

**CRA Boundaries 2023** 

(Based on 2020 Census Tracts)

Each year, in order to help ensure that Low and Moderate income neighborhoods have access to financial services and loans, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) works with the Federal Financial Institutions Examination Council (FFIEC) to describe neighborhoods across the country by median family income. This data are used to determine the Income Level of each neighborhood relative to the MSA or non-MSA County in which it is located, represented by Census Tracts. These income levels are characterized as Low, Moderate, Middle and High income based on the income of a census tract relative to the MSA or non-MSA county it is situated in, based on HUD annual estimates of income. Census tracts categorized as either having low or moderate income are particularly

This shapefile created by RPM Consulting, LLC can be used in any GIS to prepare both paper and digital CRA maps. In conjunction with RPM's BranchInfo Banking Competitor Database, branch locations can be analyzed relative to Low and Moderate income areas for analysis of Service and Lending Test performance and performance context. Columns are named to maintain consistency with FFIEC terminology.

## **Data Sources**

Census tract and MSA/MDA income levels and income percentage calculations are taken directly from FFIEC reporting

The percentage of estimated unbanked households and the national index are produced by RPM's MarketBank dataset using a model based upon raw data from the Federal Reserve's 2022 Survey of Consumer Finances. The penetration rate represents the percentage of resident households who do not have a primary checking or savings relationship with a bank, thrift, or credit union.

RPM's Household Economic Resiliency index is an estimate of the relative ability of resident households to meet their financial obligations if faced with a 90 day disruption in income. The index is part of RPM's MarketBank dataset, and is produced by a statistical model based upon raw data from the Federal Reserve's 2022 Survey of Household Economic Decisionmaking.



GEOID

YEAR

TRACT

SPLIT

PRIN CITY

FFIEC\_EST

POVERTY

RURAL

MSA MD **STATEFIPS** 

## **Field Name** Description Combined FIPS Code STATE ABBV State abbreviation COUNTYNAME County name STATE NAME State name Data vintage MSA/MD Code State FIPS Code County FIPS Code COUNTYFIPS **Census Tract FIPS Code** Principal city status SMALLCNTY Small county status Split tract flag DEMOG FLAG Demographic data flag URBN\_RURAL Urban/Rural Status **MSAMEDFINC MSA Median Family Income MSAMEDHINC** MSA Median Household Income INCOME PCT Tract Income percent of Median amily income FFIEC Estimated MSA/MD median family income INCOMELVL Census tract income level (1=low, 2=moderate, 3=middle, 4=high) "X" if tract meets poverty criteria UNEMPLOYMT "X" if tract meets high unemployment criteria DISTRESSED "X" if tract meets distressed area criteria "X" if tract meets remote/rural criteria Previous year CRA distressed criteria. 'X' - Yes , ' ' (blank space) - No

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PREV\_DISTR PREV UNSRV Previous year CRA underserved criterion. 'X' - Yes, '' (blank space) - No Meets at least one of current or previous year's CRA distressed/underserved tract criteria? 'X' - Yes, ' ' (blank space) - No PREV DORU POP Total persons FAMILIES **Total families** HOUSEHOLDS Total households HASDATA Contains population data National index of unbanked households (RPM MarketBank estimate 100 = NOBANKIDX national average) Household economic resiliency index (RPM MarketBank estimate 100 = HH\_RESIDX national average) Percentage of households estimated to be unbanked (RPM MarketBank NOBANKPEN estimate)

INCOMEDESC Census tract income level description (low, moderate, middle, high)

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