

# Place Based Prevention & Community Building

*Increasing public safety and community livability  
across Multnomah County, Oregon.*





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**STRYVE Youth Street Interview Team**

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# Vision Statement

“Children, youth and families thriving in safe and healthy communities, with systems of support to increase access to quality and culturally informed opportunities and efforts that enhance public safety, livability and empowerment to shape the future of their neighborhoods.”

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# Needs Assessment

- Law Enforcement: violent crimes and assault, crimes with firearm, police stops and calls, gang affiliation, exclusions, re-entry populations, crimes by juveniles.
  - School: free and reduced lunch rates, school report cards, PPS school achievement milestones, six district suspension/expulsion data (rates and reasons for exclusion by race/ethnicity)
  - Census: poverty and 200% poverty rate, race/ethnicity, employment, housing, disaggregated education, employment and family demographics
  - Health Indicators: teen pregnancy, alcohol retailer density, injury and mortality, violent deaths, suicide, maternal and child health
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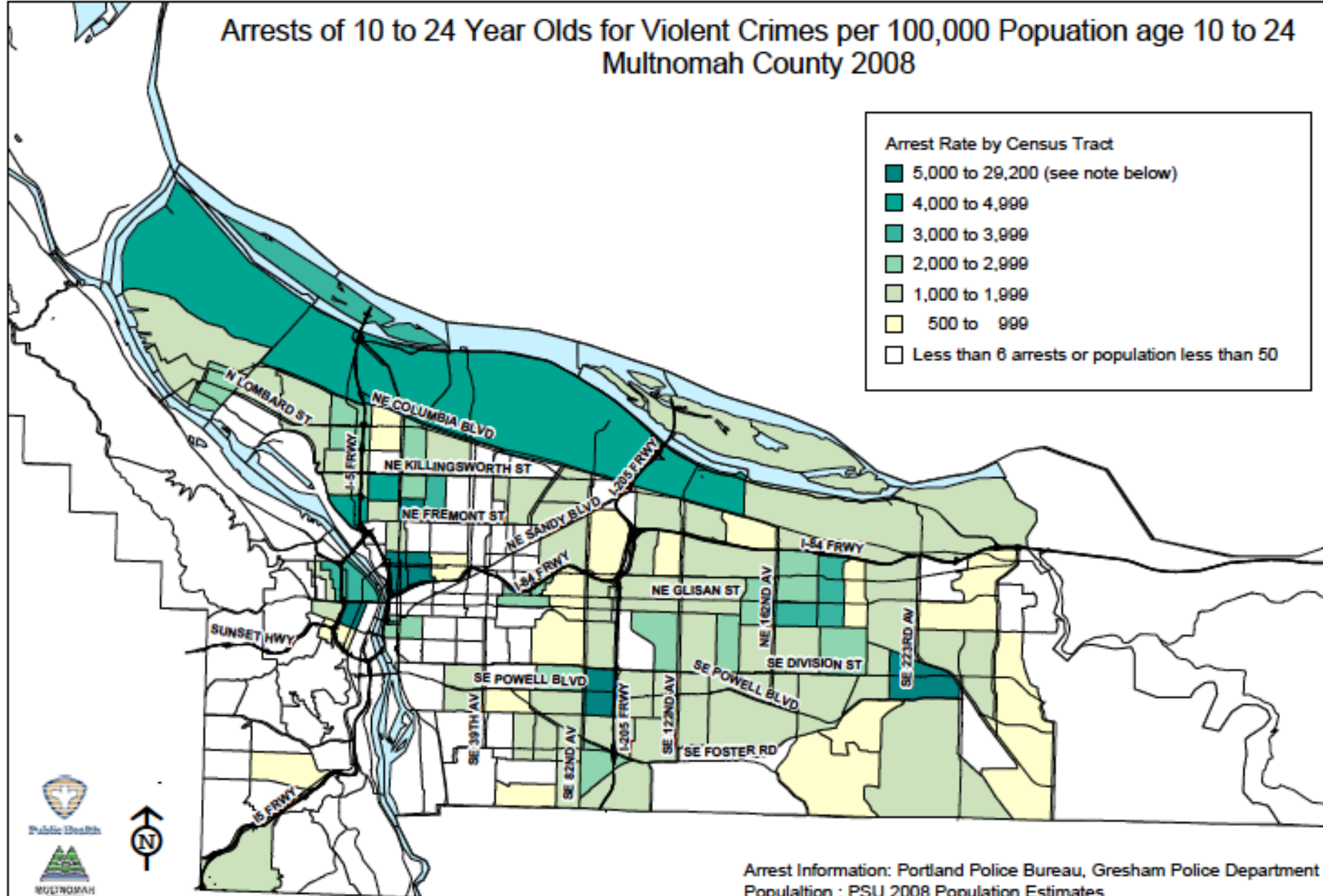


# Youth Summit Against Violence





# Arrests of 10 to 24 Year Olds for Violent Crimes per 100,000 Population age 10 to 24 Multnomah County 2008

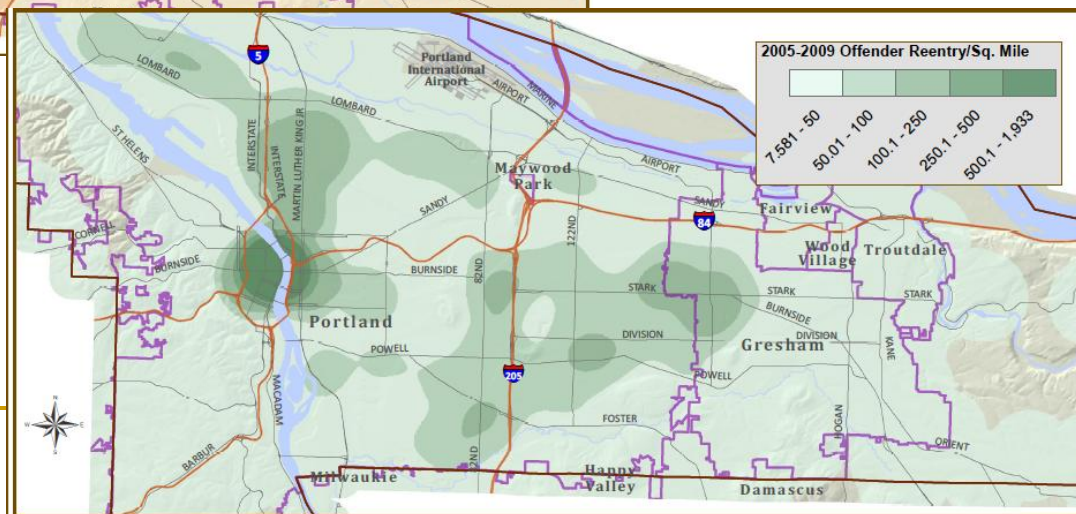
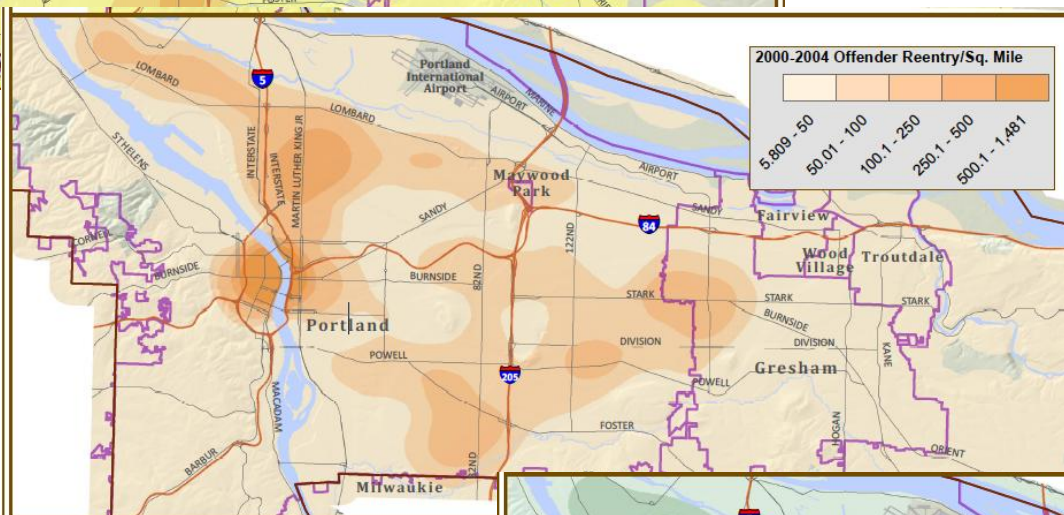
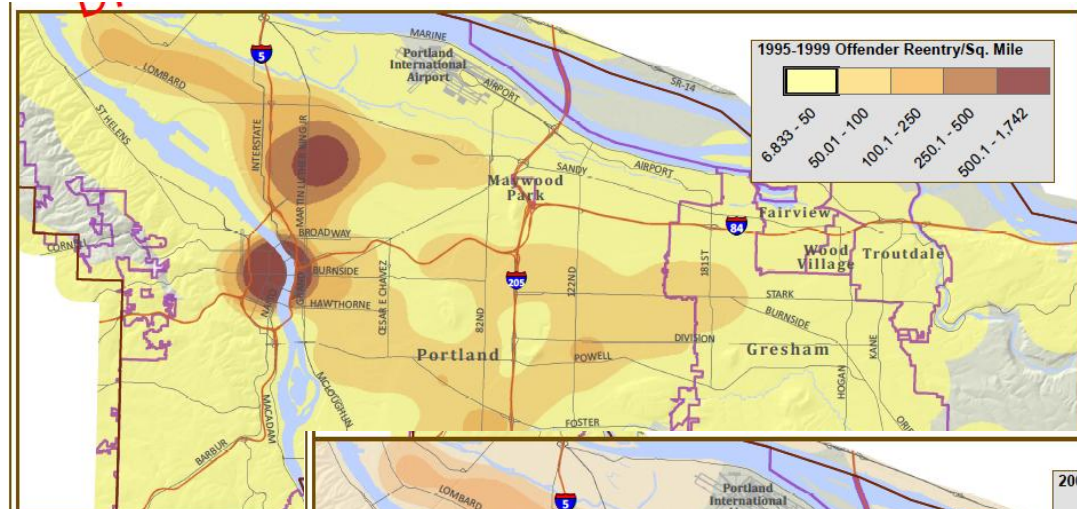


Arrest Information: Portland Police Bureau, Gresham Police Department  
Population : PSU 2008 Population Estimates

Note: Census Tracts in the downtown area have a high number of arrests, and a low population of 10 to 24 years living in the downtown area





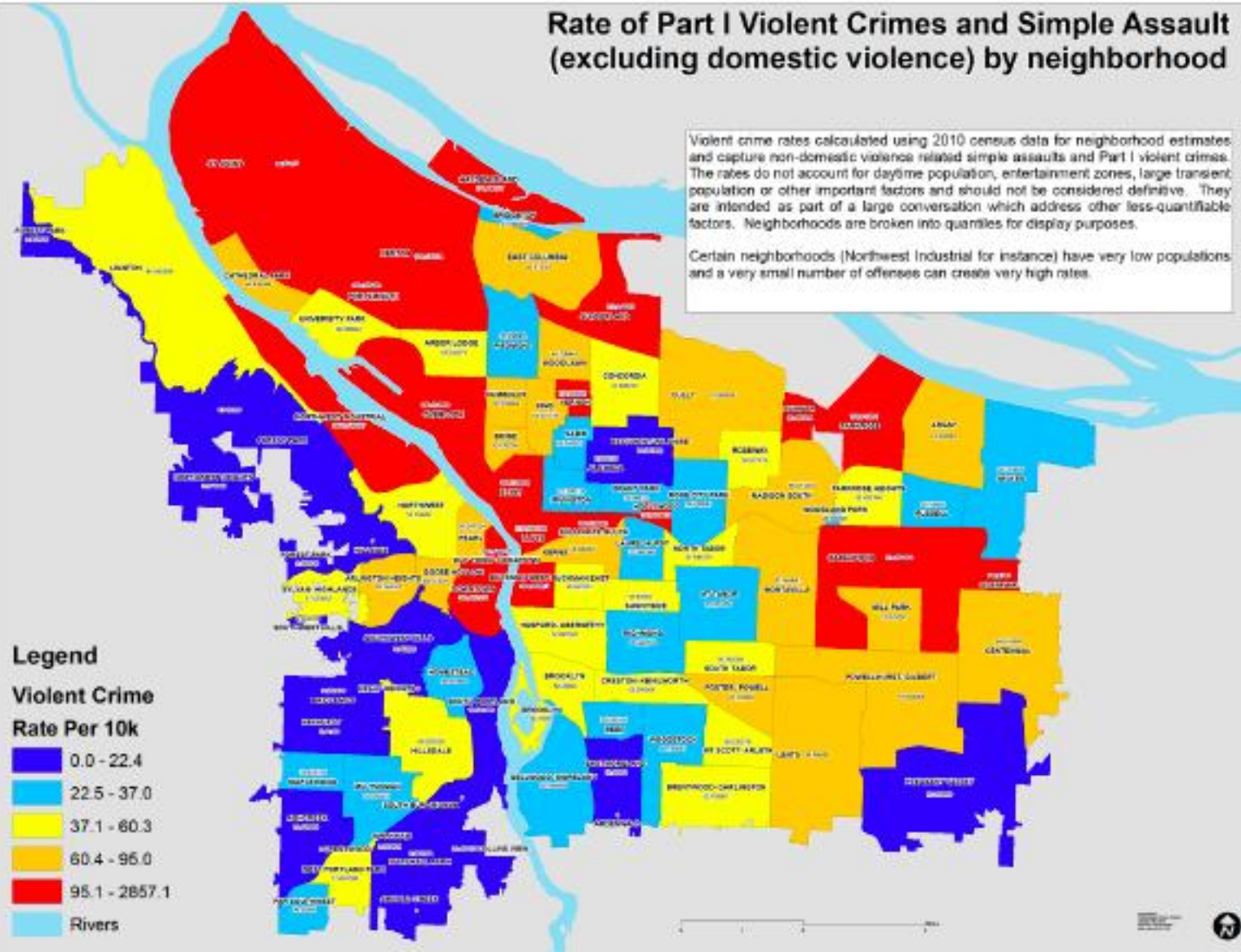




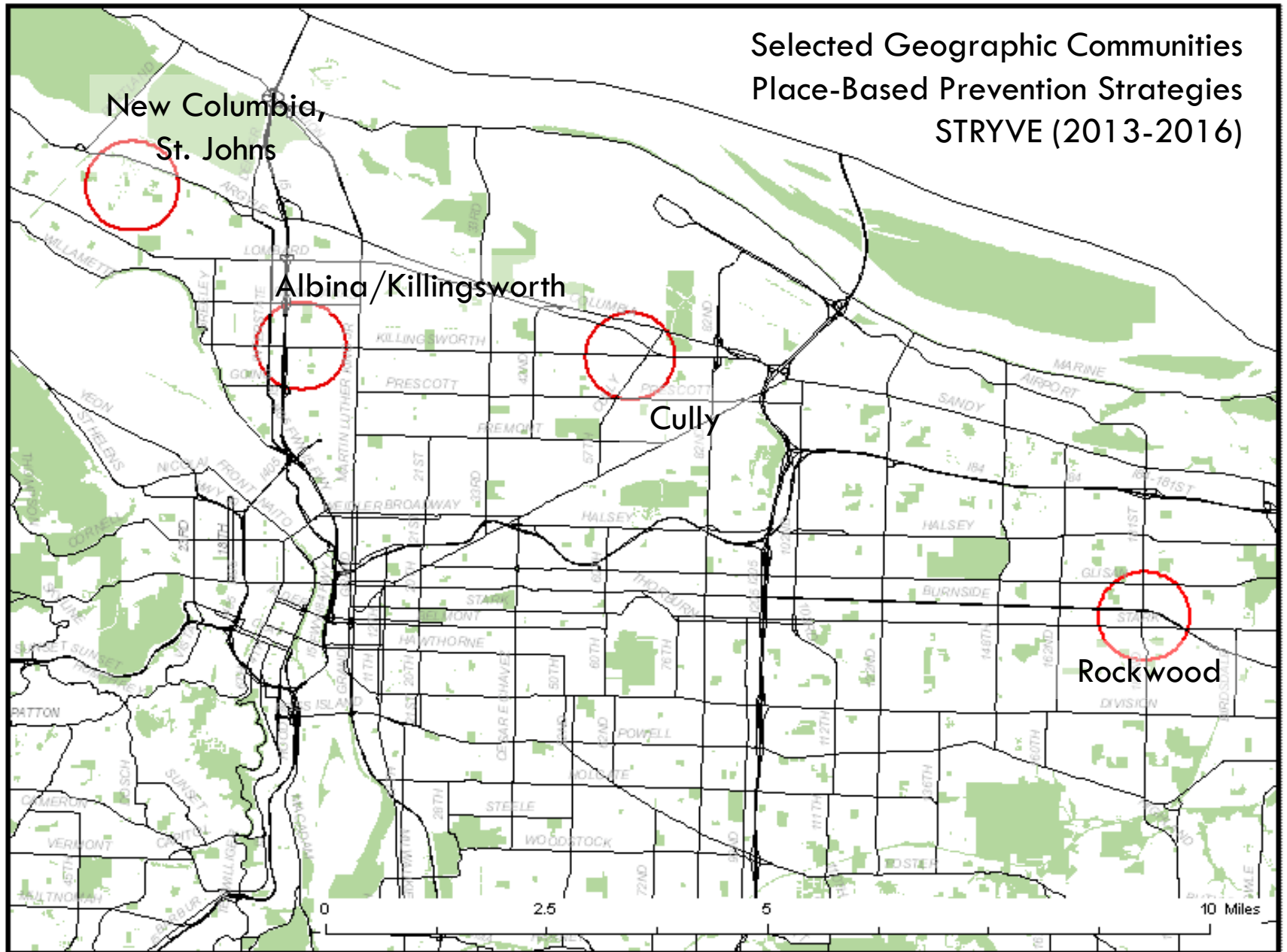
## Rate of Part I Violent Crimes and Simple Assault (excluding domestic violence) by neighborhood

Violent crime rates calculated using 2010 census data for neighborhood estimates and capture non-domestic violence related simple assaults and Part I violent crimes. The rates do not account for daytime population, entertainment zones, large transient population or other important factors and should not be considered definitive. They are intended as part of a large conversation which address other less-quantifiable factors. Neighborhoods are broken into quantiles for display purposes.

Certain neighborhoods (Northwest Industrial for instance) have very low populations and a very small number of offenses can create very high rates.



Selected Geographic Communities  
Place-Based Prevention Strategies  
STRYVE (2013-2016)



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# Risk and Protective Factors

- Community Disorder
    - Strategy: Place-Based Prevention, CPTED
  - Exposure to Violence
    - Strategy: Increase Community Resiliency
  - Collective Efficacy
    - Strategy: Engage Community Health Workers
    - Strategy: Individual and Organizational Capacity
  - Commitment to School
    - Strategy: Youth Leadership in Community Change, YES
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## Risk Factors



Community Disorder  
Exposure to Violence



## Protective Factors



Collective Efficacy  
Commitment to School



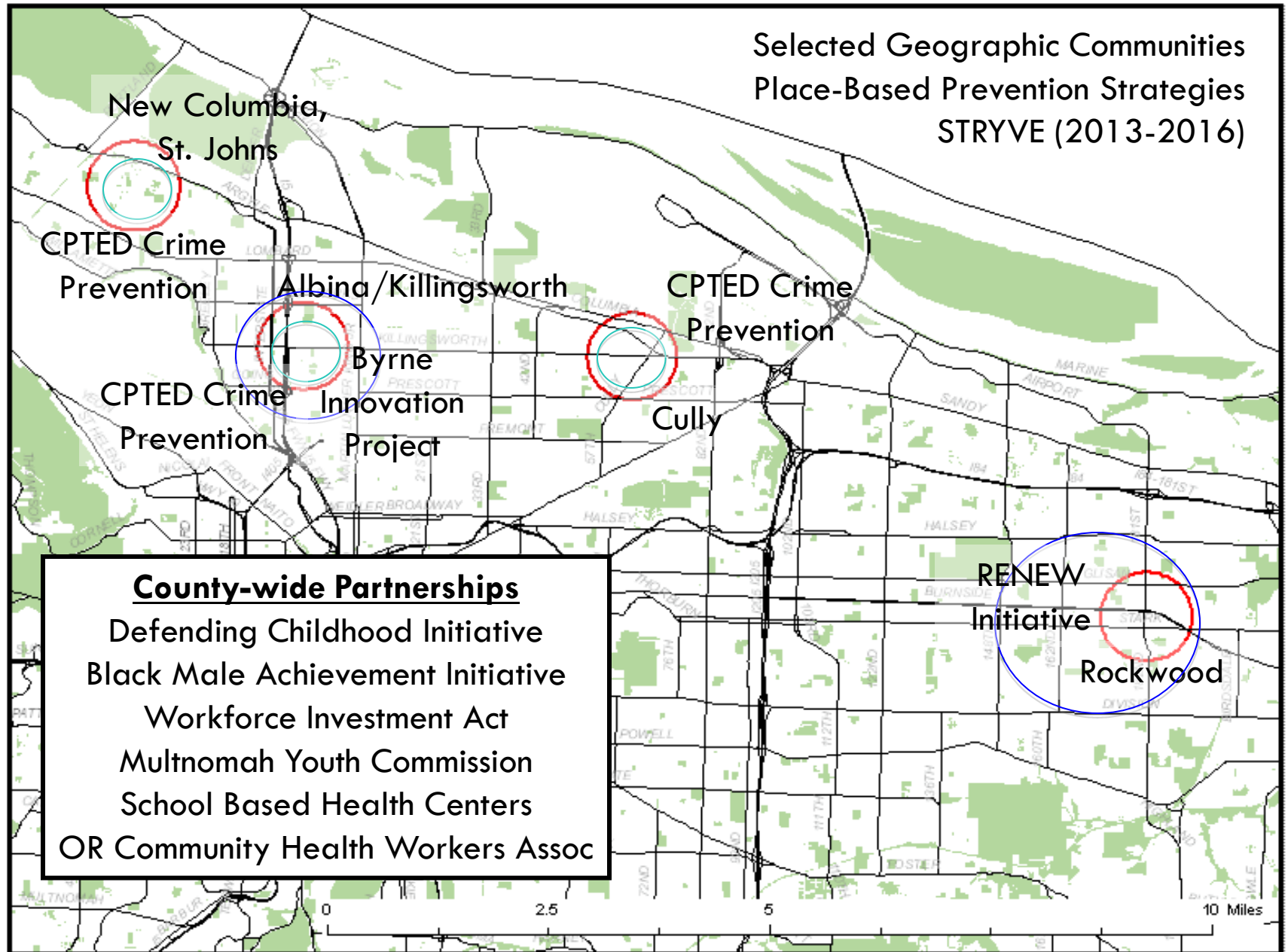




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# Community Health Workers

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**County-wide Partnerships**

Defending Childhood Initiative  
Black Male Achievement Initiative  
Workforce Investment Act  
Multnomah Youth Commission  
School Based Health Centers  
OR Community Health Workers Assoc



# Thank you!

