

What is a Smart Community?



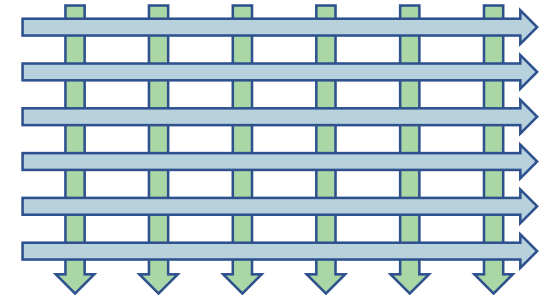
A smart community uses information and communication technologies to increase operational efficiency, share information with the public and improve both the quality of government services and citizen welfare. (Source: TechTarget)

Exhibit Orientation

Smart Systems for Smarter Communities exhibit is based upon six utility perspectives of a smart community. Those perspectives are the six booths of the exhibit. Then the exhibit considers utility business scenarios that cut across all six perspectives. The graphic at the right illustrates this orientation.

Perspectives (Booths)

Business Scenarios



What is the purpose of this exhibit?

- Examine a utility's perspectives of a smart community
- Give utilities a wider view of their task
 - Help technology partners understand what utilities want

To start discussions!

What goes on in each booth?

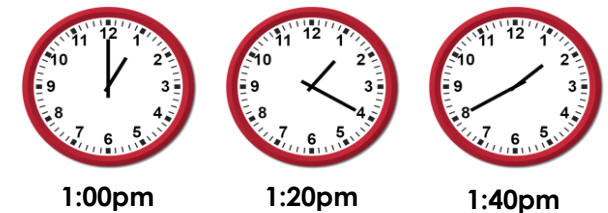
- The exhibit is staffed for one hour: Wednesday, May 9, 1:00 – 2:00pm
- The 6 booths will each offer their sessions simultaneously (times are below)
- Each session lasts 15 minutes: 10 minutes of presentation, then open Q&A
- You can visit up to 3 different booths during the hour
- After 2:00pm Wednesday, informational kiosks are available in each booth
- Start discussions in the booth – finish them at your leisure!

Where are the Booths? Use the floorplan to find them ⇒

Booth No.	Utility Perspective	Utility Speaking
100	Telecom	Southern Company
122	Grid	Idaho Power
630	Operations	American Electric Power
1220	Corporate	Alliant Energy
1601	Beyond the Meter	Salt River Project
1623	Cybersecurity	Tacoma Power



When are the sessions?



Wednesday, May 9

Three 15-minute sessions in each booth
Information kiosks in each booth all day