Civic Tech Ottawa: Hacknight #58 Tuesday, January 16, 2018

Key discussion items:

• How should each month of Civic Tech meetings to be structured?

Initial thoughts/questions (based on last week's meeting):

- → Have a speaker once a month
- → Have time dedicated to project updates
- → Do more demo days
- → Facilitate critical discussions on technology monthly?
- → How can we help make project work more sustainable?
- What are the tasks involved with planning and executing the Civic Tech meetings?

Initial thoughts/questions (based on last week's meeting):

- → Make a monthly schedule/checklist outlining tasks involved and deadlines
- → Have a monthly coordinator responsible for making sure all tasks are done and for MC'ing the meetings for that month
- → What have been the biggest logistical challenges? How can we address those going forward?
- What needs to be done from a "leadership/organizers" perspective (i.e. more strategic than logistical)? And how should this be structured?

Initial thoughts/questions (based on last week's meeting):

- → Do specific roles need to be identified? (E.g. communications coordinator, outreach coordinator, sponsorship coordinator, etc. people could step up for a few months at a time)
- → How often should a leadership/organizers group meet?

Planned Outcomes for Hacknight #58:

Draft monthly checklist/tasklist
Identify February meeting coordinator
Determine plan for rest of January meetings
Identify next steps for leadership/organizers group