

Tobacco Retailer Density in Syracuse



Retailer Fast Facts

Syracuse has **179** tobacco retailers. That is **15 times more** tobacco retailers than Dunkin' locations and **36 times more** than Burger King restaurants.



Retailer Density Impacts Youth and Lower-Income Residents

Syracuse has **7.1** tobacco retailers per square mile and **1.2** tobacco retailers per 1,000 residents. School aged youth (5-19 years old) and lower-income residents are at high risk for exposure to tobacco retailers.

Tobacco Retailer Density per 1,000 School Aged Youth

Syracuse Census Tracts

< 2.8 2.8-6.0 6.0-10.5 ≥ 10.5



155 tobacco retailers are within 750 feet of a K-12 school, park, or another tobacco vendor.

There are currently **5.3** retailers per 1,000 school aged youth in Syracuse. Four (4) of the City's census tracts have **more than 30.0** tobacco retailers per 1,000 school aged youth.

Tobacco Retailer Density per 1,000 Residents by Income Level

0.46

Higher income neighborhoods

1.34

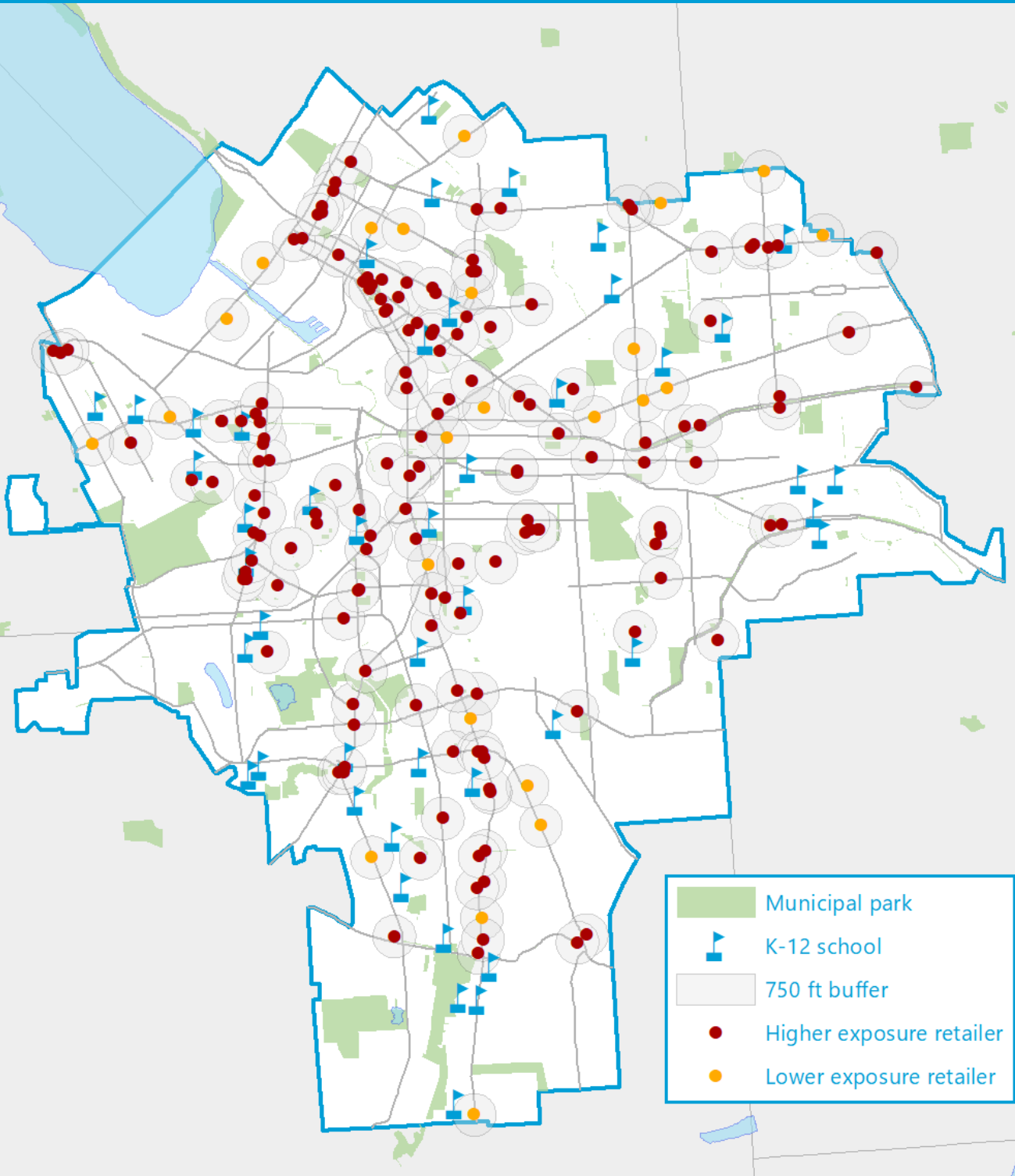
Lower income neighborhoods

42 of the City's retailers are in lower - income neighborhoods (census tracts) compared to only **15** in higher - income neighborhoods.

Data are for youth ages 5-19 years.

Tobacco Retailers, K-12 Schools, and Parks in Syracuse

86.6% of tobacco retailers in Syracuse are **higher exposure retailers** meaning they are within 750 feet of a K-12 school, municipal park or another tobacco retailer.



About these data: All references to “tobacco retailers” include both tobacco retailers and vapor product retailers. Tobacco retailer data are from <https://health.data.ny.gov/Health/Active-Retail-Tobacco-and-Vapor-Product-Vendors/9ma3-vsuk/data>, last updated 7/11/2023. Population indicators are from the U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 5 Year Estimates, 2021.

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