# Paris Open Source

**The City's commitment to Open Source and roadmap**

# Context (1/3)
## The City of Paris' commitment and engagement to the open source ecosystem

1. **The genesis**

   · Important recourse to Open Source

   · Awareness and recognition by our elected officials

   · A strong footprint and recognition in the global eco-system

2. **Why Open Source?**

   · Competitive advantages: access to code, security, dependency management tools, flexibility, responsiveness.

   · Sovereignty, autonomy, customized roadmap...

   · Image of the City

3. **Okay, but how?**

   · User - Bringing benefits to our favor, OS software improvement

   · Producer - generate software for our own needs, sponsor developments, share...

# Context (2/3)
## A fluctuating community

**1. The City is an active member of the French and international Open Source ecosystem...**

· Active member of French and European associations

· Lutece adopted by notable partners / contributors

· Integrators who have specialized their offer

**2. ...But who struggles to maintain this community**

· Insufficient onboarding and support teams

· A growing technical debt

**3. New partners and events bring great opportunities**

· December '18 international symposium, June '19 gathering with major players, EU cities CIOs event in '22...

· City of Lyon, Bloomberg Associates, Johns Hopkins University...

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# Context (3/3)
## A significant capacity

1. **Recent highlights and awards**

   · 2022: Territoria Bronze for the "Vote of the Participatory Budget with majority judgment

   · Articles on the City's Open Source policy in AIMF, la Gazette des Communes, ZDNet, SocNum...

   · Danese Cooper takes Parisian example during his keynote at FOSDEM in 2020

2. **Significant new adoptions**

   · Accommodation establishments for dependent elderly people: Rendez-Vous

   · Budapest: Participatory Budgetting

   · JHU provides with a Lutece website for a local NGO in Baltimore + Semesters of Code in 2021

   · Plaine Commune : BienVu based on Dans Ma Rue

   · Local authorities

3. **New to come**

   · Upcoming collaborations with many partners...

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# The « Good Governance » Initiative (1/2)

**1. City involvement in in became the OSPO Alliance work**

· The City has been a member of OW2 since 2014 - on the board of directors since 2016

· Participation in the definition of Market Readiness Level - to evaluate the maturity of Lutece as an OS project

· Good Governance initiative - the City's CIO agreed to be a pilot in the implementation of the method

**2. Strong arguments to pursue this dynamic**

· To benefit from the advantages of the OS

· Assume our culture and practice of SO, be recognized as actors in the ecosystem
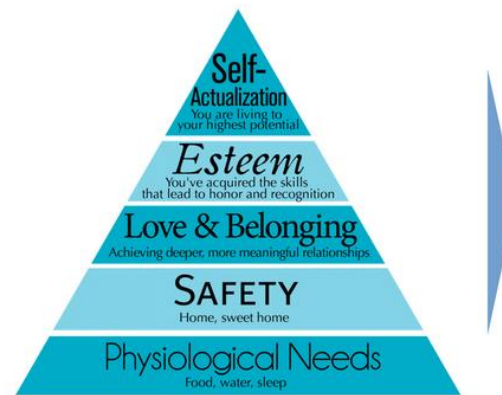
· To push our sovereignty further

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# The « Good Governance » initiative (2/2)

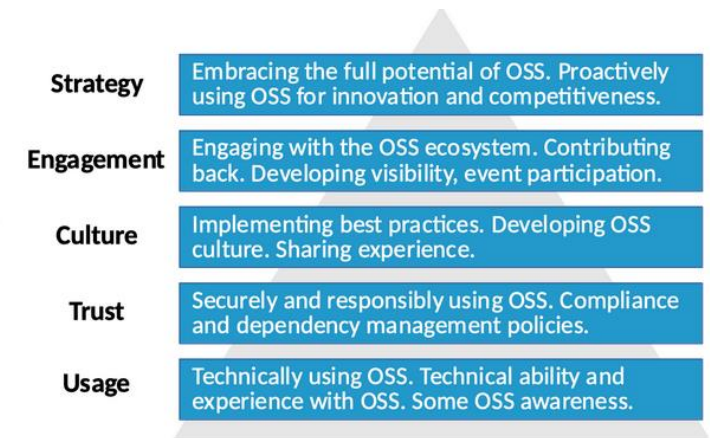1. **Now implemented at the City**

   · Professional approach of OS

   · Implementation of an Open Source policy (dedicated roadmap)

2. **Provide a consistent framework for implementing the OS policy**

   - A general observation of dispersed use

   - No state of the art



Abraham Maslow's Hierarchy of Behavioral Motivation

OW2 Goals to OSS Good Governance

# Implementation at the City

1. **Position of the OS Officer / OSPO Officer / Head of OSPO...**

   · Ensures that the definition of activities is disseminated, shared and monitored

   · Single point of contact for teams, as a facilitator, within the department, but to be extended to avoid heterogeneous practices that may be off its radar

   · Reporting

2. **First significant steps**

   · Release of CiteLibre

   · Engineering team re-organization

   · Better PR / Community management

   · An up-to-date catalog for all OS bricks

# Thank you

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