



Community Uses of Open Data for a Greener NYC

Parks Without Borders Summit

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Parks

What is NYC Open Data?

NYC's Open Data Law, passed by City Council in 2012, requires city agencies to make data they create available for use by the public on a web portal.

More than 1,300 datasets are currently available online at <https://data.cityofnewyork.us>

Why Open Data?

Open Data has the potential to change the way citizens and community groups interact with and collaborate with government to effect change in their neighborhoods.

NYC's vision of *Open Data For All* is that Open Data is an invitation for anyone, anytime, anywhere to engage with New York City.



TREES COUNT

DATA JAM

June 4, 2016
Civic Hall, NYC

Goal:

Foster collaboration between NYC Parks, tree-oriented community groups and volunteers, and the civic technology community to use open data to improve our care of the urban forest.



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596 Acres

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