

# **Federal Efforts in Smart Cities R&D**

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# White House “Smart Cities” Initiative Launched September 2015



The image shows a screenshot of a White House blog post. At the top, there is a dark blue navigation bar with the White House logo on the left and several menu items: 'BRIEFING ROOM', 'ISSUES', 'THE ADMINISTRATION', 'PARTICIPATE', and '1600 PENN'. A search icon is on the right. Below the navigation bar, the text 'HOME - BLOG' is visible. The main heading of the post is 'Launching a Smart Cities Initiative to Tackle City Challenges with Innovative Approaches'. Below the heading, it says 'SEPTEMBER 16, 2015 AT 3:03 PM ET BY DAN CORREA'. There are three social media icons: Twitter, Facebook, and Email. A summary line reads: 'Summary: Over \$160M in Federal research investments and more than 25 new technology collaborations to help cities solve problems announced at the Smart Cities Forum this week.'

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# PCAST Report Calls for Federal Coordination to Identify Opportunities for Collaboration and Synergy

REPORT TO THE PRESIDENT  
Technology and the Future  
of Cities

Executive Office of the President  
President's Council of Advisors on  
Science and Technology

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## Smart and Connected Communities Framework

This framework outlines a vision and an approach agencies can use to move forward together in pursuing a vision of smart and connected communities...



# Agency Investments Align with their Mission

## Collectively Spanning Research and Development to Deployment



Array of Things (Chicago)  
Douglas Pancoast & Satya Mark Basu,  
School of the Art Institute of Chicago

### Fundamental Research

- Cyber-Physical Systems, Advanced Networking, BIGDATA, Sociotechnical Systems

### Building Community

- Workshops



Columbus, Ohio, named winner of \$50M prize, combined with nearly \$100M in non-federal dollars raised.



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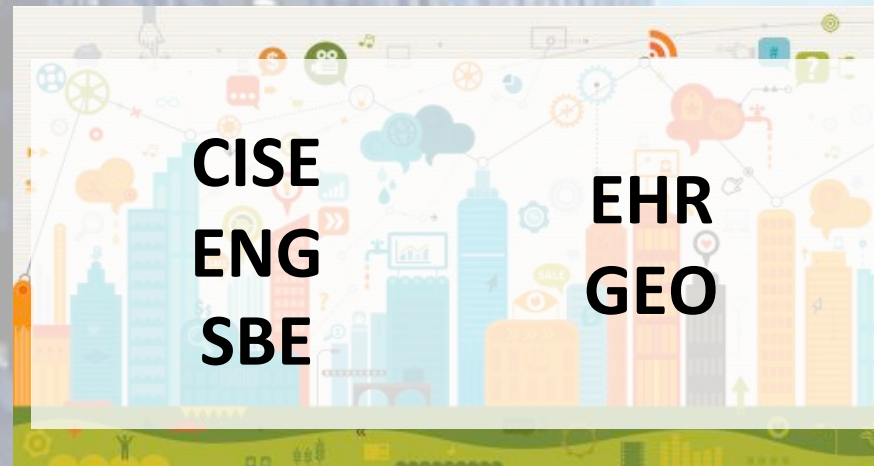
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