

# Citizens Make the Future

However you participate in National Day of Civic Hacking, you're already part of a movement making the future. The next decade of civic governance needs ideas and prototypes. More importantly—to realize new opportunities for government to be more responsive, efficient, and inclusive of all citizens—the next decade needs your participation. We can build a stronger economy adapted to 21st century work, live in neighborhoods that improve our health, and prepare our communities to nimbly respond to any possibilities. All of these futures begin with what you make, invent, imagine, and hack today.

OPPORTUNITIES AND CHALLENGES FOR THE NEXT DECADE OF CIVIC GOVERNANCE | JUNE 1-2, 2013

## Get Started

This map is a tool for exploring the big questions facing civic governance today and for envisioning the kind of future cities, states, and nation we want to build together. **Here are two ways to get started.**

### START FROM A CIVIC HACK DAY DATASET OR CHALLENGE

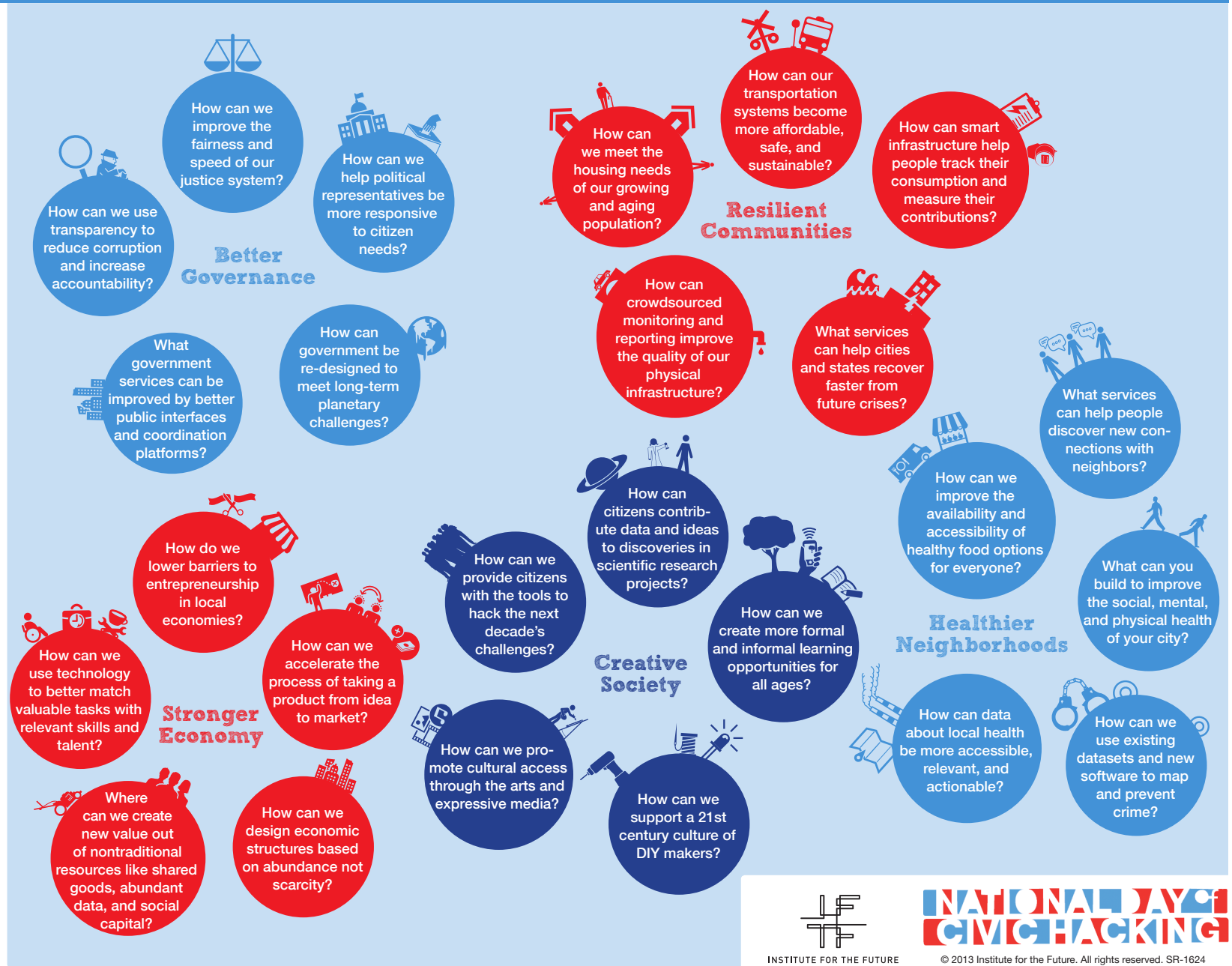
Connect it to one of the questions on this map. How can you solve the problem today and also build for the future? [hackforchange.org](http://hackforchange.org)

### PICK A QUESTION ON THIS MAP

Think about different approaches and technologies you could use to answer it. Discuss with other Civic Hack Day participants. You might link together two or more Civic Hack Day challenges or datasets to find surprising connections and insights.

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