

# Opportunity Atlas (<https://www.opportunityatlas.org/>)

## Cities and Towns in Hocking County, OH

The Opportunity Atlas is a map tool that shows how children from low-income families have historically fared as adults, based on income, education, and incarceration rates, depending on where they grew up. This helps identify neighborhoods that may offer better long-term outcomes for your family

Neighborhoods with higher opportunity scores are linked to:

- Better schools
- Lower poverty rates
- Higher incomes in adulthood for children raised there
- Lower incarceration rates

When using your voucher, consider searching in one of these high-opportunity areas.

Other definitions used in the Opportunity Atlas maps (below) include:

- **Poverty rate** - the ratio of the population whose income falls below a defined poverty line.
- **Fraction Non-White** - refers to the percentage of a neighborhood's population that does not identify as "non-Hispanic White alone".
- **Social capital**—the strength of an individual's social network and community—has been identified as a potential determinant of outcomes ranging from education to health.

**The Opportunity Atlas: Mapping the Childhood Roots of Social Mobility Executive Summary** [https://opportunityinsights.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/12/atlas\\_summary.pdf](https://opportunityinsights.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/12/atlas_summary.pdf)

**Frequently Asked Questions** - <https://opportunityinsights.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/Atlas-FAQs.pdf>

**User Guide** - (<https://opportunityinsights.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/07/Opportunity Atlas User Guide Modules 1 and 2.pdf>)

**Buchtel, OH**

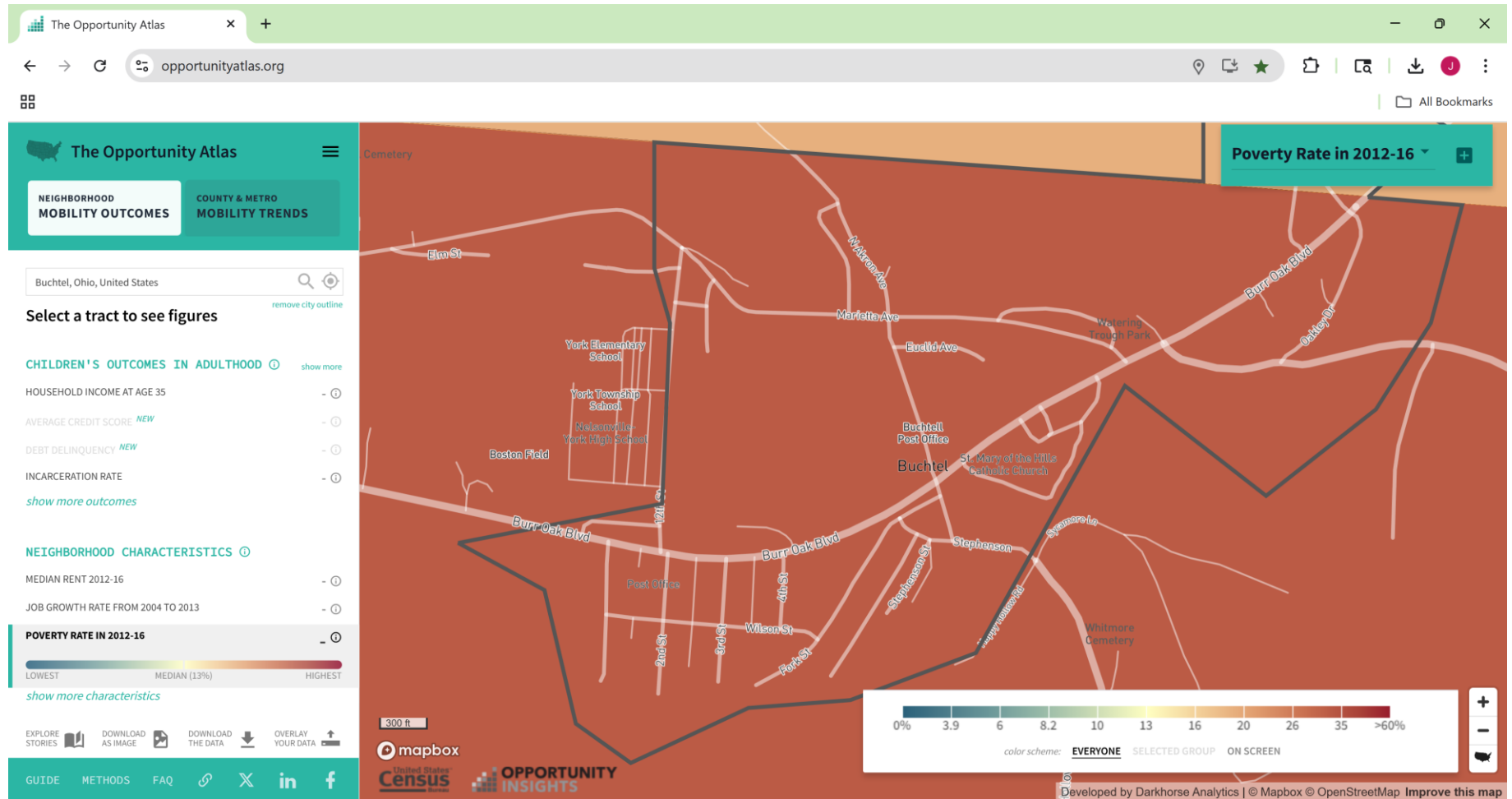
**Laurelville, OH**

**Logan, OH**

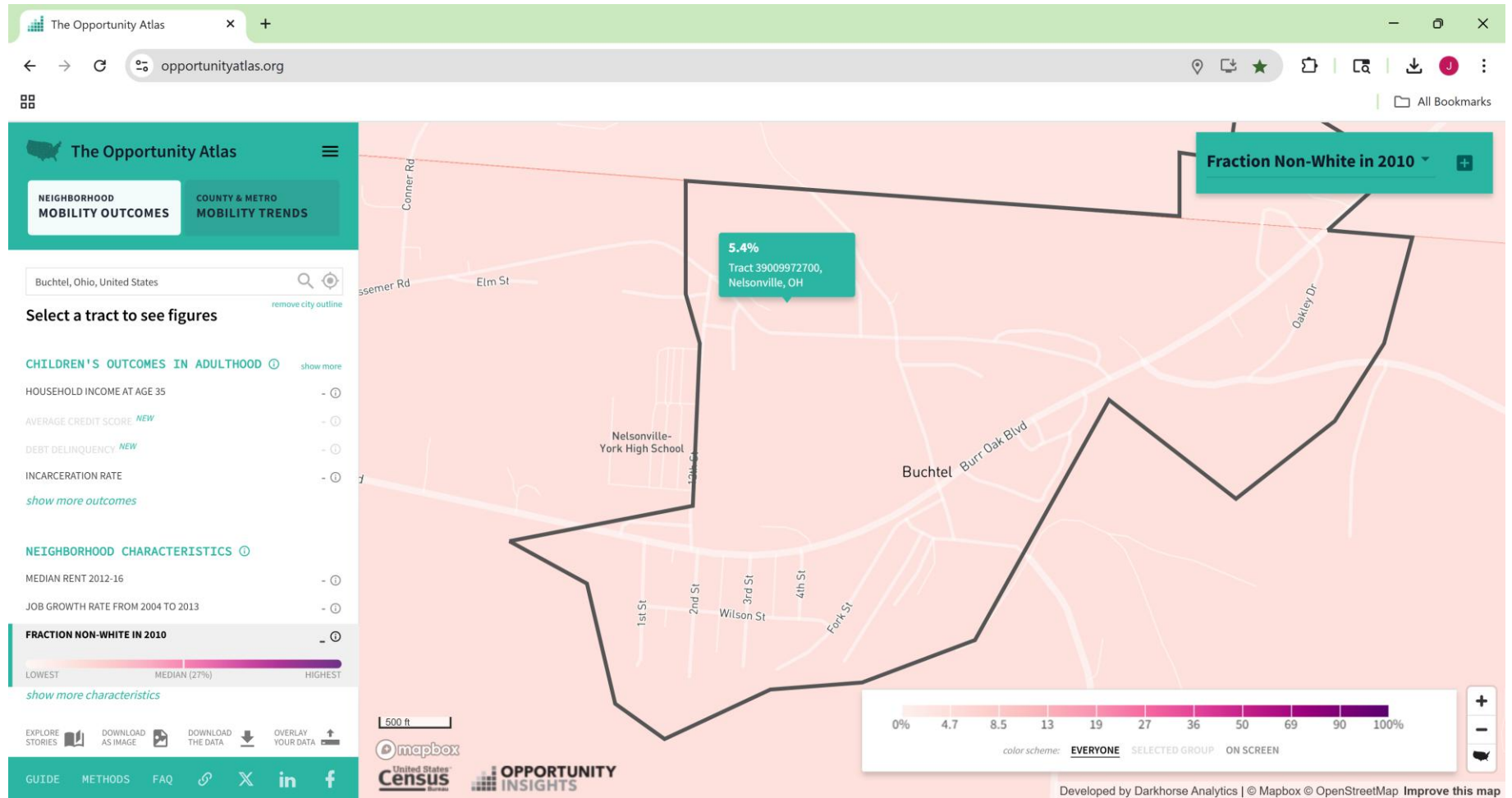
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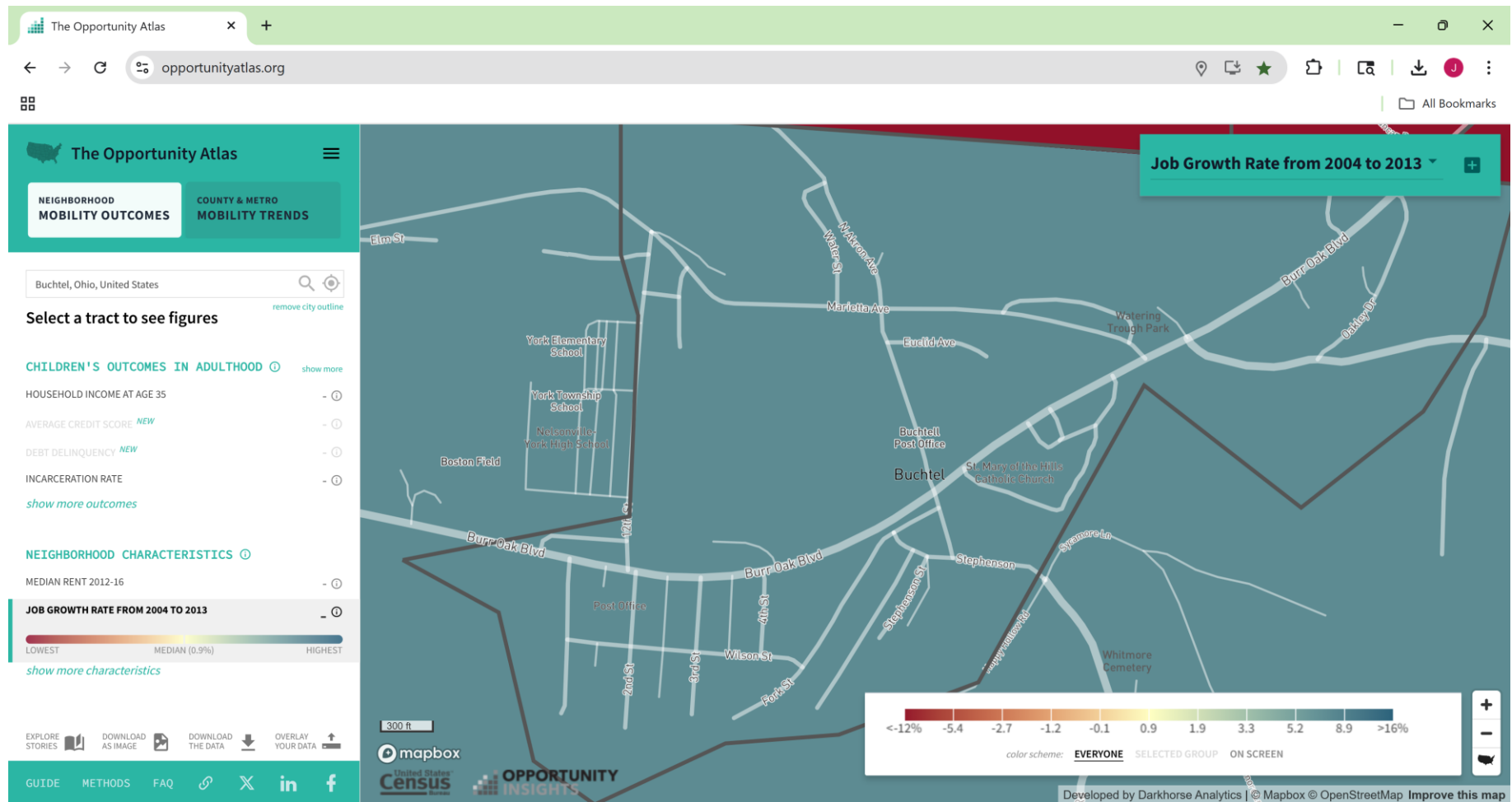
# Buchtel, OH: Poverty Rate in 2012 - 2016



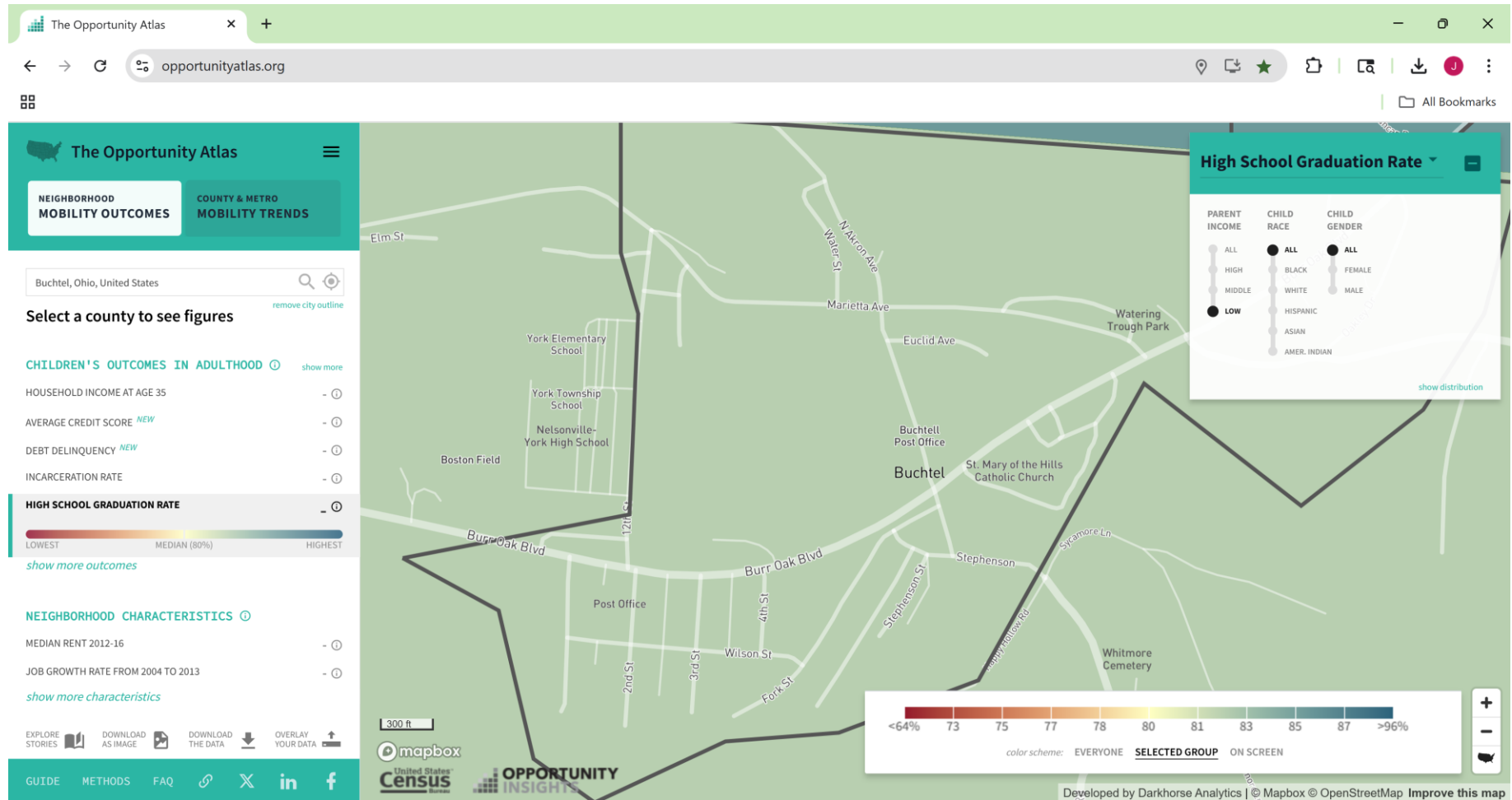
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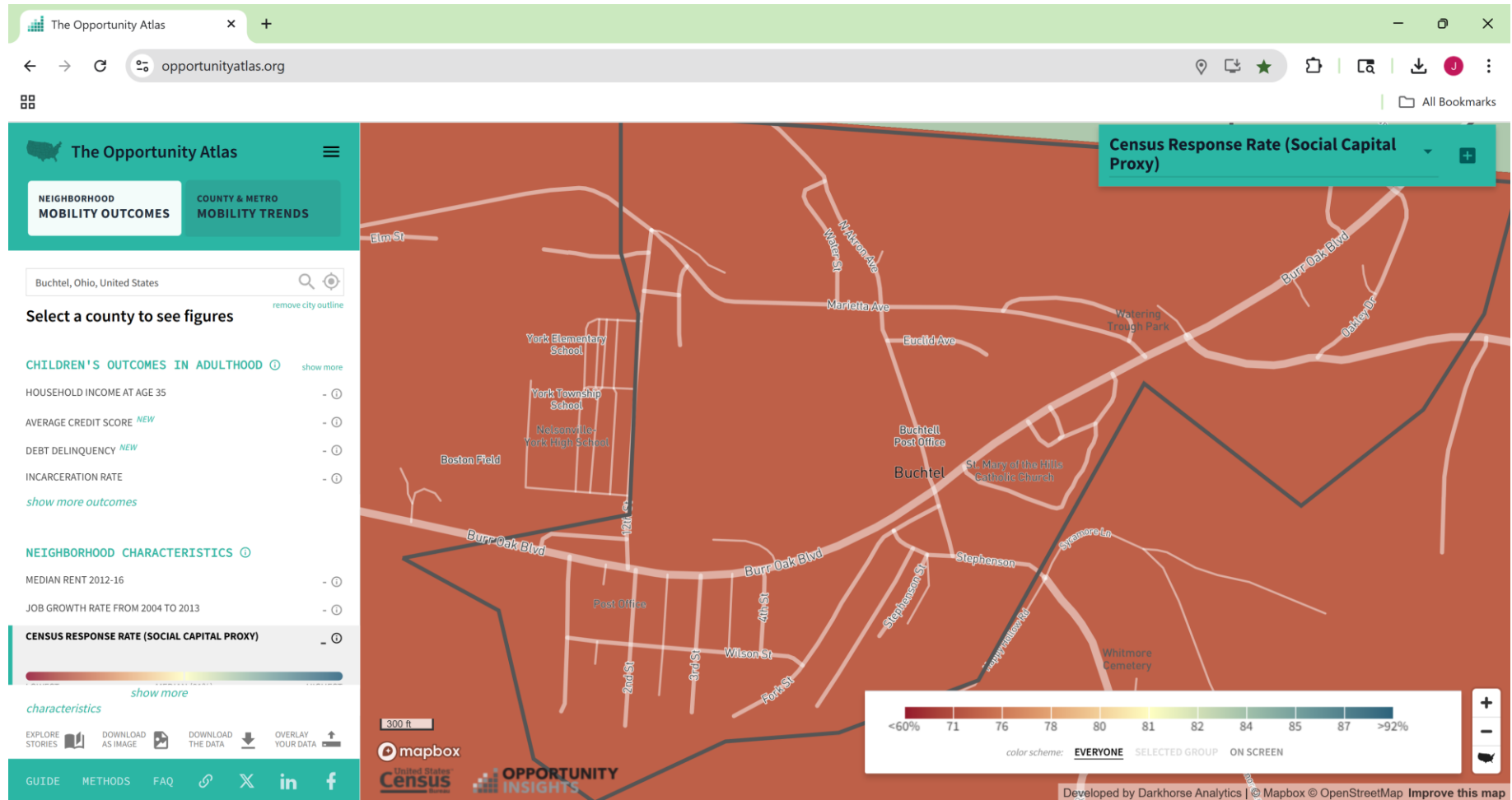
# Buchtel, OH: Job Growth Rate from 2004 - 2013



# Buchtel, OH: High School Graduation Rate



# Buchtel, OH: Social Capital





# Buchtel, OH: Transit

The image is a screenshot of the Google Maps interface for Buchtel, Ohio. The browser's address bar shows the URL: `google.com/maps/place/Buchtel,+OH/@39.4634781,-82.1914187,15z/data=!3m1!4b1!4m6!3m5!1s0x88480a25611858b7:0x976a2770e82f1927!8m2!3d39.4620147!4d...`. The search bar contains the text "Buchtel".

The left sidebar contains the following elements:

- Search bar with "Buchtel" and a search icon.
- Navigation icons: Saved, Recents, Reading, View more, and Get app.
- Location information: "Buchtel, Ohio" with a weather forecast of "Mostly sunny · 52°F" and "9:31 AM".
- Action buttons: Directions, Save, Nearby, Send to phone, and Share.
- Quick facts section: "Buchtel is a village in Athens and Hocking counties in the U.S. state of Ohio, just northeast of Nelsonville. Located in the Hocking Valley, it was a ... [More](#)".
- Hotels section.

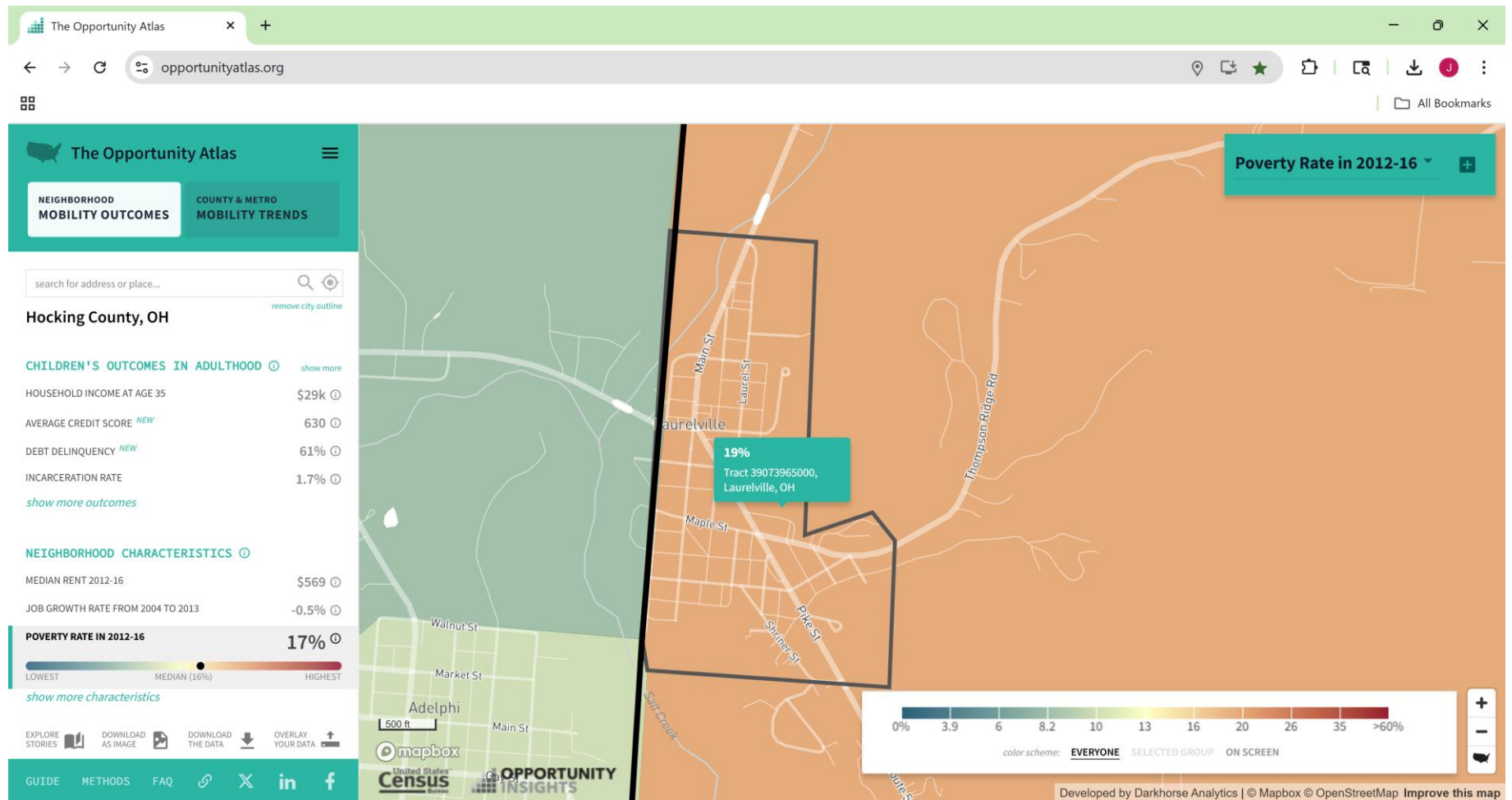
The main map area displays a street map of Buchtel, Ohio, with a red dashed line indicating a transit route. Key landmarks and streets shown include:

- Streets: Bessemer Rd, Marietta Ave, Oakley Dr, Sylvania Ave, Burm Oak Blvd, Wagner St, and Fork St.
- Landmarks: The Village Church, Nelsonville-York Elementary school, Nelsonville-York High School, United States Postal Service, and Sycamore Retreat.
- Geographic features: The Snow Fork river and the Hocking River.
- Map controls: A "Layers" button in the bottom left, and zoom in (+), zoom out (-), and street view (person icon) buttons in the bottom right.

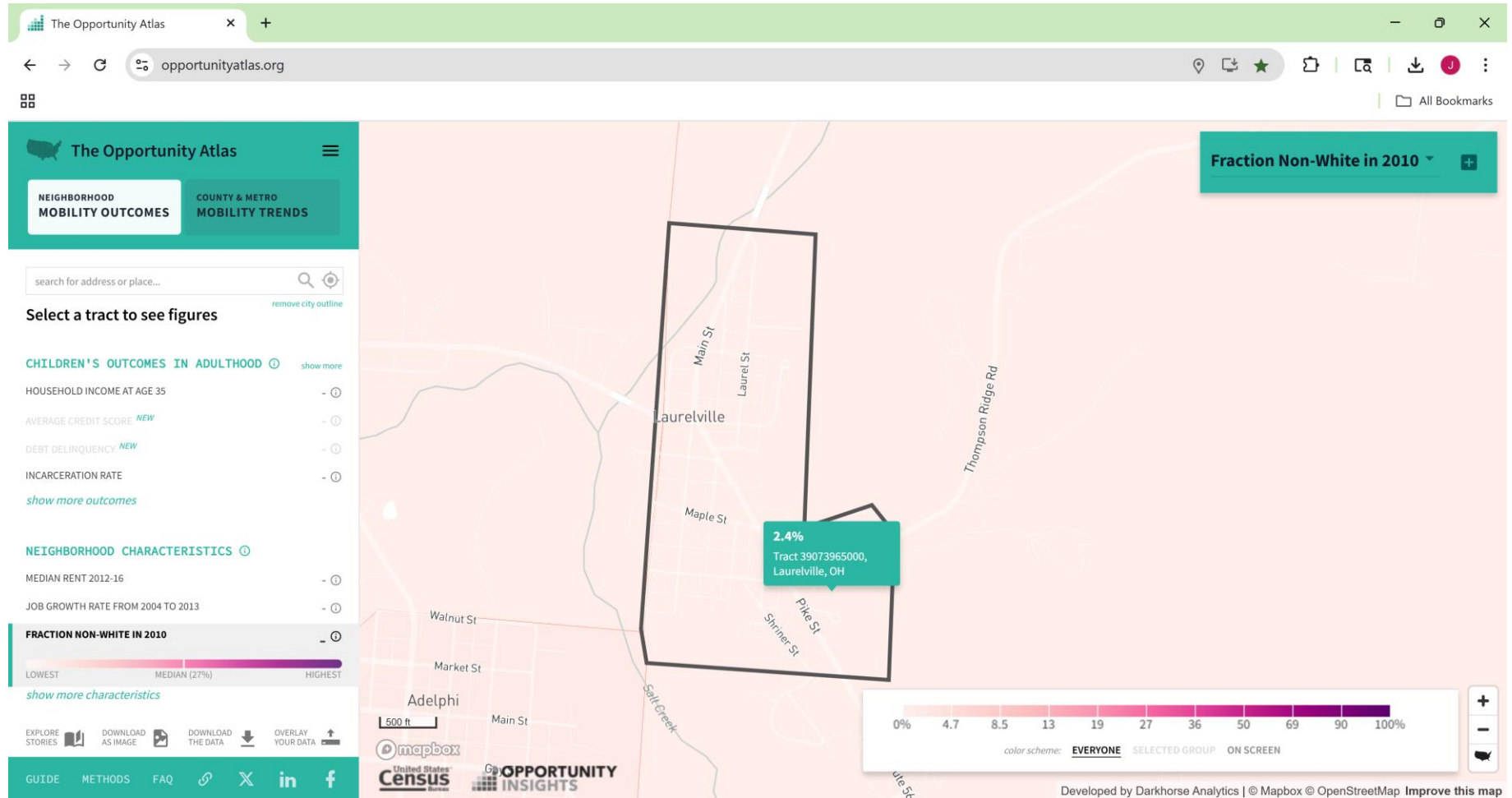
At the bottom of the map, the Google logo is visible, along with the text: "Map data ©2025 Google United States Terms Privacy Send Product Feedback 1000 ft".

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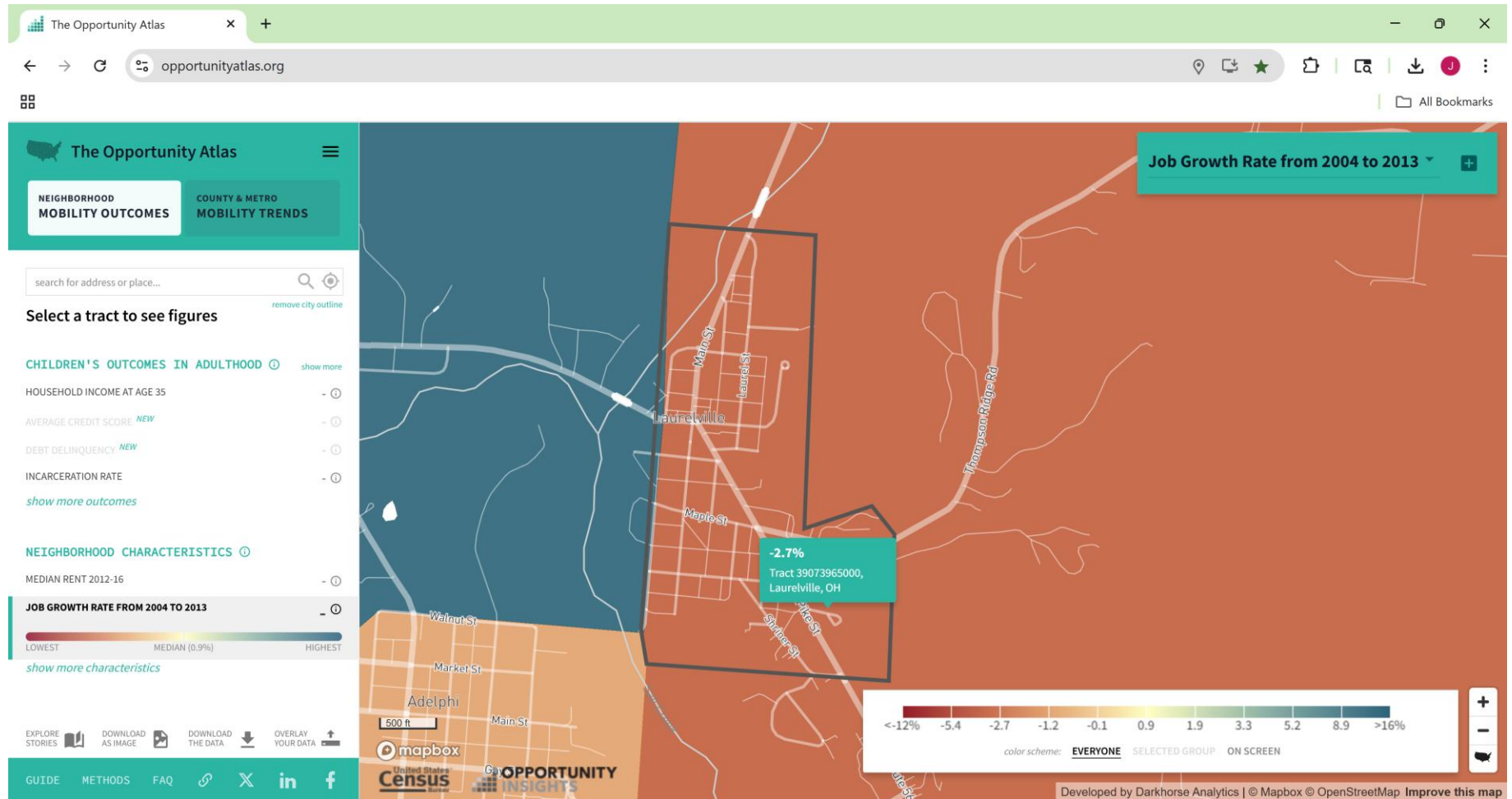
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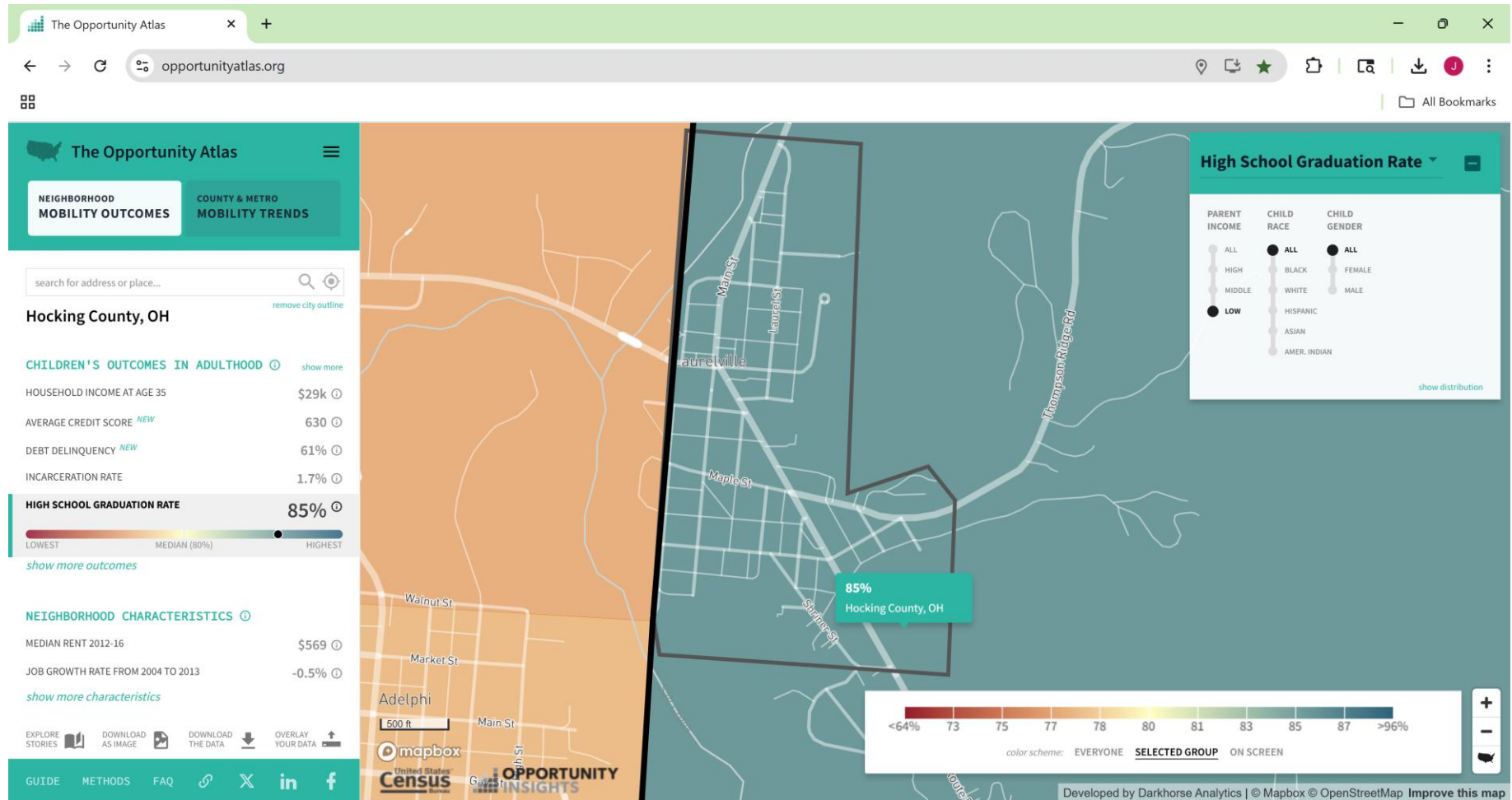
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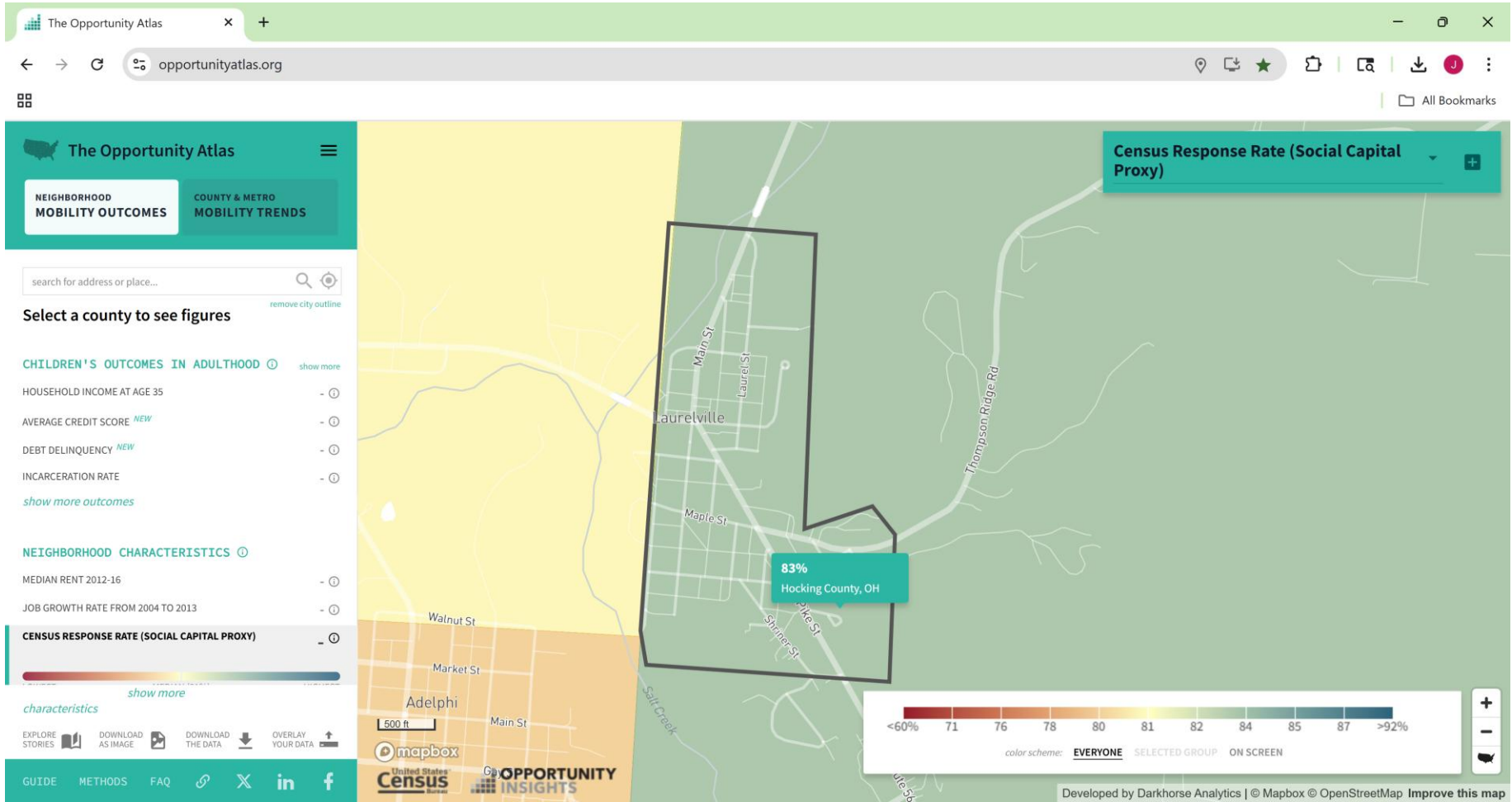
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# Laurelville, OH: High School Graduation Rate



# Laurelville, OH: Social Capital



# Laurelville, OH: Transit

The image is a screenshot of the Google Maps interface for Laurelville, Ohio. The browser's address bar shows the location's coordinates: `google.com/maps/place/Laurelville,+OH+43135/@39.4725531,-82.7471896,15z/data=!3m1!4b1!4m6!3m5!1s0x884799d42adc2aa7:0x4e9825b0f4f31cb8!8m2!3d39.473...`. The search bar contains the text "Laurelville".

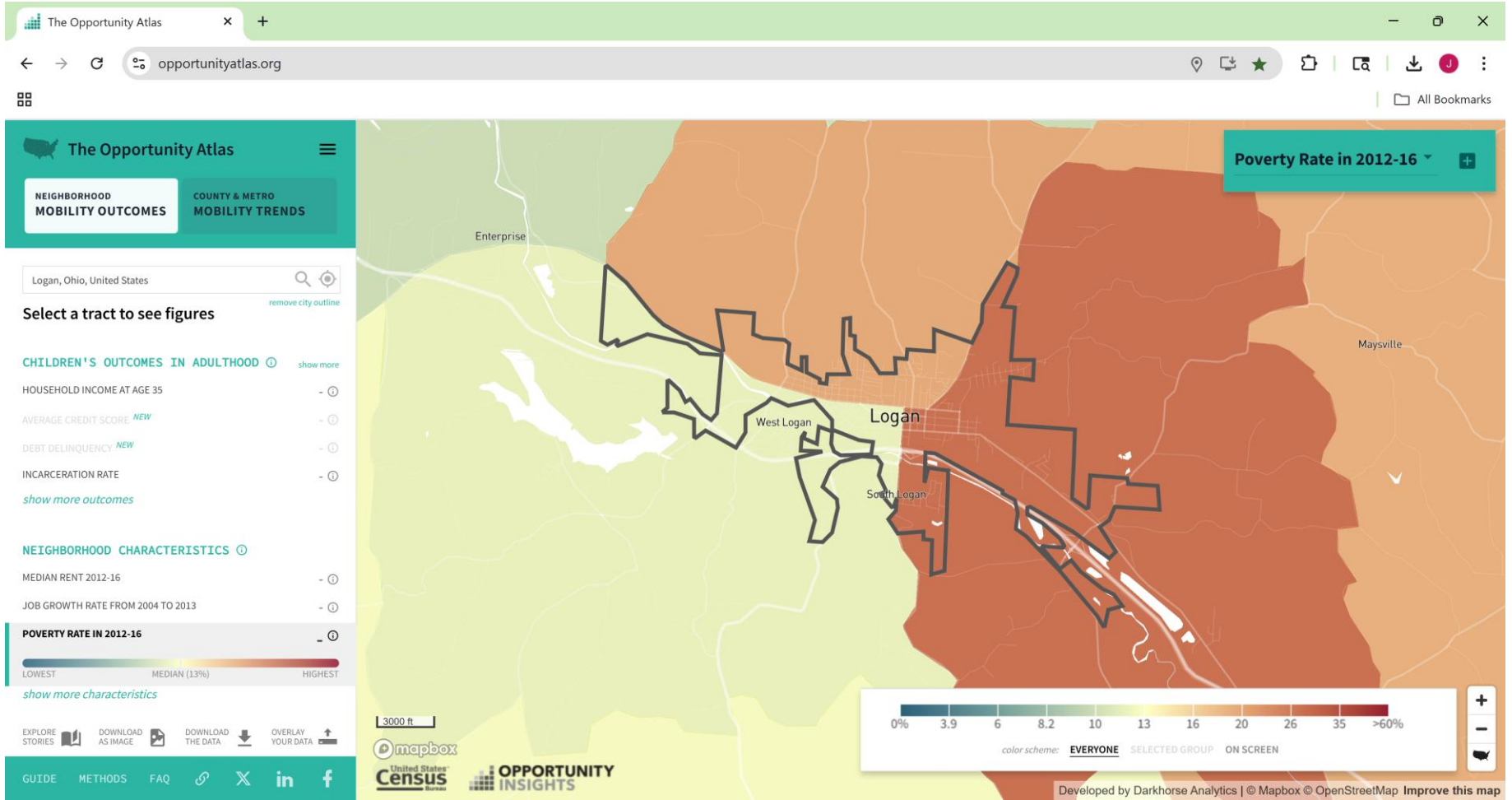
The left sidebar includes a search bar, a "Saved" section with a photo of a tree, a "Recents" section, and a "Reading" section with a "View more" button. The main information panel for Laurelville, Ohio 43135, shows the weather as "Partly cloudy · 51°F" at "9:34 AM". It features buttons for "Directions", "Save", "Nearby", "Send to phone", and "Share". Below this is a "Quick facts" section stating: "Laurelville is a village in Hocking County, Ohio, United States. The population was 512 at the 2020 census. It lies in the scenic Hocking Hills region... [More](#)". A "Hotels" section is partially visible at the bottom.

The map area shows a street grid with major roads like OH-56, US-180, and US-507. Key locations include "OH-56 Oasis", "Young's Family Market", "Laurel Manor Apartments", "The Ridge Inn Restaurant", and "Adelphi Opera House". A red dashed box highlights a central area of the town. The bottom of the map shows "Map data ©2025 Google" and a scale bar for "1000 ft".

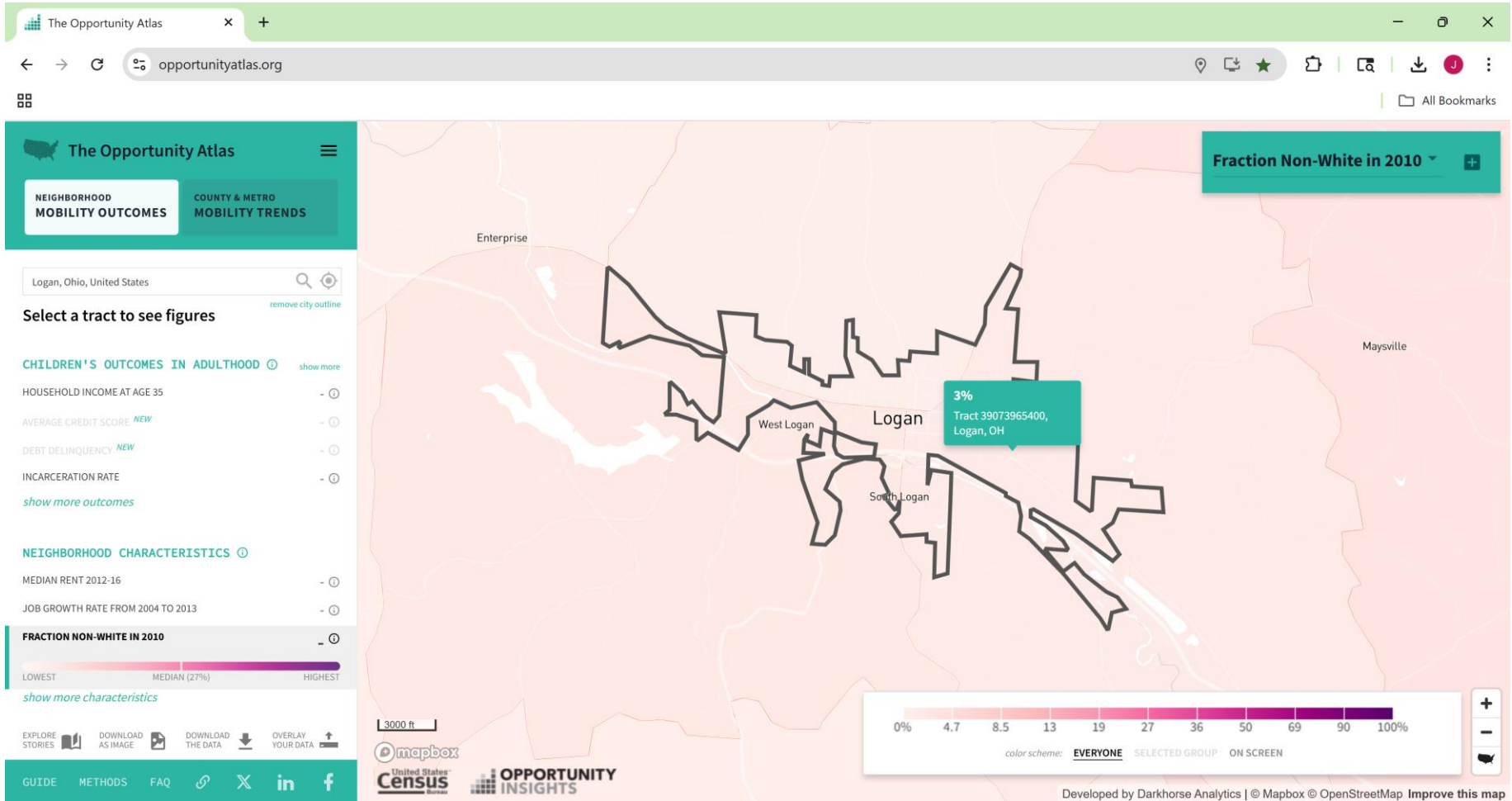


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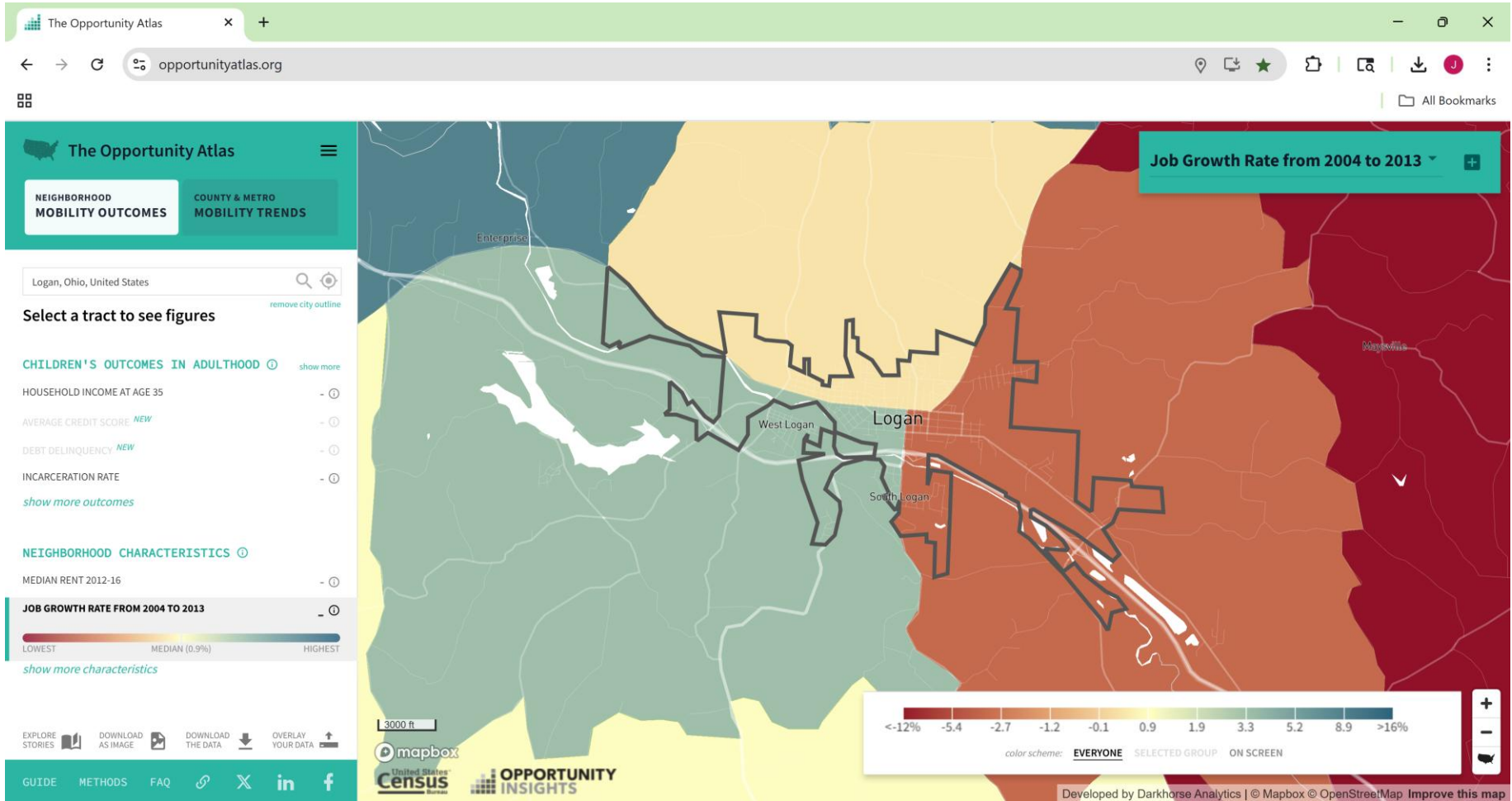
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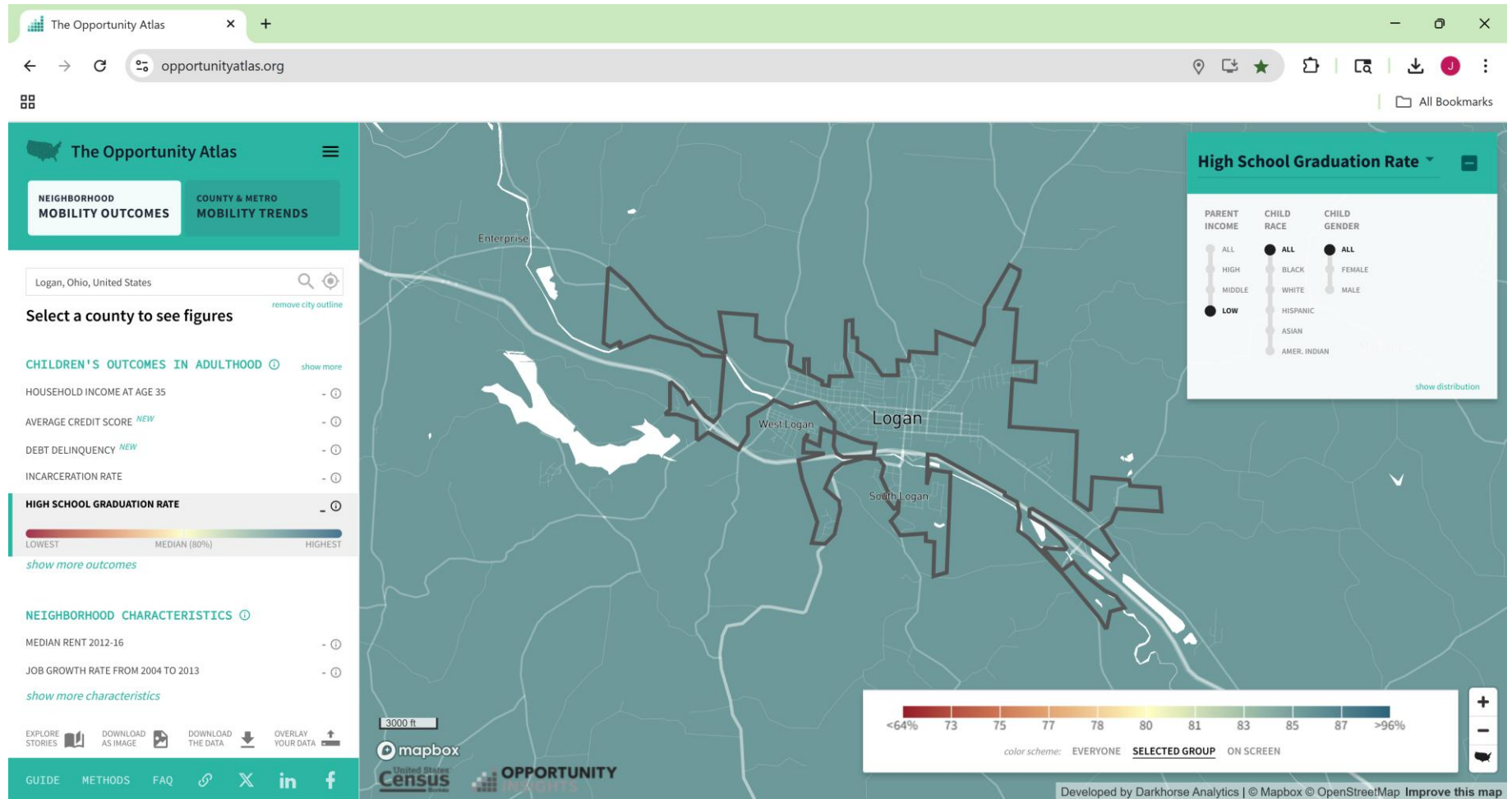
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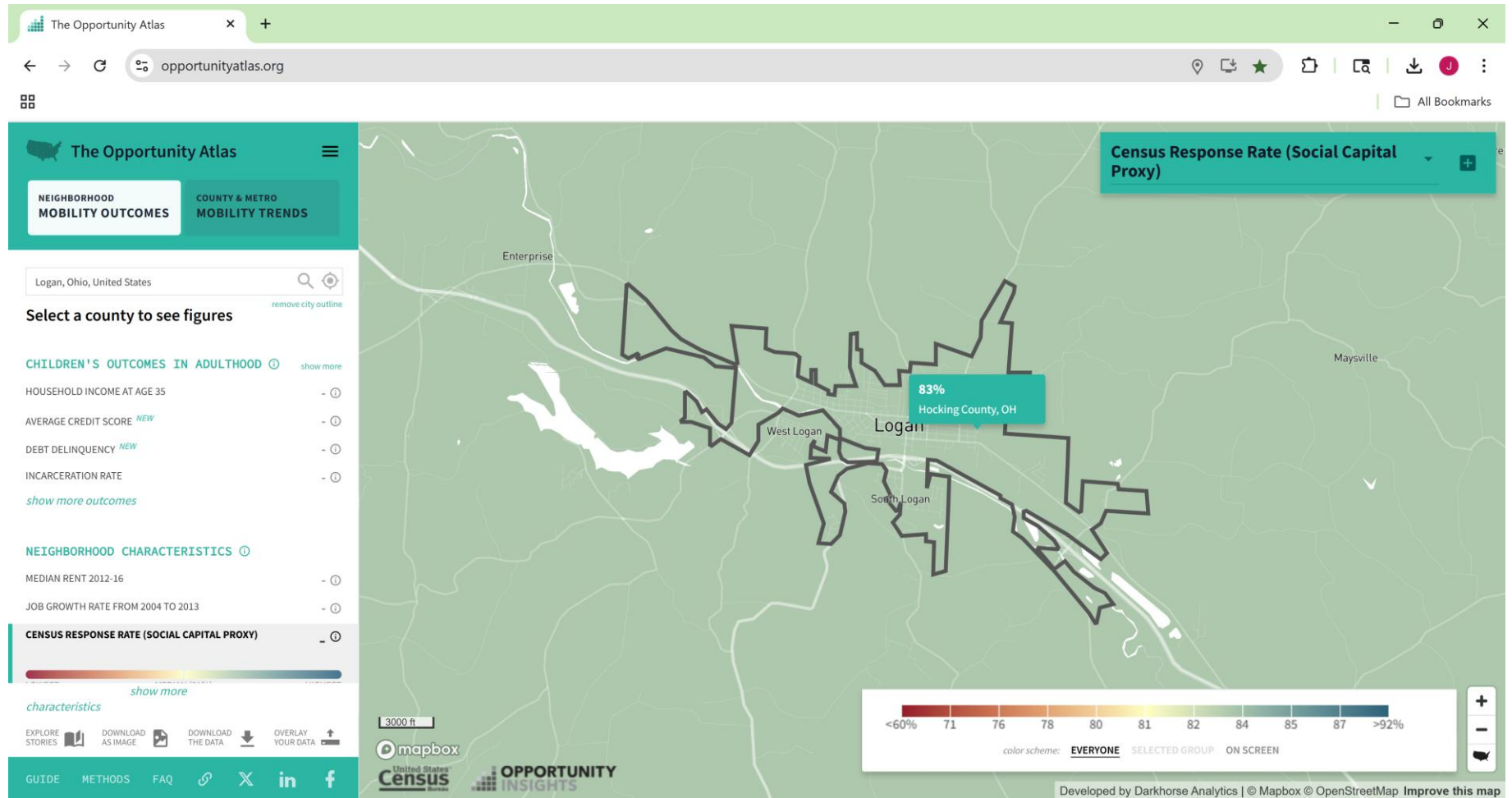
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# Logan, OH: High School Graduation Rate



# Logan, OH: Social Capital



# Logan, OH: Transit

The screenshot displays the Google Maps interface for Logan, Ohio. The search bar at the top left contains the text "Logan". Below the search bar is a photo of a white dog. The map shows Logan, Ohio, with various landmarks and transit routes. Key locations include Lake Logan State Park, Hocking Hills Winery, MainStay Suites Logan, Ohio-Hocking Hills, West Logan, Kachelmayer Park, Smead Manufacturing, Four Seasons Cabin Rentals, Hocking Hills Cabins, and The Big Pine Lodge. Transit routes are shown in red dashed lines. The map also features a sidebar with navigation options like "Directions", "Save", "Nearby", "Send to phone", and "Share". The weather is "Partly cloudy" at 52°F, and the time is 9:36 AM. The bottom of the map shows "Map data ©2025 Google" and a scale of 1 mile.

Logan  
Ohio 43138

Partly cloudy · 52°F  
9:36 AM

Directions Save Nearby Send to phone Share

**Quick facts**  
Logan is a city in Hocking County, Ohio, United States, and its county seat. It is located along the Hocking River about 43 miles southeast of Columbu... [More](#)

**Hotels**

Restaurants Hotels Things to do Museums Transit Pharmacies

Hocking Hills Winery  
MainStay Suites Logan  
Ohio-Hocking Hills  
West Logan  
Kachelmayer Park  
Smead Manufacturing  
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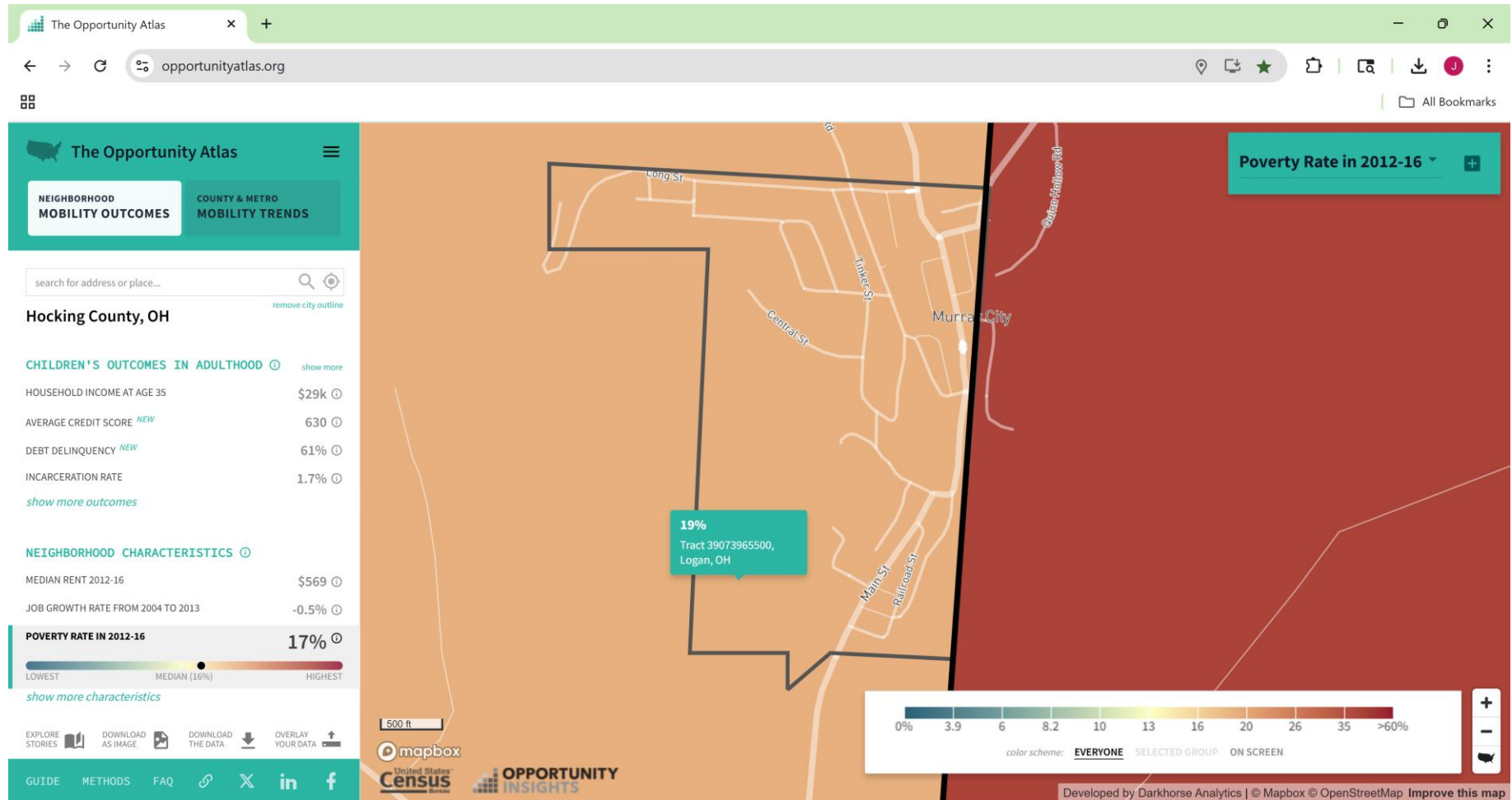
Lake Logan State Park  
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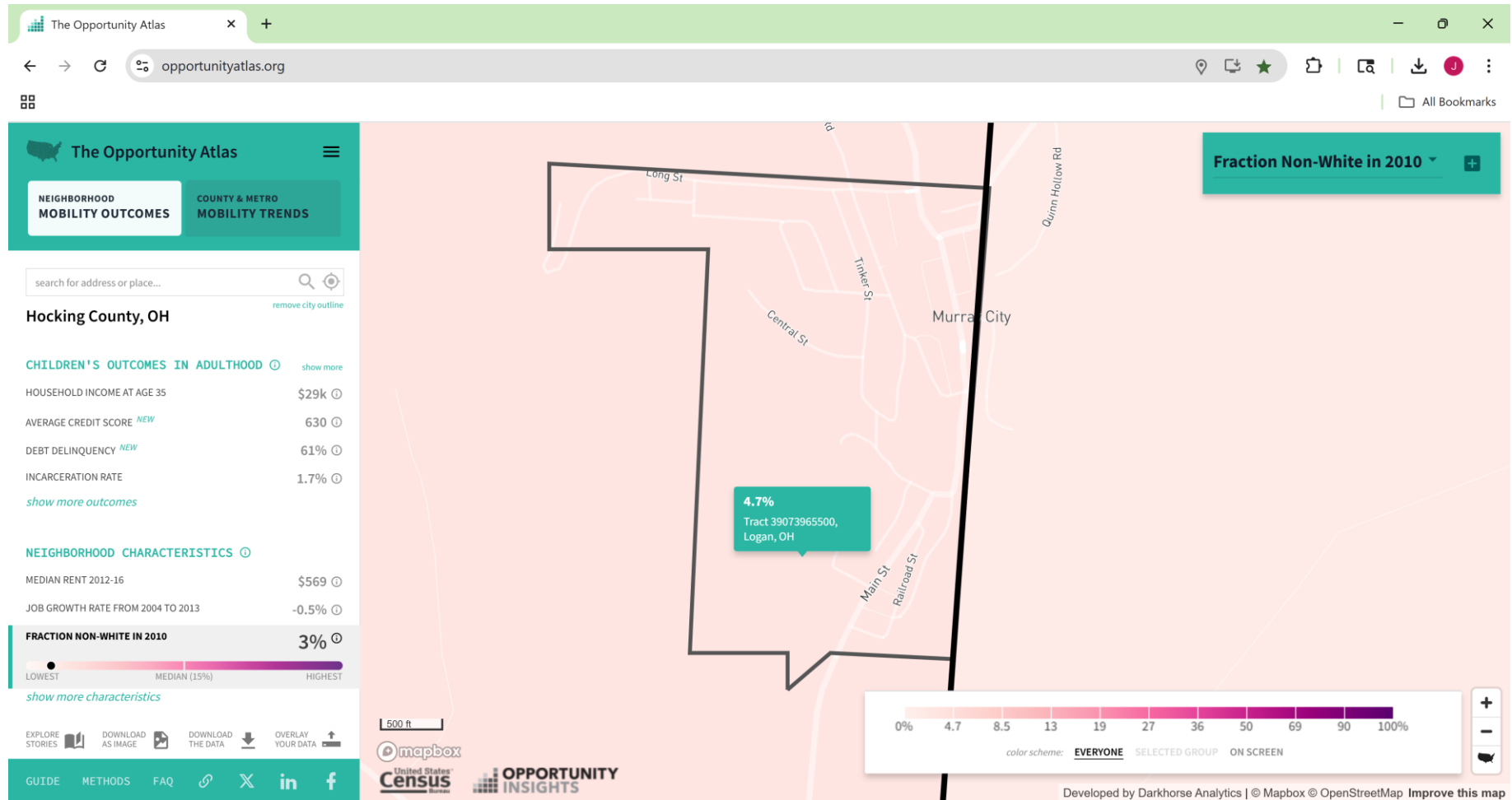
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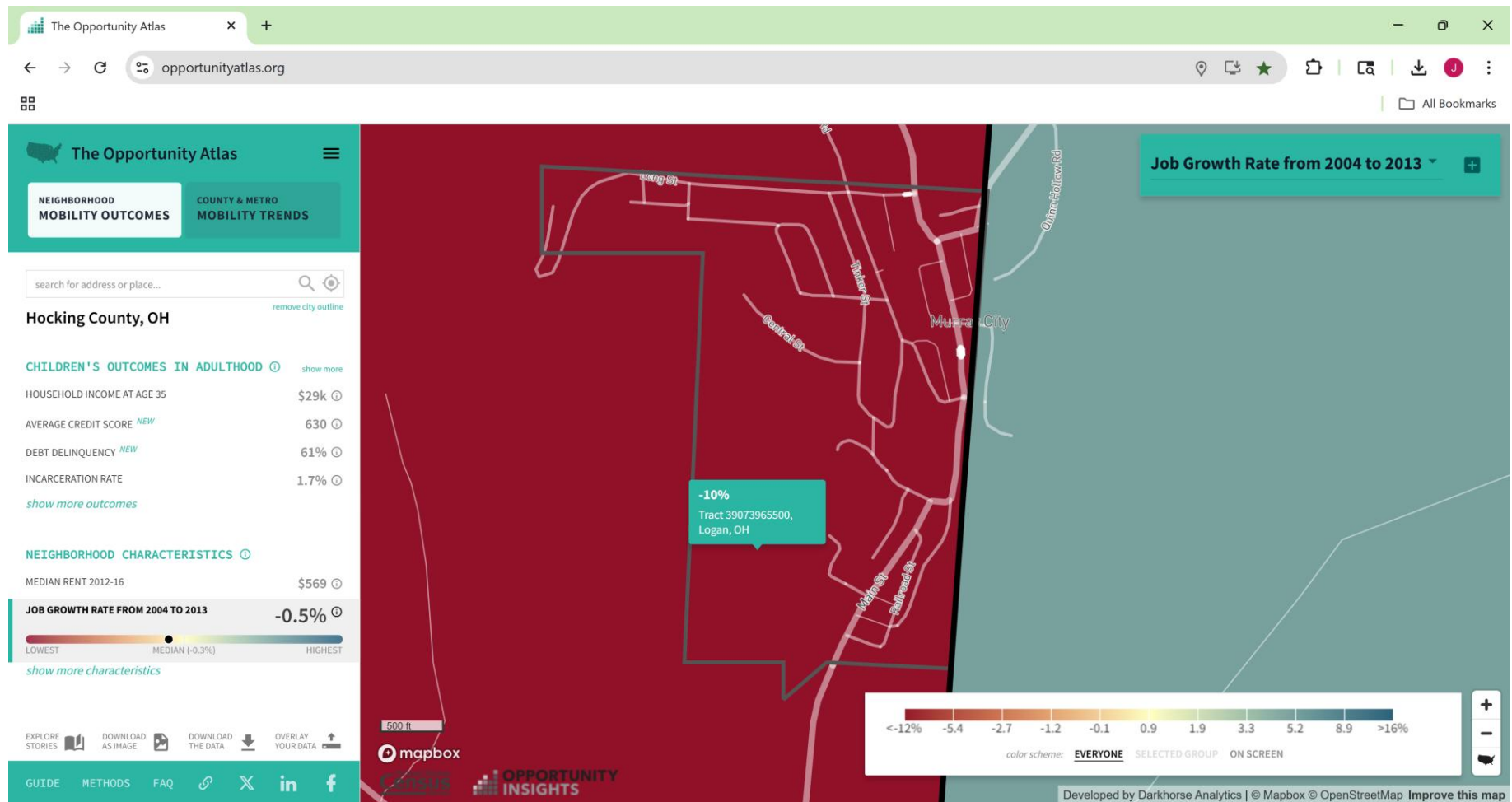
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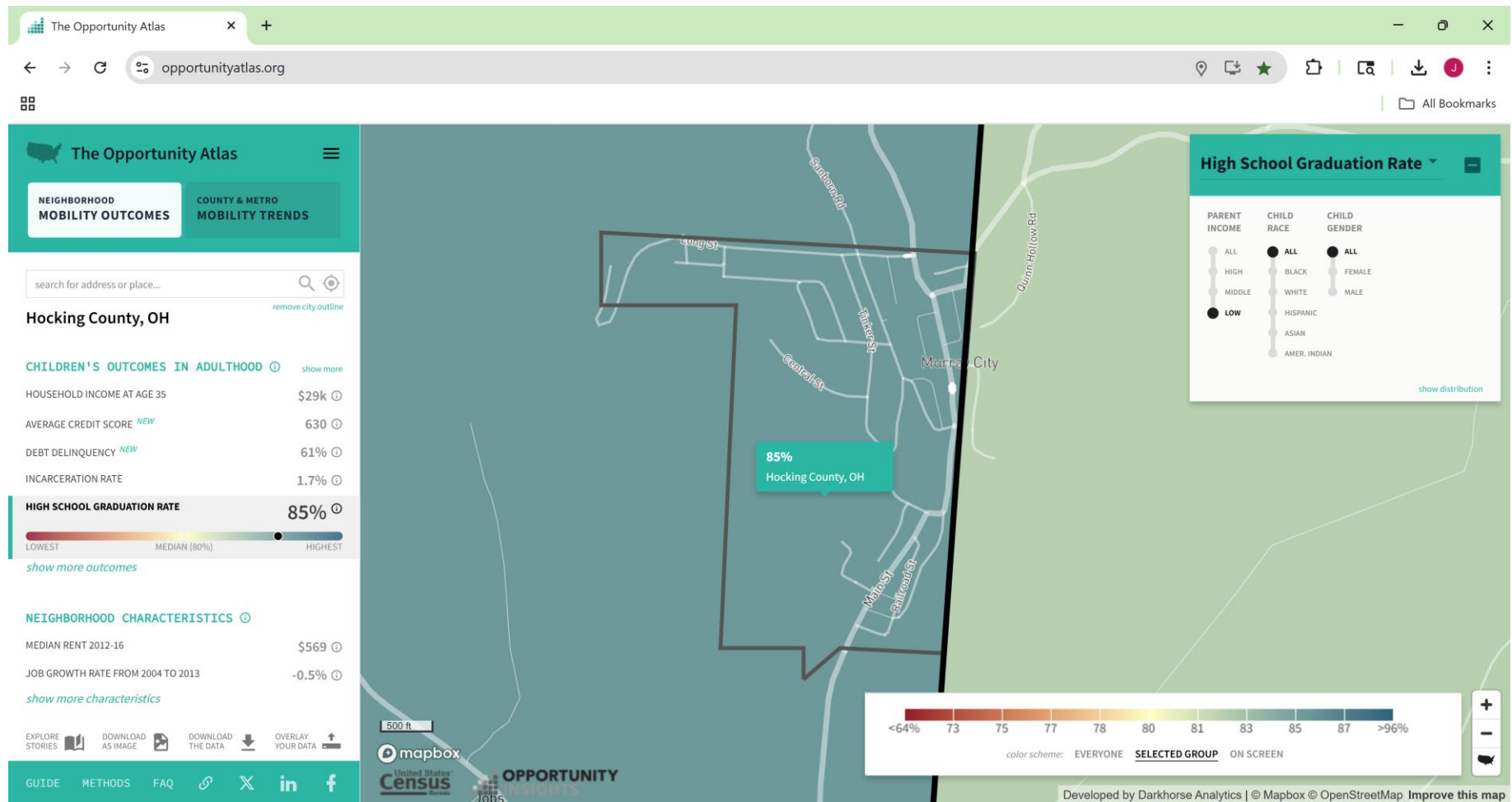
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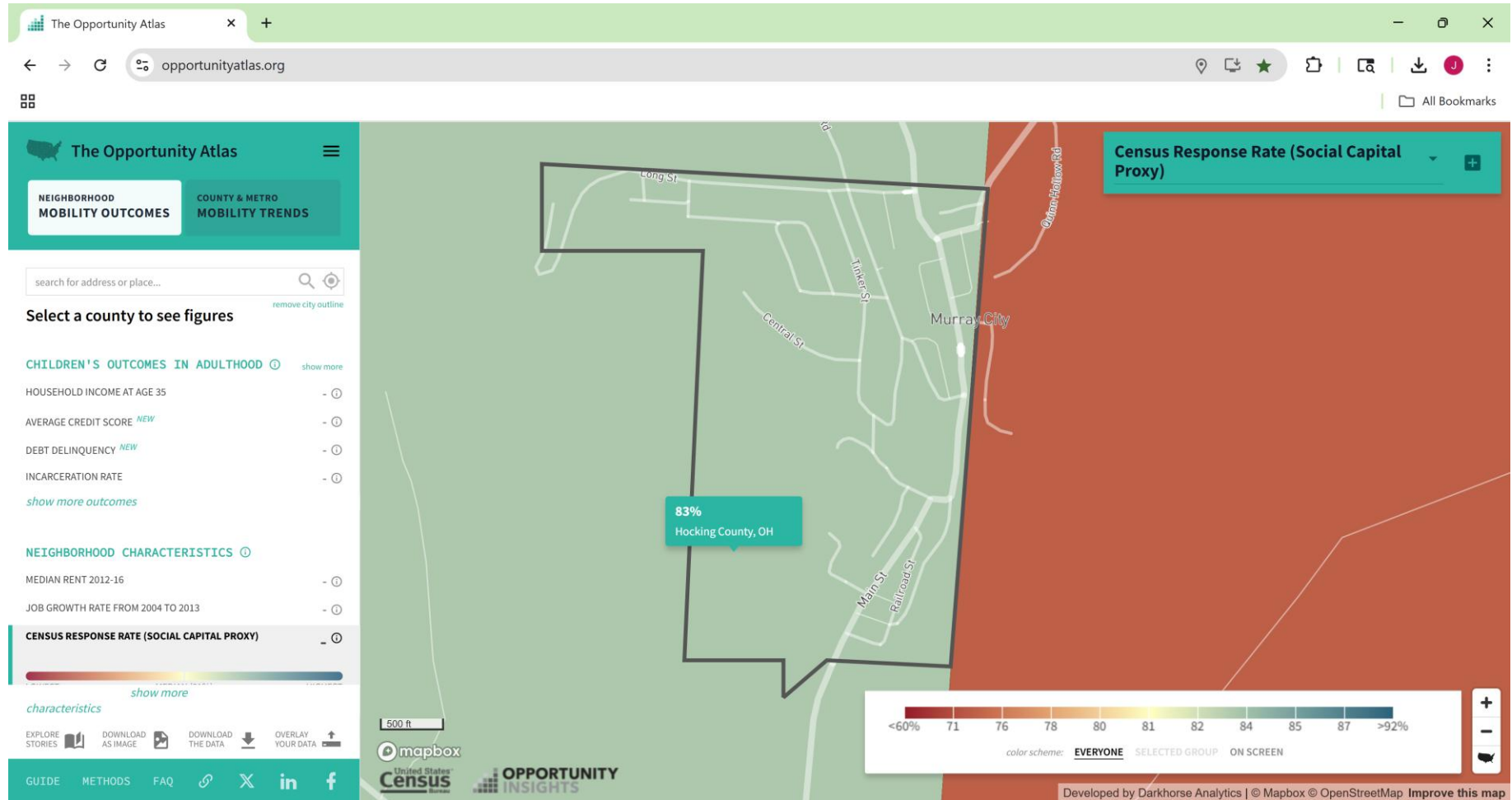
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