

THE MALAYSIA SMART CITY INITIATIVES ON GREEN TRANSFORMATION

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MALAYSIA SMART CITY Scan to download (MSCF) 2019-2025

To guide and as a reference to local governments (city managers), state governments, federal ministries and departments, industry players and other stakeholders in the PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT OF SMART CITIES IN MALAYSIA

Source : Malaysia Smart City Framework 2025

2026 - 2040: **MALAYSIA SMART CITY BLUEPRINT**



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SMART CITY COMPONENTS

Malaysia Smart City Framework 2019 – 2025 KPKT



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Smart Cities Can Be A Significant Transition Towards Green Transformation (GX)



By integrating advanced technologies, data analytics, and sustainable urban planning, smart cities aim to enhance energy efficiency, reduce carbon footprints, and promote environmentally friendly practices.



Malaysia have identified SMART CITIES as one of the vehicles towards Green Transformation (GX)





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MS ISO 37122:2019 - INDICATORS RELATED TO GREEN INITIATIVES



SMART CITY IMPLEMENTATION ON GREEN TRANSFORMATION IN MALAYSIA (BY LOCAL GOVERNMENT)



GEORGETOWN

Penang Island City Council (MBPP)

Project: Smart Parking System

Overview: The smart parking system reduces traffic congestion and pollution by optimizing parking availability using IoT solutions. **Green Aspects:** Reduction in vehicle emissions through less time spent searching for parking, coupled with promoting alternative modes of transport such as cycling and walking.

IPOH

Ipoh City Council

Project: Smart Traffic Light for Smart Low Carbon City

Overview: The city have worked with Telekom Malaysia on providing smart traffic light as on e of smart city solution aims to reduce waiting time and improve traffic mobility across the city.

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Green Aspects: Optimize travelling time up to 51% and reduce carbon emission 7,500 tonne a month

CYBERJAYA

Sepang Municipal Council (MP Sepang)

Project: Low-Carbon City Framework

Overview: Cyberjaya is designed as a tech-centric smart city, with strong emphasis on green technology, energy efficiency, and smart infrastructure. **Green Aspects:** Solar-powered streetlights, waste to-energy systems, smart building designs, and a cycling-friendly urban design.

PUTRAJAYA

Putrajaya Corporation (PPj)

Project: Green City Initiative

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Overview: As the federal administrative center, Putrajaya aims to become a low-carbon city through initiatives like energy-efficient buildings, sustainable transport (electric buses), and expansive green spaces. **Green Aspects:** Incorporation of eco-friendly public transportation, green roofs, and urban parks to reduce carbon footprint and enhance urban greenery.

KUALA LUMPUR

💐 Kuala Lumpur City Hall (DBKL)

Project: River of Life (RoL)

Overview: A key urban regeneration initiative aimed at transforming the Klang River into a vibrant and sustainable waterfront, integrating green infrastructure, improving water quality, and promoting walkability and public spaces.

Green Aspects: Emphasis on creating eco-friendly public spaces, promoting lowcarbon transport options, and enhancing the biodiversity of urban rivers.

KUANTAN

Kuantan Municipal Council (MPK)

Project: Smart Green City Vision

Overview: Kuantan is positioning itself as a green and smart city, with projects focused on renewable energy, sustainable waste management, and improving public infrastructure.

Green Aspects: Solar-powered streetlights, electric buses, green public spaces, and waste recycling initiatives as part of its Low Carbon City framework.

JOHOR BAHRU

Iskandar Regional Development Authority (IRDA)

Project: Smart City Green Initiatives

Overview: Iskandar Malaysia has been actively developing smart city initiatives, focusing on sustainable urban mobility, energy-efficient buildings, and green growth strategies. **Green Aspects:** Implementation of electric buses, smart grids, green buildings certified under the Green Building Index (GBI), and waste management projects.

Sarawak

Kota Kinabalu

🧖 Kota Kinabalu City Hall (DBKK)

Project: Integrated Public Transport System & Integrated Solid Waste Management

Overview: Kota Kinabalu's focuses on integrating green technology in urban development, improving waste management, and enhancing public transport services.

Green Aspects: The city has introduced smart waste management solutions, clean energy initiatives, and plans for green public transport systems, including the possibility of electric buses and more cycling lanes.



Project: Hydrogen-powered Autonomous Rapid Transit (ART) trains

Overview: This project is part of Sarawak's move towards becoming a hub for hydrogen energy and achieving a net-zero carbon economy by 2030. **Green Aspects:** The ART will be powered by hydrogen fuel cells, which produce zero emissions, making it a green alternative to conventional public transport systems.



Melaka State Government

Project: Smart Green City Action Plan

Overview: Melaka is part of the Global Covenant of Mayors for Climate & Energy and is working on becoming a green heritage city. Its Smart Green City Action Plan includes initiatives related to waste management, green transport, and sustainable tourism. **Green Aspects:** Emphasis on green tourism, electric public transport, and historical building preservation with eco-friendly modifications.

SMART CITY IMPLEMENTATION ON GREEN TRANSFORMATION IN MALAYSIA (BY PROPERTY DEVELOPER)



BANDAR MALAYSIA

TRX City Sdn Bhd

Project: Green and Smart City Vision

Overview: Bandar Malaysia is envisioned as a smart and green township with a focus on sustainability and cutting-edge technology. It will be Malaysia's next integrated transportation hub, offering a transit-oriented development (TOD) with green infrastructure.

Green Aspects: Emphasis on green buildings, energy-efficient designs, and sustainable transport modes such as electric trains, cycling, and pedestrian networks.

KWASA DAMANSARA TOWNSHIP

KWASALAND Kwasa Land Sdn Bhd

Overview: A new urban township in Sungai Buloh, Kwasa Damansara integrates green technologies and smart solutions, aimed at becoming a transit-oriented and eco-friendly township.

Green Aspects: Sustainability-driven, focusing on energy-efficient buildings, public green spaces, and integration of smart transport solutions such as electric buses.

SETIA ECO TEMPLER

SP Setia Berhad Group

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Overview: A green and smart township located in Rawang, designed with ecofriendly homes and environmental conservation in mind. Setia Eco Templer blends smart city solutions with natural landscapes and sustainability efforts. **Green Aspects:** Energy-efficient homes, rainwater harvesting systems, and landscape preservation that includes natural rivers and forests.

4 ECO ARDENCE BY ECOWORLD

ECOWORLD EcoWorld Development Group Berhad

Overview: Located in Setia Alam, Eco Ardence is a sustainable township offering eco-friendly homes with smart features. It aims to combine green living with smart city technologies.

Green Aspects: Eco-friendly housing with green roofs, smart lighting systems, solar energy solutions, and dedicated green spaces to promote a healthy lifestyle and sustainable community.



Sime Darby Property

Overview: The City of Elmina is a township development in Shah Alam focused on wellness and sustainability, incorporating green technologies and eco-friendly practices. **Green Aspects:** Energy-efficient homes, water conservation strategies, large green spaces, and smart traffic management. The township also includes features that promote biodiversity and sustainable community living.

GAMUDA COVE

GAMUDA LAND Gamuda Land

Project: Sustainable Township Development

Overview: Gamuda Cove focuses on creating a sustainable township by blending smart technologies with environmental conservation, including wetland parks and smart homes. **Green Aspects:** Use of solar energy, energy-efficient homes, and

integration with natural ecosystems for environmental sustainability.

SETIA ECO GLADES

Setia SP Setia Berhad Group

Overview: Setia Eco Glades is a green township that integrates natural landscapes and sustainable housing development. It incorporates water-saving technologies, green architecture, and extensive biodiversity conservation efforts. **Green Aspects:** Emphasis on eco-friendly housing, sustainable water management, and extensive landscaping that promotes biodiversity.

3 GREENTECH CYBERJAYA

Cyberview Sdn Bhd

Overview: Cyberjaya 2.0 aims to be a low-carbon, green city that integrates smart technologies for urban living. GreenTech Cyberjaya 2 is an extension of the original Cyberjaya smart city concept, focusing on energy-efficient infrastructure and sustainable urban solutions.

Green Aspects: Smart building technologies, solar power integration, green mobility solutions (such as electric buses and bike-sharing), and sustainable waste management.



SUNWAY CITY

SUNWAY Sunway Group

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Project: Smart and Sustainable Township

Overview: Sunway City is Malaysia's first fully integrated green township certified under the Low Carbon Cities Framework. It features energy-efficient buildings, smart water management, and extensive green spaces. **Green Aspects:** A combination of sustainable construction, green spaces, and integrated smart solutions like solar panels, rainwater harvesting systems, and electric vehicle charging stations

FOREST CITY

FOREST CITY Forest City by Country Garden Pacificview

Overview: Forest City is a massive development near Johor Bahru, positioned as an eco-friendly smart city integrating technology and nature. It includes smart homes, vertical greening, and energy-efficient infrastructure.

Green Aspects: Features sustainable technologies like vertical gardens, green rooftops, energy-efficient buildings, solar panels, and smart water management systems. The development is designed to minimize environmental impact and promote biodiversity.

9 ECO MAJESTIC BY ECOWORLD

ECOWORLD EcoWorld Development Group Berhad

Overview: Eco Majestic is a sustainable township in Semenyih that blends smart city concepts with nature, offering green spaces, sustainable homes, and community-driven development. **Green Aspects:** Incorporation of eco-friendly home designs, energy-efficient infrastructure, and vast green landscapes, including parks and lakes.

SMART CITY PROJECTS IN MALAYSIA

SMART GOVERNMENT: INTEGRATED OPERATION CENTRE/COMMAND CENTRE





DEWAN BANDARAYA KUALA LUMPUR

CITY OF KUALA LUMPUR

SMART CITY PROJECTS IN MALAYSIA



SMART MOBILITY: ELECTRIC VEHICLE (EV) & EV CHARGING INFRASTRUCTURE



SMART CITY PROJECTS IN MALAYSIA

SMART MOBILITY: SMART BUS STOP



CITY OF PENANG

SMART MOBILITY: SMART BUS STOP & ELECTRIC BUS







Wayforward : Malaysia Smart City Maturity Journey

			Level 1 – Smart City Early Adopter	Level 2 – Developing Smart City	Level 3 – Leading Smart City	Level 4 – Visionary Smart City
			62 PBT City Hall, City Council & Municipal Council (2025 – 2040) 15 Years Pre			eparation Duration
			93 PBT District Council (2030 – 2040) 10 Years Preparation Duration			
POLICY	Smart City Action Plan	• Nil	 Prepare Smart City Action Plan 	 Implement some initiatives in the Smart City Action Plan 	 Implement most part of Smart City Action Plan 	Fully implement the Smart City Action PlanReviewing the Smart City Action Plan
	Smart City Governance	• Nil	 Establish Smart City Unit/ Committee 	 Active Smart City Committee Established Smart City Unit/ Division 	 Proactive Smart City Committee Smart City Unit / Division 	 Proactive and effective Smart City Committee Smart City Unit / Division Smart City Expert
DATA MANAGEMENT	Data Management	 No Open Data Policy Siloed Data Manual Data Access 	 Formulate open data policy Limited data integration and sharing 	 Implement open data policy Comprehensive data integration (intra-agency) Advanced dashboard & reporting 	 Implement comprehensive open data policy Comprehensive data integration (inter-agency) 	Implement comprehensive open data policyAutomated data integration
	Data Analytics	- Nil	 Descriptive 	DescriptiveDiagnostic	DescriptiveDiagnosticPredictive	 Descriptive Diagnostic Predictive Prescriptive
	Command Centre / IOC	 Nil command centre/ dashboard 	 Initial dashboard/ mini command centre 	 Integrated command centre 	 Advanced command centre 	 Intelligent Operation Centre
& PROGRAM	Internet of Things (IoT)	 Nil/ Limited 	 Integrated IoT and connectivity 	 Integration between IoT vertical 	 Extensive Integration between IoT vertical 	 Next Generation IoT (NGIoT)
PROJECT	MS ISO 37122:2019	 Not complied 	Comply 10 indicators	Comply 35 indicators	Comply 63 indicators	Comply 85 indicators
			1 – 3 Years	3 – 5 Years	5 – 10 Years	10 – 15 Years
			2023 - 2025	2026 - 2030	2031 – 2035 >	2035 – 2040 >

SMART CITY IN MALAYSIA: OUR JOURNEY AND WAY FORWARD DIRECTION



MALAYSIA'S STRATEGY TOWARDS SMART NATION 2040

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Malaysia Smart City Indicators based on MS ISO 37122.

4th National Physical Plan towards Smart Nations 2040









"While **Smart Cities** leverage technology and data to enhance urban living, improve services, and promote economic growth, on the other hand, **Green Cities or transformation** focus on sustainable development, reducing carbon footprints, and promoting ecological balance."

