



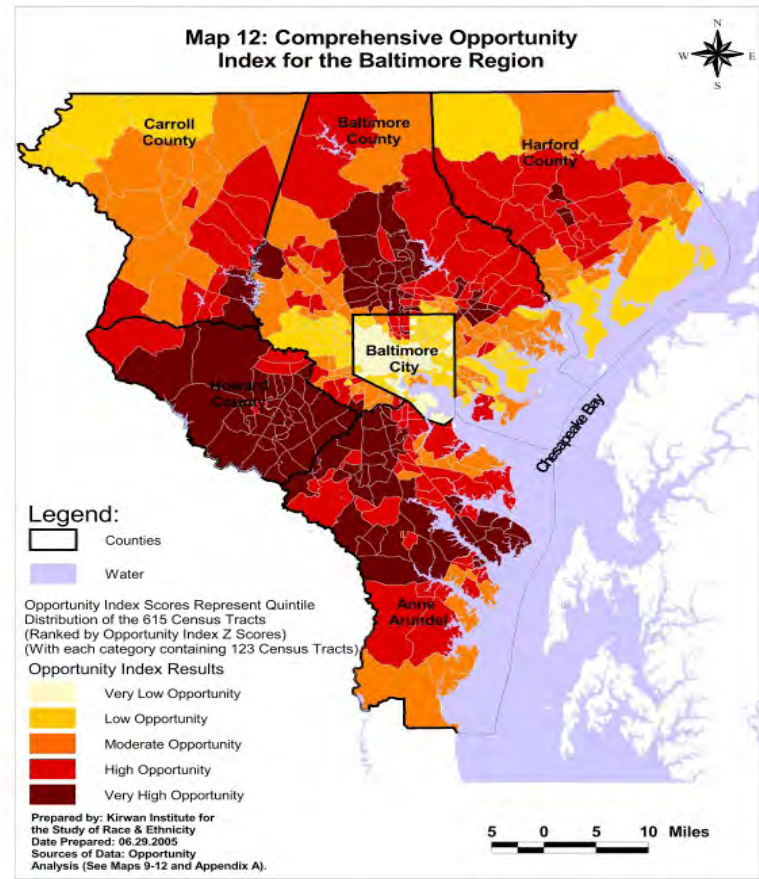
Thompson Mobility Program



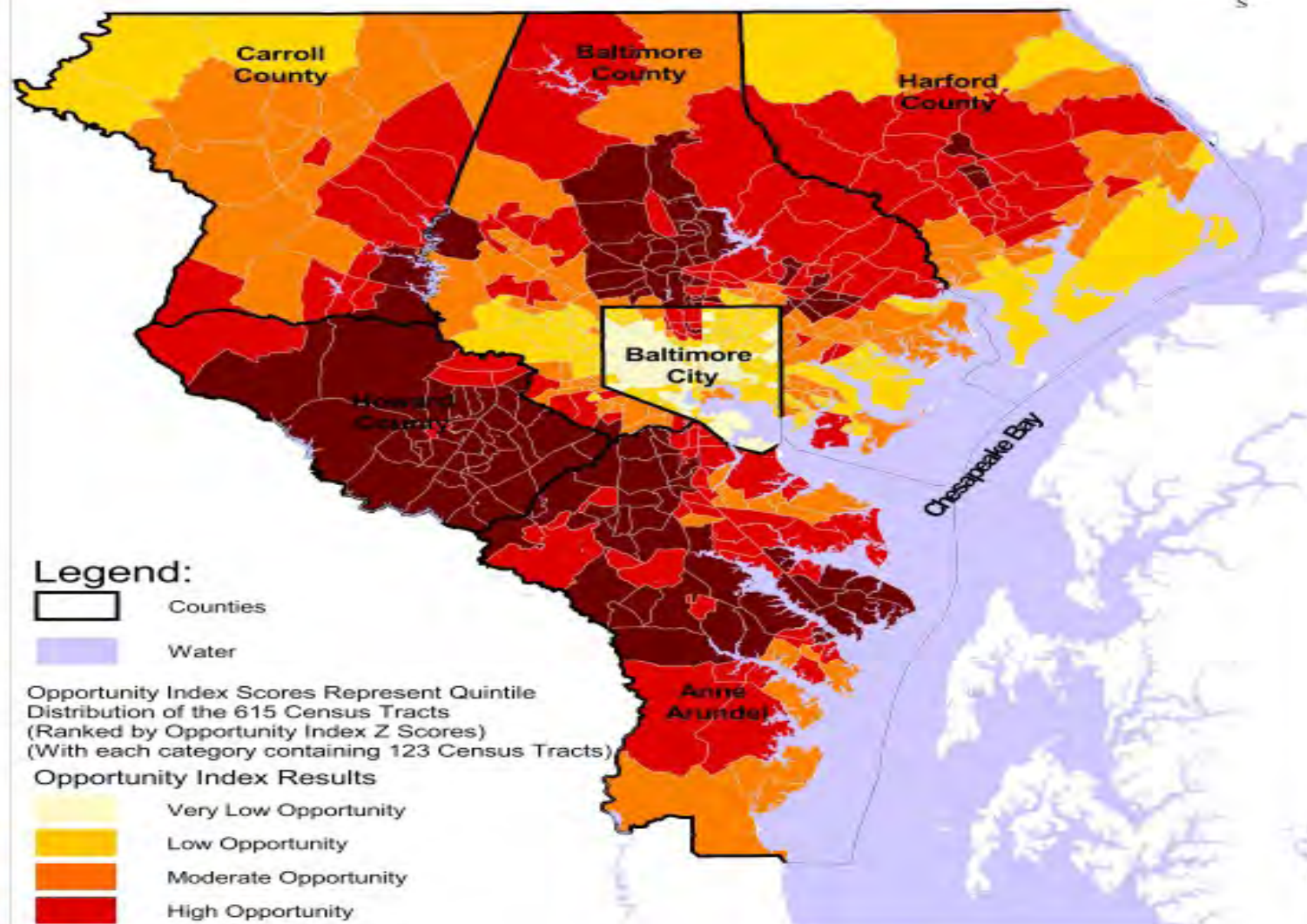
# Opportunity Analysis

Use of indicators to designate high and low opportunity neighborhoods in the Baltimore region



- 14 Indicators of Opportunity
  - Neighborhood Quality/Health
    - Poverty, Crime, Vacancy, Property Values, Population Trends
  - Economic Opportunity
    - Proximity to Jobs and Job Changes, Public Transit
  - Educational Opportunity
    - School Poverty, School Test Scores, Teacher Qualifications



# Map 12: Comprehensive Opportunity Index for the Baltimore Region




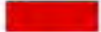



## Legend:

-  Counties
-  Water


Opportunity Index Scores Represent Quintile Distribution of the 615 Census Tracts (Ranked by Opportunity Index Z Scores) (With each category containing 123 Census Tracts)

## Opportunity Index Results

-  Very Low Opportunity
-  Low Opportunity
-  Moderate Opportunity
-  High Opportunity
-  Very High Opportunity

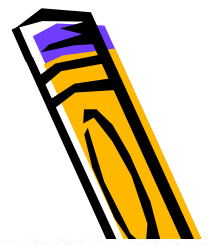
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 Sources of Data: Opportunity Analysis (See Maps 9-12 and Appendix A).

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# Children and Schools



Low Opportunity

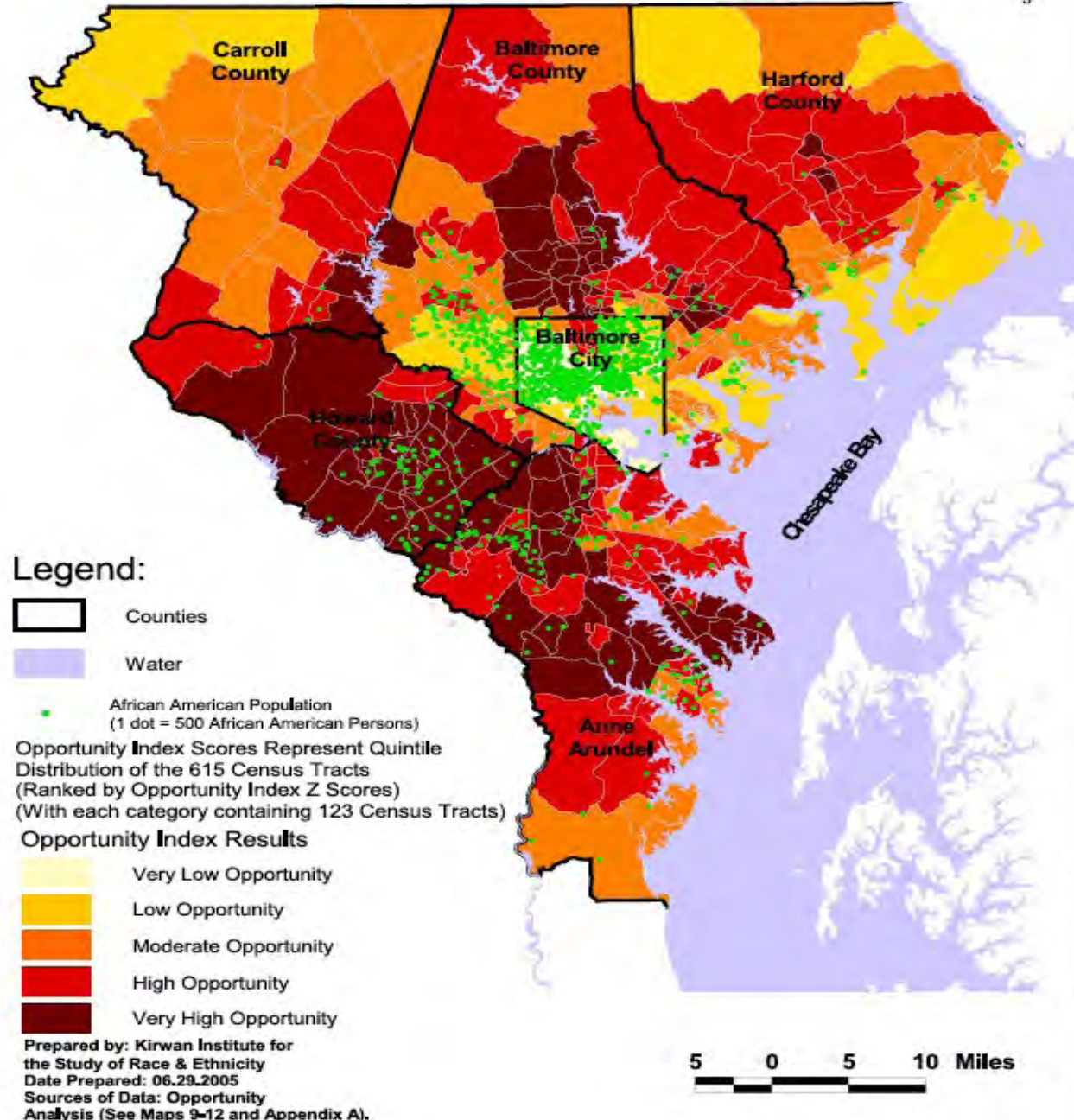


High Opportunity

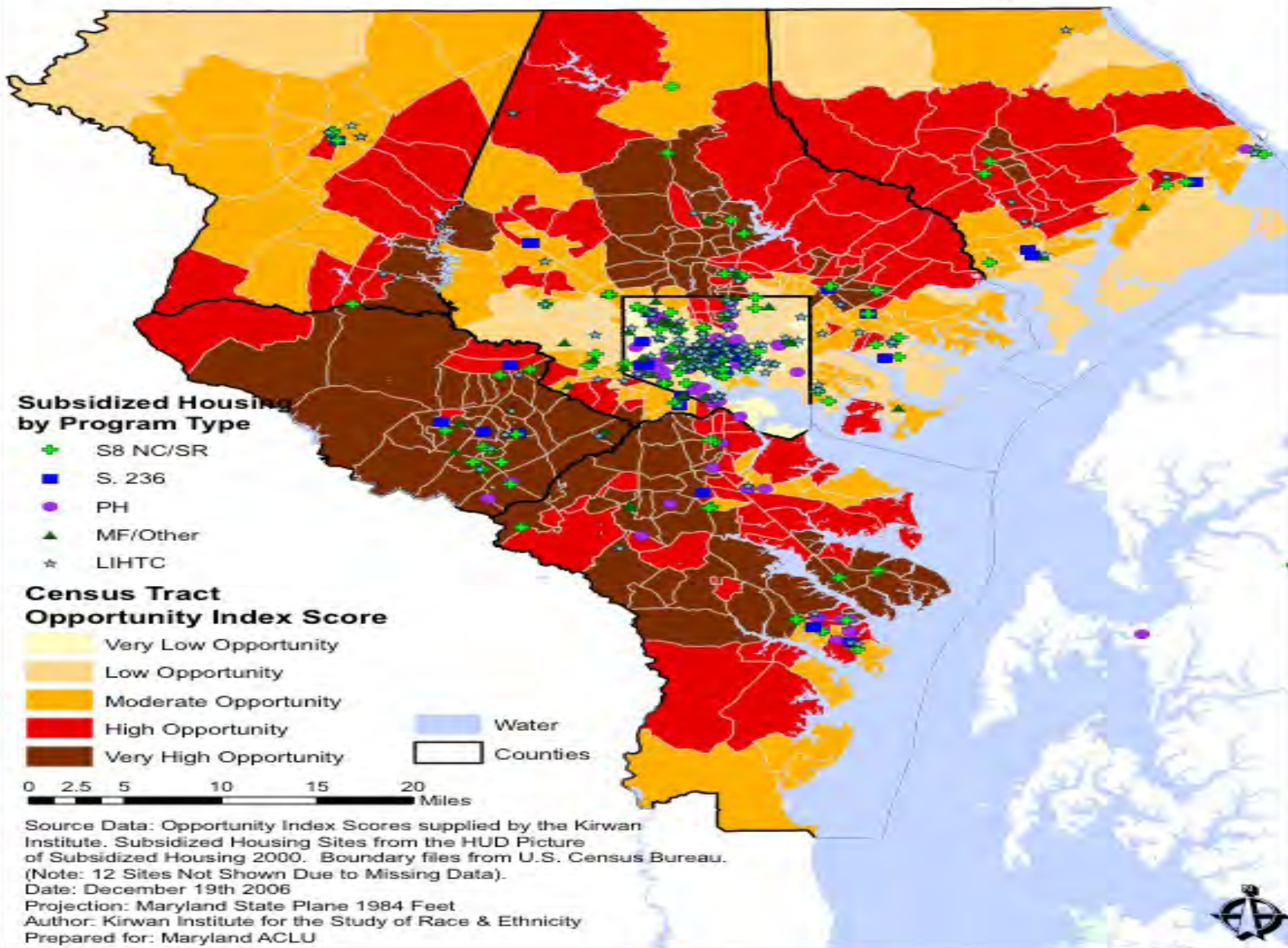




# Map 15: Comprehensive Opportunity Index for the Baltimore Region Overlaid with African American Population in 2000

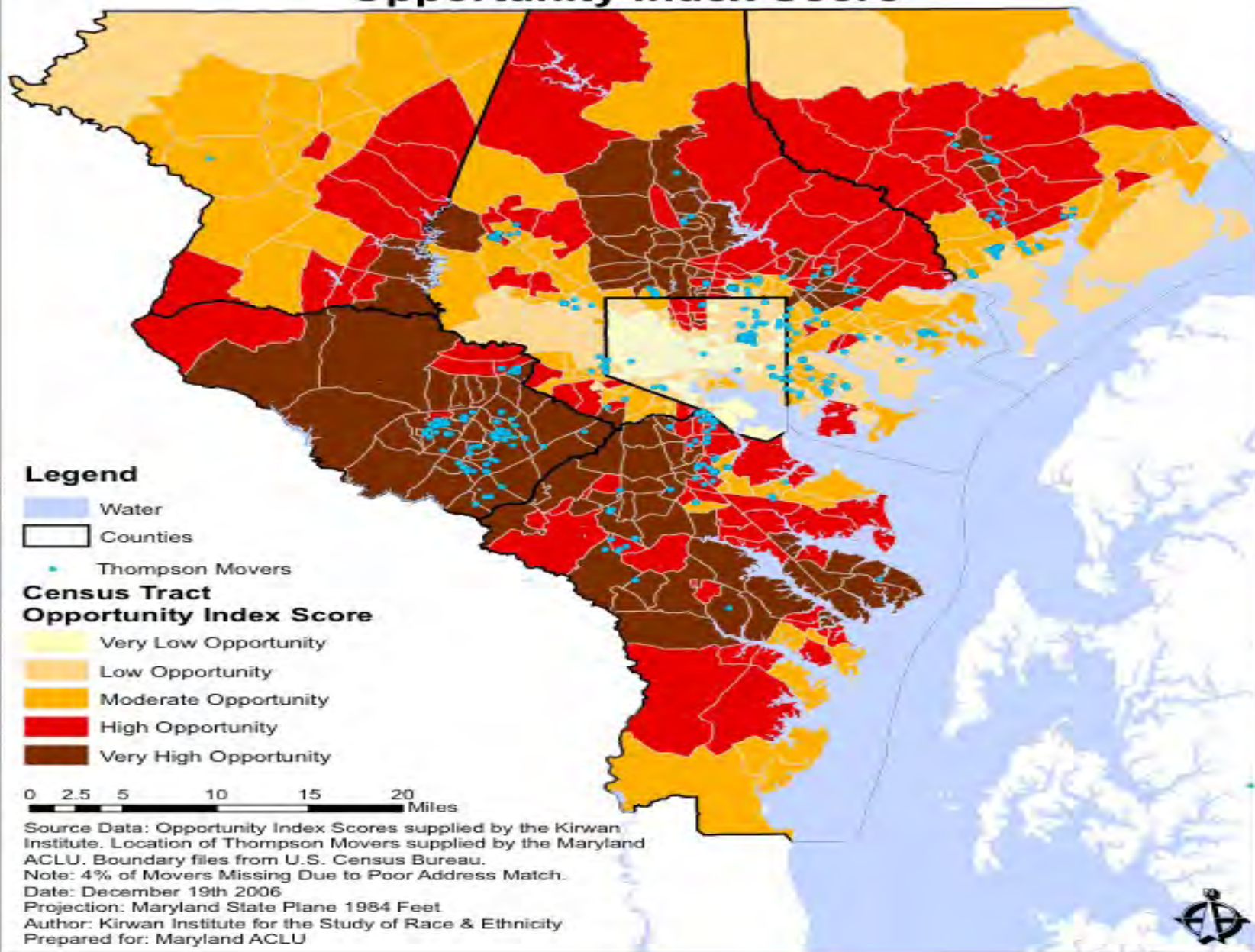


# **Subsidized Housing Sites by Program in the Baltimore Region and Neighborhood Opportunity Index (From HUD Picture of Subsidized Housing 2000)**



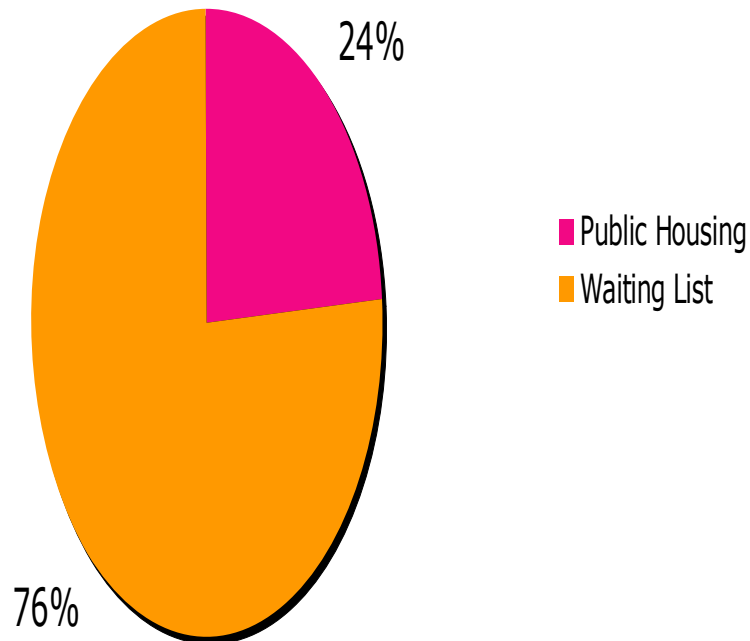


# Thompson Movers (887 Initial Program Placements) as of November 20th 2006 and Neighborhood Opportunity Index Score

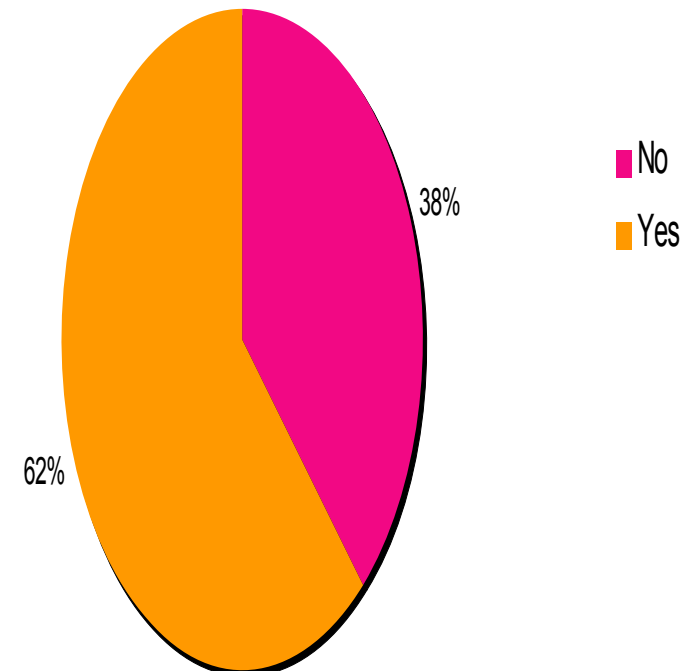


# Mobility Program Participants

**Public Housing v. Waiting List**  
(2007 New Mover Survey)  
(N=96)



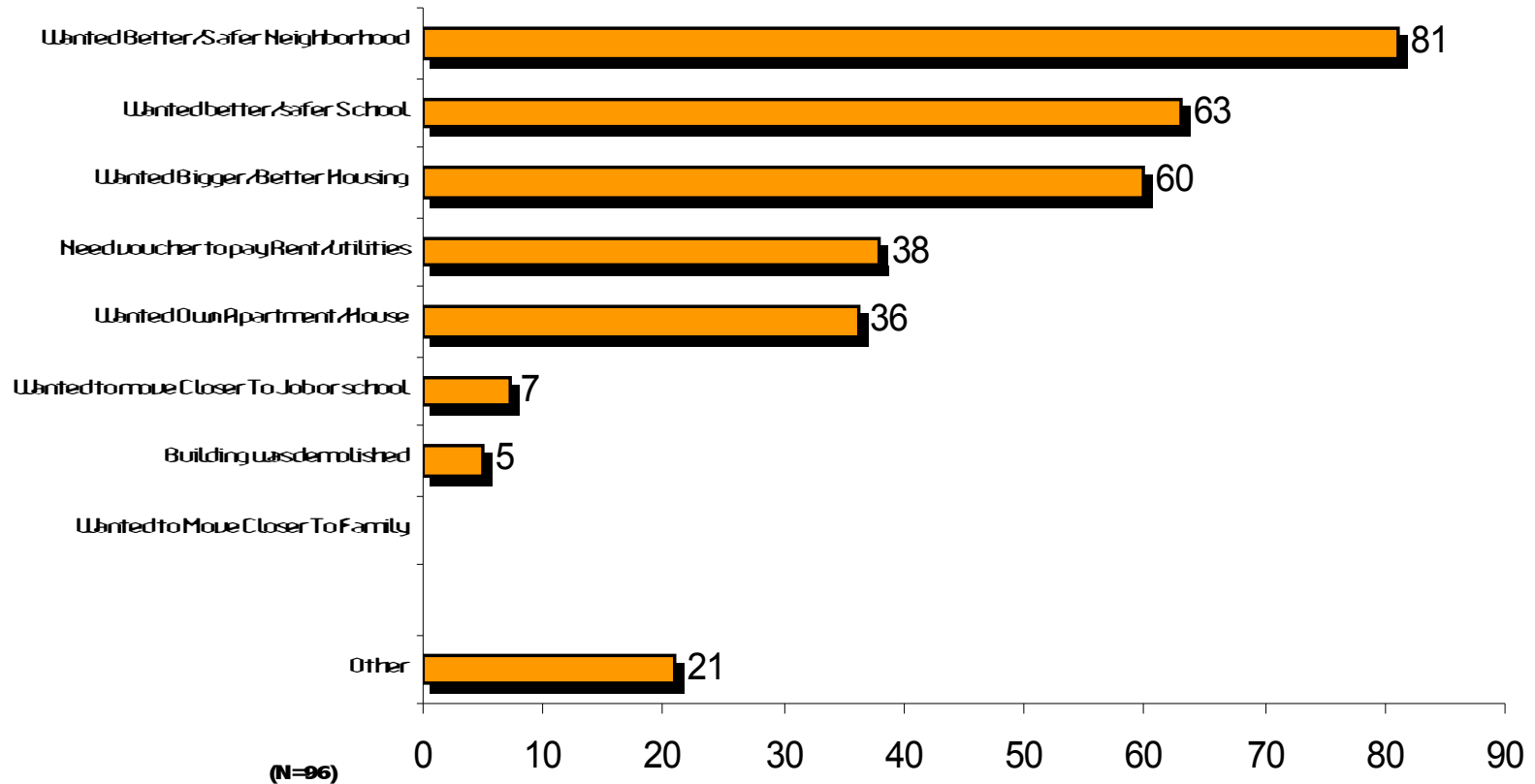
**Previously Lived In Public Housing**  
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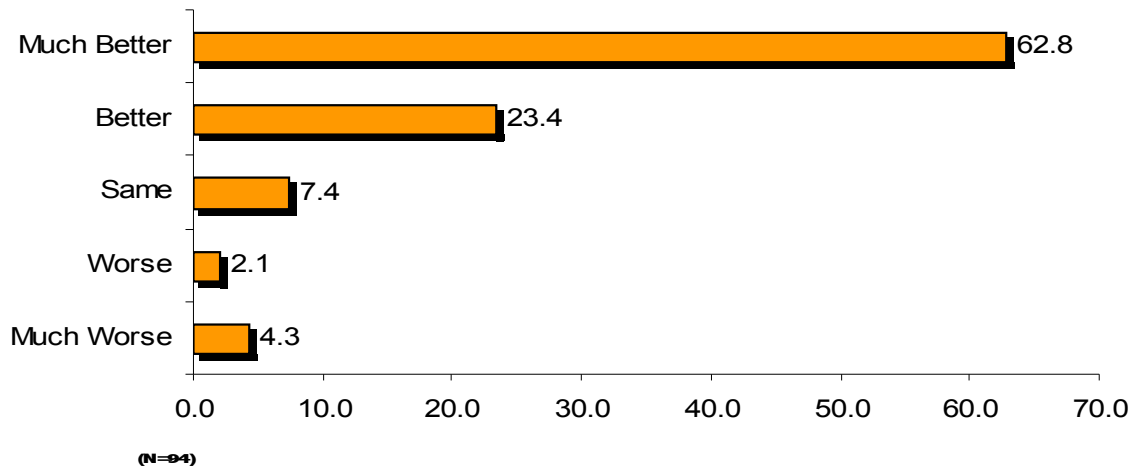
# Reasons Signed Up For Mobility Program

**Reason(s) Signed Up For Mobility Program  
(2007 New Mover Survey)**

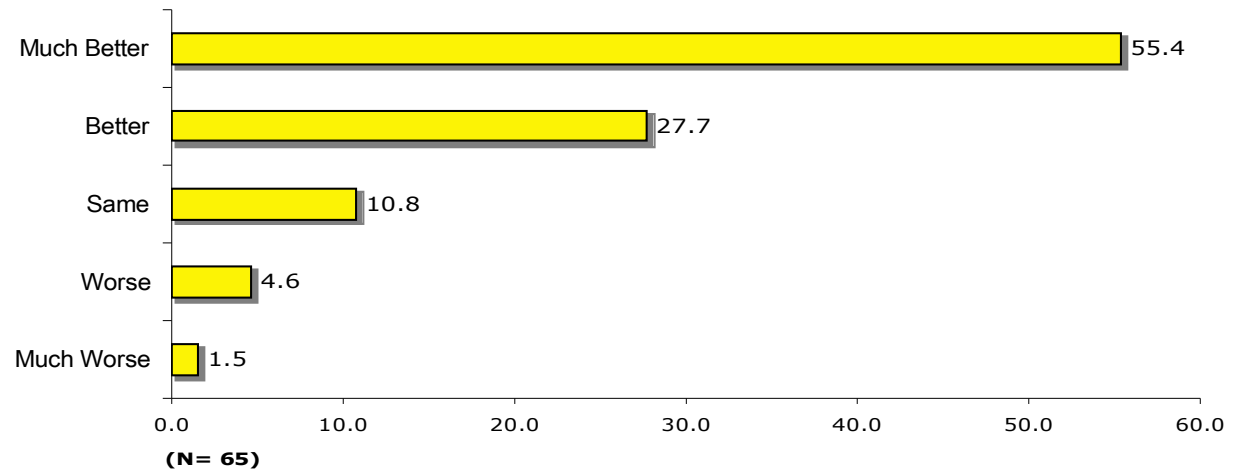


# Compare Neighborhoods

**Comparison of Old Neighborhood to New Neighborhood  
(2007 New Mover Survey)**

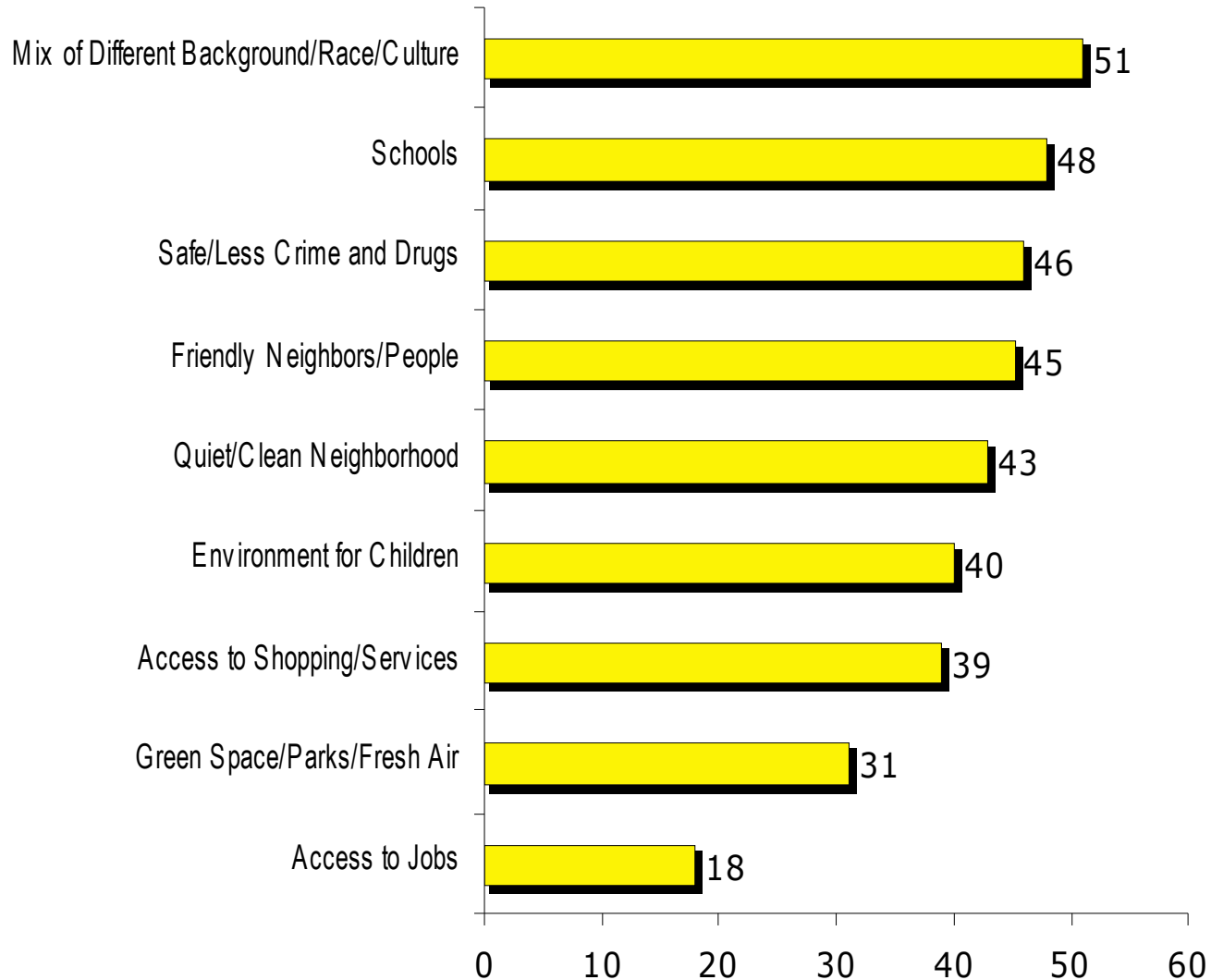


**Comparison of Old Neighborhood to New Neighborhood  
(2007 Post Placement Survey)**





## Positive Aspects Of Current Neighborhood (2007 Post Placement Survey)

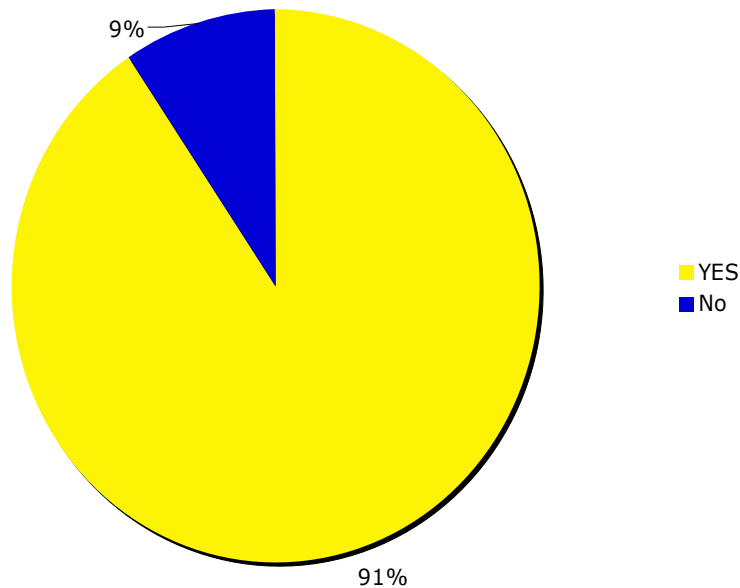


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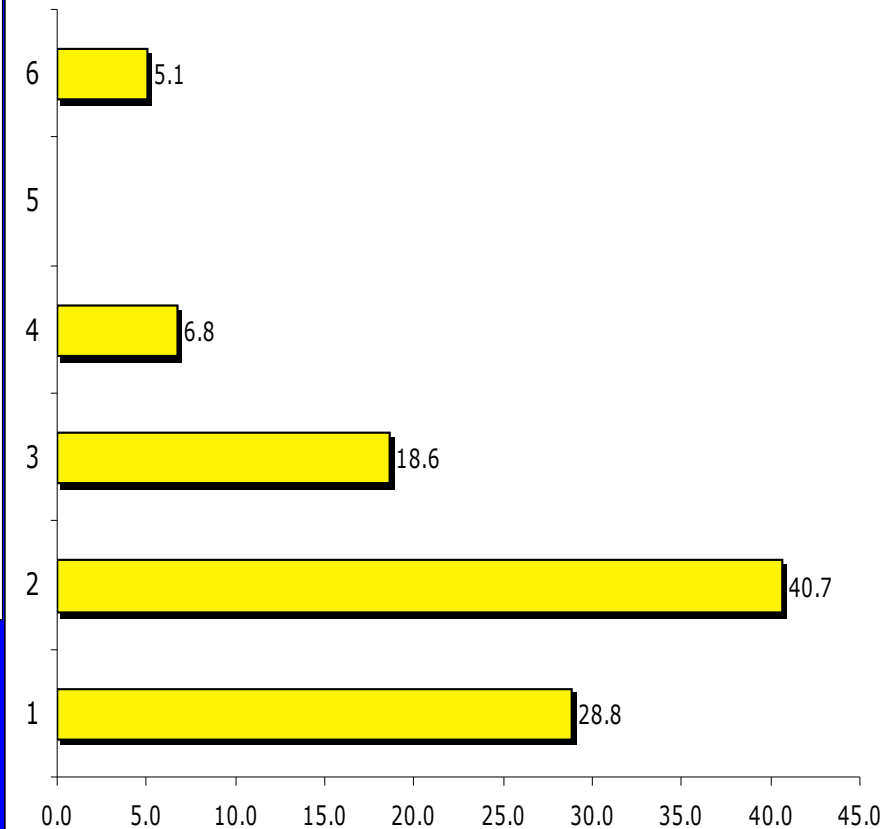
# Children In Household

**Respondents With Children Under 18  
(2007 Post Placement Survey)**

**(N=64)**



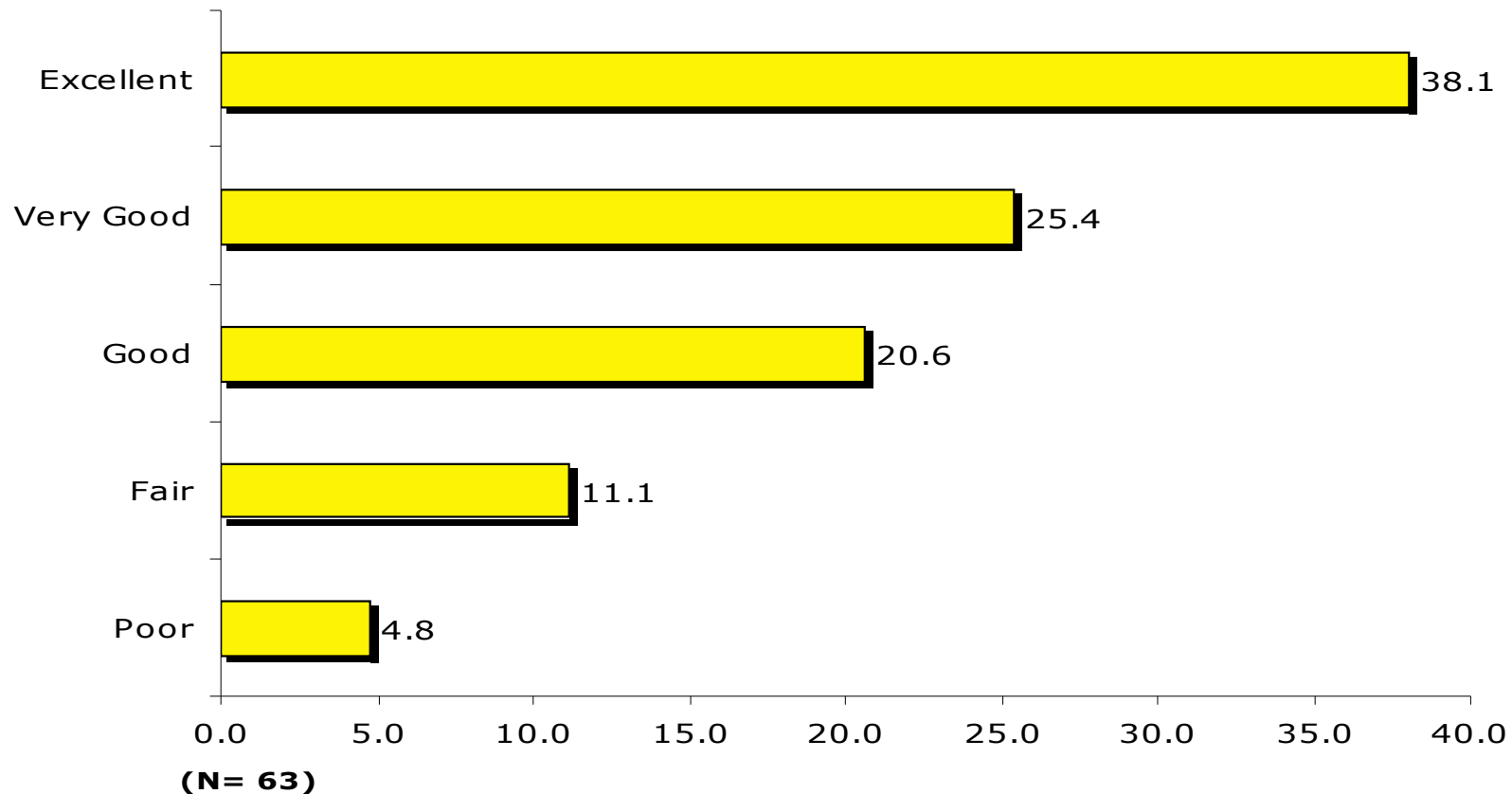
**Number Of Children In Households  
(2007 Post Placement Survey)**





# Rate Current Neighborhood As A Place Raise Children

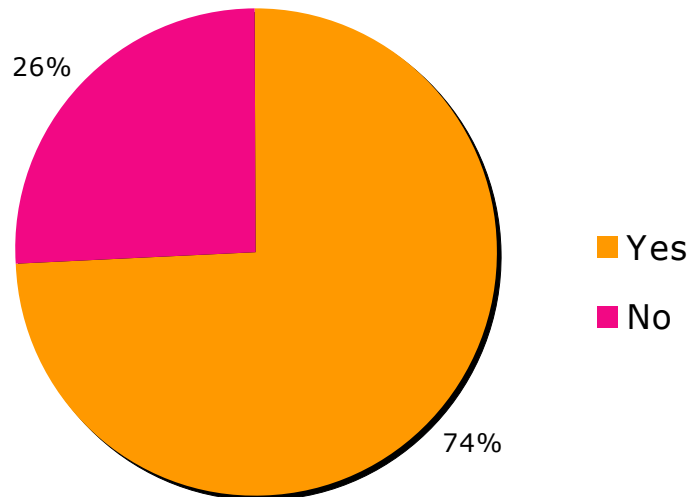
**Rate Neighborhood As A Place To Raise Children  
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# School Location

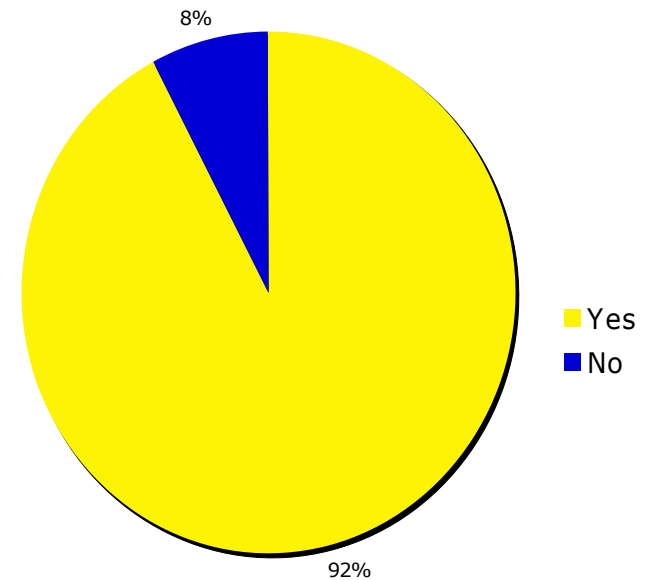
**Percentage Of Respondents That Have Children Attending Schools Within Their Current Neighborhoods (2007 New Mover Survey)**

(N=81)



**Percentage Of Respondents That Have Children Attending Schools Within Their Current Neighborhoods (2007 Post Placement Survey)**

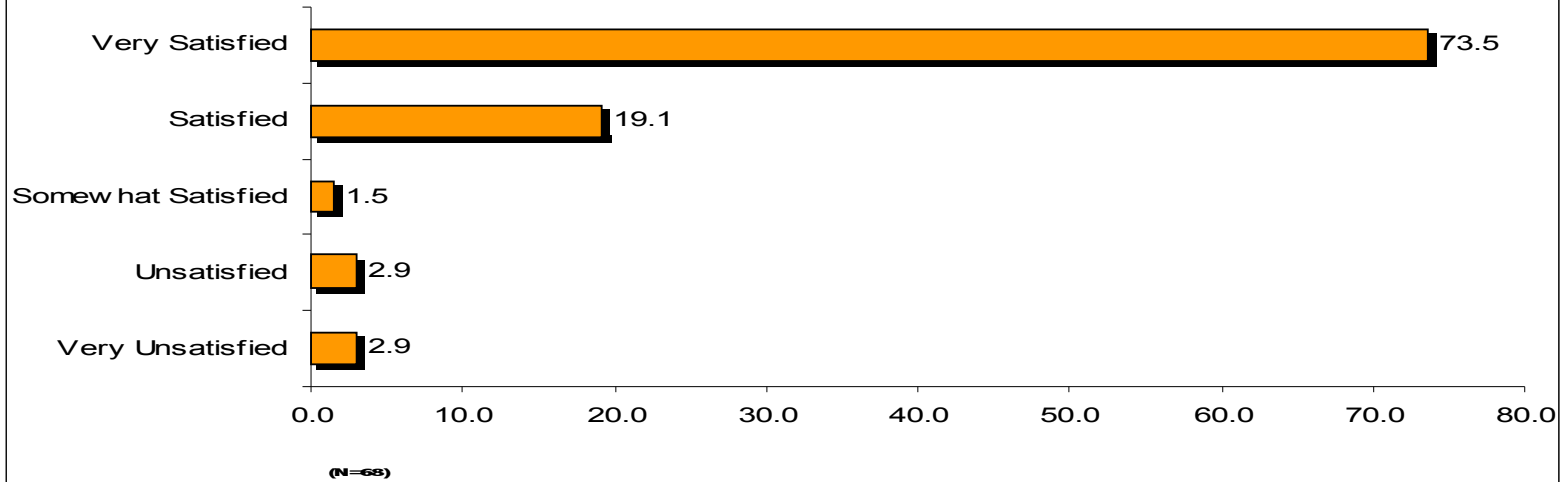
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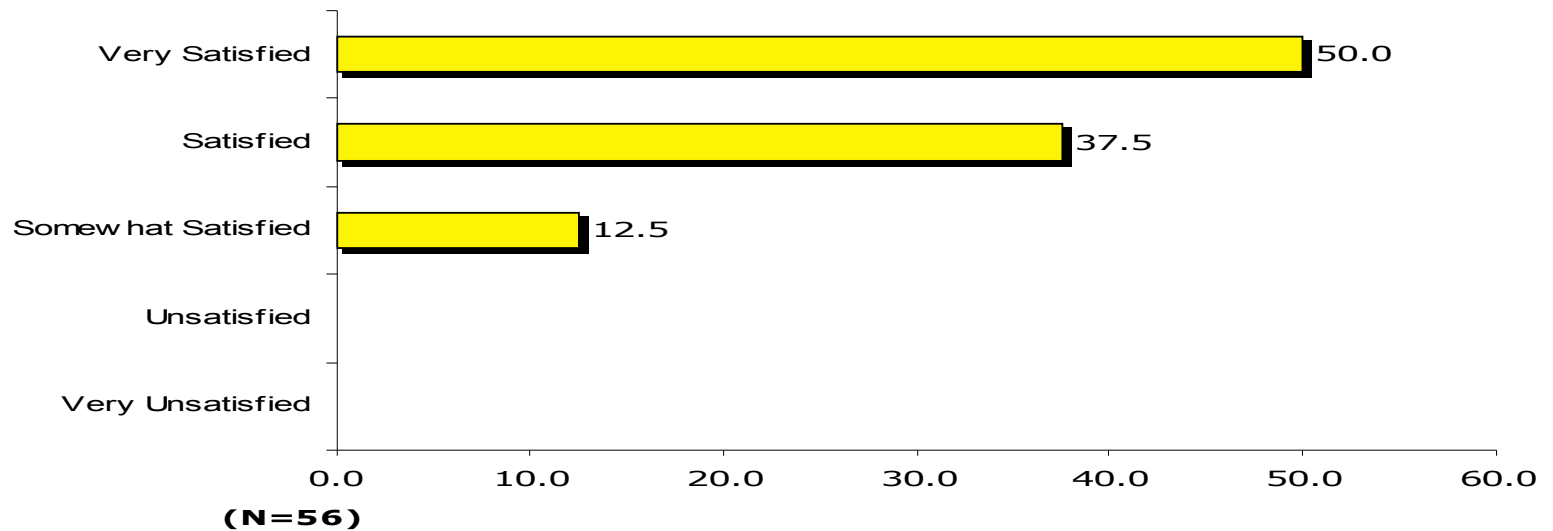


# Percent of Families Satisfied With Children's Current School

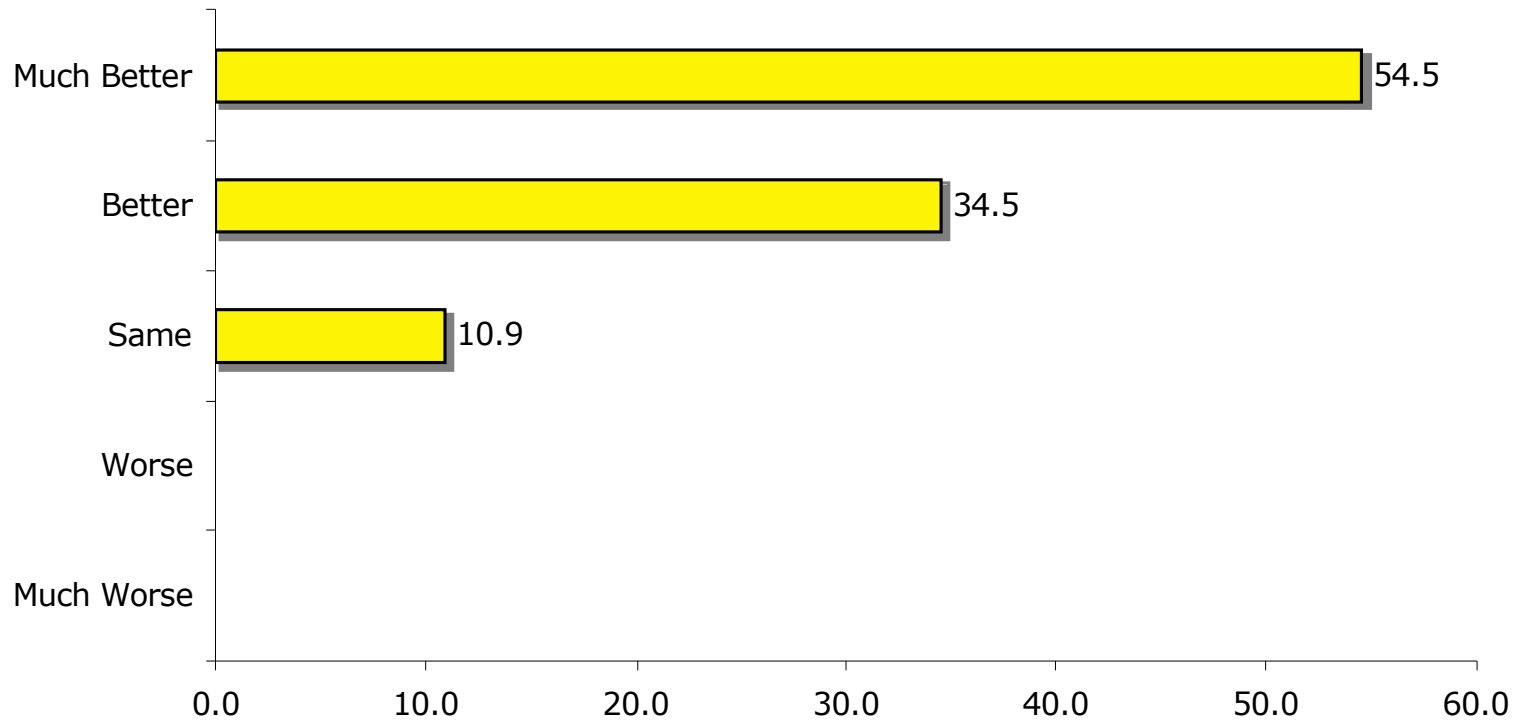
**Satisfaction With New Schools  
(2007 New Mover Survey)**



**Satisfaction With New Schools  
(2007 Post Placement)**



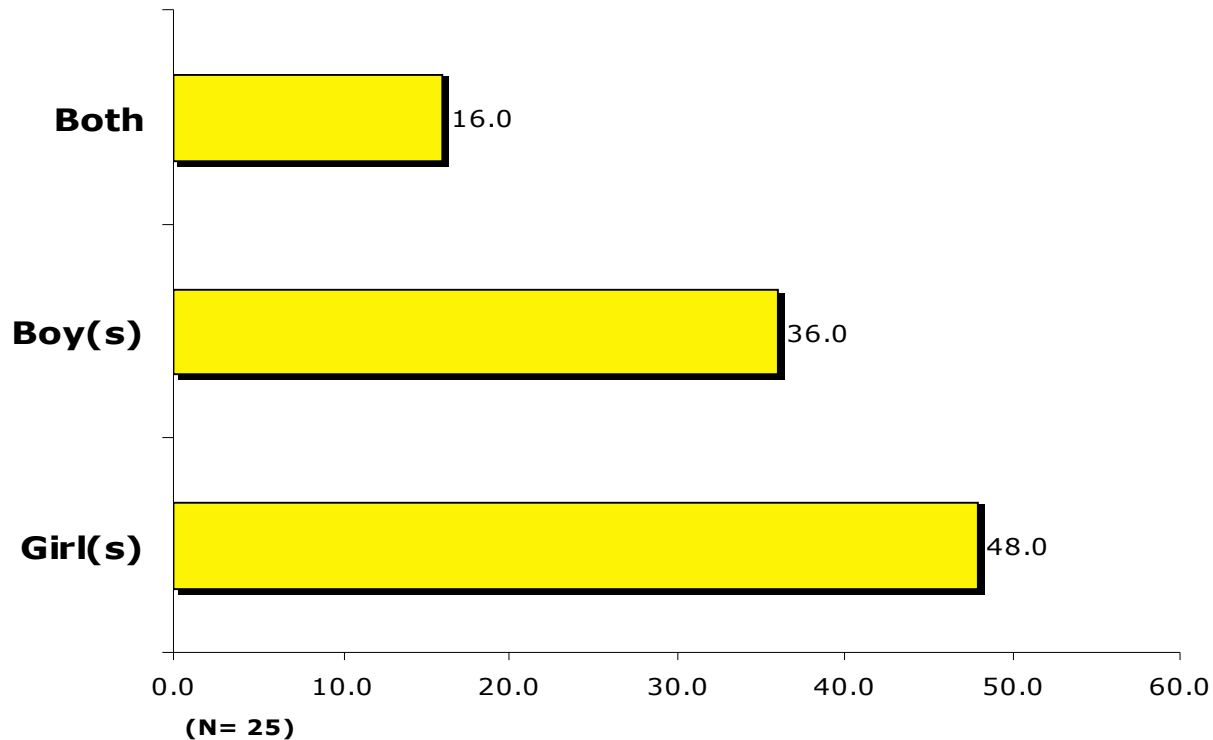
**Rate Children's Learning In Current School As Compared To  
Previous School (2007 Post Placement Survey)**



**(N=55)**

# Respondents With Teenagers

**Teen Gender (2007 Post Placement)**







## Teens' Adjustment To New Schools and Neighborhoods

- 72% of respondents with teenagers say their teen(s) appear to have adjusted well.
- 83% say their teenager(s) made new friends.
- 53% say their teen(s) are participating in school and/or community activities. Most common are school sports and church.

# Participation in Adult Education

- 23% of Post Placement Survey Respondents say that they are enrolled in educational programs (GED classes, college, job training, etc.)

# Movers' Voices



“This opportunity has enabled my children to attend a top-rated school system. Me and my children live in a beautiful house that is in a mixed ethnic community. They have an opportunity to become productive citizens, a product of a good environment.”

"This experience has been the best. My children can go out and play and feel safe. Most of all my son is now an honor roll student, pulling straight A's.”

“I was very happy to move. I would recommend it to a friend.

It changed my children’s life for good.”