

12 NOV CITY GOVERNMENT ENCOUNTER

Showcase of cities linked to the principles of the Declaration

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Sharing Cities Declaration:

Cities' Common Principles and Commitments for City Sovereignty regarding the Platform Economy

PROCESS

BASIC BUT COMMON VIEWS

Resulting from:

- work done in previous Summits in **NYC** and **Amsterdam**
- co-creation process with the cities prior to the Summit (2 full rounds and 3 versions)

Changes proposed were about **minor content aspects** and almost all have been assumed

-> therefore great consensus on the basic and general ideas



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PURPOSE

- **Valuable** resource to communicate cities common views
- Facilitate that platforms and other institutions take into consideration **cities role** and **perspective**
- It is a framework to support actions of **collaboration** among cities and to build upon our **common strategies**



Sharing Cities Declaration

CHARACTER

It is **not legally binding**

Declaration would just entail political validation

Thus we are not expecting a formal signature nor formal procedure

FOLLOW UP

Task force and a structure to support the continuation of communications and collaborations after the Summit:

- Barcelona commits to provide **operational resources** initially
- Adhering to the declaration does **not involve any requirement** to be active in the following actions

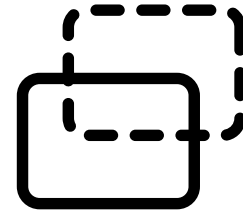
Main potential concrete **outcomes**:

- Coordination and support for negotiations with **global platforms**
- Sharing knowledge on concrete **policy actions** on this topic
- Collaboration on promotion programs to empower local sharing economy ecosystem to develop **responsible models**

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Distinguish between the different models of digital platforms regarding their functioning and impacts, in order to design public policies according to this differentiation.



Principle #2

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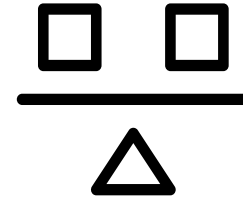
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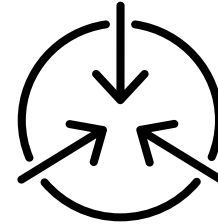
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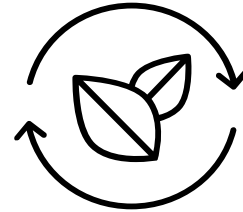
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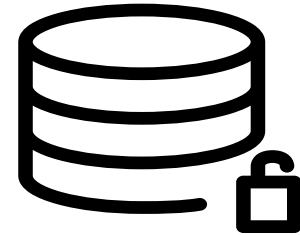
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Principle #7

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Protect citizens' digital rights through the implementation of Technological Sovereignty policies and ethical digital standards.



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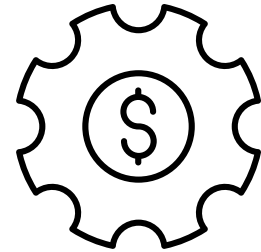
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Economic promotion

Promote the development of local collaborative economic ecosystems and particularly small and medium enterprises (SME), based on positive impact in cities –as described in the first principle– through entrepreneurship support programs, participative tools, funding or other promotion tools.



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