



Esri Community Development eBrief



The Ray Showcases How Iowa DOT Can Generate Millions of Dollars of Electricity by Using Existing Rights-of-Way

The right-of-way (ROW) solar mapping tool from The Ray can analyze how suitable and economically valuable ROW locations might be for solar array placement to offset CO2 emissions and generate revenue.

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Inclusionary Housing Map Supports the Scale of Housing with Lasting Affordability

Grounded Solutions Network, a national nonprofit organization that's advancing racial equity through long-term affordable housing, developed the Inclusionary Housing Map that reflects the overarching movement toward data democratization in our society.

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Tips You Need to Understand Funding Planning and Economic Development Initiatives with ARPA

In case you missed it, watch this webinar recording to hear from Jason Jordan, the American Planning Association's director of government and policy affairs. Get a better understanding of how you can use federal funding to help your community thrive.

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I Went to Planning Conferences So You Don't Have to

Esri's planning and community development industry manager shares the key issues and topics that every county leader needs to know.

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Creating an Environment for Racial Equity and Social Justice

Explore real-world examples of how GIS is helping governments advance racial equity by mapping and analyzing inequities, engaging communities, promoting best practices, and managing the performance of their initiatives.

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Updates Coming Soon to American Community Survey Layers



Mark your calendar for spring 2022! Within days of the US Census Bureau's American Community Survey (ACS) data release, the dedicated ArcGIS Living Atlas of the World policy maps team will update all the ACS layers in ArcGIS Living Atlas, so you can leverage the latest, most accurate information in your work.

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