

SMART CITY

#### The 6th ASEAN-Japan Smart Cities Network High Level Meeting



#### Thailand's Path to Carbon Neutrality: Smart City Solutions for Green Transformation

#### Dr. Wetang Puangsap

Deputy Permanent Secretary Ministry of Digital Economy and Society of Thailand

# **Green by Design**

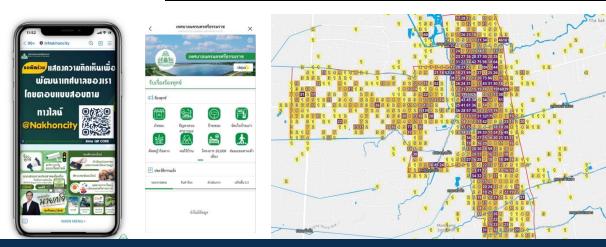
### Green by Digitalization

### **Green by Optimization**

# Green by Design

- Smart Green Corridor: Strategic tree planting initiative aiming to provide 14.59 sqm of green space per person, improving air quality and overall urban health.
- Integration of Public Parks: The city's public spaces serve dual roles—both as recreational and educational hubs (e.g., TK Park Library, Discovery Park).
- Cultural Sustainability: Yala's urban planning reflects its multicultural heritage, blending traditional architecture with modern infrastructure.





# Green by Digitalization

Citizen Engagement: The Smart City E-Service project has more then 82,000 citizens signed up, and more than 100 trained "smart city officers" enabling real-time solutions for urban issues like flood prevention and urban management.

**Takeaway**: Nakhon Si Thammarat demonstrates how **digital tools** can empower citizens and **optimize city operations** for a sustainable future.





- Smart Bus for Efficient Mobility: Phuket's Smart Bus initiative optimizes public transportation through real-time data and energy-efficient vehicles.
- The **Smart Bus** is equipped with **IoT technology** to monitor usage patterns, improving route efficiency and reducing emissions.

# **Green by Optimization**

Takeaway: Phuket's Smart Bus System highlights how optimization of public transport can directly contribute to lower emissions and a greener urban environment.



## **Thailand's Smart City Mechanisms**



(depa)

(Ministries & Agencies)



# depa





### **People First**

Dr. Wetang Puangsap Deputy Permanent Secretary of the Ministry of Digital Economy and Society (DE),