



Regular Meeting Agenda

City/School Liaison Committee

<i>Mark Turner</i>	-	<i>Mayor</i>
<i>Miriam Vega</i>	-	<i>Council Member</i>
<i>Veronica Andrade</i>	-	<i>School Board Vice President</i>
<i>Nancy Altman</i>	-	<i>School Board Member</i>
<i>Christina Turner</i>	-	<i>City Manager</i>
<i>Dr. Carmen Garcia</i>	-	<i>MHUSD Superintendent</i>

Thursday, May 15, 2025 9:00 AM

Morgan Hill Unified School District Office, 15600 Concord Circle, Morgan Hill, CA 95037

City/School Liaison Committee meetings will be held in person with the option to attend by teleconference/video conference or in person. Information on how the public may observe and participate in the meeting is located below.

MEETING GUIDELINES AND PUBLIC COMMENT

As a courtesy, and technology permitting, members of the public may attend online. However, the City cannot guarantee that the public's access to online technology will be uninterrupted, and technical difficulties may occur from time to time. Unless required by the Ralph M. Brown Act, the meeting will continue despite technical difficulties for participants using the online option.

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- Provide public comment in-person;
- Join the virtual meeting via the link above, when public comment is opened, raise your virtual hand and be called upon to speak for up to 3 minutes - In order to speak, please be sure that your version of Zoom is up to date.
- Join the virtual meeting by calling in to the number above, dial *9 to raise your hand and be called upon to speak for up to 3 minutes
- Send public comments in writing to the City Clerk at ccpubliccomment@morganhill.ca.gov

* Please note that comments made on Facebook are not considered public comment.

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CALL TO ORDER

PUBLIC COMMENT

Members of the public are entitled to address the City/School Liaison Committee concerning any item within the committee's subject matter jurisdiction. Public comments are limited to no more than three minutes. Except for certain specific exceptions, the City/School Liaison Committee is prohibited from discussing or taking action on any item not appearing on the posted agenda.

APPROVE MINUTES

1. Approve the November 1, 2024 City/School Liaison Committee Meeting Minutes

Recommendation:

Approve minutes.

JOINT CITY OF MORGAN HILL AND MORGAN HILL UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT ITEMS

- Elevate Morgan Hill Business Support Program

CITY OF MORGAN HILL

- Healthy Neighborhoods for All
- Police Department Update
- General City Update

MORGAN HILL UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

- District Update

OTHER REPORTS/UPDATES

TOPICS FOR FUTURE MEETINGS

ADJOURNMENT

FUTURE MEETINGS

NOTICE

Any documents produced by the City and distributed to the majority of the Commission less than 72 hours prior to an open meeting, will be made available for public inspection at the City Clerk's Counter at City Hall located at 17575 Peak Avenue, Morgan Hill, CA, 95037 and at the Morgan Hill Public Library located at 660 West Main Avenue, Morgan Hill, California, 95037 during normal business hours. (Pursuant to Government Code 54957.5)

PUBLIC COMMENT

Members of the Public are entitled to directly address the Commission concerning any item that is described in the notice of this meeting, before or during consideration of that item. If you wish to address the Council on any issue that is on this agenda, please complete a speaker request card located in the foyer of the Council Chambers and deliver it to the Minutes Clerk prior to discussion of the item. You are not required to give your name on the speaker card in order to speak to the Council, but it is very helpful. When you are called, proceed to the podium and the Mayor will recognize you. If you wish to address the Commission on any other item of interest to the public, you may do so during the public comment portion of the meeting following the same procedure described above. Please limit your comments to three (3) minutes or less.

Please submit written correspondence to the Minutes Clerk, who will distribute correspondence to the Commission.

Persons interested in proposing an item for the Commission agenda should contact a member of the Commission who may plan an item on the agenda for a future Commission meeting. Should your comments require Council action, your request may be placed on the next appropriate agenda. Council discussion or action may not be taken until your item appears on an agenda. This procedure is in compliance with the California Public Meeting Law (Brown Act) Government Code §54950.

City Council Policies and Procedures (CP 03-01) outlines the procedure for the conduct of public hearings. Notice is given, pursuant to Government Code Section 65009, that any challenge of Public Hearing Agenda items in court, may be limited to raising only those issues raised by you or on your behalf at the Public Hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Commission at, or prior to the Public Hearing on these matters.

The time within which judicial review must be sought of the action by the Commission, which acted upon any matter appearing on this agenda is governed by the provisions of Section 1094.6 of the California Code of Civil Procedure.

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CITY / SCHOOL LIAISON MEETING MINUTES

November 01, 2024
8:30 AM
Morgan Hill City Hall
Grand Conference Room

Committee Members

Adam Escoto - Board President
Dr. Iván Rosales Montes - Trustee
Mark Turner - Mayor
Yvonne Martínez Beltrán - Council Member

Staff Members

Christina Turner - City Manager
Dr. Carmen García - Superintendent
Shane Palsgrove - Police Chief
Diana Tavares - Asst. Supt, Human Resources
Edith Ramirez – Asst. City Manager
Dr. Diana Jimenez – Asst. Supt, Educational Services
Kolvira Chheng, Assistant Superintendent
Chris Ghione – Asst. City Manager

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 8:32 AM

PUBLIC COMMENT / COMMUNICATION

Community member announced Poppy Jasper festival wanting to connect with the local classes, immerse students in the festival, has a radio station and working with Gav.

APPROVE MINUTES FROM THE MEETING OF JUNE 14, 2024

Motion Passed: Passed with a motion by Mayor Turner and a second by President Escoto.

Adam Escoto - Yes

Dr. Iván Rosales Montes - Yes

Mark Turner – Yes

Yvonne Martinez Beltran - Yes

CITY OF MORGAN HILL

Police Department Update

Police Chief Palsgrove provided an update including school call outs, youth diversion success, and SRO training. **General City Update**

City Manager Turner reported on the weekly City Newsletter, working with Chamber on job fair and work with District, CURA opening November 16, new park awarded with BMX course, Hale between Main and Wright construction, and transportation master plan draft.

Discussions included how long the road closure projects will take.

MORGAN HILL UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

District Update

November 01, 2024

CITY / SCHOOL LIAISON MEETING MINUTES

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[Superintendent Dr. Carmen García provided an update from Morgan Hill Unified School District.](#)

JOINT CITY OF MORGAN HILL AND MORGAN HILL UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Assistant City Manager Edith Ramirez updated the Committee on the Arts Program and in lieu fee and collaborating with the school district.

Ramirez presented next steps with the Economic Mobility Symposium and strategies for resources, specifically our unhoused community, community belonging, training and career opportunities.

Committee discussions included collaboration with communication efforts, engaging site liaisons, timeline for the action items, metrics, and pathway for integration.

OTHER REPORTS/UPDATES

None.

FUTURE MEETINGS

TBD

TOPICS FOR FUTURE MEETINGS

None

ADJOURN

The meeting was adjourned at 9:35 AM



City/School Liaison Meeting

Elevate Morgan Hill Business Support Program

Thursday, May 15, 2025



Elevate! Morgan Hill

Strategy 2A: Increase Access to Education, Training and Employment

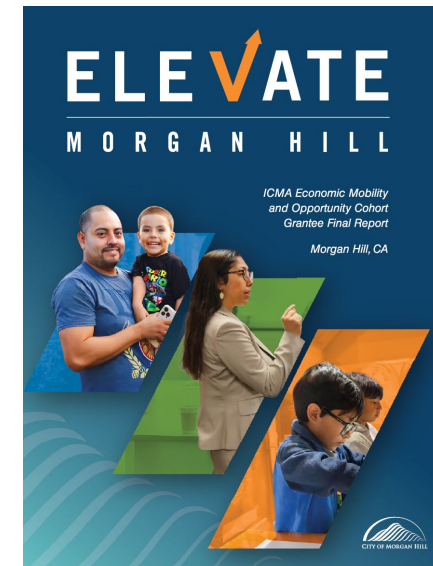
- Collaborate with partners on economic mobility strategies
- Connect Spanish-speakers and day workers to education, resources, training, and job opportunities

Strategy 2B: Promote Entrepreneurship

- Expand business training programs such as “Fundamentos de Negocios”
- Implement an education campaign for Microenterprise Home Kitchen Operations (MEHKO)
- Encourage development of home-based daycare centers
- Offer business services and development service resources in Spanish

Strategy 2C: Expand Employment Opportunities Locally

- Capitalize on Morgan Hill Unified School District Adult School Program to provide training and career resources



Program Overview

ECONOMIC MOBILITY
ADVANCEMENT CENTER

FREE Classes, Workshops,
and 1:1 Consulting

Services in English and
Spanish

In Partnership with REC
and MHUSD



Are you thinking about starting a business?



The City of Morgan Hill is excited to launch a series of **FREE** business classes, workshops, and consulting services in **English and Spanish** to support future and existing small business owners.

Launch or expand your business today!

FREE SERVICES INCLUDE:

- Small Business Intensive Training Courses
- Customized One-on-One Consulting
- Industry-Specific Workshops
- 10-Week Entrepreneurship Cohorts (First Spanish Cohort Starts June 5)

Open House
May 29 | 6-8pm
Morgan Hill
Adult School



Contact Us

www.elevatemorganhill.com
Elvie Rojas - (408) 256-2559
scc@rencenter.org

Business services provided in partnership with the Renaissance Entrepreneurship Center



¿Estas pensando en iniciar un negocio?



Ciudad de Morgan Hill se complace en lanzar una serie de clases de negocios, talleres y servicios de consultoría **GRATUITOS** en **inglés y español** para apoyar a los propietarios de pequeñas empresas actuales y futuros.

¡Lanza o expande tu negocio hoy!

LOS SERVICIOS GRATUITOS INCLUYEN:

- Cursos de formación para pequeñas empresas
- Consultoría personalizada
- Talleres específicos de la industria
- Grupos de emprendimiento de 10 semanas (La primera clase en español comienza el 5 de junio)

Noche de Información
29 de mayo | 6-8pm
Escuela de Adultos
Morgan Hill



Contáctenos

www.elevatemorganhill.com
Elvie Rojas - (408) 256-2559
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Servicios empresariales prestados en colaboración con el Renaissance Entrepreneurship Center



Program Details

Launch Party!!
Thursday, May
29 at 6 PM

Business Classes



Four and 10-week courses covering business planning, marketing, finance, and operations. These business intensive cohort classes will take place Summer and Fall 2025 and Spring 2026

Thursdays, 6pm-8pm, Starting June 5th in Spanish

Workshops



Topics include permits and licensing, branding, capital access, HR, marketing, MEHKO rules, technology, childcare, business formation for Individuals with ITINs and more

Bi-monthly, Starting June 11th

One-on-One Consulting:



Virtual and in-person sessions offering tailored guidance to emerging and established entrepreneurs

Tuesdays, 3pm-7pm, Starting on May 13th

Outreach Plan

In-person:

Tabling at community events, career fairs, Sunday Service, distribution to existing small business owners, presentations to parents and Adult School students as available

Print:

Morgan Hill Times, May water bill, direct mail postcard to more than 3,000 predominantly Hispanic residential addresses

Digital:

Elevatemorganhill.com website page, Choose Morgan Hill Facebook and Instagram page, TELEMUNDO feature, Quick 5 Podcast, notice to all existing business license holders, apartment complexes, Spanish eNewsletter, City 411

Partners/Collaborators:

Santa Clara County, Morgan Hill Chamber of Commerce, Gavilan College, South County non-profit organizations, churches, schools



Questions?



Healthy Neighborhoods for All

City/School Liaison Committee
May 15, 2025



Why are we doing this?

Senate Bill 1000 (Environmental Justice)

- Address pollution and other hazards disproportionately impacting low-income communities and communities of color
- Identify “disadvantaged communities” (*Opportunity Neighborhoods*)
- Must address 8 different topics:
 - Reduce pollution exposure
 - Promote public facilities
 - Promote food access
 - Promote safe and sanitary homes
 - Promote physical activity
 - Reduce unique or compounded health risks
 - Promote civic engagement
 - Prioritize the needs of “disadvantaged communities”

Improving Neighborhoods

Increase

- Safe building conditions
- Access to grocery stores and parks
- Participation in local government

Enhance

- Air quality
- Healthier communities
- Well-being for all

Address

- Neighborhoods lacking resources
- Needs identified by neighborhoods



Healthy Neighborhoods for All

What is Healthy Neighborhoods for All?

- A **plan** to ensure **everyone** has the right to **clean air, water, and a healthy environment**
- No group of people should have more pollution risk than others
- **Communities** should **have a say** in making their neighborhoods better
- This plan will be part of the future for Morgan Hill (2035 General Plan)

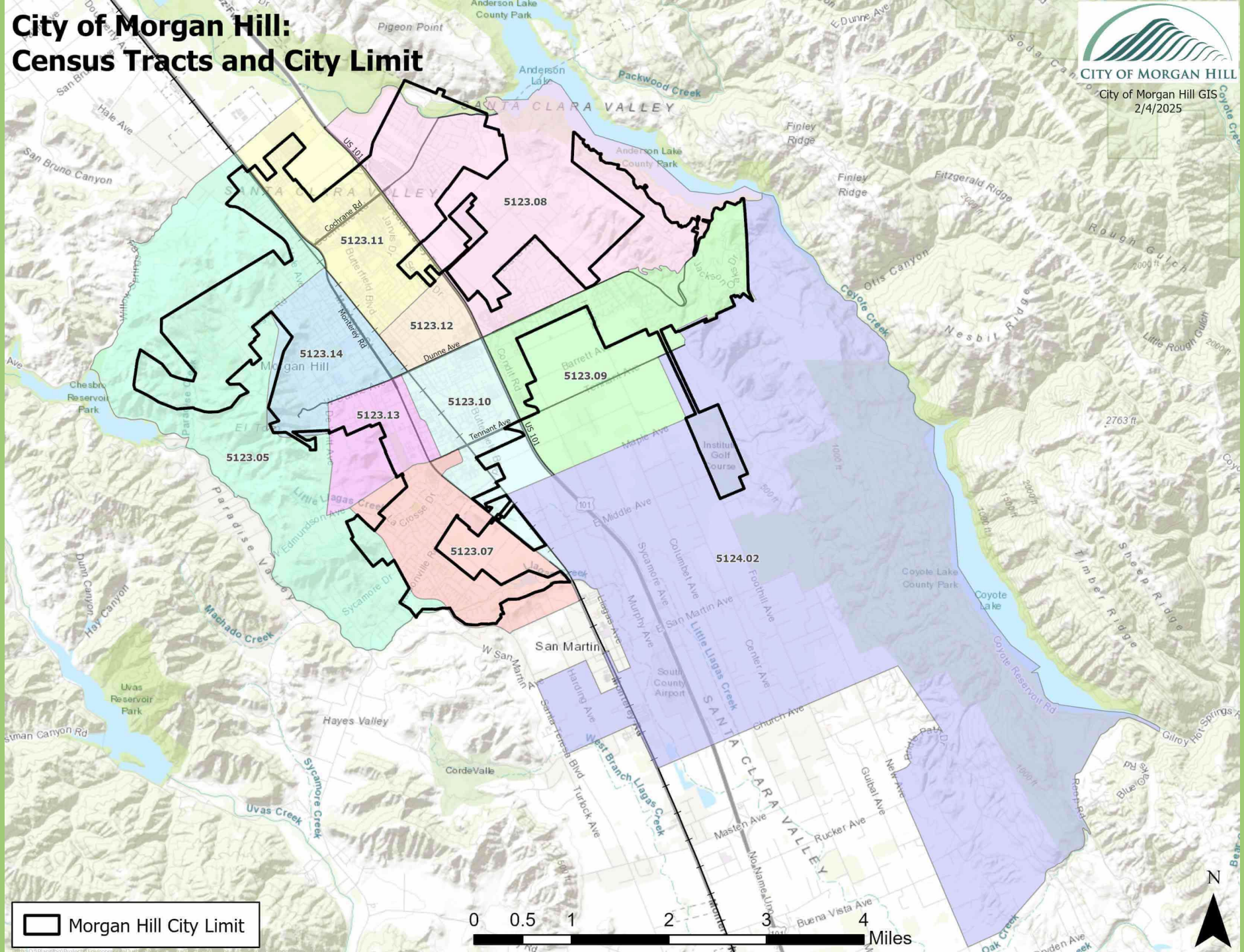


HEALTHY Neighborhoods For All

Background Review Report
March 2025



City of Morgan Hill: Census Tracts and City Limit

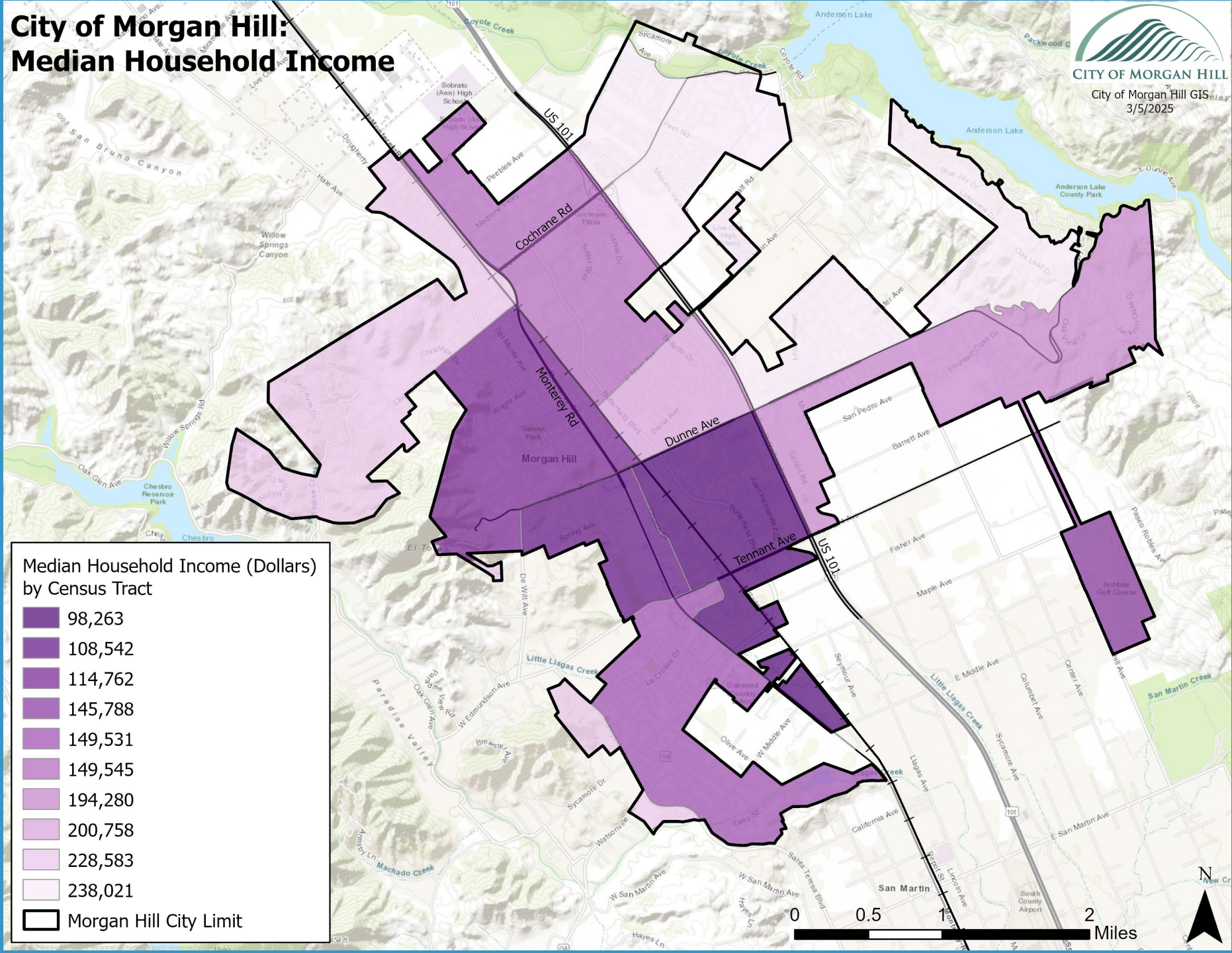


□ Morgan Hill City Limit

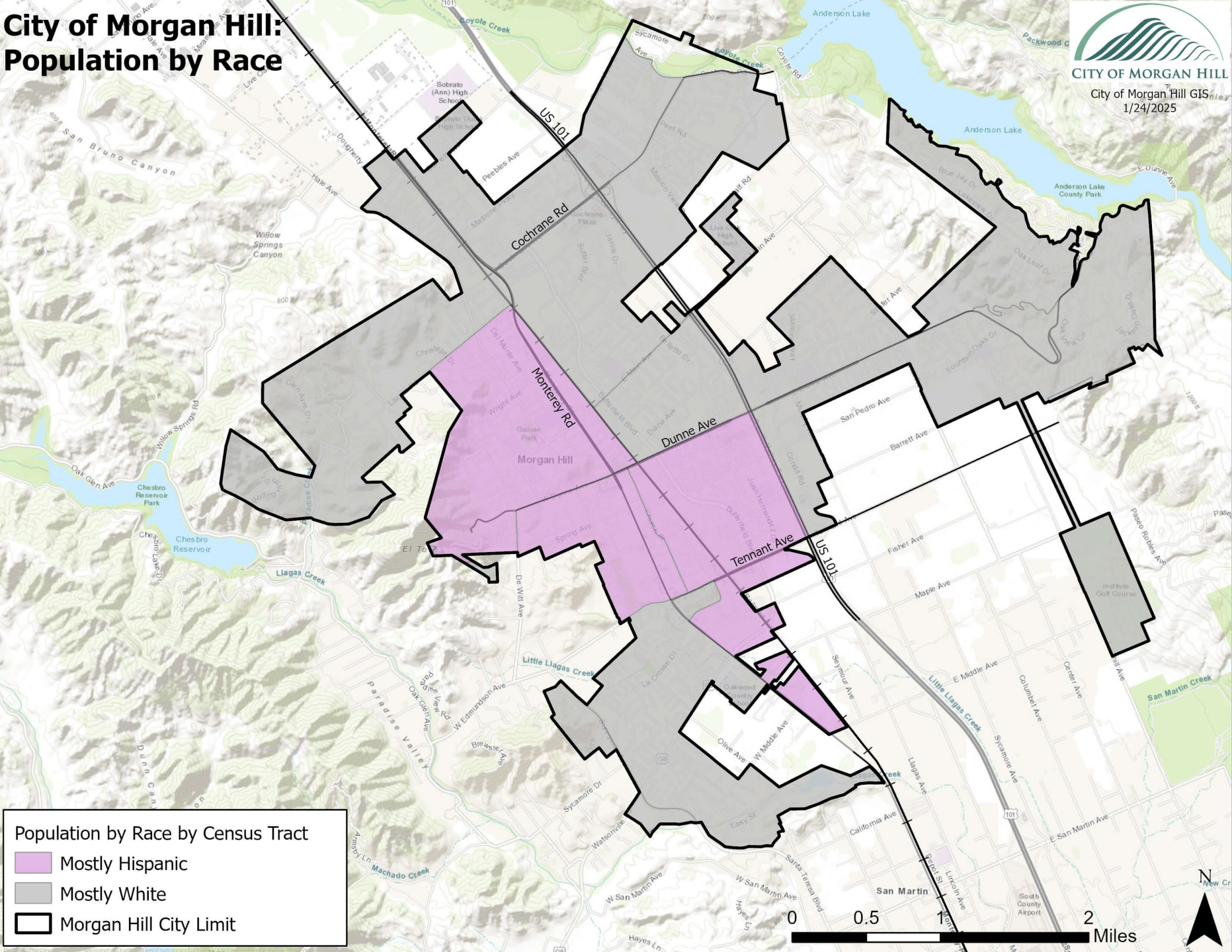
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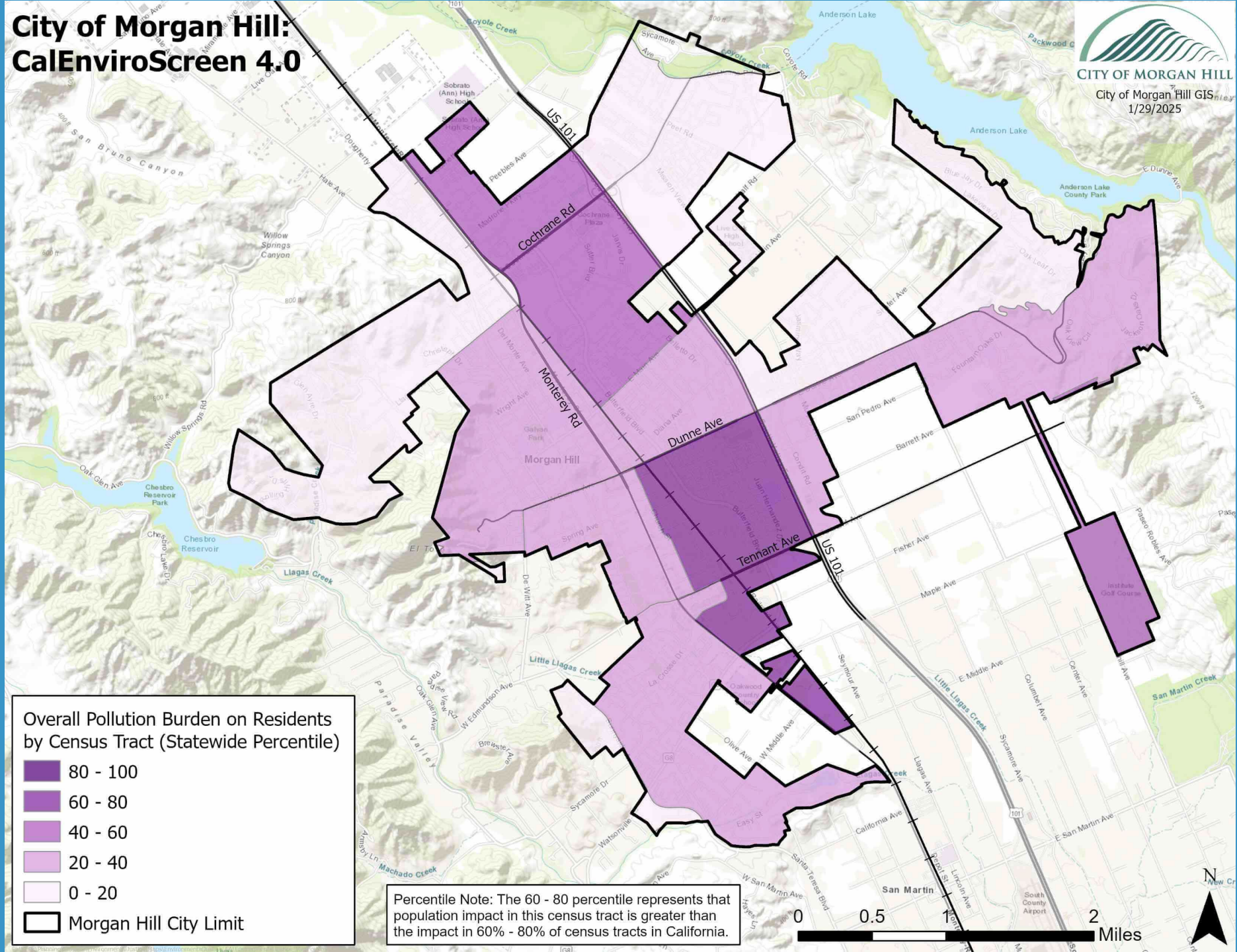
City of Morgan Hill: Median Household Income



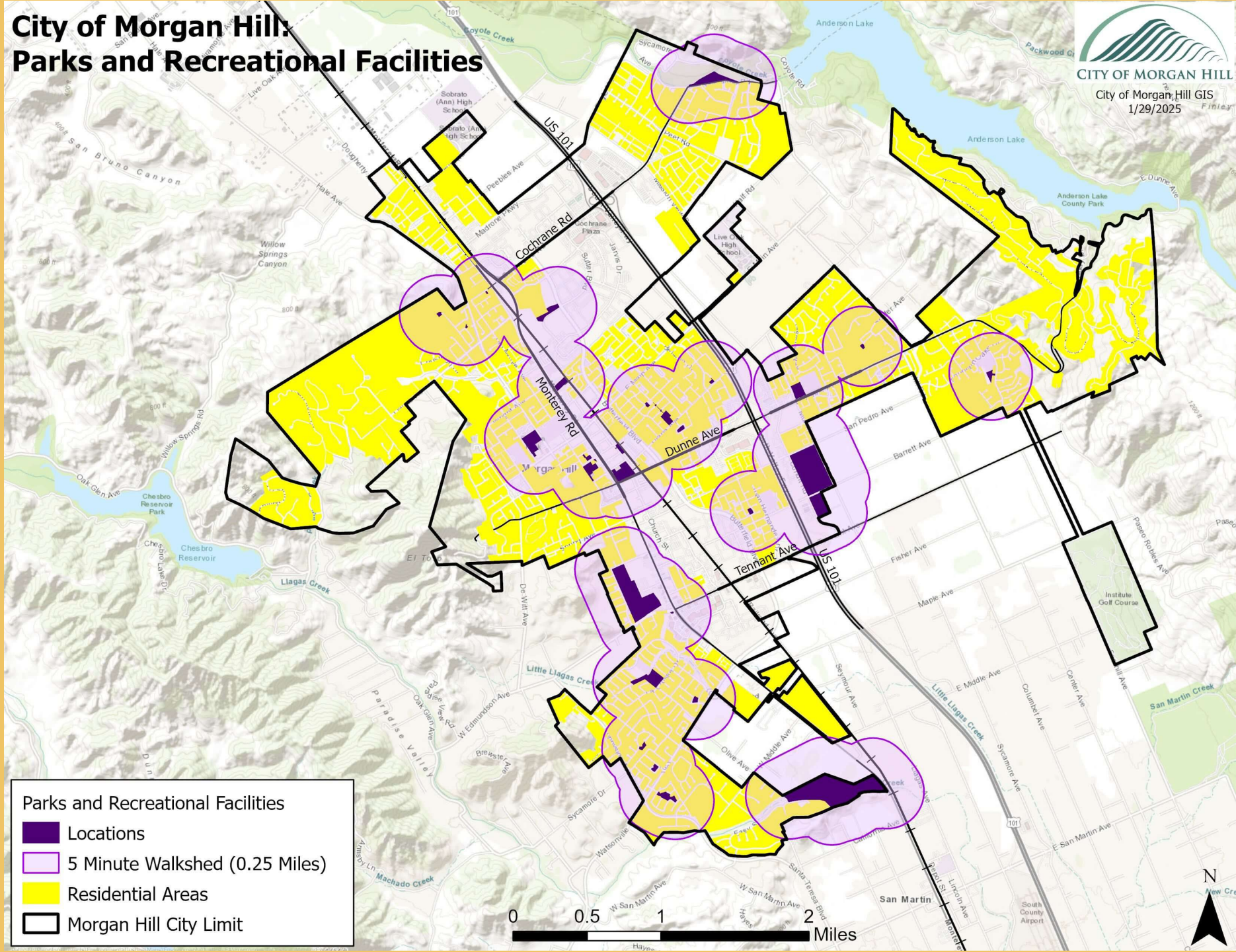
City of Morgan Hill: Population by Race



City of Morgan Hill: CalEnviroScreen 4.0



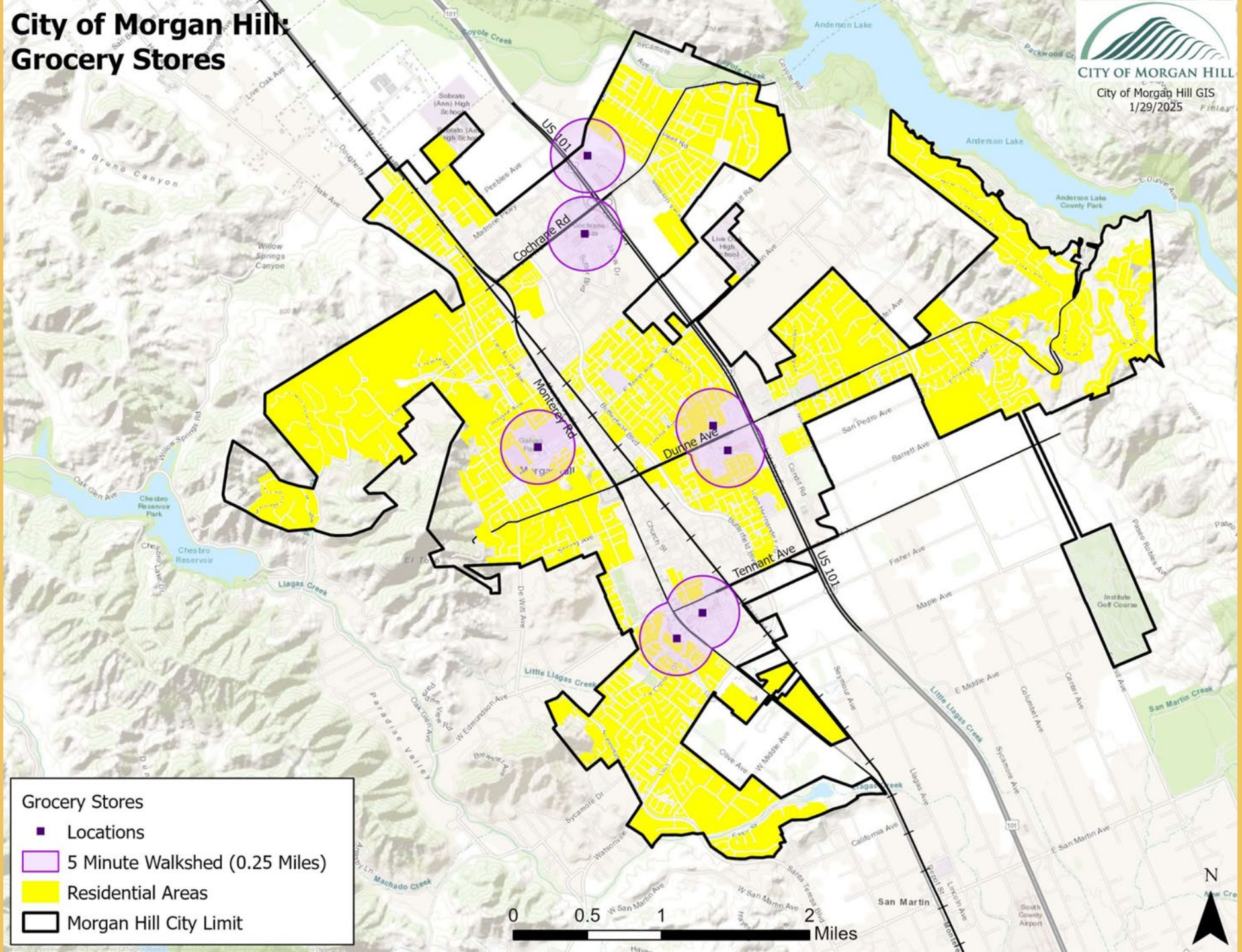
City of Morgan Hill: Parks and Recreational Facilities



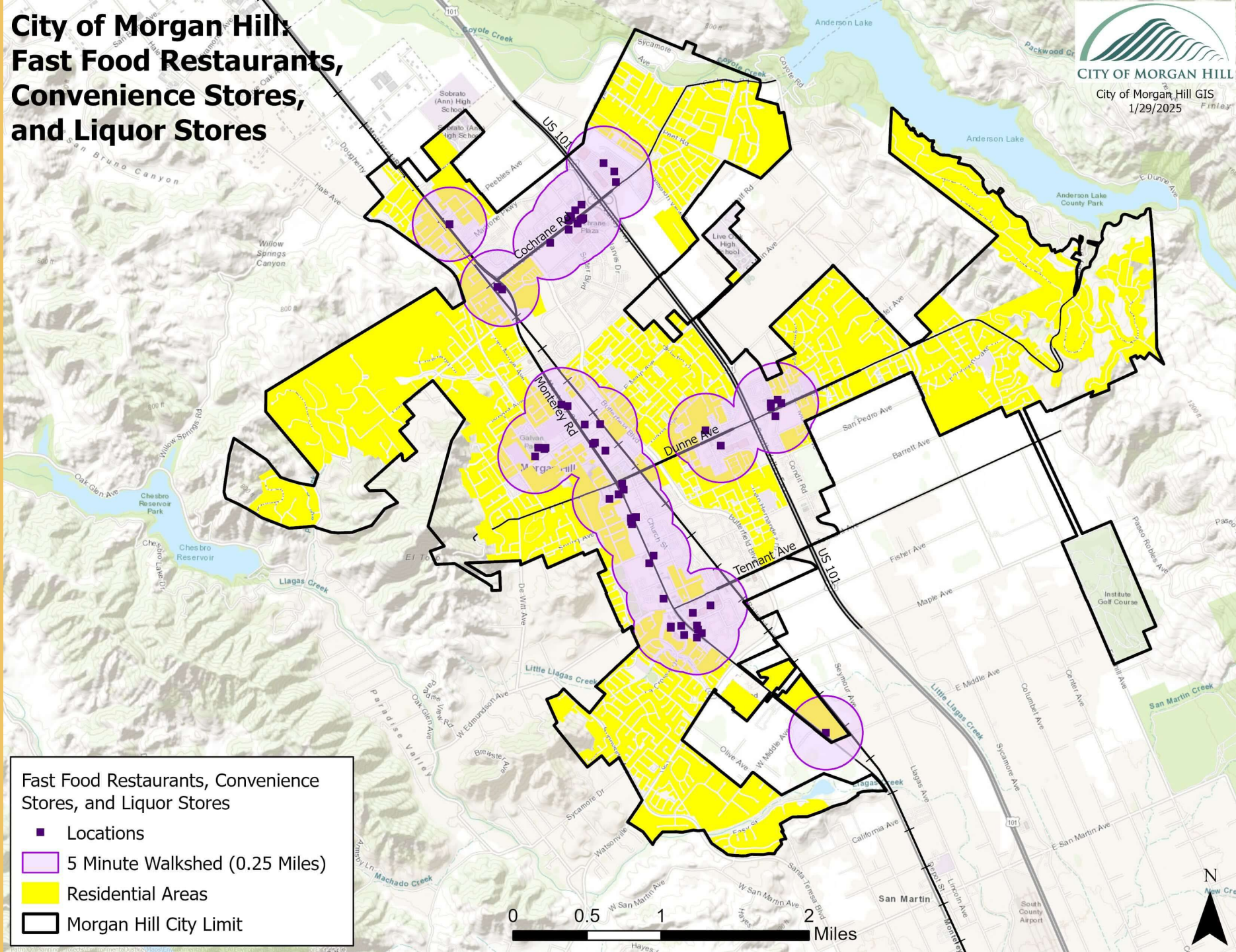
Parks and Recreational Facilities

-  Locations
-  5 Minute Walkshed (0.25 Miles)
-  Residential Areas
-  Morgan Hill City Limit

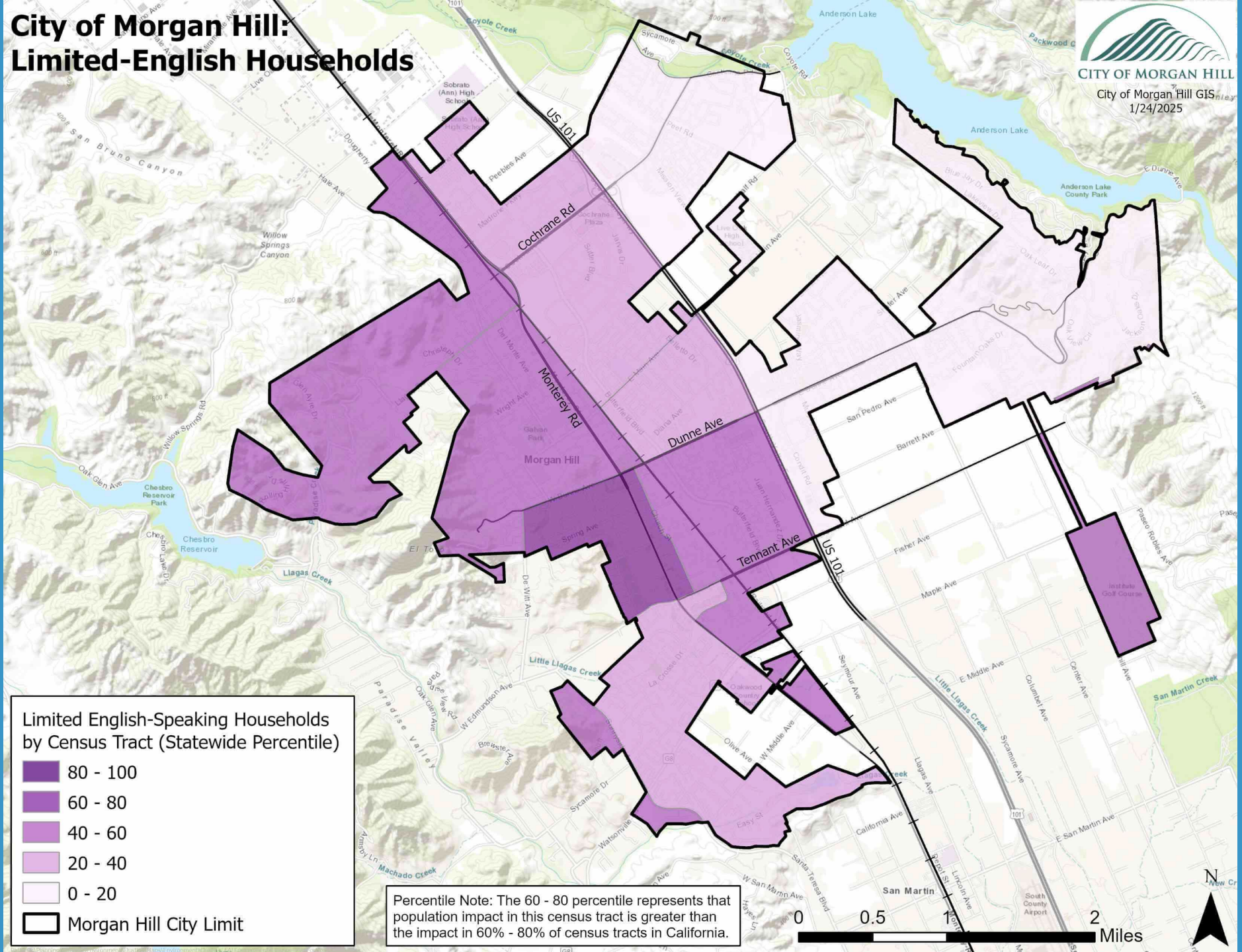
City of Morgan Hill: Grocery Stores



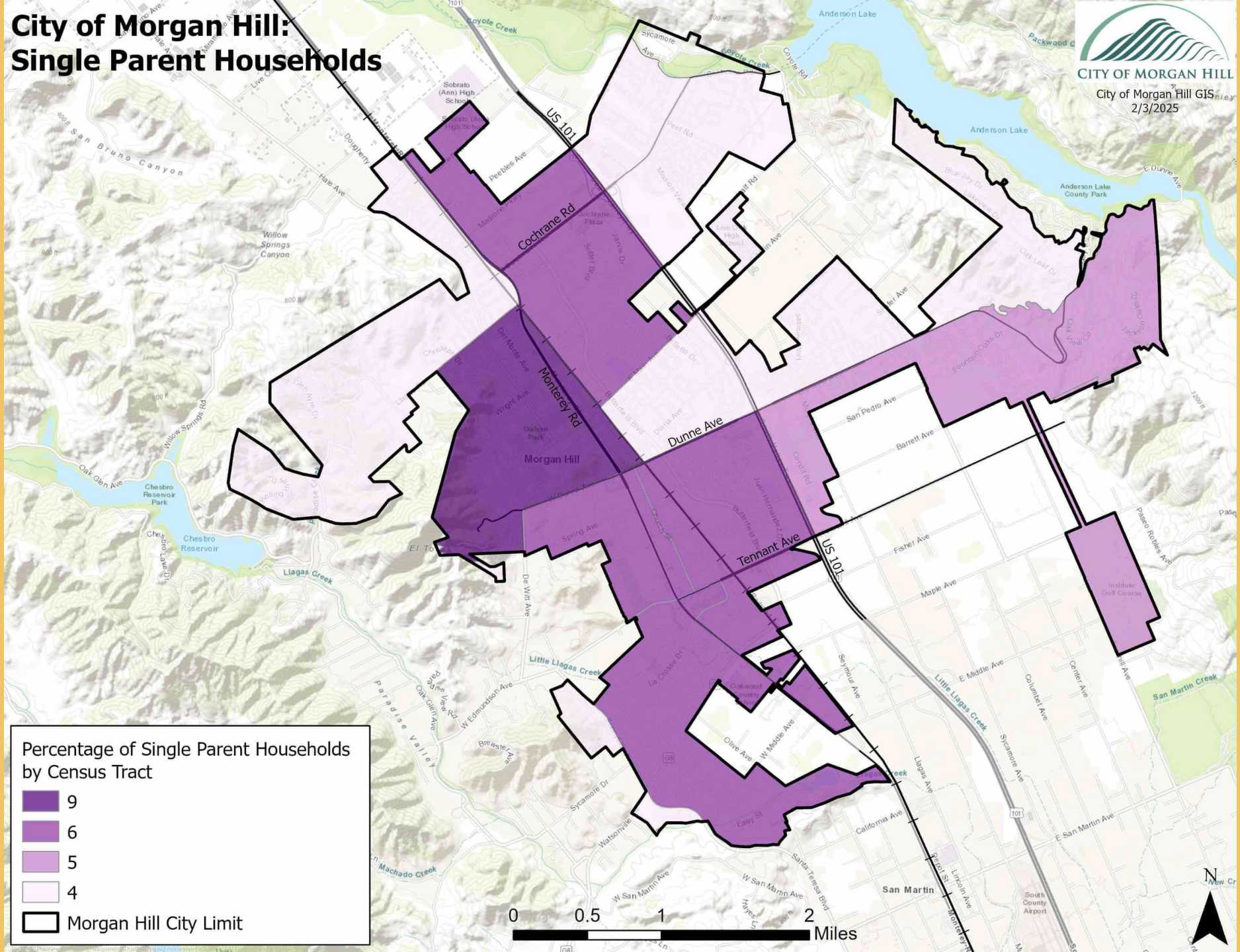
City of Morgan Hill: Fast Food Restaurants, Convenience Stores, and Liquor Stores



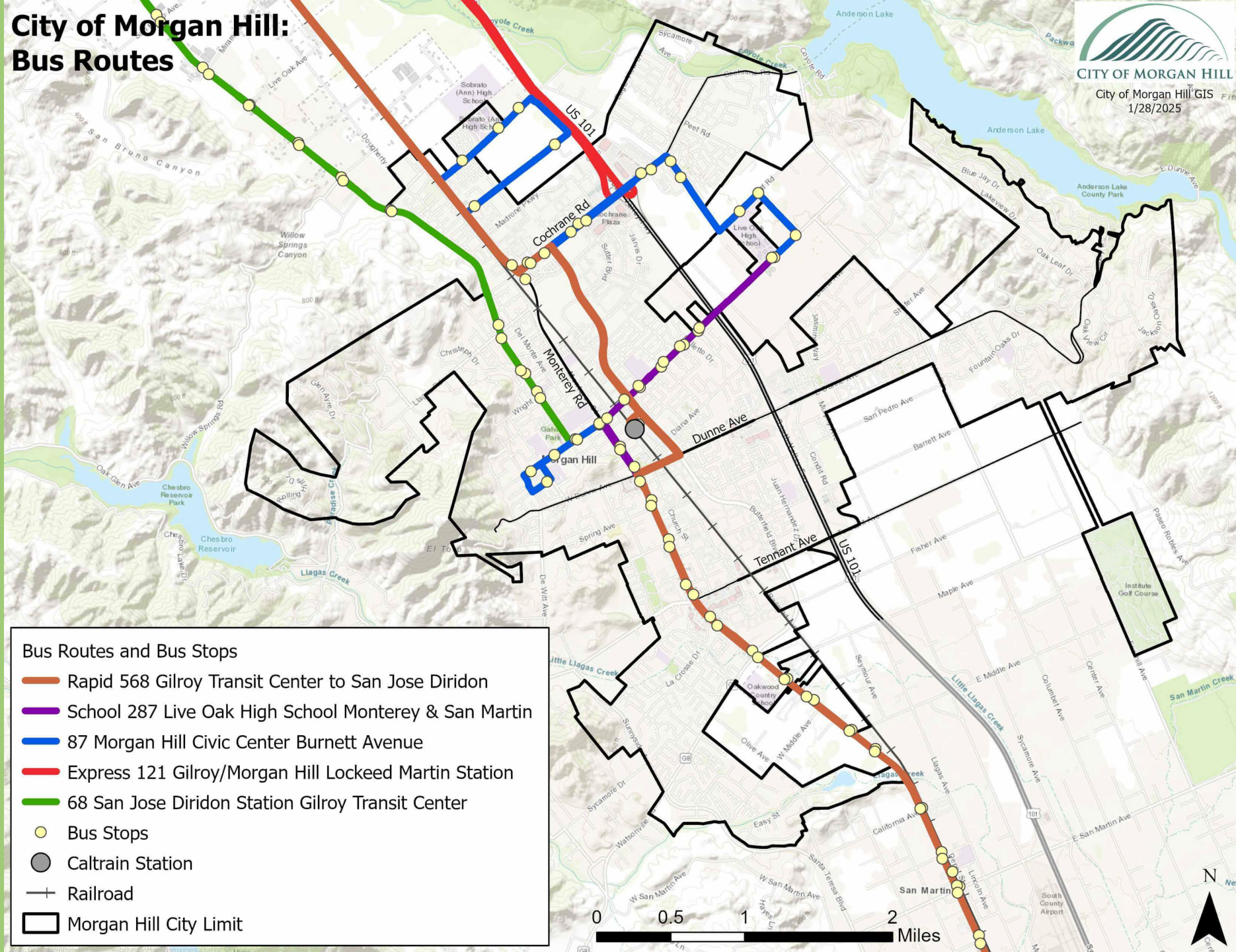
City of Morgan Hill: Limited-English Households



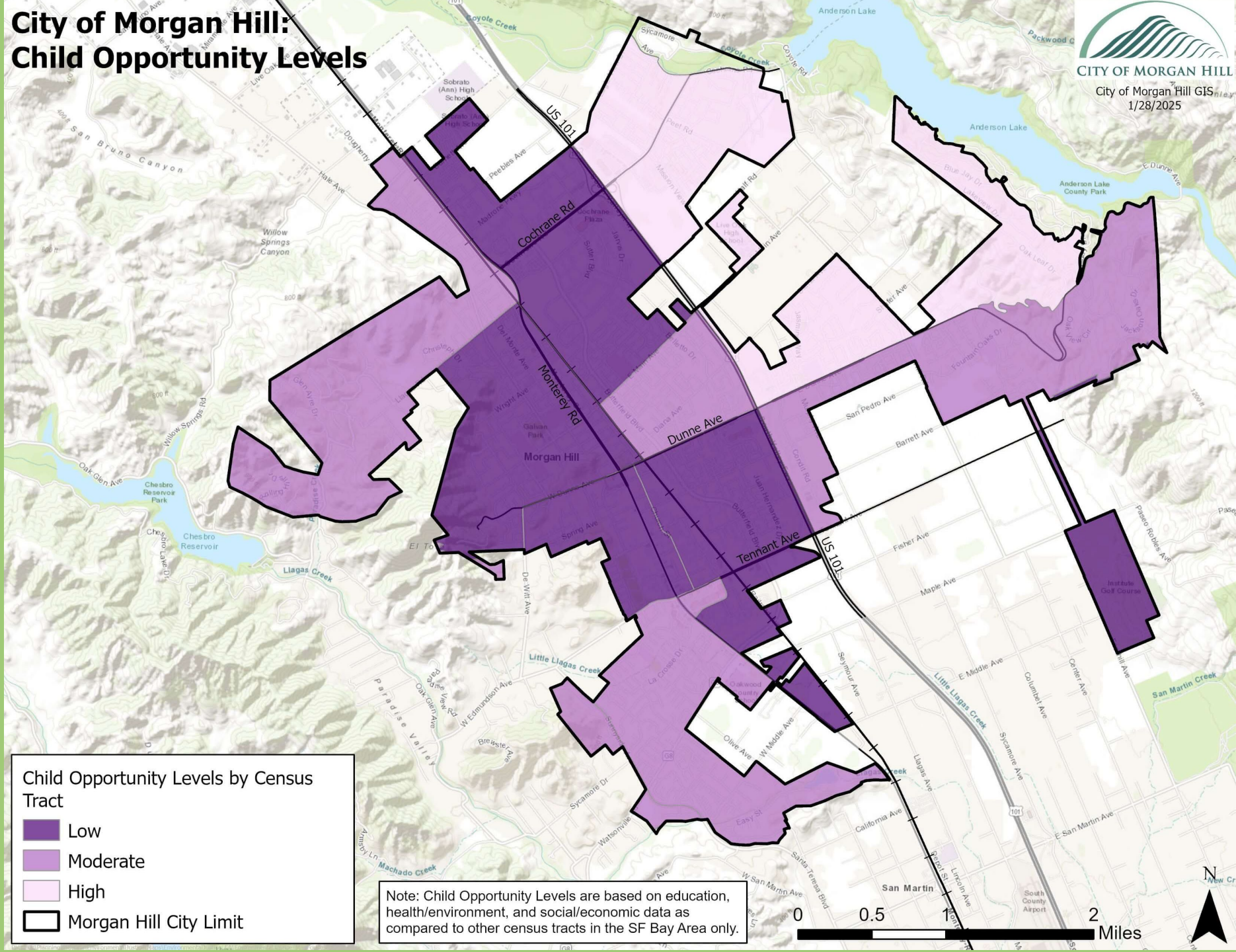
City of Morgan Hill: Single Parent Households



City of Morgan Hill: Bus Routes



City of Morgan Hill: Child Opportunity Levels



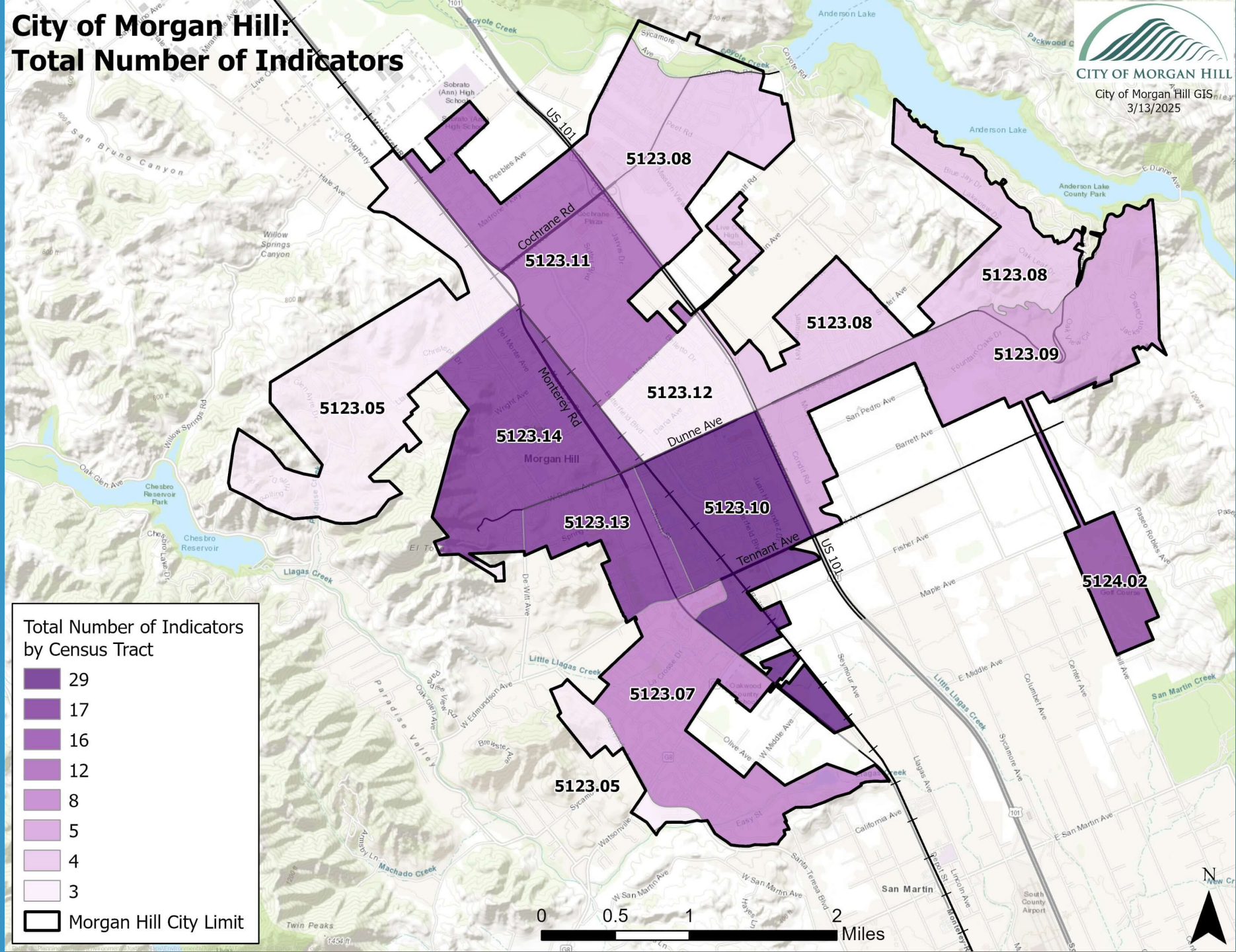
Opportunity Neighborhoods

Indicators by Census Tract



Indicators by Census Tract	5123.05	5123.07	5123.08	5123.09	5123.10	5123.11	5123.12	5123.13	5123.14	5124.02
Low Income					X			X	X	
Income Inequality					X	X				X
Mostly Hispanic					X			X	X	
Low Child Opportunity Levels					X	X		X	X	X
Low Education Attainment					X	X		X	X	X
Lower Life Expectancy					X	X			X	
Lead Risk								X	X	X
Asthma		X			X		X	X		
Diabetes		X			X					X
Stroke		X			X					X
Heart Disease		X		X	X					X
Obesity		X			X			X	X	X
Teeth Lost		X			X			X	X	
Population who Smokes		X			X			X	X	X
Poor Health					X			X	X	X
Lack of Health Insurance					X			X	X	X
Low Health Visits					X			X	X	
Diesel Particulate Matter					X	X	X			
Traffic Density			X	X		X	X			
Groundwater Threats					X					
Impaired Water Bodies	X									X
Hazardous Waste Facilities					X	X				
Cleanup & Solid Waste Sites					X	X				X
Pesticide Use			X	X		X				X
Lack of Parks/Facilities	X		X	X	X					
Unhealthy Food Options					X	X		X	X	
Food Stamp Assistance					X			X		X
Housing Cost Burden					X					
Substandard Housing					X	X		X	X	
Barriers to Engagement					X			X	X	X
Lack of Digital Access					X				X	
Flood Zones		X			X			X	X	
Fire Hazard	X		X	X						
Lack of Tree Canopy					X	X				
TOTAL INDICATORS	3	8	4	5	29	12	3	17	17	16

City of Morgan Hill: Total Number of Indicators



Community Outreach

Targeted Audience



Residents living within the most impacted census tracts/neighborhoods



Residents in affordable housing developments



Local community leaders, churches, and nonprofits



Local businesses with a significant Hispanic workforce

Schools and parent groups



Timeline

Phase	Timeframe	Focus
Phase 1: Listening & Learning	Feb – April 2025	Gather community input via surveys, meetings, and outreach events. Identify key issues.
Phase 2: Visioning & Engagement	May – June 2025	Host community discussions, pop-up events, and outreach activities to refine priorities.
Phase 3: Draft Plan & Public Review	July 2025 – Oct 2025	Present findings, gather feedback on proposed actions, and finalize recommendations.



Questions?