

or limit their choices of solutions? i.e. spending power, budget, no cash,

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5. AVAILABLE SOLUTIONS Which solutions are available to the customers when they face the problem or need to get the job done? What have they tried in the past? What pros & cons

do these solutions have? i.e. pen and paper is an alternative to digital notetaking

i.e. working parents of 0-5 y.o. kids

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Define CS,

understand

Focus

Urban residents of Smart Cities

Working professionals, senior citizens, students

Local businesses impacted by civic issues

Lack of awareness about complaint channels

Limited access to smartphones/internet (in some demographics)

Language barriers

network connection, available devices.

Low trust in government response

Traditional municipal helpline numbers

Manual complaint registers at local offices

Twitter handles of municipal corporations

WhatsApp civic groups

Cons: No tracking, low response, unclear authority, poor feedback loop

2. JOBS-TO-BE-DONE / PROBLEMS J&P

There could be more than one; explore different sides.

Which jobs-to-be-done (or problems) do you

address for your customers?



9. PROBLEM ROOT CAUSE

What is the real reason that this problem exists? What is the back story behind the need to do this job? i.e. customers have to do it because of the change in regulations.

7. BEHAVIOUR



What does your customer do to address the problem and get the job done? i.e. directly related: find the right solar panel installer, calculate usage and benefits; indirectly associated: customers spend free time on volunteering work (i.e. Greenpeace)

Report public infrastructure issues quickly (e.g., potholes, broken streetlights, garbage overflow)

Track status of complaints

Avoid time-consuming visits or phone calls to civic bodies

Increase transparency and accountability in city services

Lack of centralized, efficient, and citizen-friendly issue reporting mechanism

Unstructured complaint processing by municipal bodies

Gap between issue reporting and response tracking

Low civic-tech integration in public governance

Capture photos/videos of issues

Share on social media to get attention

Call municipal offices or use ward meetings to complain

Discuss in local Resident Welfare Associations

3. TRIGGERS What triggers customers to act? i.e. seeing their neighbour installing



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10. YOUR SOLUTION What kind of solution suits Customer scenario the best?

for marketing and communication.



8.1 ONLINE CHANNELS What kind of actions do customers take online?

Extract online channels from box #7 Behaviour

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Witnessing unresolved public issues

solar panels, reading about a more efficient solution in the news.

Social media posts about civic negligence

Delays in traditional complaint systems

4. EMOTIONS: BEFORE / AFTER

Before: Frustrated, helpless,

After: Empowered, confident,

ignored, anxious

satisfied, hopeful

How do customers feel when they face a problem or a job and afterwards?

i.e. lost, insecure > confident, in control - use it in your communication strategy

A mobile + web-based Smart City Issue Reporting app that allows citizens to:

Adjust your solution to fit Customer behaviour, use Triggers, Channels & Emotions

Instantly report issues with geotagging and media uploads

Track complaint progress

Get push/email notifications

View issue history and resolutions

Enable two-way communication with civic authorities

If you are working on an existing business, write down your current solution first, fill in the canvas, and check how much it fits reality. If you are working on a new business proposition, then keep it blank until you fill in the canvas and come up with a solution that fits within customer limitations, solves a problem and matches customer behaviour.

Social media posts/tweets

Google reviews about city services

City mobile apps (if any)

8.2 OFFLINE CHANNELS



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ferentiate

What kind of actions do customers take offline? Extract offline channels from box #7 Behaviour and use them for customer development.

Visiting municipal ward office

Calling complaint hotlines

Local newspaper letters