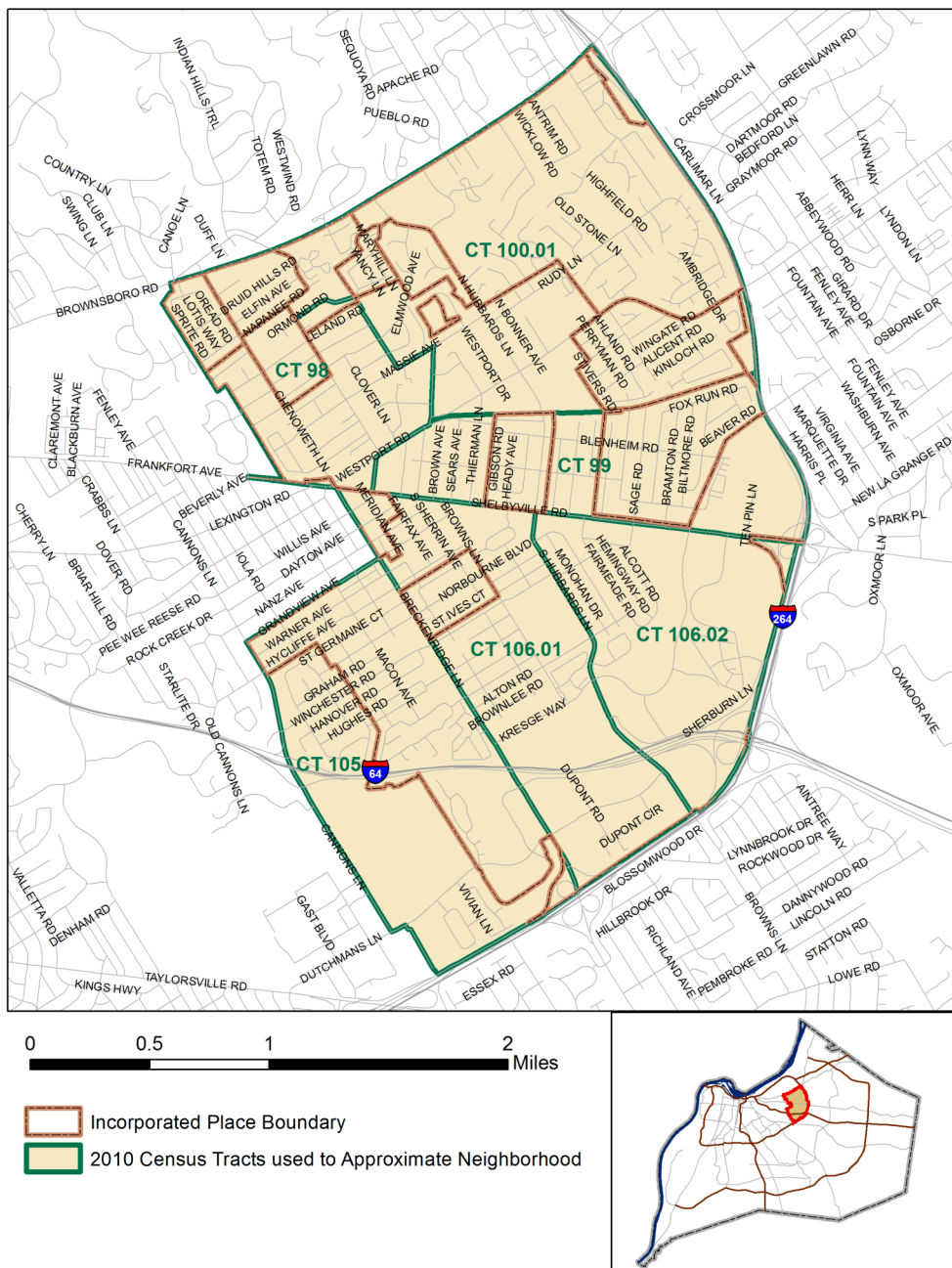


# ST. MATTHEWS NEIGHBORHOOD PROFILE

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This neighborhood profile uses 2010 census tracts to approximate neighborhood areas within Jefferson County. Census tracts are statistical units used to publish data for small areas, delineated after each Decennial Census. Even though some federal agencies that publish data for small areas recognize incorporated places and publish data for cities, this profile uses census tracts so that the entirety of Jefferson County can be represented within a neighborhood area. Using census tracts also allows data to be included from agencies that do not publish data for cities.

Unless otherwise noted, the data in this profile reflects the five year time period from the beginning of 2011 through the end of 2015.

# POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS

## Age and Sex

	St. Matthews		Jefferson County	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
Total Population	21,075	-	755,809	-
Male	9,858	47%	364,719	48%
Female	11,217	53%	391,090	52%

	St. Matthews		Jefferson County	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
Population Under Age 5	1,283	6%	49,204	7%
Under Age 3	891	4%	29,305	4%
Age 3 and 4	392	2%	19,899	3%
Population Under Age 18	3,644	17%	172,203	23%
Age 5 to 14	1,847	9%	94,654	13%
Age 15 to 17	514	2%	28,345	4%
Population Age 18 to 64	13,527	64%	476,759	63%
Population Age 65 and Over	3,904	19%	106,847	14%

## Race, Ethnicity, and Nativity

	St. Matthews		Jefferson County	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
White, Non-Hispanic	18,794	89%	525,430	70%
Black, Non-Hispanic	700	3%	154,852	20%
Asian, Non-Hispanic	265	1%	18,398	2%
Hispanic, Of Any Race	953	5%	35,322	5%
Multiple Races, Non-Hispanic	278	1%	19,760	3%
Other, Non-Hispanic	85	0%	2,047	0%
Foreign Born	1,569	7%	50,641	7%

## Veteran Status

	St. Matthews		Jefferson County	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
Civilian population 18 years and over	17,431	-	583,007	-
Veterans	1,362	8%	51,362	9%

Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2011-2015 American Community Survey Note: Percentages may not sum to 100 due to rounding

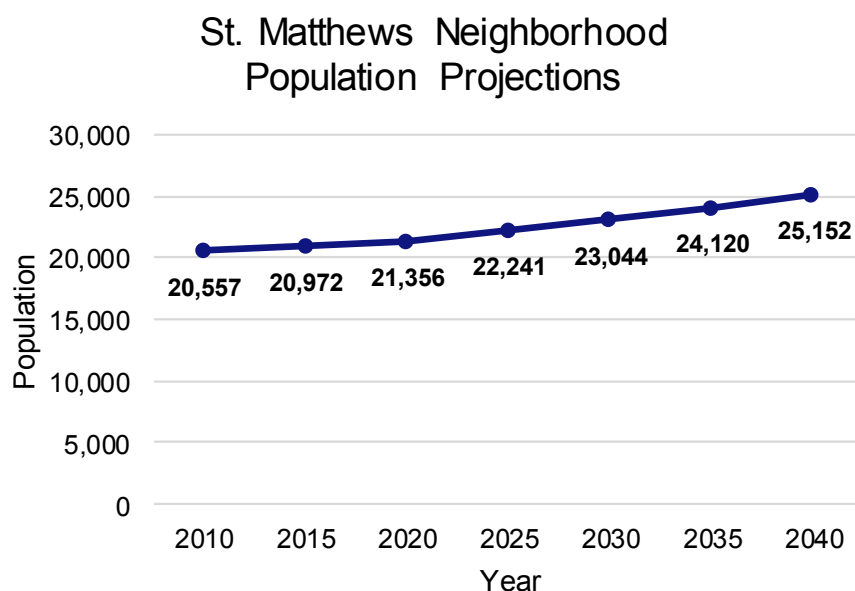
# POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS

## Households and Families

	St. Matthews		Jefferson County	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
Total Households	10,005	-	306,915	-
Family Households	5,105	51%	185,758	61%
Married Couple Family Households	3,814	38%	125,226	41%
with Related Children	1,214	32%	50,138	40%
Male Householder Family Households	378	4%	15,175	5%
with Related Children	220	58%	8,237	54%
Female Householder Family Households	913	9%	45,357	15%
with Related Children	539	59%	29,987	66%
Non-Family Households	4,900	49%	121,157	39%
Single Person Households	4,001	82%	100,998	83%

Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2011-2015 American Community Survey

## Population Projections



Data Source: Louisville Metro Demographic and Economic Projections 2010-2040, December 2015

# ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS

## Income

	St. Matthews	Jefferson County
Median Household Income (in 2015 dollars)	\$63,284	\$48,695
Change since 2000 Census (inflation-adjusted)	-9%	-12%

## SNAP Benefits

	St. Matthews		Jefferson County	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
Households receiving SNAP Benefits	552	6%	45,560	15%
Households with public assistance income	259	3%	9,156	3%

## Vehicles Available

	St. Matthews		Jefferson County	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
Households with no vehicle	616	6%	31,066	10%

Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2011-2015 American Community Survey

# ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS

## Poverty Status

	St. Matthews		Jefferson County	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
Total population below federal poverty line (FPL)	1,817	9%	121,683	16%
Population under 18 years below FPL	394	11%	40,856	24%
Population under 6 years below FPL	187	13%	15,689	27%
Population age 6 to 11 below FPL	27	3%	13,044	24%
Population age 12 to 17 below FPL	180	16%	12,123	22%
Population age 18 to 64 below FPL	1,208	9%	71,514	15%
Population age 65 and over below FPL	215	6%	9,313	9%
Total population below 150% of the FPL	3,058	15%	190,956	26%
Population under 18 years below 150% of the FPL	695	20%	60,015	36%
Population under 6 years below 150% of the FPL	386	27%	22,859	39%
Population age 6 to 11 below 150% of the FPL	47	5%	18,990	35%
Population age 12 to 17 below 150% of the FPL	262	24%	18,166	32%
Population age 18 to 64 below 150% of the FPL	1,811	13%	110,164	24%
Population age 65 and over below 150% of the FPL	552	15%	20,777	20%
Total population below 185% of the FPL	4,224	20%	239,457	32%
Population under 18 years below 185% of the FPL	906	26%	72,826	43%
Population under 6 years below 185% of the FPL	496	34%	27,479	47%
Population age 6 to 11 below 185% of the FPL	70	7%	23,358	43%
Population age 12 to 17 below 185% of the FPL	340	31%	21,989	39%
Population age 18 to 64 below 185% of the FPL	2,549	19%	138,891	30%
Population age 65 and over below 185% of the FPL	769	20%	27,740	27%
Total population below 200% of the FPL	4,503	22%	259,057	35%
Population under 18 years below 200% of the FPL	937	27%	77,381	46%
Population under 6 years below 200% of the FPL	516	36%	29,305	51%
Population age 6 to 11 below 200% of the FPL	81	9%	24,505	45%
Population age 12 to 17 below 200% of the FPL	340	31%	23,571	42%
Population age 18 to 64 below 200% of the FPL	2,687	20%	150,696	32%
Population age 65 and over below 200% of the FPL	879	23%	30,980	30%

Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2011-2015 American Community Survey

# ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS

## Labor Force Status

	St. Matthews		Jefferson County	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
Age 16-19—Unemployed	43	14%	3,373	23%
Age 20-21—Unemployed	13	5%	2,649	17%
Age 22-24—Unemployed	26	3%	2,919	11%
Age 25-64—Unemployed	378	4%	23,453	7%
Age 65 and over—Unemployed	14	2%	816	5%
Total Unemployed, age 16 and over	474	4%	33,210	8%

	St. Matthews		Jefferson County	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
Age 16-19—Not in the labor force	316	51%	20,874	58%
Age 20-21—Not in the labor force	132	32%	4,521	22%
Age 22-24—Not in the labor force	82	10%	4,706	16%
Age 25-64—Not in the labor force	1,837	15%	87,803	21%
Age 65 and over—Not in the labor force	3,176	81%	88,848	83%
Total Not in the labor force, age 16 and over	5,543	31%	206,752	34%

Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2011-2015 American Community Survey

An **unemployed** person is someone who does not have a job, but is actively looking for a job and is available for work. The unemployment rate is calculated as the number of unemployed persons in an age group divided by the sum of the number of employed and unemployed persons in that age group.

A person who is **not in the labor force** is someone who does not have a job, and is not looking for one. This includes students, retirees, those taking care of children or other family members, and others who are neither working nor seeking work. The rate of labor force participation is calculated as the number of persons not in the labor force in an age group divided by the population in that age group.

# ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS

## Jobs by Place of Work (2014)

	St. Matthews		Jefferson County	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
Total Full and Part-time Jobs	26,880	-	462,282	-
Agriculture and Mining	0	0%	373	0%
Construction	168	1%	18,541	4%
Manufacturing	74	0%	48,288	10%
Trade	6,159	23%	71,897	16%
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	50	0%	36,344	8%
Information	212	1%	8,687	2%
Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate	1,067	4%	39,514	9%
Professional Services	4,255	16%	69,431	15%
Education and Health Care	10,340	38%	96,111	21%
Entertainment, Accommodation, and Food Services	3,674	14%	47,968	10%
Other Services	695	3%	12,709	3%
Public Administration	186	1%	12,419	3%

Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Longitudinal Employer-Household Dynamics Origin-Destination Employment Statistics (LODES)

Note: The workplace is based on the address of administrative records, and may or may not be the actual location that a worker reports to most often. In the original data, all Jefferson County Public School (JCPS) employees were reported as working at the location of the JCPS administrative headquarters. Data provided by JCPS was used to allocate employees to the physical location they work at. JCPS is the only institution that was adjusted from the original data.

Percentages may not sum to 100 due to rounding.

# EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS

## School Enrollment

	St. Matthews		Jefferson County	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
Population Age 3 and 4	392	-	19,899	-
Population Age 3 and 4, Enrolled in School	239	61%	9,574	48%
Enrolled in Public School	29	12%	4,757	50%
Population Age 5 to 14	1,847	-	94,654	-
Population Age 5 to 14, Enrolled in School	1,824	99%	91,824	97%
Enrolled in Public School	892	49%	72,645	79%
Population Age 15 to 17	514	-	28,345	-
Population Age 15 to 17, Enrolled in School	510	99%	27,667	98%
Enrolled in Public School	260	51%	21,738	79%
Population Age 18 to 24	1,511	-	67,672	-
Population Age 18 to 24, Enrolled in School	614	41%	27,687	41%

## Disconnected Youth

	St. Matthews		Jefferson County	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
Population Age 16 to 19	617	-	35,818	-
Not Enrolled in School and Not Working	20	3%	2,533	7%

Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2011-2015 American Community Survey



# EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS

## Educational Attainment

	St. Matthews		Jefferson County	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
Population Age 18 to 24	1,511	-	67,672	-
Less than 9th Grade Education	0	0%	996	1%
9th thru 12th Grade Education	135	9%	9,272	14%
High School Graduate/GED	334	22%	21,165	31%
Some College, no degree	619	41%	26,252	39%
Associate's Degree	61	4%	2,997	4%
Bachelor's Degree	302	20%	6,357	9%
Graduate or Professional Degree	60	4%	633	1%

	St. Matthews		Jefferson County	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
Population Age 25 and Over	15,920	-	515,934	-
Less than 9th Grade Education	340	2%	18,357	4%
9th thru 12th Grade Education	286	2%	38,753	8%
High School Graduate/GED	2,304	14%	141,802	27%
Some College, no degree	3,202	20%	115,561	22%
Associate's Degree	917	6%	38,948	8%
Bachelor's Degree	5,109	32%	94,641	18%
Graduate or Professional Degree	3,762	24%	67,872	13%

Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2011-2015 American Community Survey, Note: Percentages may not sum to 100 due to rounding.

# EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS

## Schools

### JCPS assignment plan for students living in St. Matthews:

#### Elementary Schools

##### Cluster 11

- Byck
- Coleridge-Taylor
- Dunn
- Lowe
- Roosevelt-Perry
- Wilder
- Zachary Taylor

##### Cluster 13

- Bloom
- Engelhard
- Hawthorne
- Maupin
- St. Matthews
- Wheatley

##### Cluster 12

- Atkinson
- Breckinridge-Franklin
- Chenoweth
- Field
- King
- Portland
- Shelby

*Indicates resides school for St. Matthews students*

#### Middle Schools

- Kammerer
- Westport

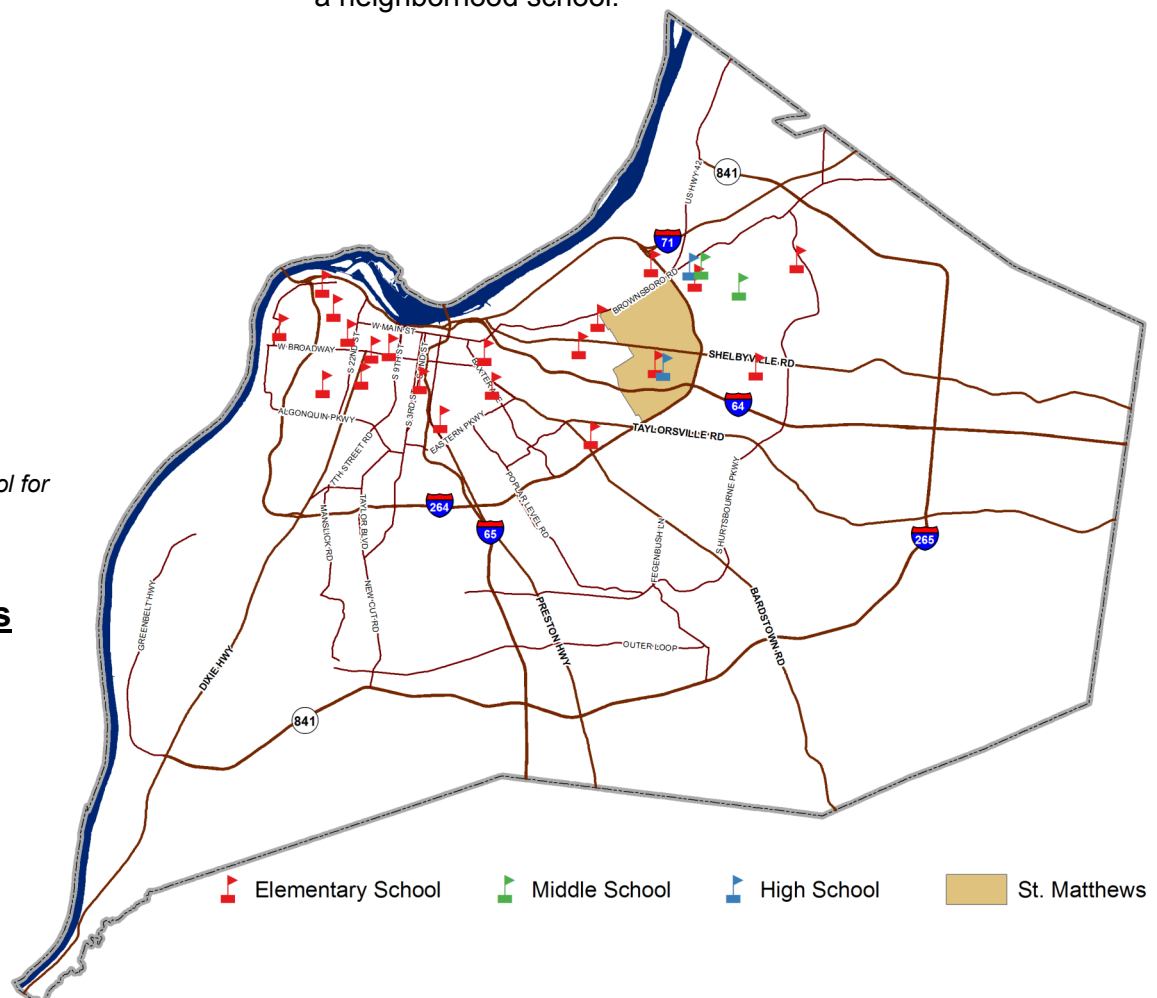
#### High Schools

- Ballard
- Waggener

Students attending Jefferson County Public Schools (JCPS) are assigned to schools based on their home address. The student assignment plan is designed to promote economic and racial integration across the district, so many students are assigned to a school outside of their neighborhood. Most students attend their assigned school, while others apply to magnet schools and programs outside of the assignment plan.

At the elementary school level, students are assigned to a cluster based on their home address, and given the option to choose from several schools within the assigned cluster. One of the options within each elementary cluster is a neighborhood school, called the “resides” school.

At the middle and high school level, students are assigned to a school based on their home address, which may or may not be a neighborhood school.



# EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS

## School Accountability Profile - School Year 2015-2016

The Accountability Profile summarizes the status of a school or district in the state accountability system, Unbridled Learning: College- and Career-Ready for All. The Overall Score is used to compare and rank school and district performance and to calculate improvement goals.



St. Matthews "Resides" Schools	Overall Score	Classification	Rewards and Assistance Category
Chenoweth Elementary	70.6	Proficient	
Dunn Elementary	75.3	Distinguished	
St. Matthews Elementary	74.1	Distinguished	
Kammerer Middle	56.0	Needs Improvement	Focus School
Westport Middle	53.0	Needs Improvement	Priority School
Ballard High	81.1	Distinguished	
Waggener High	68.3	Needs Improvement	Focus School
District Total	63.1	Needs Improvement	

Data Source: Kentucky Department of Education

# EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS

## Student Achievement - School Year 2015-2016

Elementary “Resides” Schools	Proficient and Distinguished Scores		Kindergarten Readiness	Middle “Resides” Schools	Proficient and Distinguished Scores	
	Reading	Math			Reading	Math
Chenoweth	66%	64%	66%	Kammerer	48%	40%
Dunn	78%	72%	68%	Westport	38%	31%
St. Matthews	67%	64%	57%	District Total	46%	39%
District Total	49%	49%	48%			

High “Resides” Schools	Proficient and Distinguished Scores		Graduation Rate	College and Career Ready
	Reading	Math		
Ballard	65%	60%	93%	71%
Waggener	41%	41%	85%	53%
District Total	51%	48%	80%	63%

## Student Demographics - School Year 2016-2017

St. Matthews “Resides” Schools	% Non-White	% Free/Reduced Lunch
Chenoweth Elementary	37%	46%
Dunn Elementary	36%	28%
St. Matthews Elementary	41%	48%
Kammerer Middle	54%	49%
Westport Middle	54%	60%
Ballard High	44%	38%
Waggener High	66%	67%
District Total	54%	62%

Data Source: Jefferson County Public Schools 2016-2017 Data Book

# HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS

## Housing Units

	St. Matthews		Jefferson County	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
Total Housing Units	10,670	-	340,132	-
Occupied Housing Units	10,005	94%	306,915	90%
Owner Occupied	6,218	62%	189,914	62%
Renter Occupied	3,787	38%	117,001	38%
Vacant Housing Units	665	6%	33,217	10%

	St. Matthews		Jefferson County	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
Single Family Housing Units	6,587	62%	234,584	69%
Multi-Family Housing Units	4,067	38%	100,338	29%
Other Housing Units	16	0%	5,210	2%

Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2011-2015 American Community Survey

## Vacant Property (2017)

	St. Matthews	Jefferson County
Vacant Structures	12	5,753
Vacant Lots	0	2,188

Data Source: Louisville Metro Codes and Regulations Property Reports, as of June 30, 2017

## Home Value

	St. Matthews	Jefferson County
Median Reported Value of Owner Occupied Housing Units*	\$225,466	\$150,400
Median Assessed Value of Single Family Housing Units (2016)*	\$233,140	\$139,440

\*Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2011-2015 American Community Survey

\*Data Source: Jefferson County Property Value Administrator

# HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS

## Housing Cost Burden

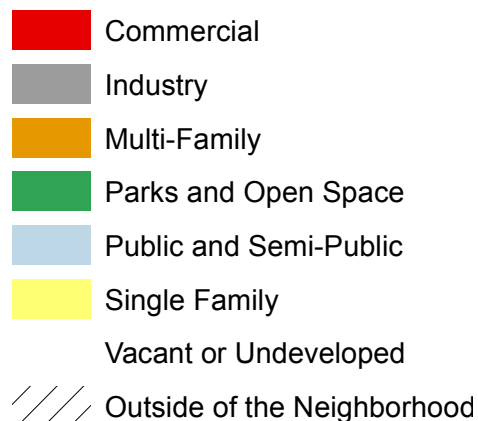
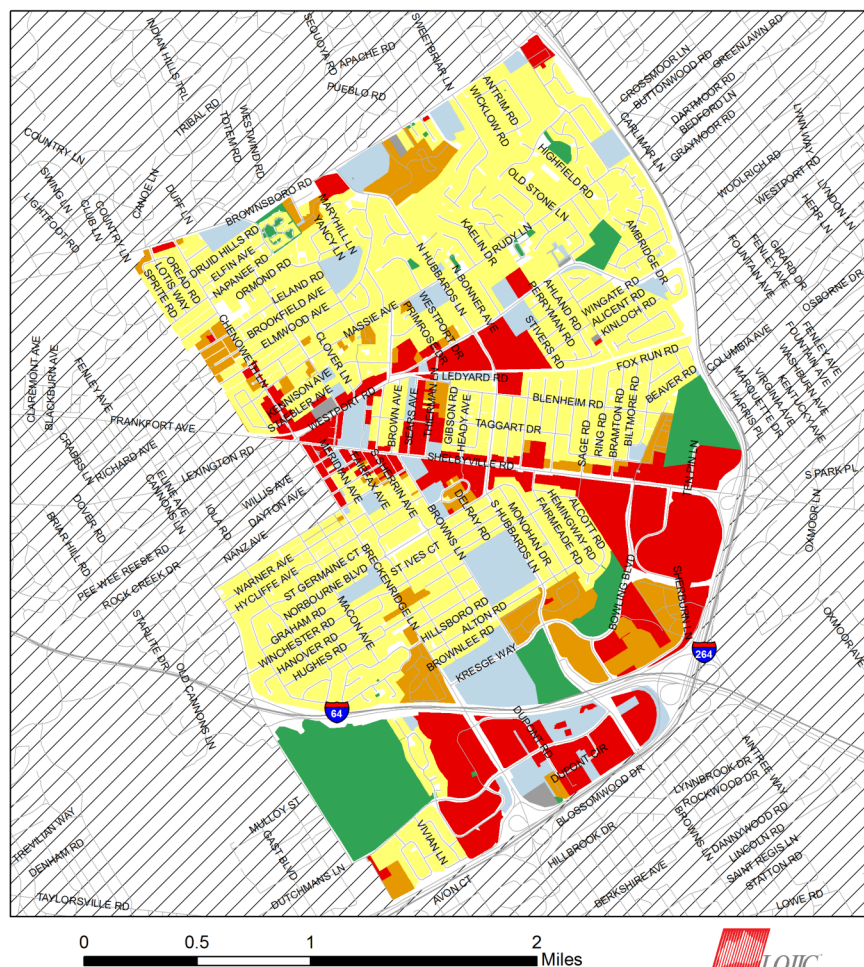
According to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, households that spend more than 30% of their income on housing are considered cost burdened and may have difficulty affording necessities such as food, transportation, and medical care.

	St. Matthews		Jefferson County	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
Renters paying 30% or more of income on housing costs	1,456	40%	52,192	48%
Owners paying 30% or more of income on housing costs	1,192	19%	40,139	21%

Note: Housing costs as a percentage of income is only calculated for households that pay rent and report income.

Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2011-2015 American Community Survey

## Land Use (2016)



Percentage of St. Matthews Land Area	
Commercial	18%
Industry	0%
Multi-Family	8%
Parks and Open Space	9%
Public and Semi-Public	10%
Single Family	52%
Vacant or Undeveloped	2%

Data Source: LOJIC

Note: Percentages may not sum to 100 due to rounding.

# HEALTH CHARACTERISTICS

## Health Insurance Coverage

	St. Matthews		Jefferson County	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
Population under 6 years without health insurance	28	2%	1,820	3%
Population under 18 years without health insurance	132	4%	6,435	4%
Total population without health insurance	1,796	9%	79,273	11%

Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2011-2015 American Community Survey

## Disability Status

	St. Matthews		Jefferson County	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
Population with a disability	2,311	11%	108,054	14%

Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2011-2015 American Community Survey

## Food Access (2015)

	St. Matthews		Jefferson County	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
Population who are low income and do not live close to a grocery store	496	2%	37,089	5%
Census tracts designated a food desert	0	-	13	-

Note: Population who are low income is defined as living at or below 200 percent of the federal poverty line. Not living close to a grocery store is defined as living further than one mile from a full service grocery store.

Food deserts are defined at the census tract level, when the tract is considered low income and low access. A tract is considered low income if the tract's poverty rate is 20% or greater, or if the tract has a median family income less than or equal to 80% of the metropolitan area's median family income. A census tract is considered to have low access if a significant number (at least 500 people) or share (at least 33%) of individuals in the tract is greater than one mile from the nearest grocery store.

Data Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Food Access Research Atlas



# HEALTH CHARACTERISTICS

## Violent Crime (2016)

	St. Matthews	Jefferson County
Number of violent crimes	14	4,534
Violent crime rate per 100,000 population	66	600

Data Source: Louisville Metro Police Department

Note: This data only reflects crime reported to Louisville Metro Police, and excludes any violent incidences reported to the other policing agencies with jurisdiction in Jefferson County.

Violent crime is defined as cases of reported homicide, rape, robbery, and aggravated assault within the Part 1 Uniform Crime Report (UCR) hierarchy.

## Birth Measures

	St. Matthews	Jefferson County
Births to mothers who smoked during pregnancy	4%	12%
Births to mothers without a high school degree	4%	15%
Births to unmarried mothers	18%	47%
Low birthweight births	5%	9%
Teen birth rate per 1,000 women age 15-19	13	33

Data Source: Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services Department of Public Health

## Premature Death

	St. Matthews	Jefferson County
Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted)	3,984	8,229

Data Source: Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services Department of Public Health

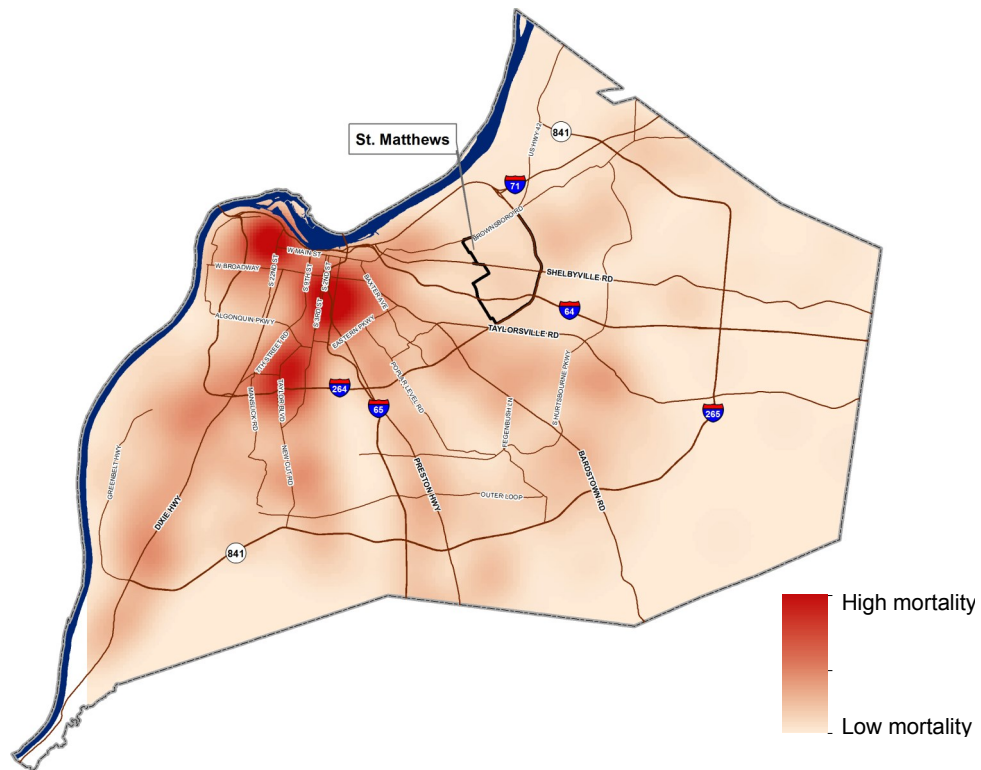


# HEALTH CHARACTERISTICS

## Drug Overdose Mortality

The age-adjusted rate of drug overdose deaths in Jefferson County was 24 deaths per 100,000 standard population.

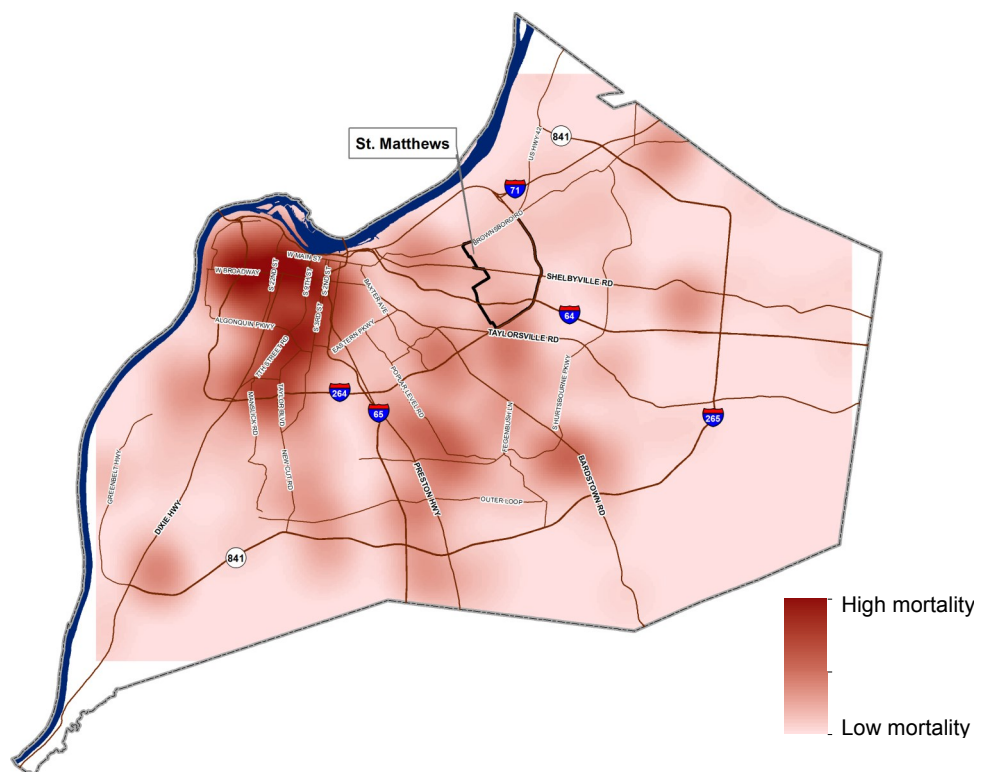
Due to the small number of observations, a drug overdose mortality rate was not calculated for individual neighborhoods.



## Infant Mortality

For every 1,000 live births in Jefferson County there were 7 infant deaths.

Due to the small number of observations, an infant mortality rate was not calculated for individual neighborhoods.



Data Source: Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services Department of Public Health