

# New Hampshire Democracy Fund



## Latino Demographic Analysis and Trends

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# Statewide Population Trends: Latino and White Comparisons

# New Hampshire Population Size and Growth (percent of state population in parentheses)

	2000	2010	2020	2021	Increase 2000-22	Growth Rate
Total NH	1,235,786	1,316,449	1,377,529	1,388,992	153,206	12.4%
Latino	20,489 (1.7%)	36,705 (2.8%)	59,454 (4.3%)	60,323 (4.3%)	39,834	194.4%
All Non-Latino	1,215,297 (98.3%)	1,278,744 (97.2%)	1,318,075 (95.7%)	1,328,669 (95.7%)	113,372	9.3%
White, Non-Hispanic	1,175,252 (95.1%)	1,215,050 (92.3%)	1,200,649 (87.2%)	1,211,910 (87.3%)	36,658	3.1%

Source: U.S. Census decennial PL94 and 2021 and 2022 1-year ACS

# New Hampshire Latino and White Populations: Age Differences and Distribution

	White	Latino	Difference (White-Latino)
<b>Median Age</b>			
Total	45.5	29.2	White +16.3
Men	44.3	26.0	White +18.3
Women	46.7	30.2	White +16.5

	White	Latino	Difference (White-Latino)
<b>Age Distribution</b>			
Under age 18	17%	31%	White -14
18 to 29 years	15%	21%	White -6
30 to 44 years	18%	25%	White -7
45 to 54 years	13%	10%	White +3
55 to 64 years	17%	8%	White +9
65+ years	21%	6%	White +15

# New Hampshire Latino and White Populations: Nativity and Education

	White	Latino	
<b>Place of Birth</b>			
Born in New Hampshire	43%	25%	
Born in other US State	53%	44%	
Native born, outside US (e.g. Puerto Rico)	1%	12%	} 1 in 3 are Native Spanish speakers
Foreign Born	3%	20%	
<b>School Enrollment (K-12 through post-secondary)</b>			
Enrolled in school	20%	34%	
Not enrolled in school	80%	66%	
<b>Educational Attainment</b>			
Less than high school diploma	5%	15%	
High school diploma or GED	27%	27%	
Some college, no 4yr degree	28%	28%	
Bachelor's degree or more	40%	30%	
<b>Bachelor's Degree Field</b>			
Science and Engineering	37%	33%	
Science and Engineering Related Fields	11%	12%	
Business	19%	27%	
Education	11%	6%	
Arts, Humanities, and Other	23%	22%	

Source: U.S. Census ACS 5-year 2017-2021

# New Hampshire Latino and White Populations: Income

	White	Latino
<b>Income</b>		
Median family income	\$108,782	\$74,905
Median household income	\$88,306	\$72,727
<b>Household Income Past 12 Months</b>		
<b>Less than \$35,000</b>	<b>19%</b>	<b>25%</b>
<b>\$100,00 or more</b>	<b>42%</b>	<b>32%</b>
Less than \$10,000	3%	5%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	3%	4%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	3%	3%
\$20,000 to \$24,999	3%	4%
\$25,000 to \$29,999	3%	5%
\$30,000 to \$34,999	3%	5%
\$35,000 to \$39,999	3%	5%
\$40,000 to \$44,999	3%	3%
\$45,000 to \$49,999	3%	5%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	7%	6%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	9%	12%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	14%	12%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	12%	9%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	8%	5%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	11%	10%
\$200,000 or more	11%	8%

Source: U.S. Census ACS 1-year 2021

# New Hampshire Latino and White Populations: Poverty, Health, and Family Indicators

	White	Latino
<b>Poverty Status</b>		
Income past year below poverty level	7%	14%
Income past year above poverty level	93%	86%
<b>Public Assistance</b>		
Food Stamps/SNAP in past year	6%	16%
No Food Stamps/SNAP in past year	94%	84%
<b>Disability Status</b>		
With disability	13%	11%
No disability	87%	89%
<b>Women who had birth in past year</b>		
Had birth in past year	4.5%	7.3%
<b>Marital Status</b>		
Never married	30%	42%
Now married	52%	43%
Divorced, separated, or widowed	18%	15%

Source: U.S. Census ACS 1-year 2021, ACS 5-year 2016-2020

# New Hampshire Latino and White Populations: Homeownership and Residential Mobility

	White	Latino
<b>Homeownership</b>		
Own	74%	48%
Rent	26%	52%
<b>Age Homeowner/Renter</b>		
Owner/renter under 25 years	2%	5%
Owner/renter 25 to 44 years	27%	51%
Owner/renter 45 to 64 years	40%	35%
Owner/renter over 65 years	31%	9%
<b>Geographic Mobility</b>		
Same house in past year	89%	82%
Moved within same county	5%	9%
Moved to different county within state	2%	3%
Moved from different state	4%	6%

Source: U.S. Census ACS 1-year 2021, ACS 5-year 2016-2020



# White and Latino Population Comparisons: Health Insurance Coverage

	White	Latino
<b>Health Insurance Coverage</b>		
Have health insurance	95%	88%
Do not have health insurance	5%	12%
<b>Percent Without Health Insurance by Age Group</b>		
<b>18 and Younger</b>	<b>4%</b>	<b>7%</b>
Under 6 years	2%	4%
6 to 18 years	4%	9%
<b>19-64 years</b>	<b>6%</b>	<b>16%</b>
19 to 25 years	6%	12%
26 to 34 years	10%	16%
35 to 44 years	8%	26%
45 to 54 years	5%	12%
55 to 64 years	4%	8%
<b>65 years and above</b>	<b>&lt;1%</b>	<b>6%</b>
65 to 74 years	<1%	<1%
75 years and above	<1%	17%

Source: U.S. Census ACS 1-year 2021, ACS 5-year 2016-2020

# New Hampshire Latino and White Populations: Employment

	White	Latino
<b>Labor Force Participation and Employment</b>		
Labor Force Participation Rate (Employed or actively looking for work among civilian, non-institutionalized age 16+)	66%	73%
Not in Labor Force (Not actively looking for work among civilian, non-institutionalized age 16+)	34%	27%
Employment/Population Ratio (Employed among civilian, noninstitutionalized age 16+)	64%	66%
Employment Rate (Employed among those seeking work)	96%	91%
Unemployment Rate (Unemployed among those seeking work)	3%	9%
<b>Occupation (Civilian employees Age 16+)</b>		
Management, business, science, arts	43%	35%
Service occupations	15%	20%
Sales and office occupations	21%	24%
Natural resources, construction, maintenance	9%	8%
Production, transportation, and material moving	12%	14%

	White	Latino
<b>Means of Transportation for Work</b>		
Drove own vehicle (car, motorcycle, or bike)	72%	67%
Carpooled	6%	10%
Walked	2%	5%
Worked from home	20%	17%
<b>Veteran Status</b>		
Veteran	8%	6%
Nonveteran	92%	94%

# Statewide Latino and Latino Immigrant Population Trends

# New Hampshire Latino Population: Origins and Language Ability

## Latino Population by Hispanic Origin

<b>Total</b>	<b>60,323</b>	
Puerto Rican	20,772	34%
Dominican	11,621	19%
Mexican	11,442	19%
South American	5,481	9%
<i>Colombian</i>	3,014	5%
Central American	4,633	8%
<i>Salvadoran</i>	2,172	4%
Other Latino origin	4,417	7%
Cuban	1,957	3%

## Language Spoken at Home by Ability to Speak English

	<b>Total</b>	<b>US Born</b>	<b>Immigrant</b>
Speak only English at home	50%	60%	13%
Speak Spanish at home	50%	40%	87%
<i>Among Spanish Speakers:</i>			
Speak English very well	72%	83%	53%
Speak English less than "very well" <i>(includes well, not well, not at all)</i>	28%	17%	47%

## Latino Population Nativity and Citizenship

US Born	81%
Foreign Born	20%
Naturalized Citizen	12%
Non-Citizen	8%
<b>Total US Citizen</b>	<b>92%</b>

# New Hampshire Latino Population: Nativity Among Latin American Born Latinos

Latin American Born Population		
<b>Total</b>	20,324	
PUERTO RICO	5,195	26%
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	4,603	23%
BRAZIL	2,416	12%
MEXICO	2,276	11%
CENTRAL AMERICA	2,728	13%
<i>El Salvador</i>	896	4%
<i>Honduras</i>	892	4%
<i>Guatemala</i>	653	3%
<i>Costa Rica</i>	78	0%
<i>Nicaragua</i>	74	0%
<i>Panama</i>	128	1%
<i>Belize</i>	7	0%
SOUTH AMERICA	2,746	14%
<i>Colombia</i>	1,357	7%
<i>Peru</i>	502	2%
<i>Uruguay</i>	286	1%
<i>Ecuador</i>	206	1%
<i>Argentina</i>	143	1%
<i>Chile</i>	135	1%
<i>Venezuela</i>	105	1%
<i>Bolivia</i>	9	0%
<i>Other South Am</i>	3	0%
CUBA	360	2%

Source: U.S. Census ACS 1-year 2021, ACS 5-year 2016-2020

# New Hampshire Latino Immigrant Population: Immigration Period of Entry

## Citizenship and Period of Entry

Naturalized citizen	50%
Entered 2010 or later	5%
Entered 2000 to 2009	15%
Entered before 2000	30%
Not a citizen	51%
Entered 2010 or later	28%
Entered 2000 to 2009	12%
Entered before 2000	11%

## Summary Period of Entry

Entered 2010 or later	32%
Entered 2000 to 2009	27%
Enter 1999 or before	41%

# New Hampshire Latino Immigrant Population: Age, Household, Marital Status

## Age

Under 18 years	6%
18 to 24 years	7%
25 to 44 years	49%
45 to 54 years	19%
55 to 64 years	11%
65+ years	8%
Median age	40.5 yrs

## Household Traits

In married-couple family	63%
In other households	34%
Average household size ( <i>people in HH</i> )	3
Average family size ( <i>family members in HH</i> )	3

## Marital Status

Never married	25%
Now married	59%
Divorced, separated, or widowed	16%

# New Hampshire Latino Immigrant Population: Education, Income, Homeownership

## Educational Attainment

Less than high school graduate	24%
High school graduate or GED	31%
Some college or associate's degree	23%
Bachelor's degree or more	22%

## Earnings in past year

\$24,999 or less	18%
\$25,000 to \$34,999	19%
\$35,000 to \$49,999	24%
\$50,000 to \$74,999	21%
\$75,000 or more	19%
Median Household income	\$ 67,504

## Homeownership

Own	37%
Rent	63%



# New Hampshire Latino Immigrant Population: Employment

## Labor Force Participation and Employment

Labor Force Participation Rate <i>(Employed or actively looking for work among civilian, non-institutionalized age 16+)</i>	74%
Employment Rate <i>(Employed among those seeking work)</i>	96%
Unemployment Rate <i>(Unemployed among those seeking work)</i>	4%
Not in Labor Force <i>(Not actively looking for work among civilian, non-institutionalized age 16+)</i>	26%

## Type of work

Private wage and salary worker	85%
Government worker	5%
Self-employed	9%

## Occupation

Management, business, science, and arts	23%
Service occupations	25%
Sales and office	17%
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance	16%
Production, transportation, and material moving	19%

# County and Local-Level Latino Population Trends

# New Hampshire Counties: Latino Population Size and Growth

County	2000	2010	2020	Increase 2000-22	Growth Rate
Belknap	418	724	1,261	843	201.7%
Carroll	209	473	769	560	267.9%
Cheshire	529	1,090	1,802	1,273	240.6%
Coos	201	401	672	471	234.3%
Grafton	914	1,600	2,579	1,665	182.2%
Hillsborough	12,166	21,241	33,498	21,332	175.3%
Merrimack	1,362	2,335	3,880	2,518	184.9%
Rockingham	3,314	6,036	9,651	6,337	191.2%
Strafford	1,155	2,201	3,914	2,759	238.9%
Sullivan	221	493	822	601	271.9%
NH Latino Total	20,489	36,705	59,454	40,755	198.9%

Source: 2021 5-year ACS

# New Hampshire Counties: Latino Population Nativity

County	Born in NH	Born other US state	Other Native Born (Puerto Rico)	Foreign Born
Belknap	42.1%	46.6%	3.3%	7.9%
Carroll	24.7%	39.8%	14.2%	21.3%
Cheshire	24.2%	58.7%	2.4%	14.7%
Coos	13.5%	42.9%	24.1%	19.4%
Grafton	20.6%	49.7%	13.3%	16.5%
Hillsborough	27.9%	29.4%	12.7%	30.1%
Merrimack	28.0%	47.7%	6.6%	17.7%
Rockingham	16.4%	54.6%	9.5%	19.5%
Strafford	30.7%	43.7%	8.4%	17.2%
Sullivan	20.6%	64.9%	1.2%	13.2%
NH Latino Total	25.0%	44.0%	11.5%	19.5%

Source: 2021 5-year ACS

# New Hampshire Counties: Latino Population Language Ability

County	Speak Only English at Home	Speak Spanish at Home	Among Spanish Speakers:	
			Speak English Very Well	Speak English less than "very well" (includes well, not well, not at all)
Belknap	73%	27%	81%	9%
Carroll	66%	34%	96%	4%
Cheshire	74%	26%	99%	1%
Coos	35%	65%	88%	12%
Grafton	61%	39%	86%	14%
Hillsborough	35%	65%	56%	44%
Merrimack	69%	31%	80%	20%
Rockingham	52%	48%	73%	27%
Strafford	69%	31%	74%	26%
Sullivan	75%	25%	84%	16%
NH Latino Total	50%	50%	72%	28%

# New Hampshire Counties: Latino Population Home Ownership

County	Own	Rent
Belknap	84.3%	15.7%
Carroll	54.7%	45.3%
Cheshire	66.8%	33.2%
Coos	92.0%	8.0%
Grafton	51.5%	48.5%
Hillsborough	45.6%	54.4%
Merrimack	44.2%	55.8%
Rockingham	56.0%	44.0%
Strafford	62.1%	37.9%
Sullivan	53.8%	46.2%
NH Latino Total	48%	52%

Source: 2021 5-year ACS

# Manchester and Nashua: Latino Population Origin, Nativity, and Citizenship

	New Hampshire	Manchester	Nashua
<b>Latino Population</b>	60,323	12,363	11,527
Percent of NH Latinos		20%	19%
<b>Hispanic Origin</b>			
Mexican	19%	15%	16%
Puerto Rican	34%	36%	37%
Cuban	3%	0%	3%
Dominican	19%	22%	34%
Central American	8%	20%	3%
<i>Salvadoran</i>	4%	8%	1%
South American	9%	8%	7%
<i>Colombian</i>	5%	5%	6%
Other Latino origin	7%	0%	0%
<b>Nativity and Citizenship</b>			
US Born	81%	79%	74%
Foreign Born	20%	21%	26%
Naturalized Citizen	12%	10%	19%
Non-Citizen	8%	11%	6%
Total US Citizen	92%	89%	94%

Source: U.S. Census ACS 1-year 2021, ACS 5-year 2016-2020

# Manchester and Nashua: Latino Population Socioeconomic Indicators

	New Hampshire	Manchester	Nashua
<b>Educational Attainment</b>			
Less than high school diploma	15%	18%	27%
High school diploma or GED	27%	35%	30%
Some college, no 4yr degree	28%	29%	28%
Bachelor's degree or more	30%	18%	15%
<b>School Enrollment (K-12 through post-secondary)</b>			
Enrolled in school	34%	33%	29%
Not enrolled in school	66%	67%	71%
<b>Income</b>			
Median household income	\$72,727	\$68,254	\$56,704
Median family income	\$74,905	\$62,324	\$70,027
<b>Public Assistance</b>			
Food Stamps/SNAP in past year	16%	30%	13%
No Food Stamps/SNAP in past year	84%	70%	87%
<b>Homeownership</b>			
Own	48%	44%	34%
Rent	52%	56%	66%
<b>Health Insurance Coverage</b>			
Have health insurance	88%	84%	75%
Do not have health insurance	12%	16%	25%

Source: U.S. Census ACS 1-year 2021, ACS 5-year 2016-2020



# Mapping Latino Population Density in New Hampshire

U.S. Census American Community Survey 2021 5-year data depicting Percent Latino within census block group boundary

Highest density Latino



Highest density White

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NEW  
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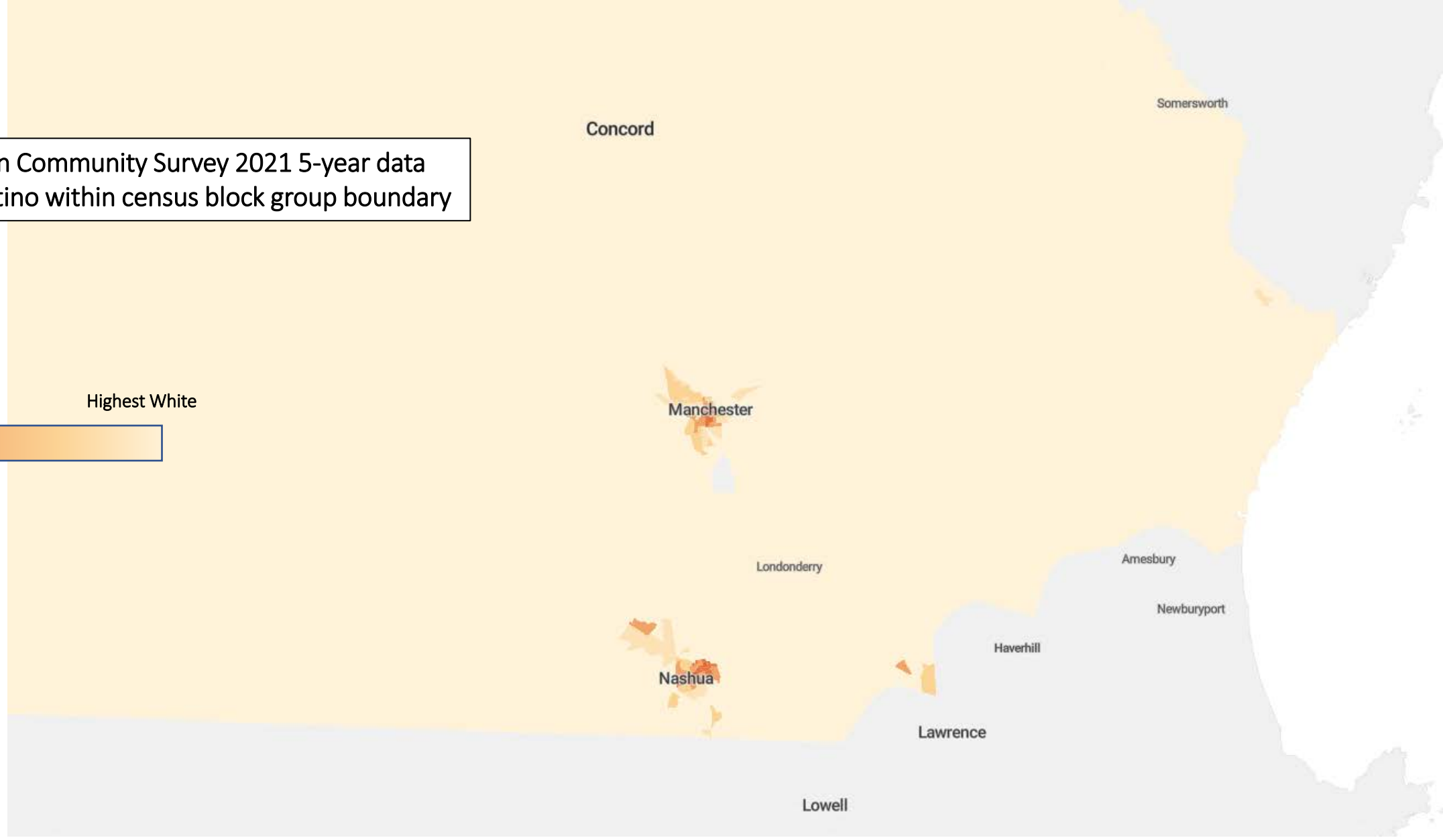
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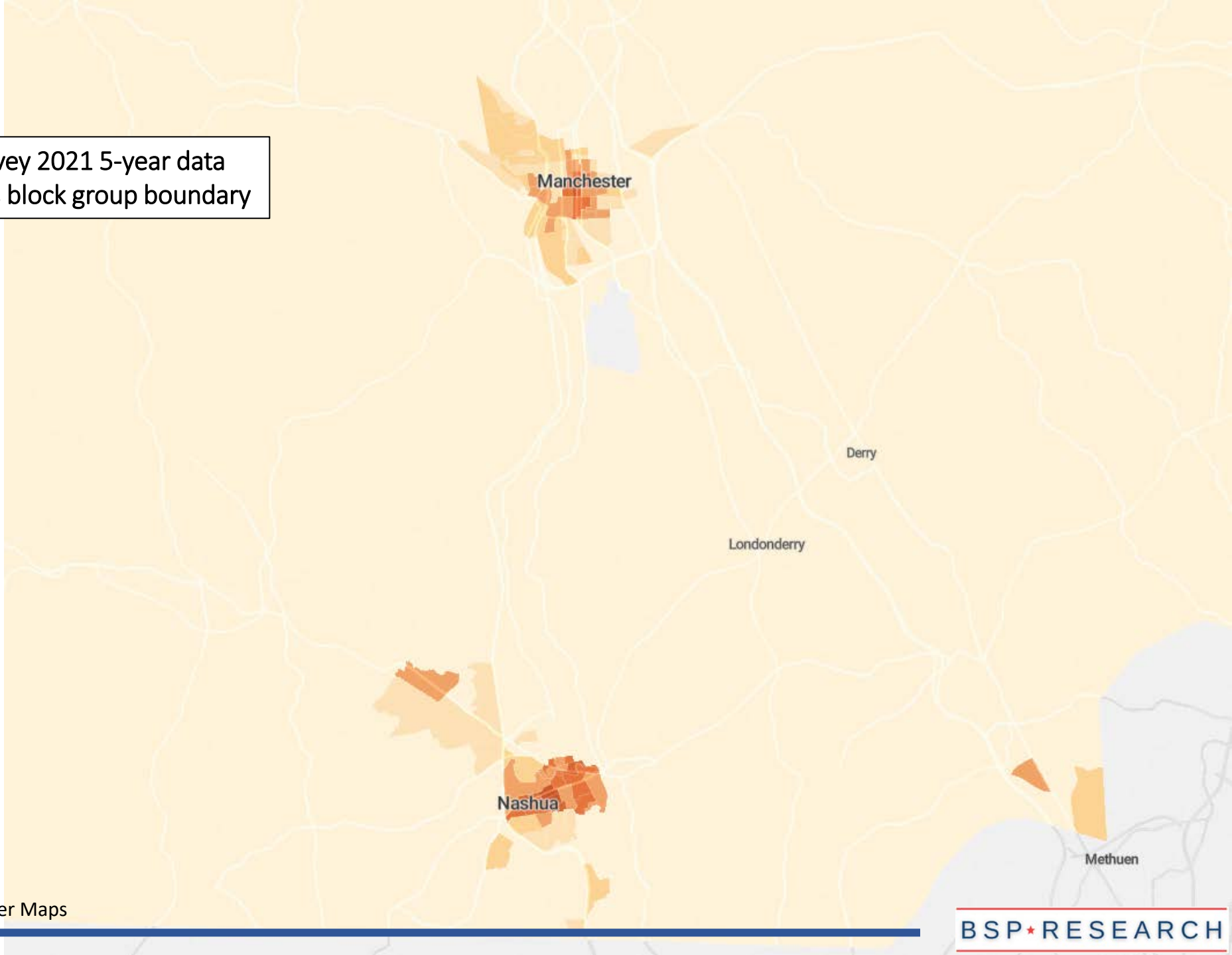
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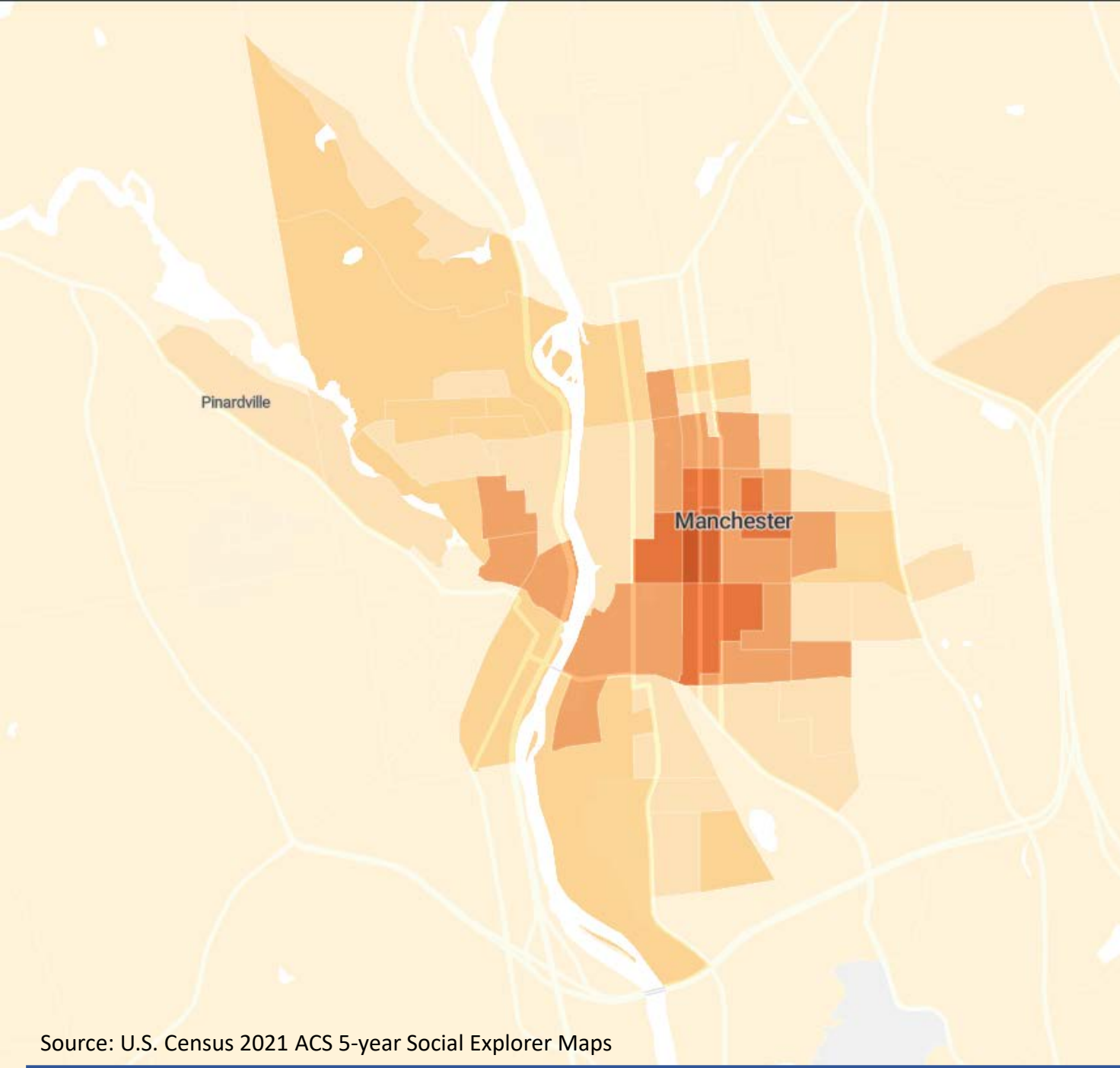
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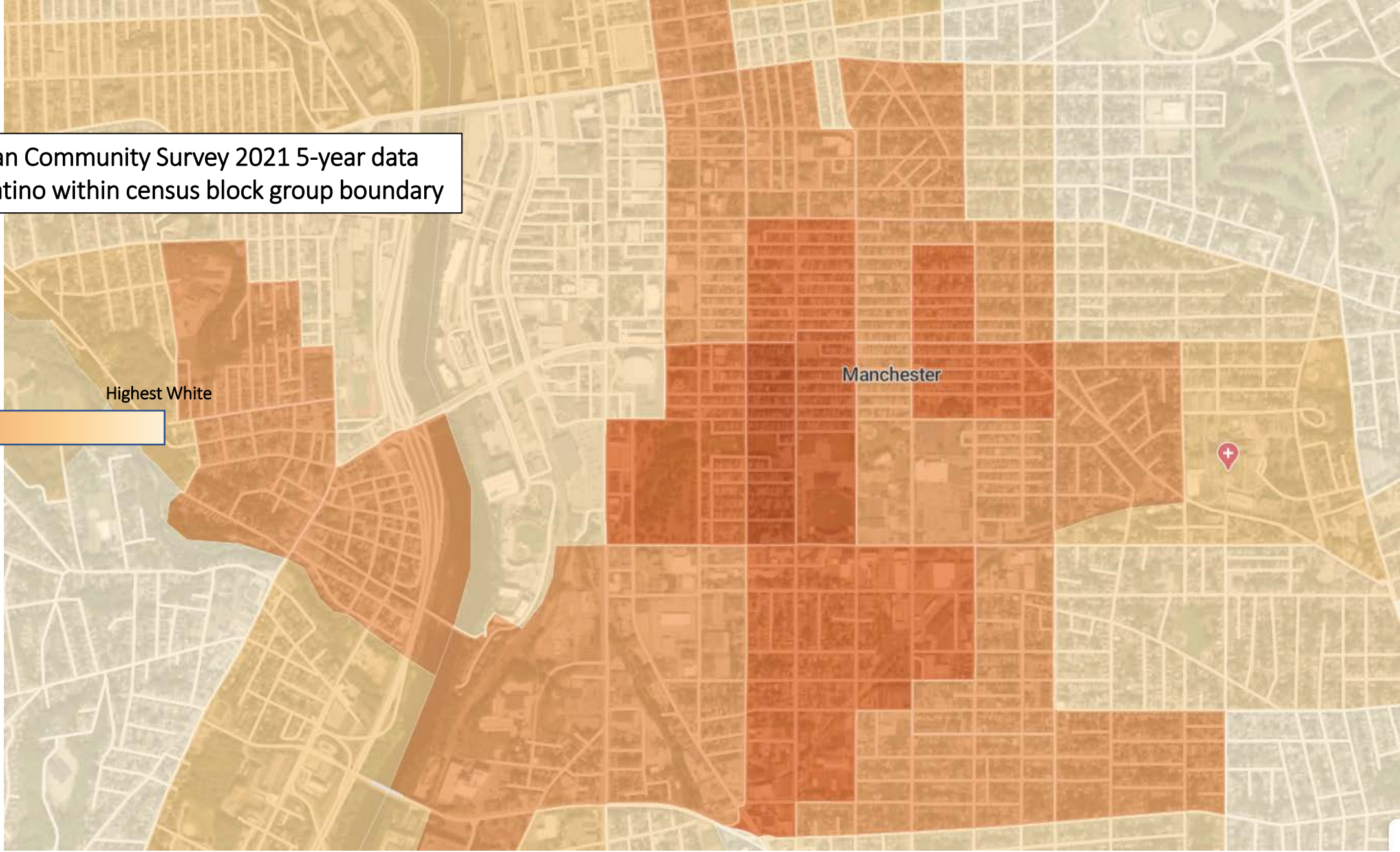
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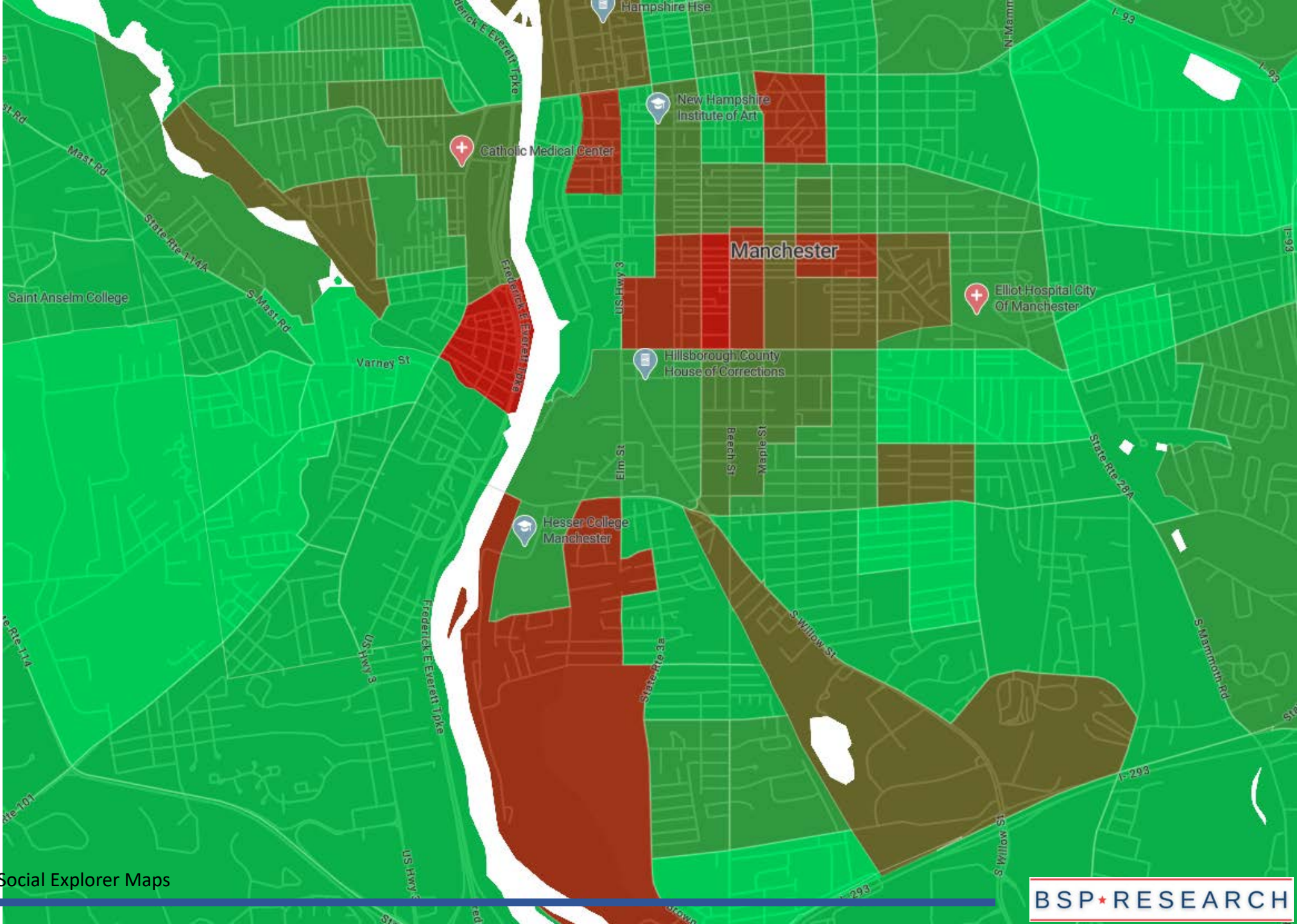


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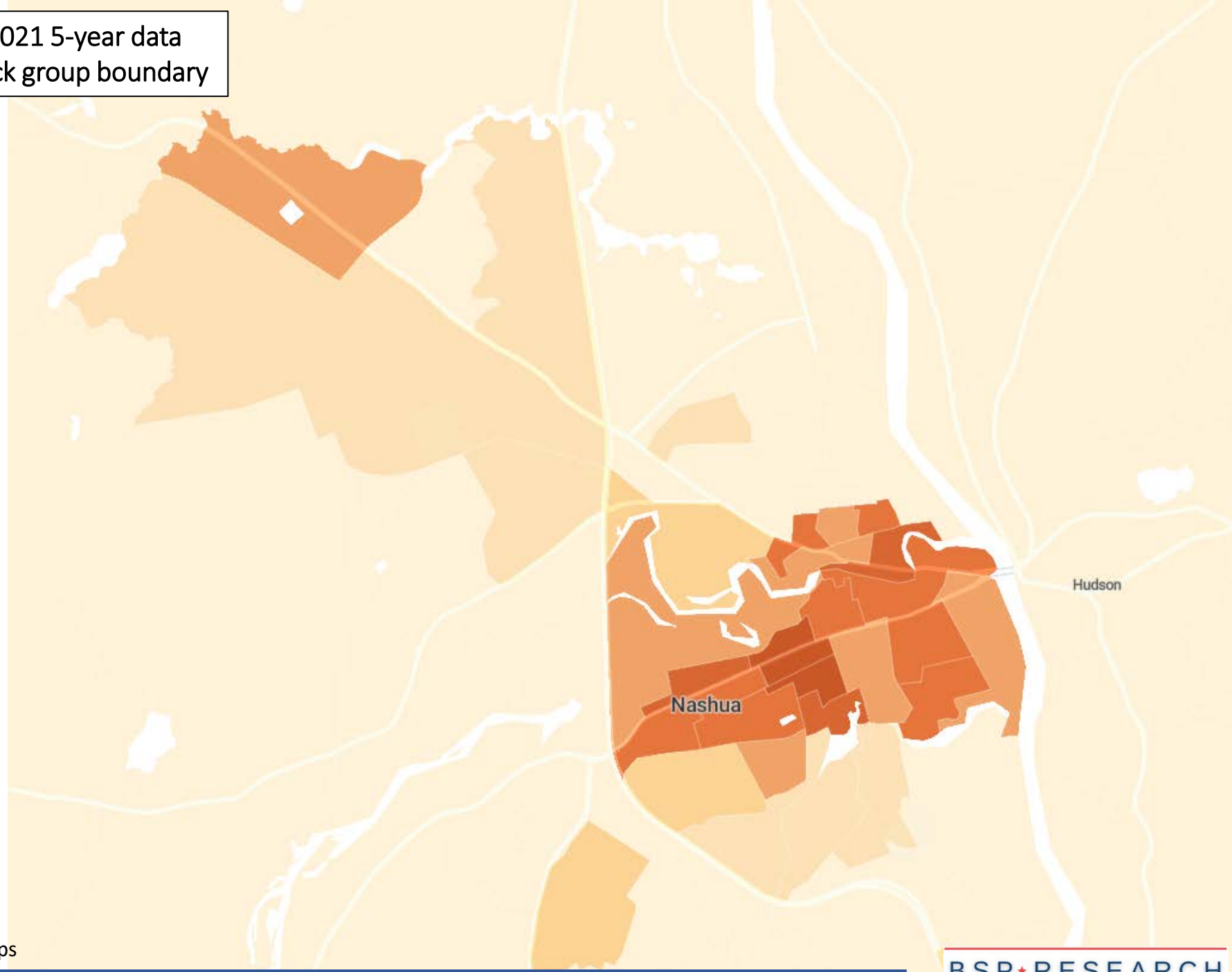
**Green = White Majority**  
**Red=Non-white Majority**

Counts all non-white population combined at census block group, for purposes of understanding majority-minority voting rights communities



Source: U.S. Census 2021 ACS 5-year Social Explorer Maps

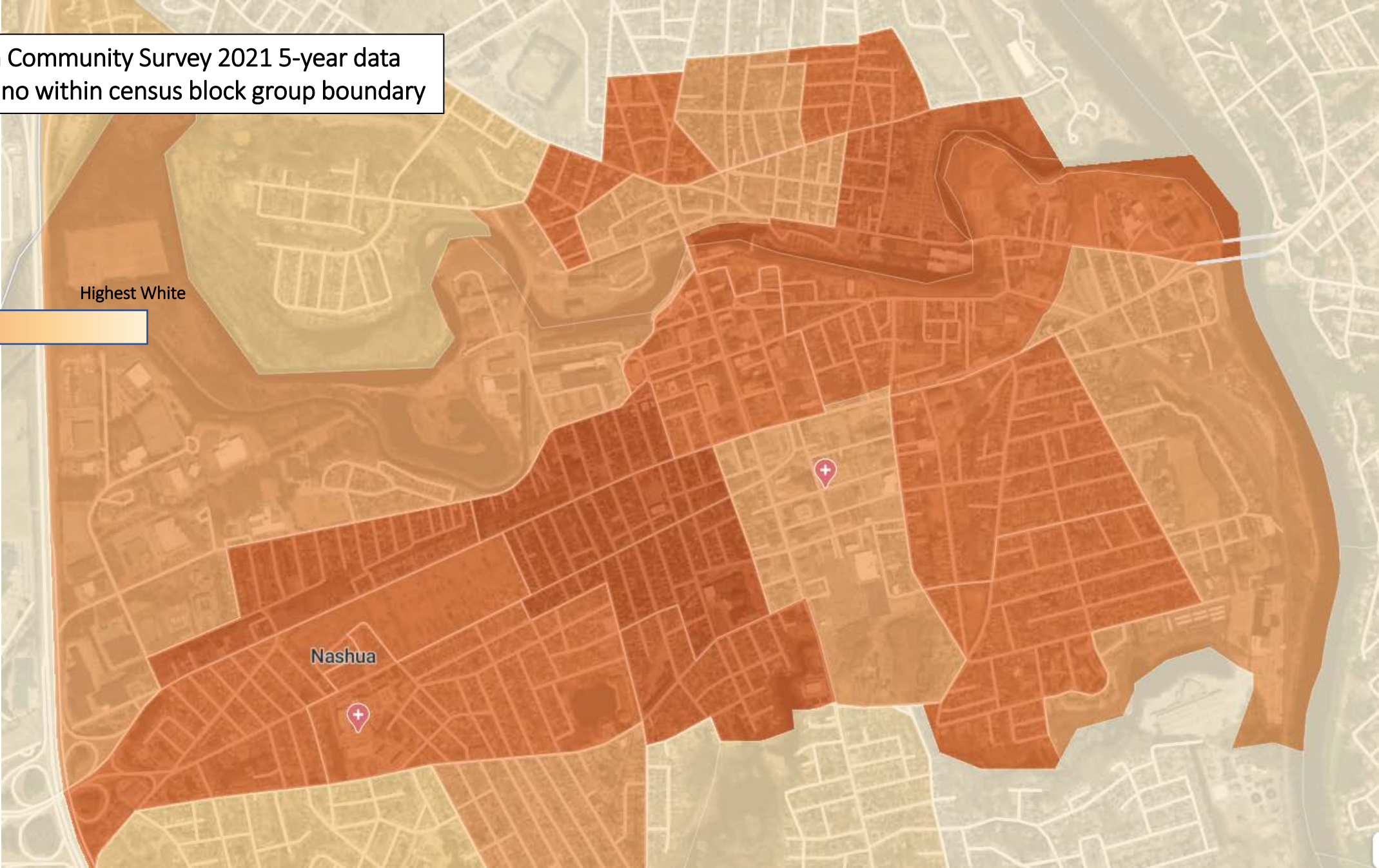
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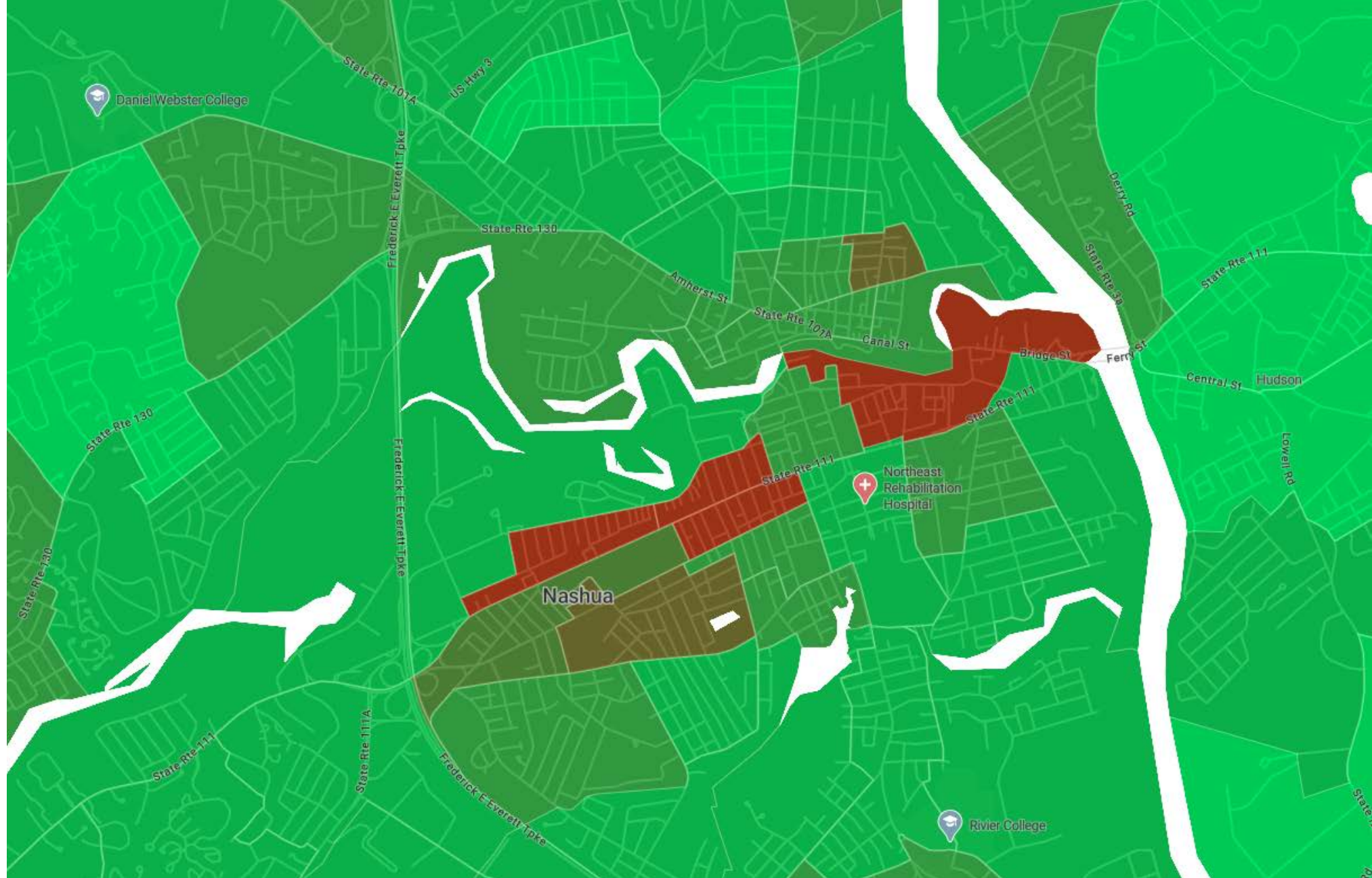
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# Latino Voter Registration Among Latinos in New Hampshire

## From 2000 to 2020

- 3 Presidential elections decided by less than 10,000 votes
- 1 U.S. Senate election decided by roughly 1,000 votes

