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Why Indian Government should support Volunteered Geographic Information - OpenStreetMap

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- ☐ Indians become the better users of smart phones than the American users as per a survey report published by Google along with IPSOS and MMA.
- ☐ Smart phones are not just a medium to call or message, but a smart device to meet their multiple needs such as share market, navigation, emails etc.
- ☐ In recent time the Indian Government has invested huge amount on the development of infrastructure & road network.
- **■** When the development rate is high, paper maps would be outdated quickly.
- ☐ The on-going challenge to governmental agencies is to reduce the delay between a change occurring in the road system and its visualisation in navigation system.
- □ OpenStreetMap can help if Indian Government supports the information updated by the users and direct central agencies to share the information. Any anomaly regarding the data would be taken care by the framework.