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CMAP

Canadian Municipal Attributes Portal

A New Interactive Data Portal on Local Governance in Canada

We are pleased to announce the launch of the Canadian Municipal Attributes Portal (CMAP), an interactive app that presents information on how governance is structured in major municipalities across Canada. CMAP includes data on dozens of key institutional attributes – ranging from electoral systems and council structure to the governance of service provision – for nearly 100 municipalities. The portal's functions allow users to compare institutional characteristics across municipalities of their choice, making it a useful tool for both research and classroom applications.

You can access CMAP here:

<https://westernurban.shinyapps.io/CMAP/>

CMAP is an open-access project of Western University's Centre for Urban Policy and Local Governance (<https://nest.uwo.ca/urbancentre/>). The project leaders are Martin Horak and Zack Taylor.

CMAP is a living database, which will continue to be expanded and updated over time. We would be happy to hear feedback about the app and its contents at: cmap@uwo.ca