



Simcoe County Data Consortium

June 23rd ,2022



Agenda

- **Welcome and Introductions**
 - Welcome Glowing Hearts Charity and Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury
- **CDP Updates**
 - Leads update
 - Data Purchasing and Access Working group meeting updates
 - New Tables
 - Training and Capacity Building
 - Solutions Lab



Agenda

- **Local Updates**
 - Roundtable – any updates to share?
 - Custom Geographies Data Purchase
 - Simcoe County 2021 Census data analysis and sharing
- **New Business**
 - Terms of Reference
- **Next Meeting**
 - Thursday August 18th, 2022



Welcome and Introductions

- Name, title, company and current data projects



Source: <https://marketmentors.com/content-marketing/super-power-of-a-blog/>

CDP Leads Update

Annual Meeting June 2 & 3rd, 2022

- [Annual Report 2021-2022](#)
 - Acquiring data around impacts of COVID-19, housing, immigration, and affordability
 - Tableau visualizations
 - Strong relationships with Statistics Canada and Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC)
 - Completion of Solutions Lab
 - Engagement of leads and data users in the Data Purchase and Access Working Group
 - Beginning of a new five-year agreement (2022-2027) and the launch of a new strategic plan
 - Direction for 2022: Implementation of the roadmap developed during the Solutions Lab, develop more data visualizations around the release of the 2021 census, and acquire new 2021 Census products



CDP Leads Update

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- Statistics Canada Update
 - Custom Geography data expected early 2023
 - Gender variable replaced previous sex variable in standard tables
 - Detailed gender variables available for populations over 100,000 (Barrie CSD)
 - Change in Statistics Canada production system
 - Statistics Canada doesn't publish data quality and suppression rules
 - Collective dwelling data suppression has changed
- Presentations
 - Region of Peel 2021 Census data
 - **Story:** <https://storymaps.arcgis.com/stories/d737888c1c7947ab8157e0bedd7ae53a>
 - **Dashboard:** <https://census-regionofpeel.hub.arcgis.com/>
 - City of Vancouver Healthy City Dashboard
 - **Dashboard:** <https://opendata.vancouver.ca/pages/healthy-city-dashboard/>



CDP Leads Update

Annual Meeting June 2 & 3rd, 2022

- Website redesign
- [Twitter](#) @cdp_data
- Breakout Session 1: How to run a consortium
 - How do you run your consortium?
 - How can the CDP help you run your consortium?
- Breakout Session 2: Working with data
 - Where do you get data (other than the CDP)?
 - How do you use data?
 - How would you like to use data?



Data Purchase and Access Working Group Meetings

- Since the last meeting in February, there has been two DPAWG meeting in April and June.

June

- Gaging interest in purchasing data from the Longitudinal Administrative Databank
- Potential 2021 Census purchase with the Ontario Ministry of Transportation
- Setting 2021 Census priorities

April

- Canadian Housing Survey Custom Census Division Table was cancelled by Statistics Canada
- Looking into rerunning 2016 Census tables to have comparable Market Basket Measure base year as 2021 tables.
- Looking into Statistics Canada data on unoccupied dwellings and seasonal residents

Is there any data consortium members wished we had access to?

More data is coming, please see [DPAWG meeting notes](#) for more information



New Tables

27 new data items were added to the CDP website between January 22, 2022 and June 8, 2022 including:

**Longitudinal Immigration Database Tables (IMDB)
Updated with 2018 and 2019 Data**

Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC)

Vacancy Rate Data

Annual Housing Completions Data

Postal Code Conversion File, March 2022 Update

2021 Census Data

2016 Census

Community Poverty Project Tables

Collective Dwelling Tables

Labour Force Survey

Monthly Supplemental Tables, 2019-2022

Tableau Dashboards:

2021 Census Age, Gender, Household Size and Dwelling Type

Community Decision Support Tool for Housing Issues

Community Recovery Version 3

**Employment Insurance (EI) Beneficiaries, Monthly,
Unadjusted for Seasonality**

Canadian Business Counts, December 2021



Image Source: <https://towardsdatascience.com/data-preprocessing-concepts-fa946d11c825>



Discussion

1. What was the last CDP data you downloaded and worked with?
2. Is there any CDP data you are excited to start working with?



Source: <http://blog.eendorsements.com/perform-an-online-reputation-analysis-on-the-famous-platforms-to-know-your-brands-impression/>

Training and Capacity Building

Since the last meeting in February, there have not been any meetings

- **Previous**

- **May 24, 2022:** The Importance of Data Quality
- **May 10, 2022:** Gender, Diversity, and Inclusion Statistics (GDIS): Interactive Hub Tour
- **April 26, 2022:** Adapting the Community Recovery Dashboard to serve local priorities: Lessons learned from the Social Planning Council of Ottawa
- **March 29, 2022:** ECOH Webinar: Community Data for Housing Solutions
- **March 9, 2022:** National LIP Secretariat Webinar on Community Data Program, Data Access and Visualization
- **March 1, 2022:** Data visualization workshop - From the CDP catalogue to creating Tableau dashboards

- **Has anyone attended any training and capacity building they would like to share about?**
- **Recordings of past webinars are available on the CDP website**
- **ACTION:** E-mail webinar ideas of datasets or topics you would be interested in to Victoria.chapman@simcoe.ca



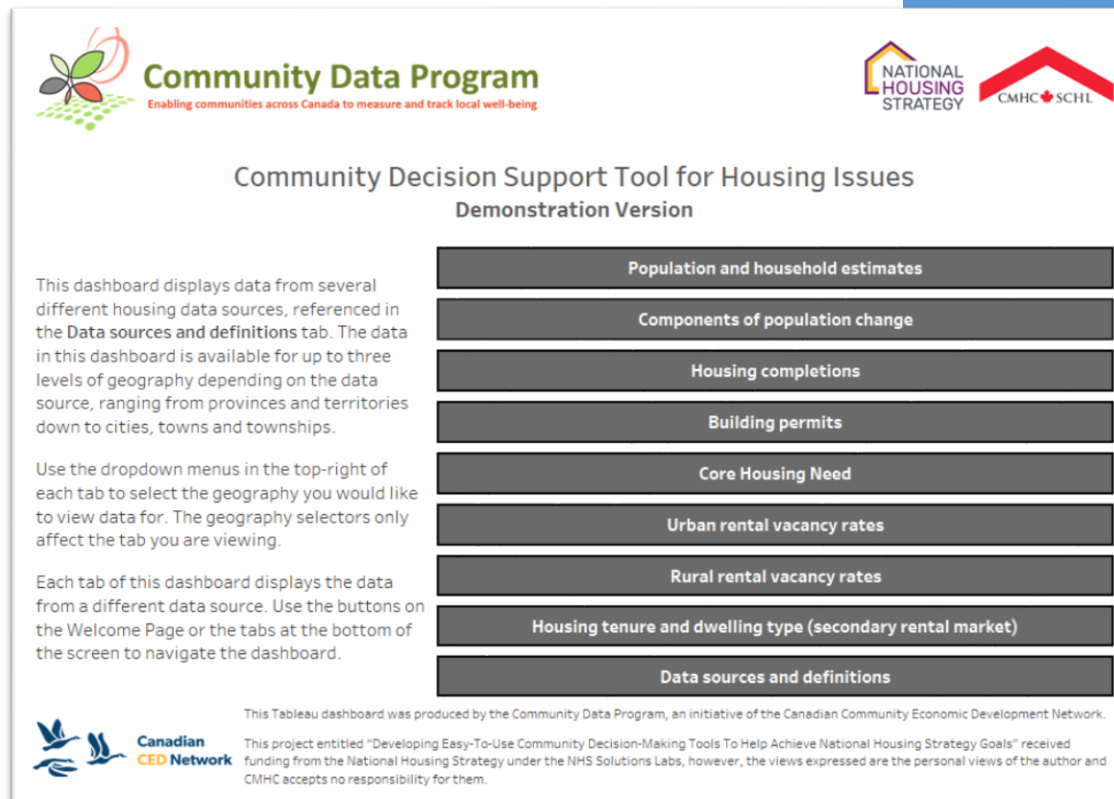
Solutions Lab: Developing easy-to-use community decision-making tools to help achieve National Housing Strategy goals

Lessons Learned Roundtable/ Road Map Engagement Session on March 2nd, 2022

The roadmap will be implemented throughout 2022

Presentations and notes can be found on the website along with the Community Decision Support Tool for Housing Issues (Tableau dashboard):

<https://communitydata.ca/content/solutions-lab-community-decision-making-tools-housing-issues>



Community Data Program
Enabling communities across Canada to measure and track local well-being

NATIONAL HOUSING STRATEGY **CMHC SCHL**

Community Decision Support Tool for Housing Issues Demonstration Version

This dashboard displays data from several different housing data sources, referenced in the Data sources and definitions tab. The data in this dashboard is available for up to three levels of geography depending on the data source, ranging from provinces and territories down to cities, towns and townships.

Use the dropdown menus in the top-right of each tab to select the geography you would like to view data for. The geography selectors only affect the tab you are viewing.

Each tab of this dashboard displays the data from a different data source. Use the buttons on the Welcome Page or the tabs at the bottom of the screen to navigate the dashboard.

This Tableau dashboard was produced by the Community Data Program, an initiative of the Canadian Community Economic Development Network. This project entitled "Developing Easy-To-Use Community Decision-Making Tools To Help Achieve National Housing Strategy Goals" received funding from the National Housing Strategy under the NHS Solutions Labs, however, the views expressed are the personal views of the author and CMHC accepts no responsibility for them.

Canadian CED Network

- Population and household estimates
- Components of population change
- Housing completions
- Building permits
- Core Housing Need
- Urban rental vacancy rates
- Rural rental vacancy rates
- Housing tenure and dwelling type (secondary rental market)
- Data sources and definitions

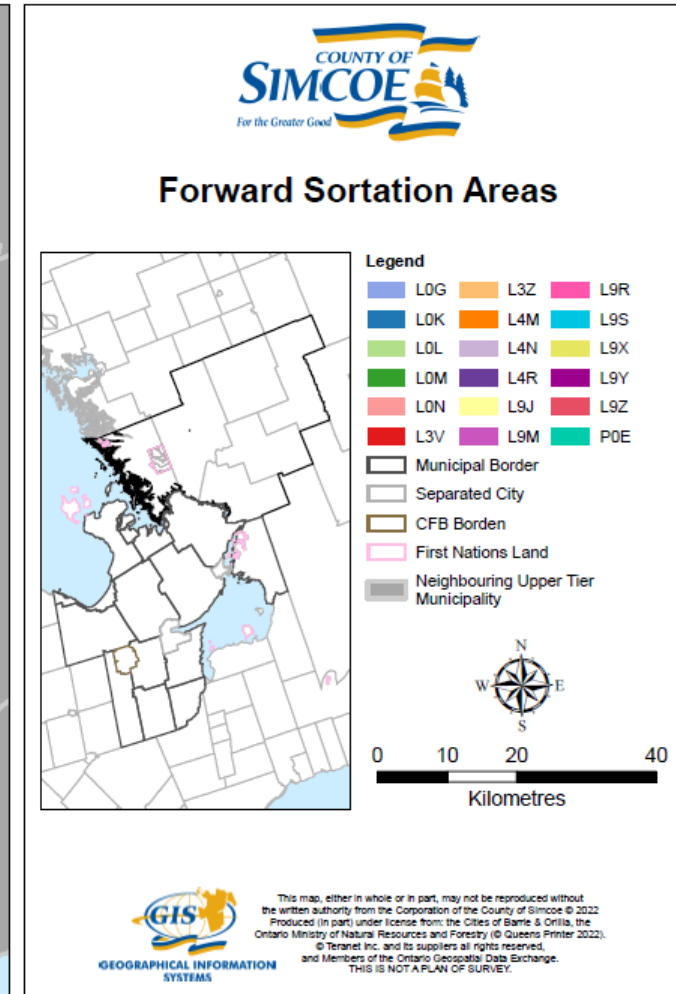
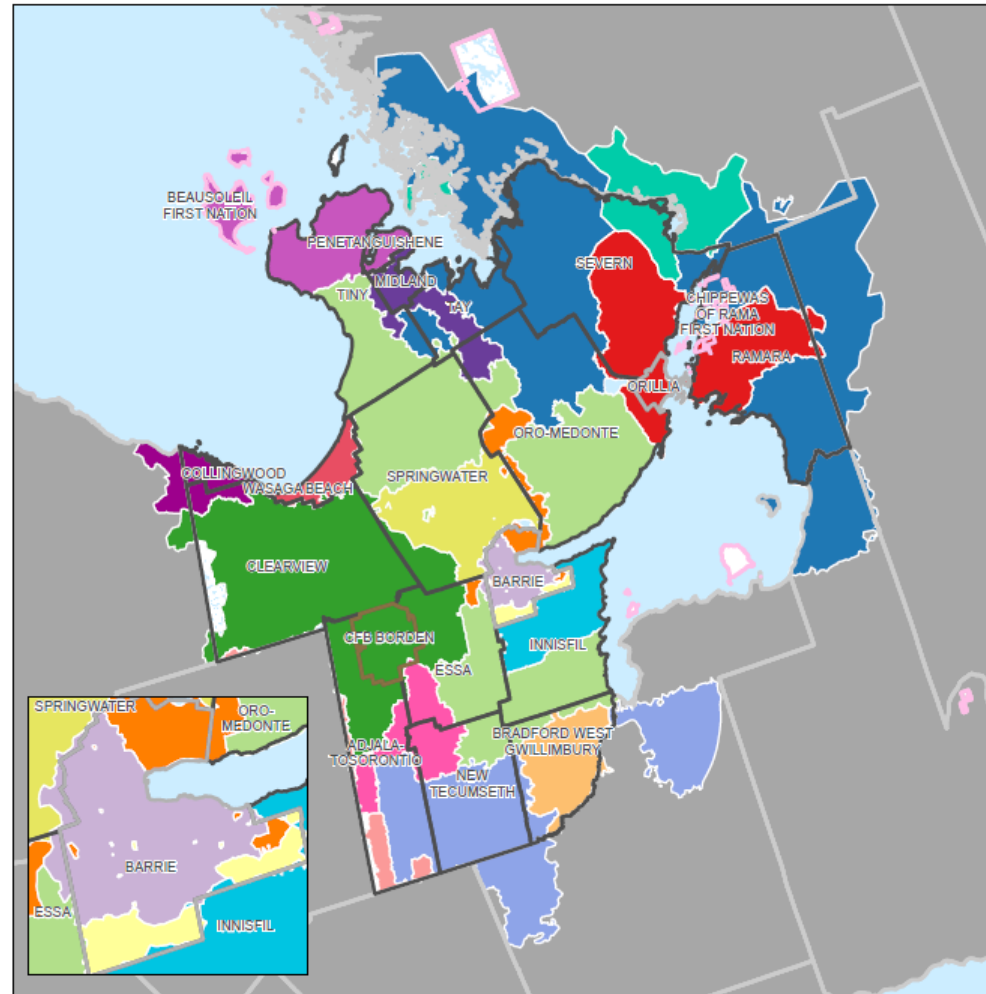
Local Updates

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- Custom Geographies Data Purchase
 - Forward Sortation Areas (FSA)
 - Municipal Boundaries
 - Wards (Currently excluding Orillia)
 - Health Unit Boundaries
- Simcoe County 2021 Census data analysis and sharing



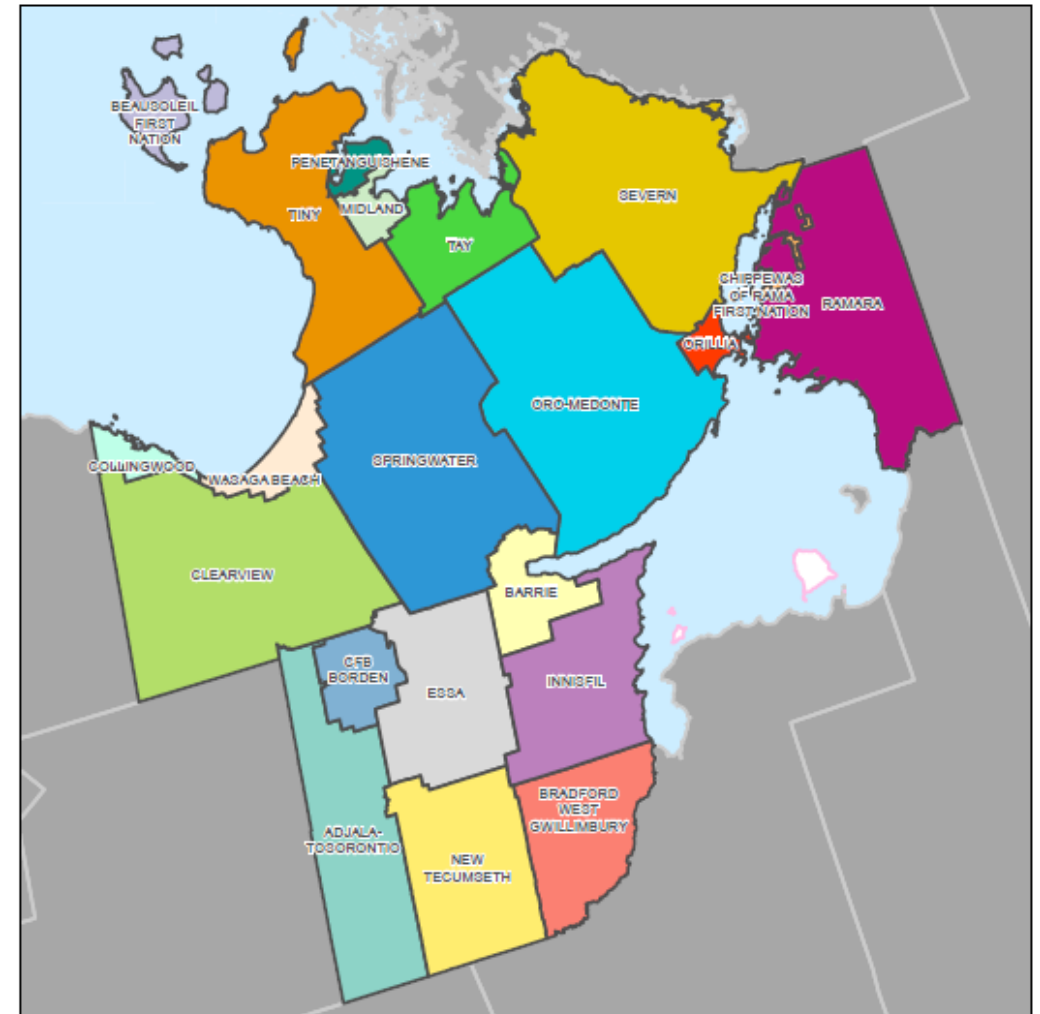
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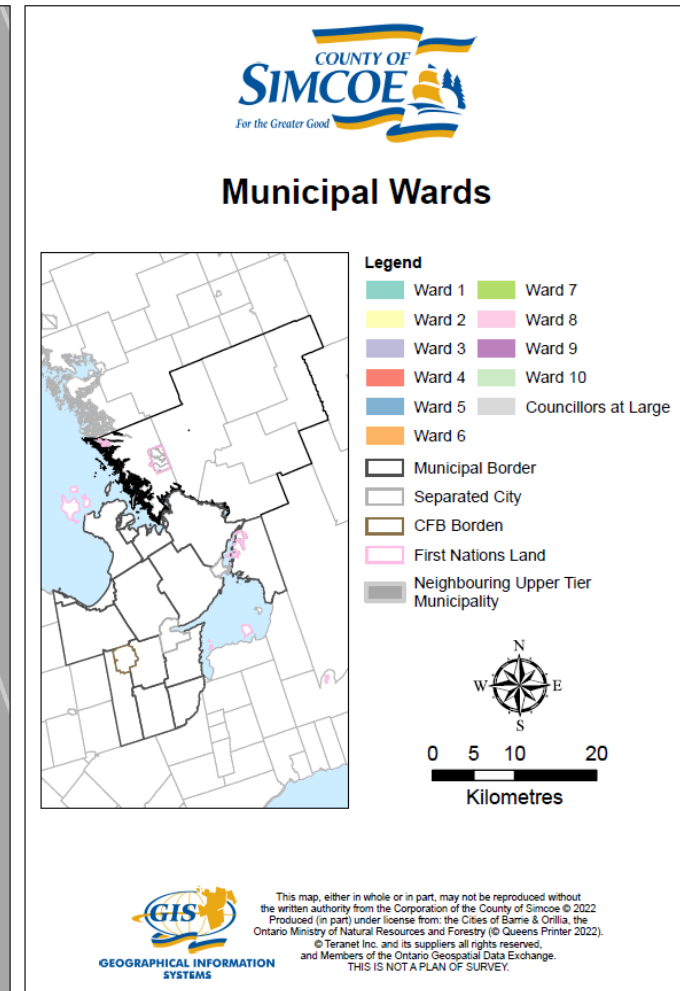
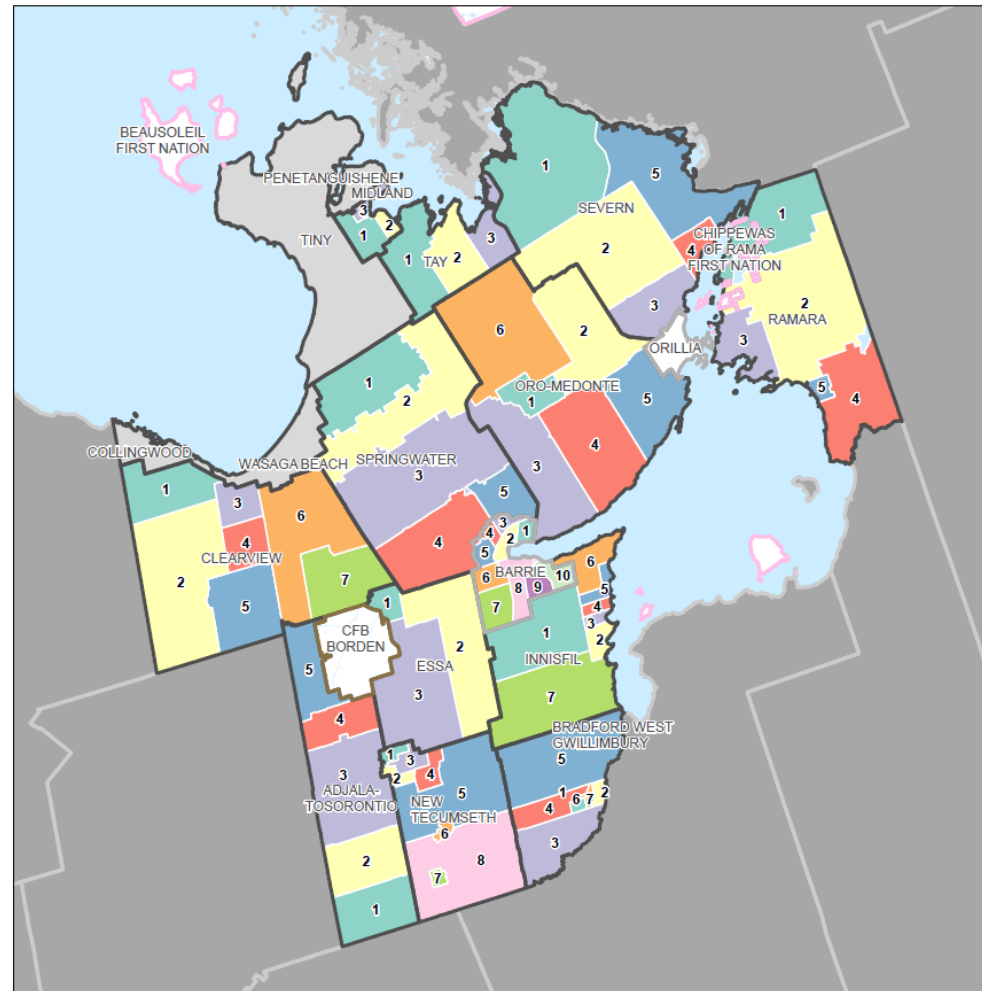
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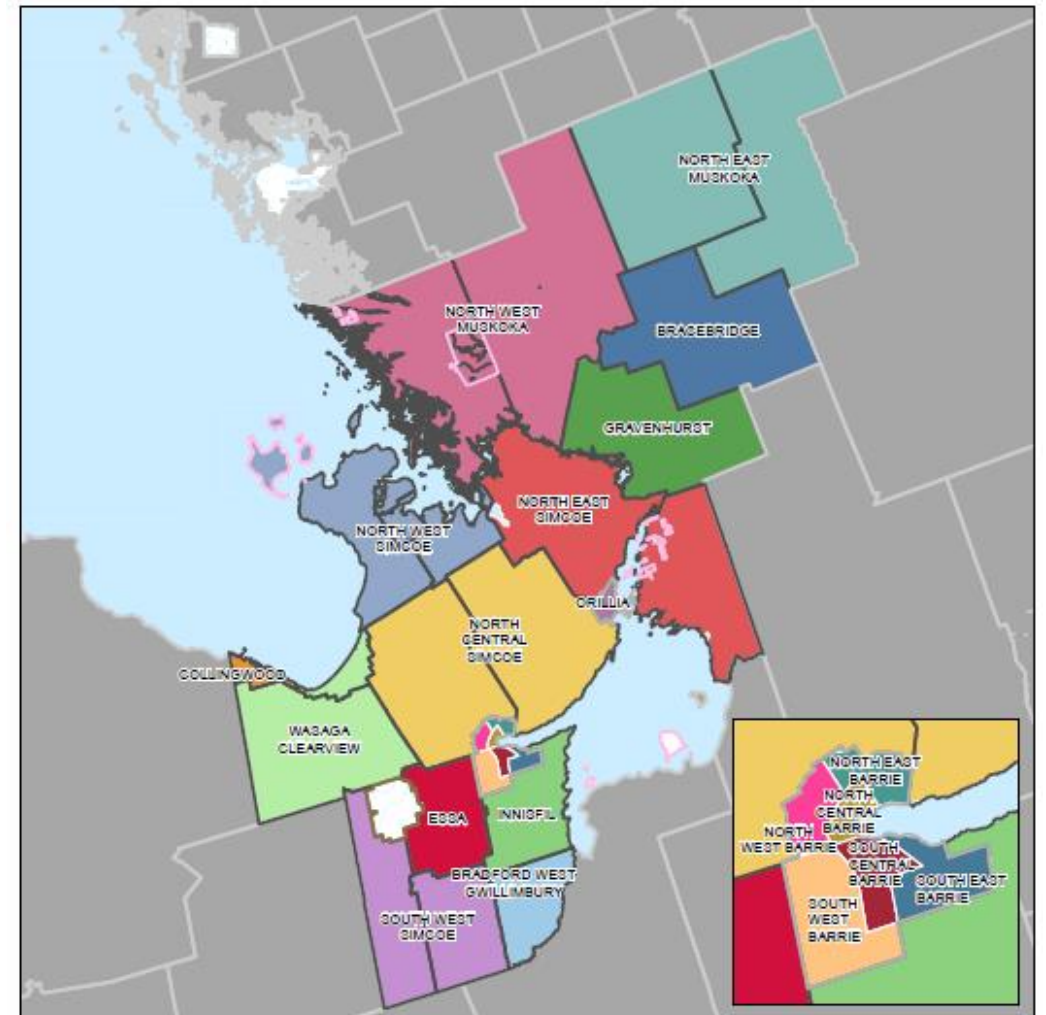
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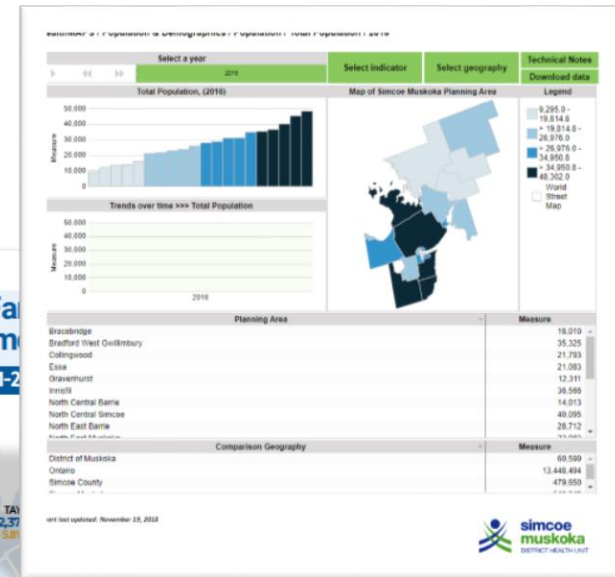
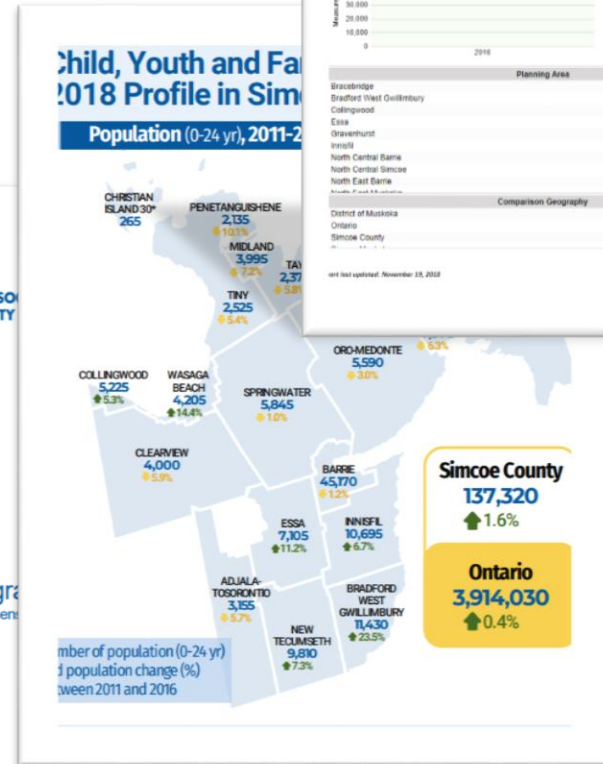
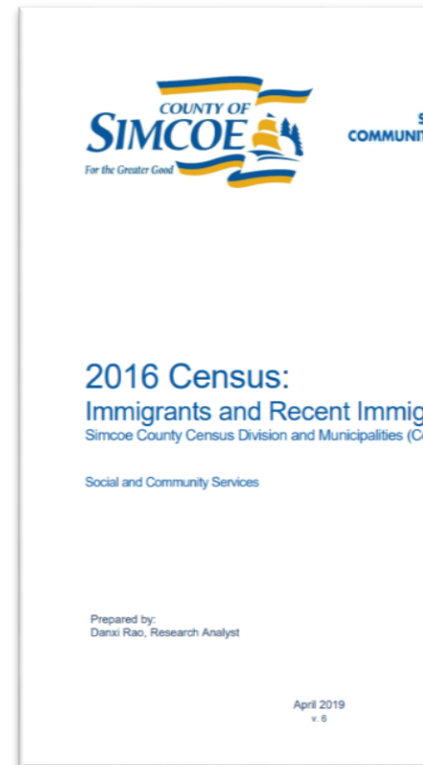
Custom Geographies Data Purchase

- Still to come:
 - EDI
 - SCDSB
 - Elementary and Secondary
- Any other custom boundaries?



Simcoe County 2021 Census data analysis and sharing

- Reports
- Infographics
- Dashboards



New Business

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Simcoe County Data Consortium

List of SCDC Member Organizations:

1. Barrie Police Service
2. Canadian Mental Health Association
3. Catholic Family Services of Simcoe County
4. Catulpa Community Family Services
5. Children, Youth and Family Coalition
6. Children's Treatment Network of Simcoe
7. Community Connection
8. County of Simcoe
9. EarlyON Child and Family Centre - Simcoe North
10. Georgian College (Research Analyst Program; Institutional Research)
11. Glowing Hearts Charity
12. New Path Youth and Family Services of Simcoe County
13. North Simcoe Muskoka Local Health Integration Network (NSM LHIN)
14. Simcoe County District School Board

List of SCDC Member Organizations:

15. Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit
 16. Simcoe Muskoka Family Connexions
 17. Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury
 18. Town of Collingwood
 19. Township of Tay
 20. United Way of Simcoe Muskoka
- **20** Member Organizations
 - **45** Active Users
 - **56** Members on SCDC Mailing List
 - **1,580** data files downloaded by active users from **9** different member organizations between 2017-2022





Next Meeting:
Thursday August
18, 2022

