

Changing the World We See Through Land and Building Project Management

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SUMMARY

Project management is thought of as a structured way to deliver large projects on time, and within scope and budget. Increasingly, major changes to our current world are undertaken through major land management and buildings projects. Often practitioners in these areas have well developed techniques for undertaking change and introducing innovation. This paper will review case studies of projects in a number of countries that made changes in such areas as land information, the delivery of land management services through government, and major construction projects. It will explore the drivers for change, the techniques and processes used, identify techniques in common and how they contribute to innovation. Through this it will identify key factors for success and some lessons learned to avoid problems. Increasingly we are all involved in changing the world around us in some way and project management as a tool to undertake structured change can provide ideas and approaches for practitioners that lead to success.

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