localwiki

LocalWiki (localwiki.org) is an ambitious effort to create community-owned, living information repositories that provide much-needed context behind the people, places, and events that shape our local communities. We are a 501(c)3 non-profit organization.
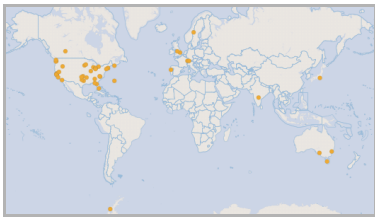

Substance

LocalWiki projects are informative, noncommercial, and built for the long term by neighbors who simply love their communities.

Community

With LocalWiki, the community has a shared project that everyone can participate in.

Our projects

Today there are 68 major, independent LocalWiki projects in 10 countries and 7 languages.

Our story

In 2004 we started the Davis Wiki (daviswiki.org) to share interesting information about the town of Davis, California. Today it's become the **largest, most used media source in the city**. In a week, nearly half of residents use the Davis Wiki — and **1** in **7** residents **contribute** material to the Davis Wiki.
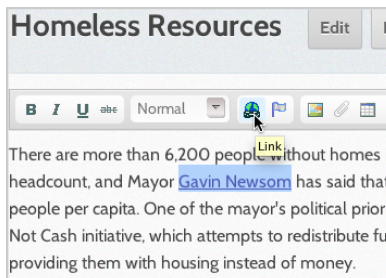
Work with us!

We'd love to work with you to help start or improve a LocalWiki project in your community! Shoot us an email at **contact@localwiki.org**.
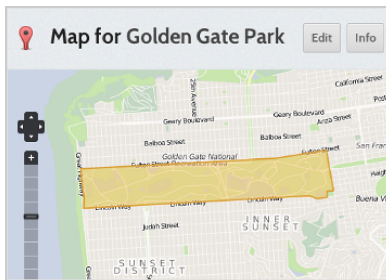
The LocalWiki Platform

The LocalWiki project is powered by an easy-to-use open-source software platform that's designed specifically for the needs of local communities.
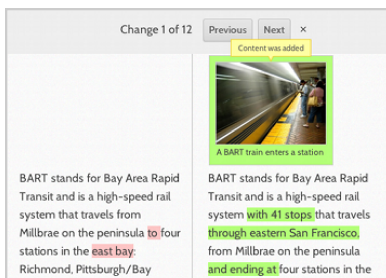

Editing for everyone

Simple and powerful editing that requires no training or technical knowledge. Designed for accessibility and ease of use.

A sense of place

Beautiful editable maps give context to every article and let you explore your community visually.

Mass collaboration

Built-in versioning saves the history of every article, image, and map. You can always see who made a change and exactly what was changed.

More information

For more information, see **localwiki.org**. Want to talk? Email **contact@localwiki.org**!