



Youth Group Housing Workshop #2

September 30, 2025



Agenda

- **Welcome and Introductions** (5 minutes)
- **Youth Group Housing Mapping Application Presentation** (15 minutes)
 - Kathryn Youra Polk, Miami Valley Regional Planning Commission
- **Panel Discussion** (60 minutes)
 - Moderator: Shannon Meadows, Harrison Township
 - City of Dayton: Brad French/Greg Patterson and Aaron Primm
 - Harrison Township: Kevin Monroe and Deputy Javan Richardson
- **Open Discussion and Wrap Up** (10 minutes)



Mapping Application Presentation

Youth Group Housing Concentration and Demographics



What is a Group Home?

A residential dwelling that includes a source of care and supervision for people needing additional support.

Also called a residential facility

Types of Group Homes

Serves	ORC Section	Agency
Children, foster care up to age 21	Section 5103.052	Department of Youth
Addiction recovery, mental and behavioral health*	Section 5119.34	Mental Health and Addiction Services
Developmentally disabled adults or children	Section 5123.19	Department of Developmental Disabilities
Aging adults	Section 3721.01	Department of Health

*Separate classifications, Class I, II, and III

Mapping Application Data

Data Sources:

- 2019-2023 American Community Survey (ACS) 5-Year Estimates, U.S. Census Bureau
- Ohio Department of Job & Family Services
- Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services

Data Topics:

- youth group home concentration and location
- relevant socioeconomic data
- census tract level data

Mapping Application Data

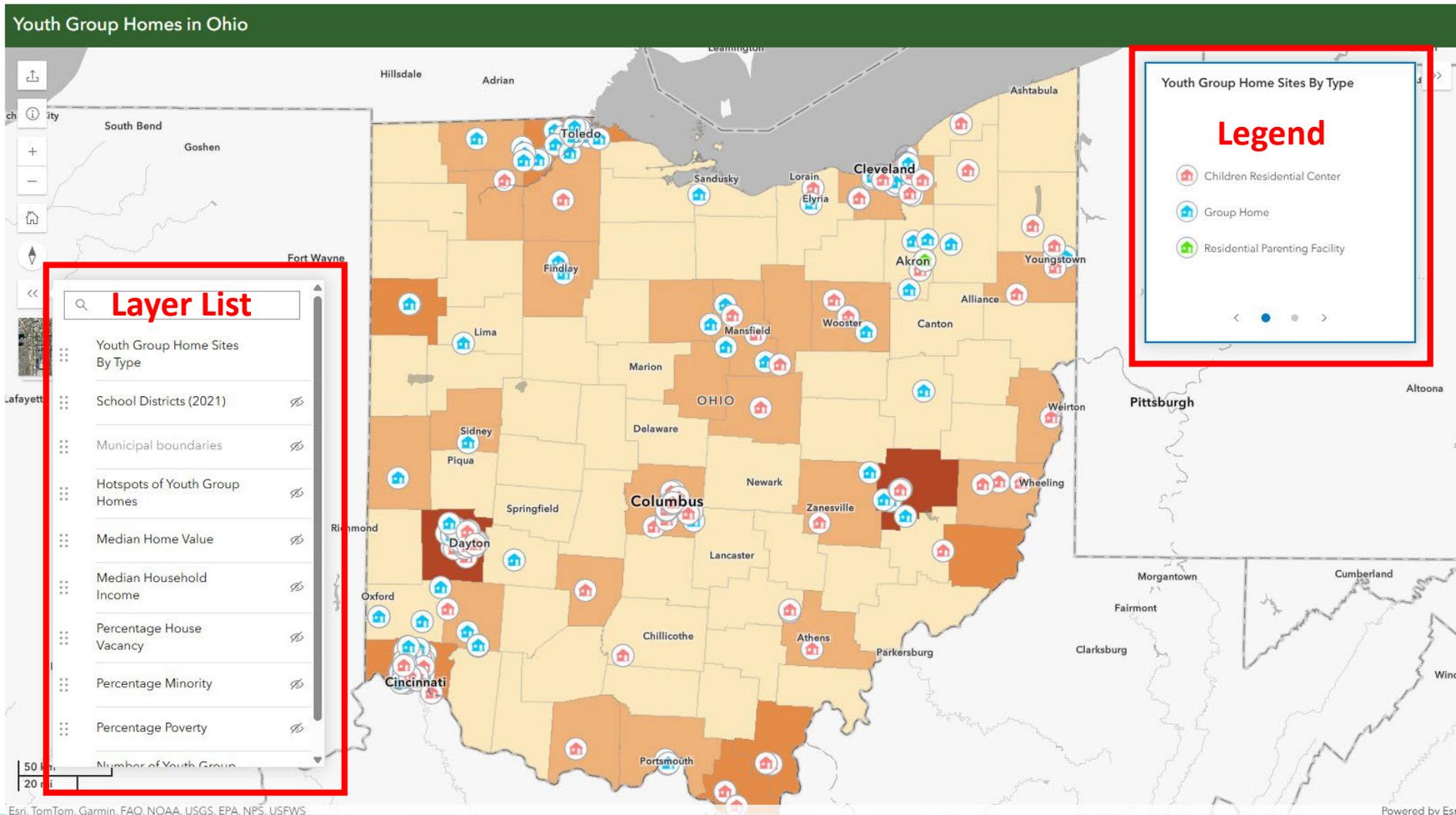
What it is:

- A tool
 - Locational analysis of tabular data
 - Assist decision makers and staff about potential impacts
 - Way to draw connections

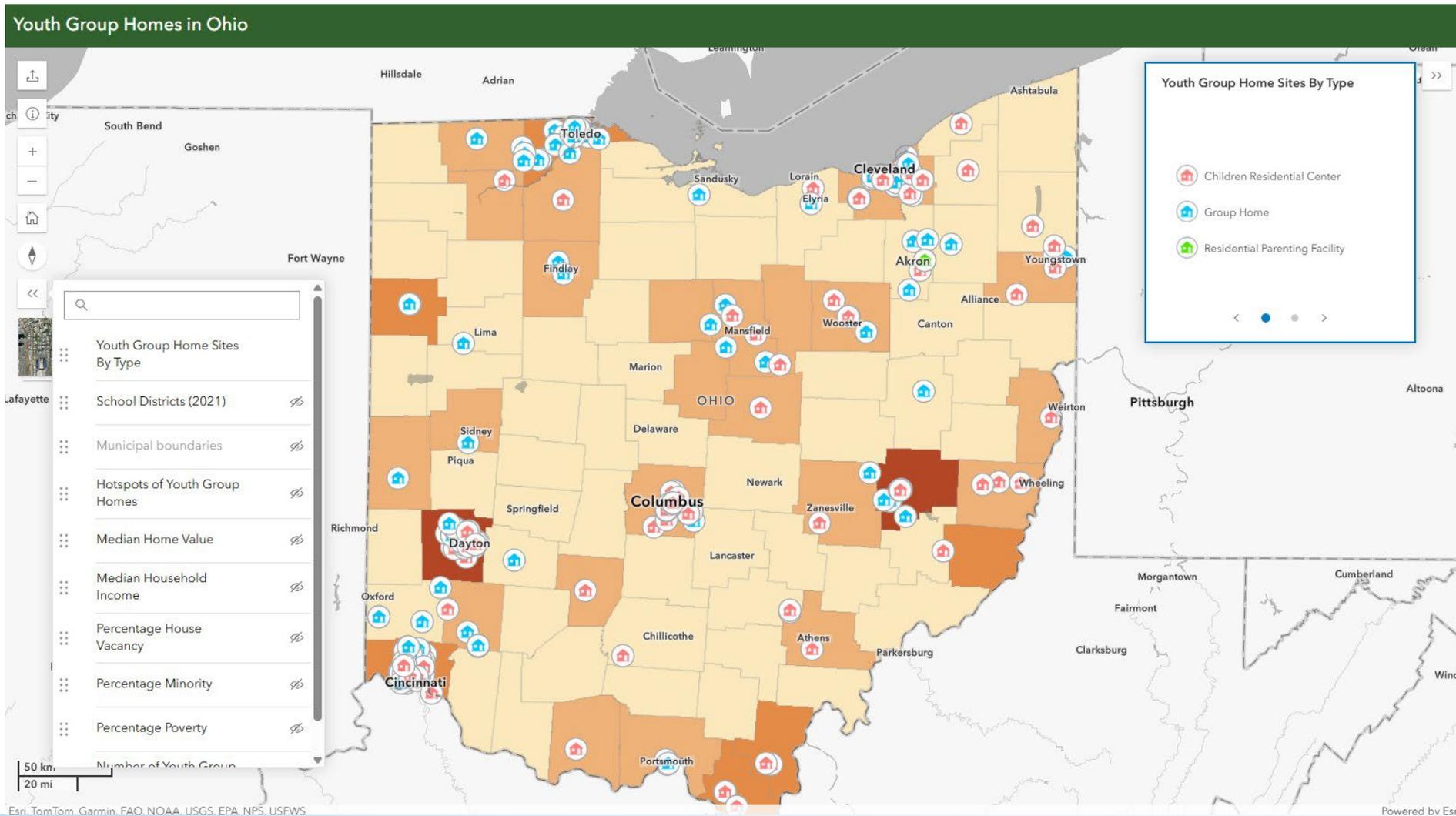
What it is **NOT**:

- Updated live
- Way to shame owners or jurisdictions
- Definitive

Mapping Application



Mapping Application





Panel Discussion

Case Studies

Panelist Q & A

What coordination do you have when a new Group Home is coming into the community (State, County, Other)?

Panelist Q & A

What are some of the impacts / burdens Youth Group Housing has within your fields and/or services you provide?

Panelist Q & A

What approaches are you taking to better navigate the issues related to the public safety and community services?

Panelist Q & A

What programs do you currently have to help manage youth group home conditions, while supporting kids in the youth group housing?

Panelist Q & A

What types of new programs or regulations would you suggest to further address the issues related to the public safety and community services or to better meet the needs of these residents?



Wrap Up

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