CITY OF EUCLID MASTER PLAN

PUBLIC MEETING #1
CURRENT CONDITIONS &
COMMUNITY VISION

County Planning Team

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Our Mission

To inform and provide services in support of the short and long term comprehensive planning, quality of life, environment, and economic development of Cuyahoga County and its cities, villages and townships. Local Expertise + Regional View

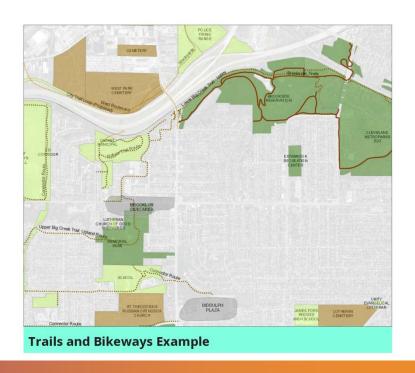
Community Master Plans

Beachwood, Cleveland Heights, University Heights, Parma Heights, Richmond Heights, Rocky River, Bay Village, and Olmsted Falls



Tool for identifying, preserving, and expanding environmental features





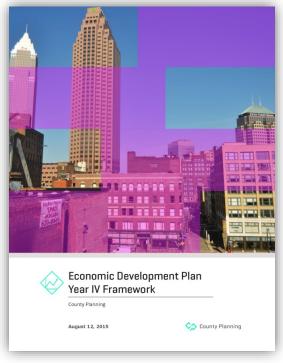
Countywide Housing Study

Plan to determine housing needs, market demand, and best practices



Place-Based Economic Development Plan

Countywide economic development framework



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INTRODUCTION TO A MASTER PLAN

 A long-term plan for how the community wants to grow and develop in the future

- Inventories what exists today and outlines a community's vision for the future
- Describes concrete action steps to achieve the vision

Why plan?

- Provides the opportunity for community input
- Prepares the City, residents, and businesses for the future
- Shapes future development to match your priorities
- Gives a competitive advantage when applying for grants and funding

Community Survey Community Vision Draft Master Plan Implementation **Current Conditions** Demographic, land use, housing, and other data to develop a community profile Includes a review of existing plans and surveys

Current Conditions Community Vision Draft Master Plan Implementation **Community Survey** Community input on Master Plan topics and City services

Current Conditions Community Survey Draft Master Plan Implementation **Community Vision** Broad goals for how the community wants to grow and develop in the future

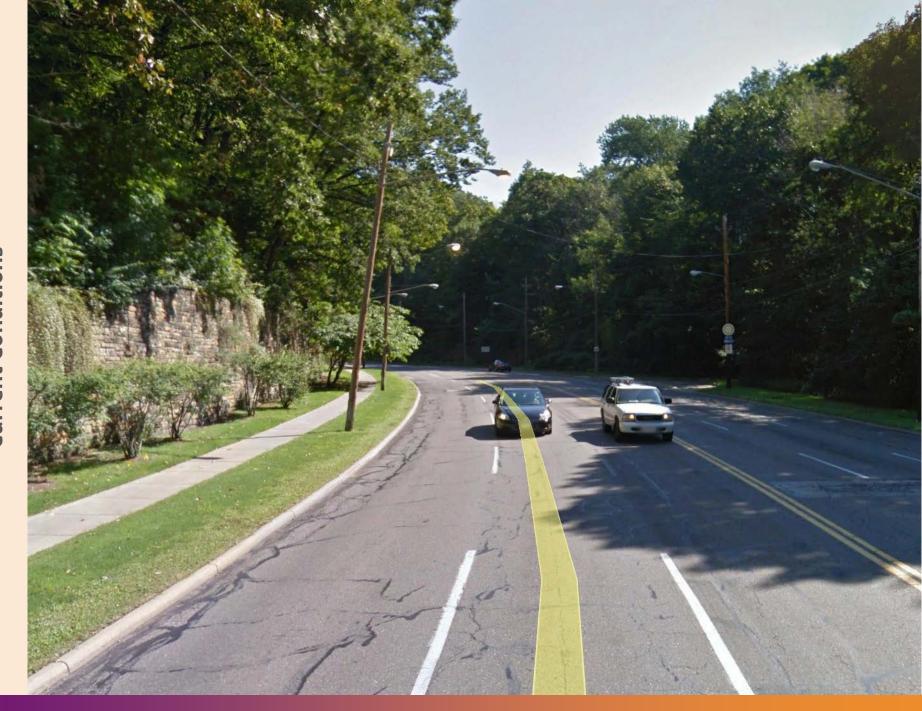
Current Conditions Community Survey Community Vision Draft Master Plan Implementation **Policies** Action steps to achieve the community's desired future

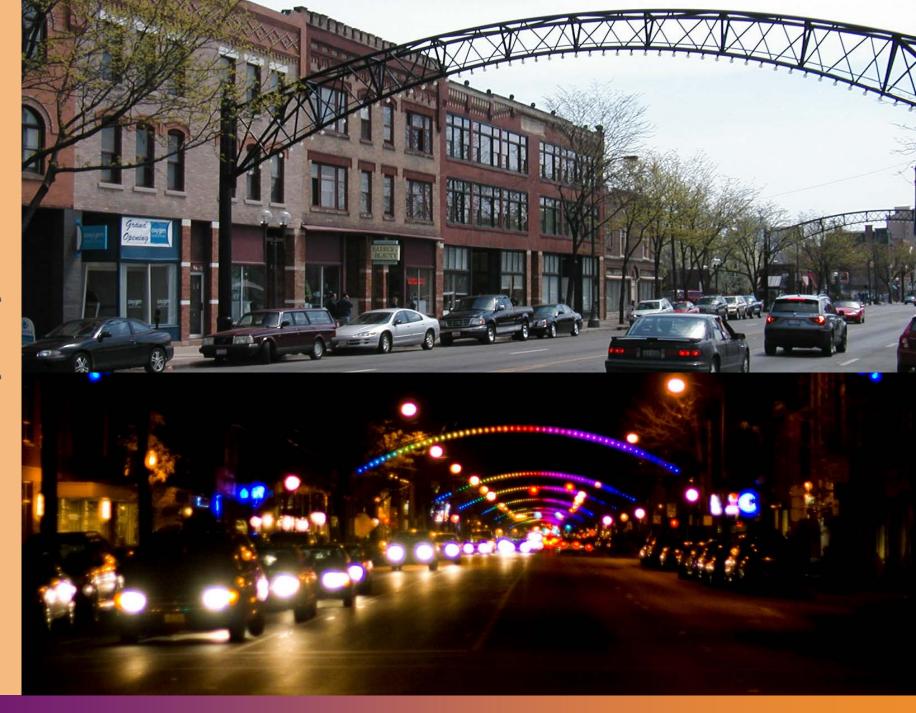
Current Conditions Community Survey Community Vision **Draft Master Plan Implementation** Timelines, priorities, responsibilities, and potential funding sources for undertaking action steps

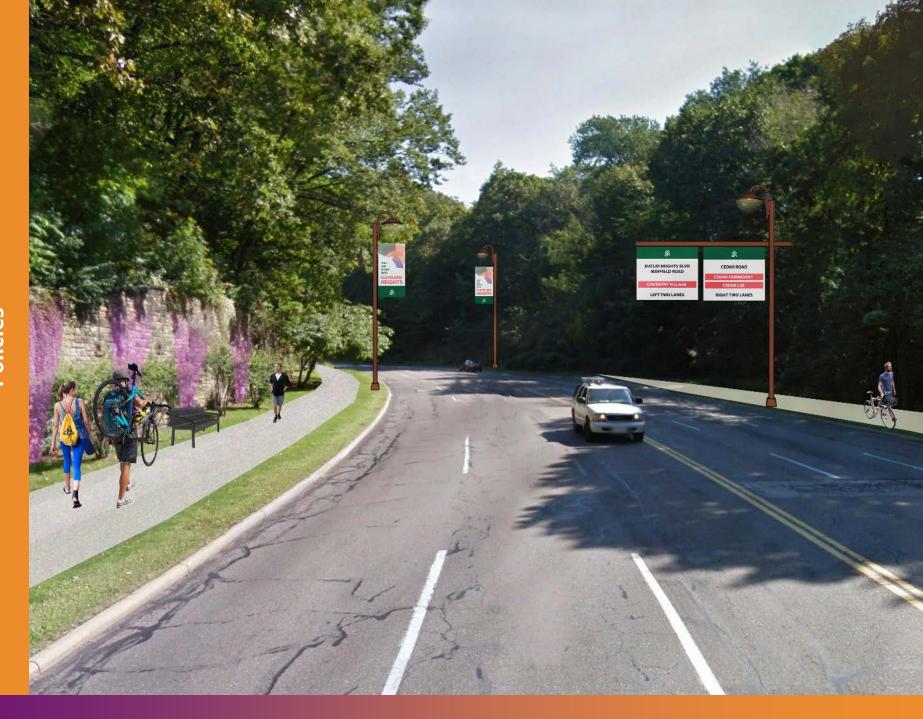


Example

Community Gateways







Priority Level: High

Responsible Party: City Public Service
Department

LITTRIDIANS

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RESPONSIBLE ROAD

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Timeline for Completion: 3-5 Years

Potential Funding: NOACA, County Public Works, Capital Improvement Program

CURRENT CONDITIONS OVERVIEW

WORK COMPLETED

- Sent out a community survey to 1,400 households
- Extensive review of existing documents
- Analysis of Census, County, and local data
- Two Project Team meetings
- Two Steering Committee meetings
- Interviews with all City Directors and Chiefs

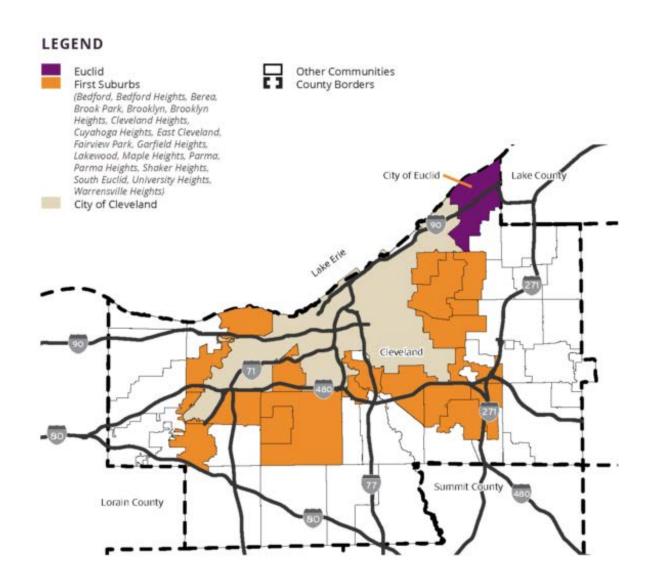
CURRENT CONDITIONS

- Population
- Race & Ethnicity
- Educational Attainment
- Income
- Housing
- Employment

- Transportation
- Stormwater and Infrastructure
- Environment & Open Spaces
- Land Use and Zoning

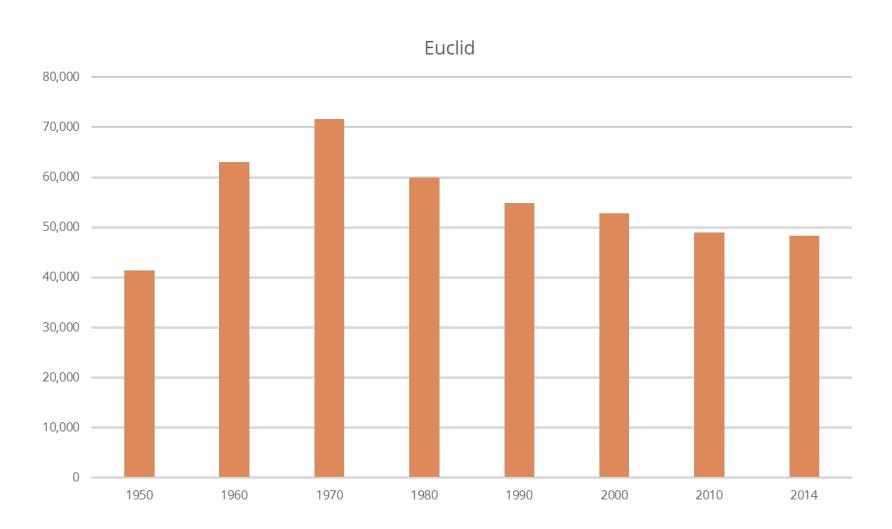
TONIGHT: The highlights

REGIONAL CONTEXT

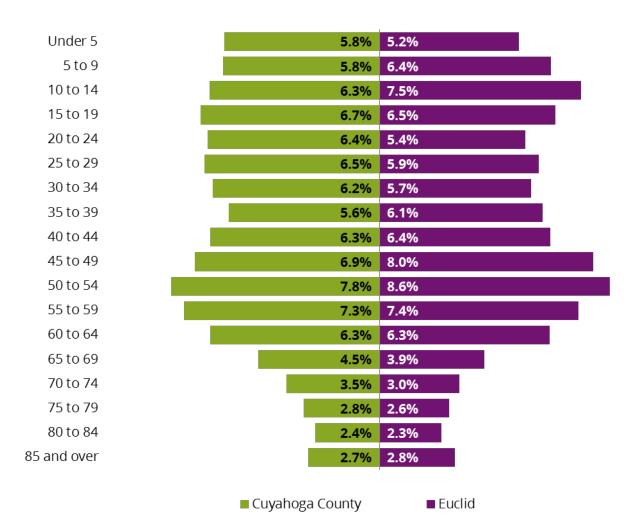


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POPULATION OVER TIME

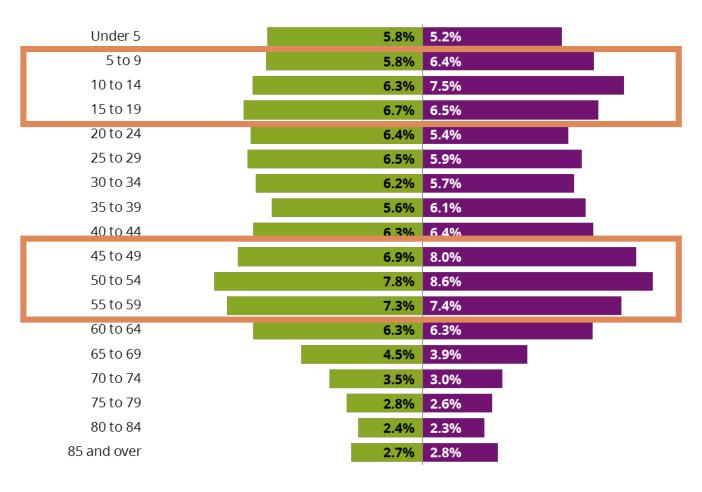


POPULATION BY AGE

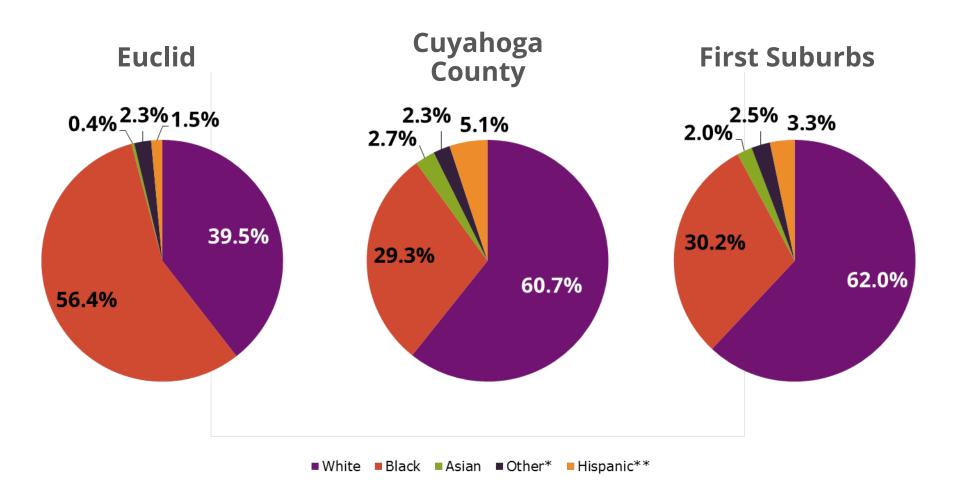




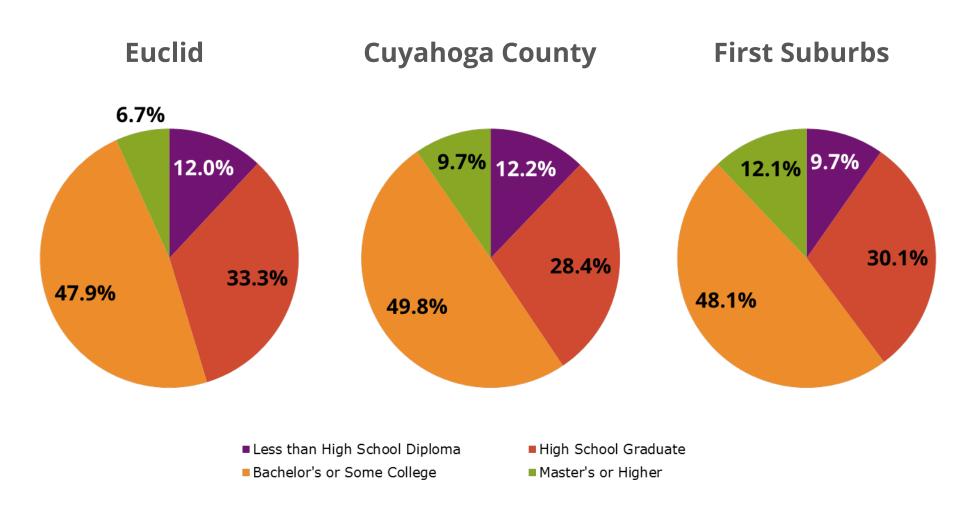
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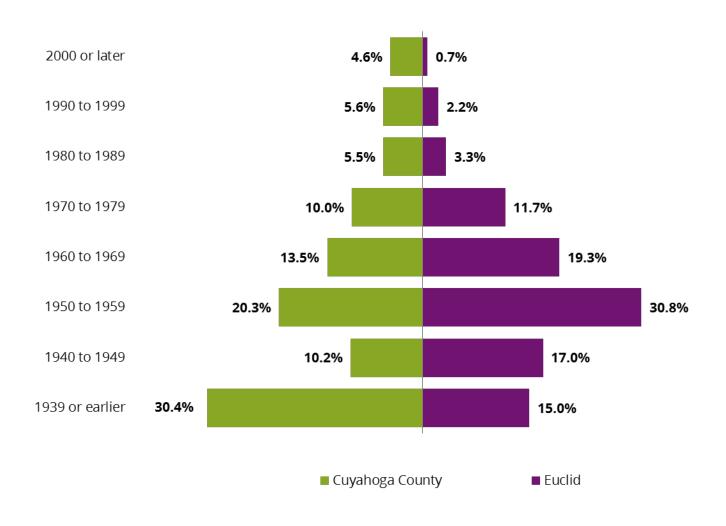


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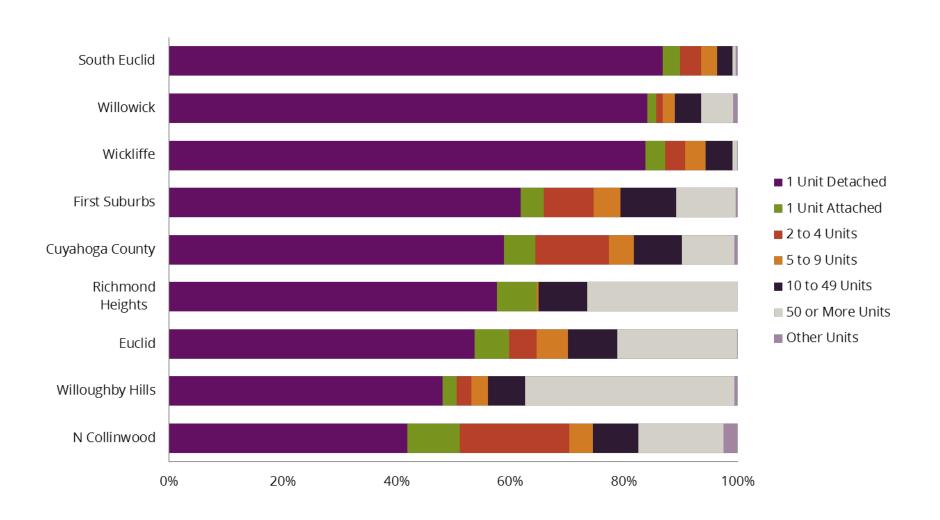


HOUSING

YEAR BUILT

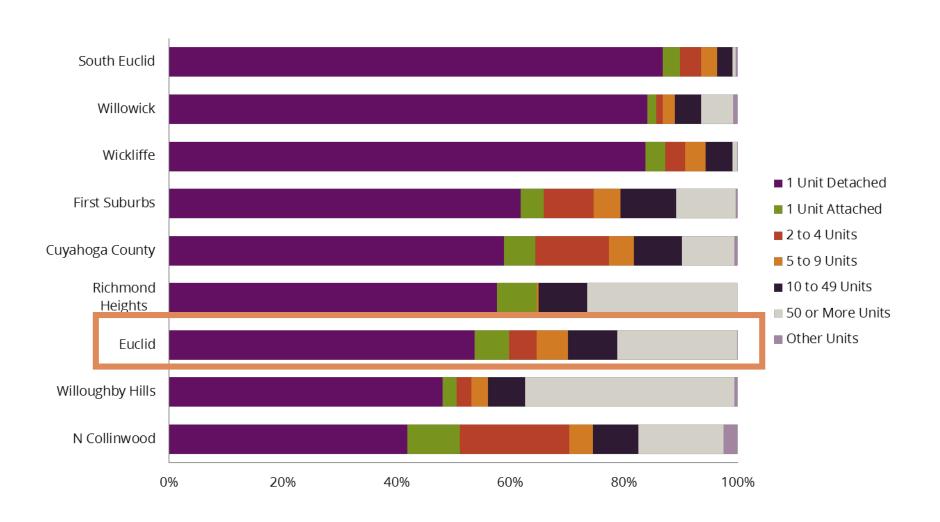


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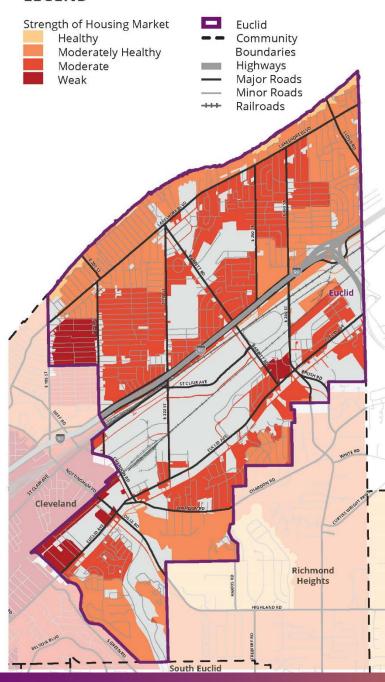




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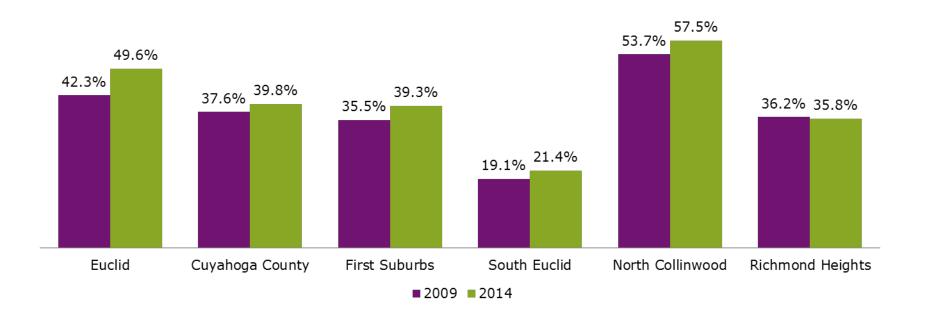
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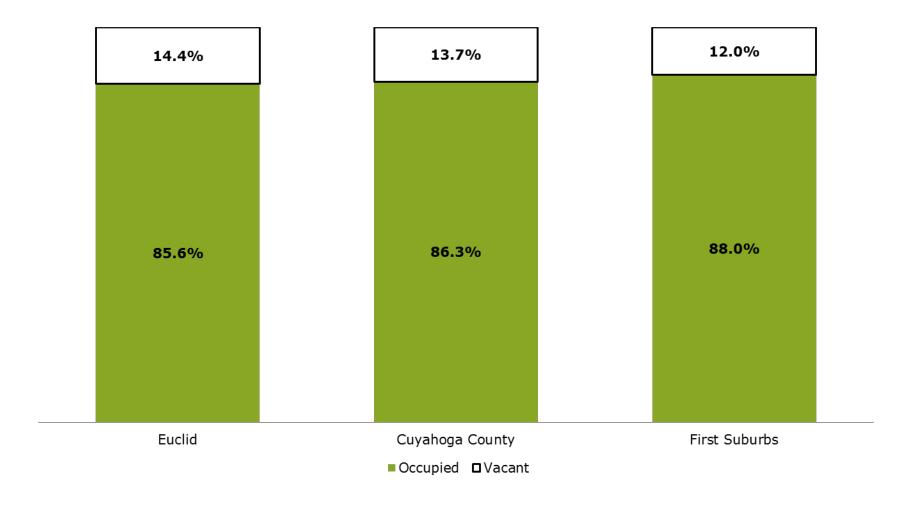
HOUSING MARKET STRENGTH

- Poverty
- Tax delinquency
- Mortgage foreclosure
- Demolitions
- Vacancy
- Change in valuation
- Unemployment rate

PERCENT RENTER-OCCUPIED

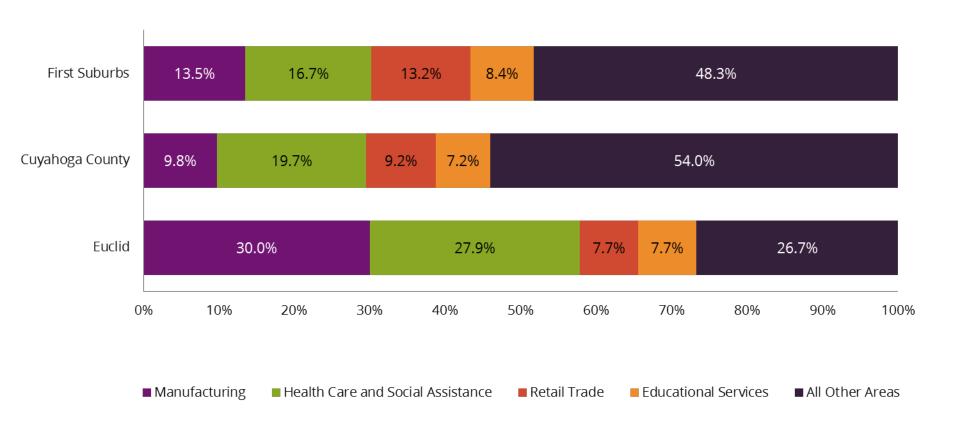


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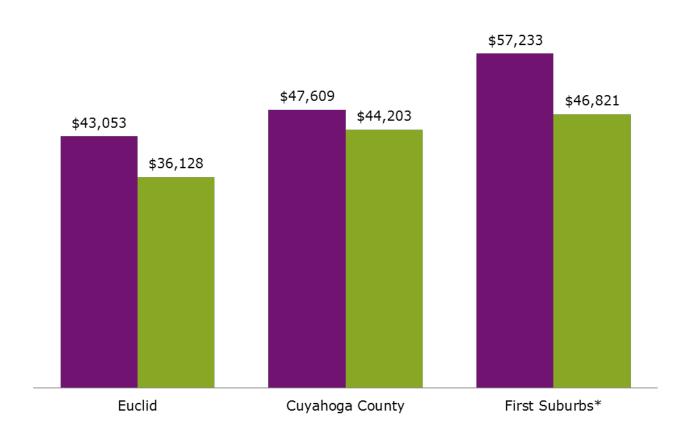


EMPLOYMENT AND INCOME

PERCENT OF TOTAL EMPLOYMENT BY SECTOR



CHANGE IN MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME



TRANSPORTATION

LEGEND Bus Route

Euclid Community (circle shows route Boundaries Route Spur (limited frequencies) Highways Major Roads Transit Center Minor Roads Railroads Euclid Laketran Transfer Point WHITERD Cleveland Richmond Heights HIGHLAND RD South Euclid

TRANSIT ROUTES

| Route | Peak Headways |
|-------|------------------|
| 1 | 10 min |
| 28 | 15 min |
| 28A | 25 min |
| 30 | 15 min |
| 34 | 1 hr |
| 37 | 30 min |
| 39 | 30 min |
| 39F | 10 min |
| 94 | 1 hr |
| 239 | 30 min |

LEGEND Potential Health Line BRT Extension Community Boundaries ■■ 185th Option Highways == 152ndOption Major Roads Minor Roads Priority Transit Corridors Railroads St. Clair **Euclid Avenue** 1/2 Mile Buffer to Transit Cleveland Richmond Heights South Euclid

TRANSIT COVERAGE & PLANNING

| Route | 2015 Ridership |
|-------|-------------------|
| 1 | 1,815,412 |
| 28 | 1,290,359 |
| 30 | 875,786 |
| 34 | 136,713 |
| 37 | 476,639 |
| 39 | 481,355 |
| 94 | 306,158 |

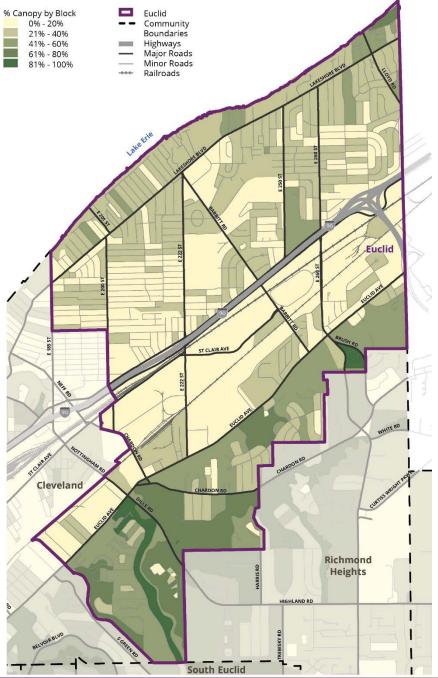
LEGEND Existing Bike Path Euclid Planned Bike Path Community Proposed Bike Boundaries Highways Proposed Eastside Major Roads Greenway Minor Roads Railroads Euclid WHITE RO Cleveland Richmond Heights South Euclid

BIKEWAYS

- Few existing bikeways
- Numerous proposed bikeways

ENVIRONMENT & LAND USE

LEGEND



TREE CANOPY

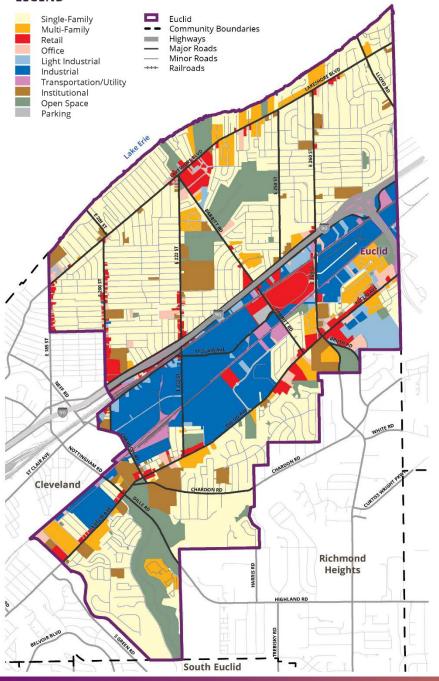
| Community | Tree Canopy Coverage |
|---------------------|-------------------------|
| Cleveland | 19.2% |
| Euclid | 27.4% |
| First Suburbs | 30.0% |
| Richmond Heights | 36.5% |
| Cuyahoga County | 37.6% |
| South Euclid | 39.5% |

LEGEND Parks Euclid Community Boundaries Cemeteries Highways Major Roads Minor Roads **Golf Courses** Other Open Spaces Railroads **Existing School Sites** Euclid WHITE RD Cleveland Richmond Heights South Euclid

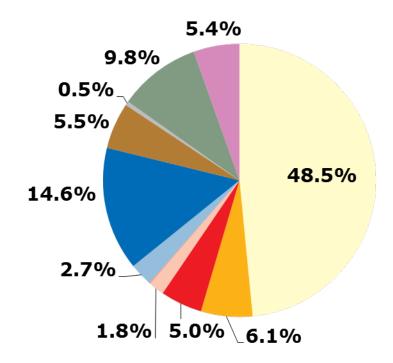
PARKS & OPEN SPACES



LEGEND



LAND USE



LEGEND Euclid Lakefront Neighborhoods Central Neighborhoods **Community Boundaries** Highways Major Roads Minor Roads Hilltop Neighborhoods Downtown Euclid Neighborhood Centers Railroads Industrial Core Civic Core Euclid Cleveland Richmond Heights South Euclid

CHARACTER FRAMEWORK

CURRENT CONDITIONS ____

SWOT ANALYSIS

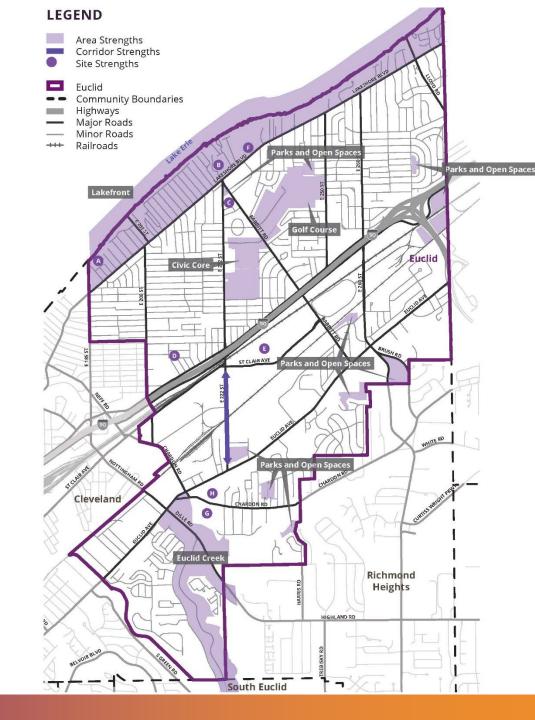
SWOT ANALYSIS

SWOT Areas

Strengths Weaknesses **Opportunities Threats**

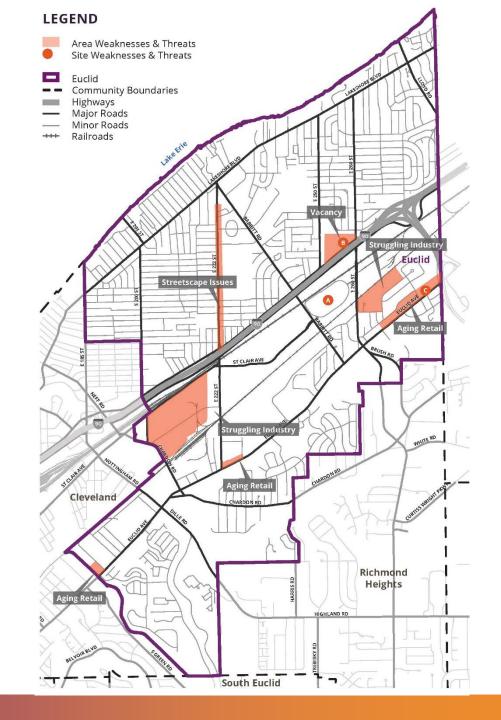
Strengths

- Lakefront
- Major Employers
- Civic Core
- Parks and Metroparks
- East 222nd Street
- Institutions



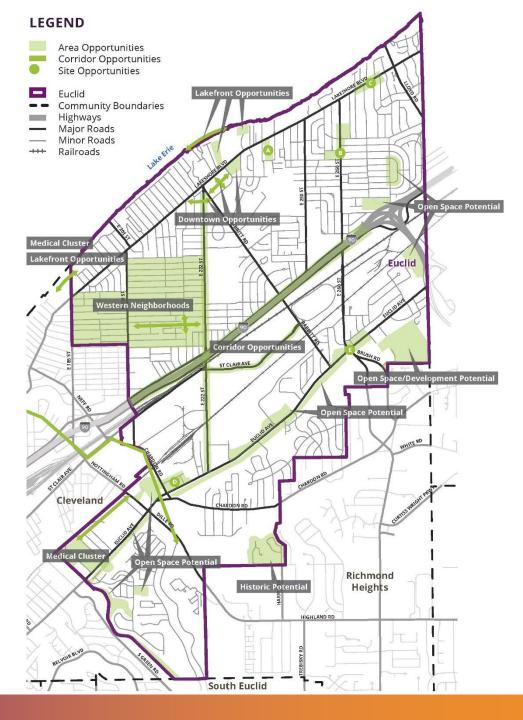
Weaknesses/Threats

- Aging Retail Strips
- Struggling Small Manufacturers
- Vacant or Low Occupancy Properties
- Streetscape Issues



Opportunities

- Western Neighborhoods
- Parks and Open Spaces
- Corridor Improvements
- Small Retail Areas
- Lakefront Opportunities
- Medical and Industrial Clusters
- Connections
- Downtown



CURRENT CONDITIONS



SWOT ANALYSIS



VISION THEMES

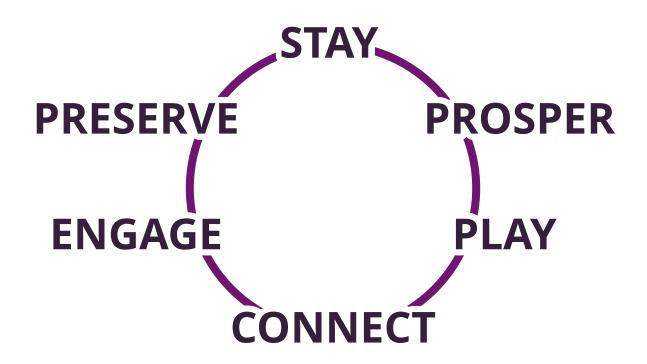
VISION THEMES

Vision Themes

- Broad ideas for how the community wants to grow in the next five to ten years
- The statements are the community's desired future in words
 - Includes goals that further refine vision statements
- They represent initial draft ideas for discussion, changes, and additions

Where did these visions come from?

- Current Conditions analysis
- SWOT Analysis
- Community Survey
- Existing local and regional plans
- Input from the Project Team and Steering Committee



STAY

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PROSPER

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PLAY

The vision for a high quality of life is to enhance parks and recreation, active retail centers, arts and culture, the vibrant Downtown, and an active lakefront. Memorial Park, Shore Cultural Centre, Euclid Public Library, Euclid Creek Reservation, and the Lakefront Parks as well as other amenities are some of the most compelling reasons to live in the City, and improving these assets provides the high quality spaces that attract residents.

CONNECT

The vision for transportation is to connect Euclid internally and with the rest of the region. Euclid has a variety of options for residents and visitors to access parks, amenities, and institutions. Euclid should improve and enhance these existing methods of transportation and create new opportunities for getting around on foot, bicycle, and via public transit.

ENGAGE

The vision for neighborhood engagement is to foster a sense of shared community pride and involvement that builds social cohesion.

PRESERVE

The vision for preservation is for a City that protects and celebrates its environmental features by prioritizing environmentally sensitive areas, promoting green practices, and alleviating stormwater and flooding issues through innovative measures.

Vision Themes

- Vision Statement
- More Specific Goals

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- Promote diverse housing options that allow for aging in place
- Promote the repair, maintenance, and code compliance of existing housing and neighborhoods
- Strategically invest in neighborhoods that are struggling by investing in housing and in the amenities that provide a strong sense of place
- Prioritize vacant, underutilized residential properties for reuse
- Increase homeownership to stabilize housing

CURRENT CONDITIONS



SWOT ANALYSIS



VISION THEMES



- Places where investments could:
 - Spur private development
 - Grow jobs
 - Stabilize neighborhoods
 - Build community assets
- These are areas of potential focus for the Master Plan

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- A East 185th
- B Western Neighborhoods
- Dille and Euclid
- Downtown Euclid
- East 222nd
- Lake Shore East
- G I-90 Corridor
- **B** Euclid Square Mall
- East 260th
- Willow Park Area
- Bluestone Business Park
- Euclid Avenue East
- Providence Park

GATHERING FEEDBACK

TWELVE STATIONS

- Vision + Goals (6)
- Catalyst Areas (6)

CATALYST AREA:



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the corridor. With investment in public infrastructure, coordination between businesses in Euclid and Cleveland, connections to the Lake, gateway entrances, and beautification efforts, this area could see new growth in the future.



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What would you like to see CHANGE in this area?

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Vision Theme →

Vision Statement →

Goals \longrightarrow

Things you like →

Things you want to change, add, or remove

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Evaluation

Sample ADDED or REMOVED?

Catalyst Area →

Description, → Image, and Map

Things you like →

Things you want to change, → add, or remove

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CATALYST AREA:

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WESTERN NEIGHBORHOODS

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I want to see more trees There are no places to park my park wike

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OTHER IDEAS

- You can also write down any thoughts, comments, or suggestions on comment cards
- Leave comment sheets with representatives from County Planning or at the box near the entrance



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WHAT'S NEXT

Public Meeting #2 Policies

We will brainstorm and draft goals and action steps with the Project Team, Steering Committee, and Community Survey

The next Public Meeting will review proposed goals and actions

Public Meetings Tentative Schedule

| Meetings | Topic | Date |
|---------------------|------------------|----------------------------|
| Meeting #1 | Community Vision | October 4, 2016 |
| Public Presentation | Community Survey | November, 2016 (tentative) |
| Meeting #2 | Policies | February, 2017 (tentative) |
| Meeting #3 | Implementation | May, 2017 (tentative) |

Master Plan Updates Plan Website

Visit <u>euclidmasterplan.wordpress.com</u> for plan updates

Write us an email!

Any additional comments, please email <u>alukacsy@cityofeuclid.com</u>

Thank you!

Before you give us feedback...

Questions?



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Tell us what you think! We are around the room to answer questions

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