

Ethelo Democracy

A nonprofit dedicated to online participatory democracy

Ethelo Decisions

A company dedicated to better group decision-making

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What is Ethelo?

"A combination of powerful algorithm for decision making and social media interface to provide rich array of qualitative information. Excellent for any group decision making requirements"





Ethelo is far more powerful than crowdsourcing. The sophisticated algorithm paired with the social media interface is unique in the marketplace. *Regional Director General, Dept. Public Works*

> An exceptional advance on the state of the art that is clearly ahead of the competition. Procurement Assessment Team, Gov.

Who uses Ethelo?

metrovancouver Transportation Policy

More than 100 local governments across Canada



Ferry Terminal Redesign



Health Planning



Infrastructure Canada

Smart Cities Contest Adjudication

- \$75m in prizes •
- 130 Canadian cities competing
- 15 person expert jury



Budgeting



Community Planning

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Ethelo enables meaningful engagement in decision-making



* IAP2 Spectrum of Engagement



Community Applications

Ethelo has hosted more than 300 deliberative processes, primarily on:

Community Planning

City Budgeting

Capital Projects

Public Policy

Political Platforms







Universal Access Engagements

1. Large Scale Outreach

- Phone and web ads
- Promote launch event
- 10,000 to 100,000 people contacted

2. Live-Cast Launch Event

- Overview Presentation by Hosts
- Attendance via phone or video
- Opportunity for Questions

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3. Participation : Three Options

- Custom Ethelo Instance
- Phone Concierge
- Hard-copy Response Package

4. Deliberation Options

- Facilitated small group discussions
- Collaborative "walk-throughs" of process
- Via phone or video

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5. Real-time Analysis

- All feedback feeds into Ethelo platform
- Results visible to all participants
- Process live for 2-3 weeks

6. Final Wrap-Up

- Process concludes with live presentation
- Panel discussion of results
- Officials announces next steps

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