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EDUCATION

5%

No High School
Diploma



18%

High School Graduate



22%

Some College



55%

Bachelor's/Grad/Prof Degree

KEY FACTS

73,806

Population

40.2

Median Age



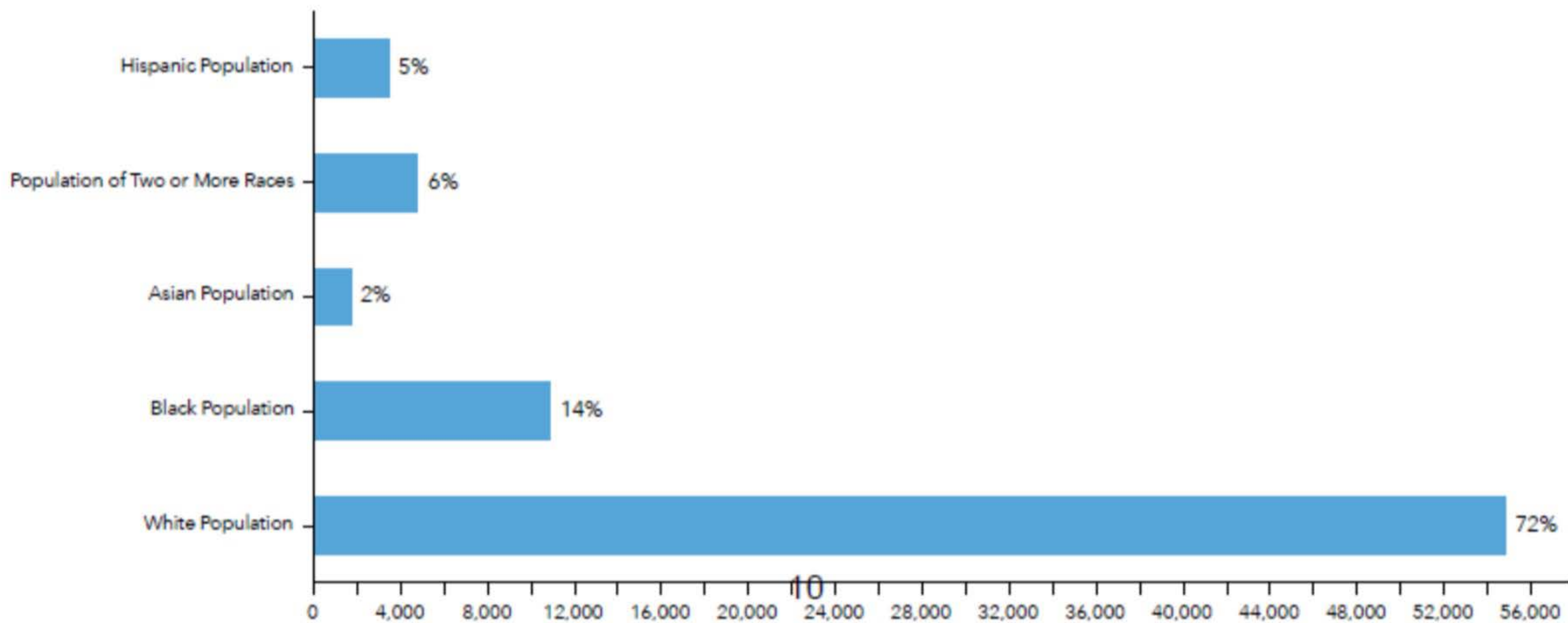
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Average
Household
Size

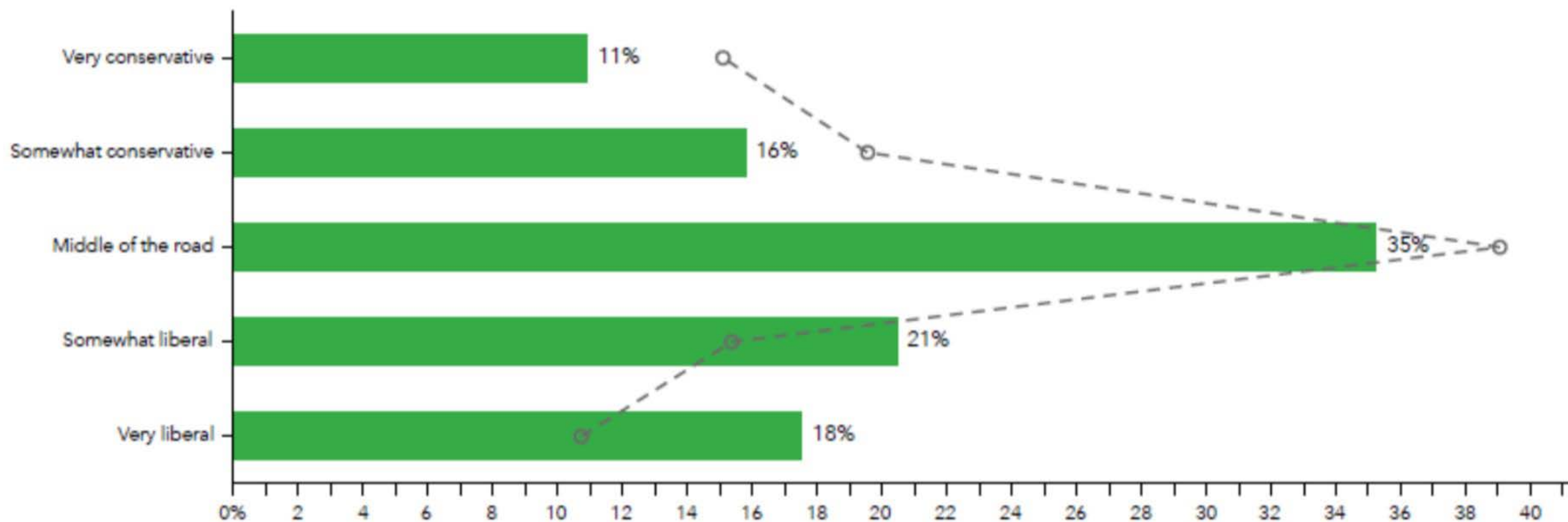
\$63,117

Median
Household
Income

CURRENT POPULATION BY RACE



SELF-REPORTED POLITICAL LEANING (vs NATIONAL AVERAGE)



Dots show comparison to **United States**

HOUSEHOLDS WITH PETS



29%

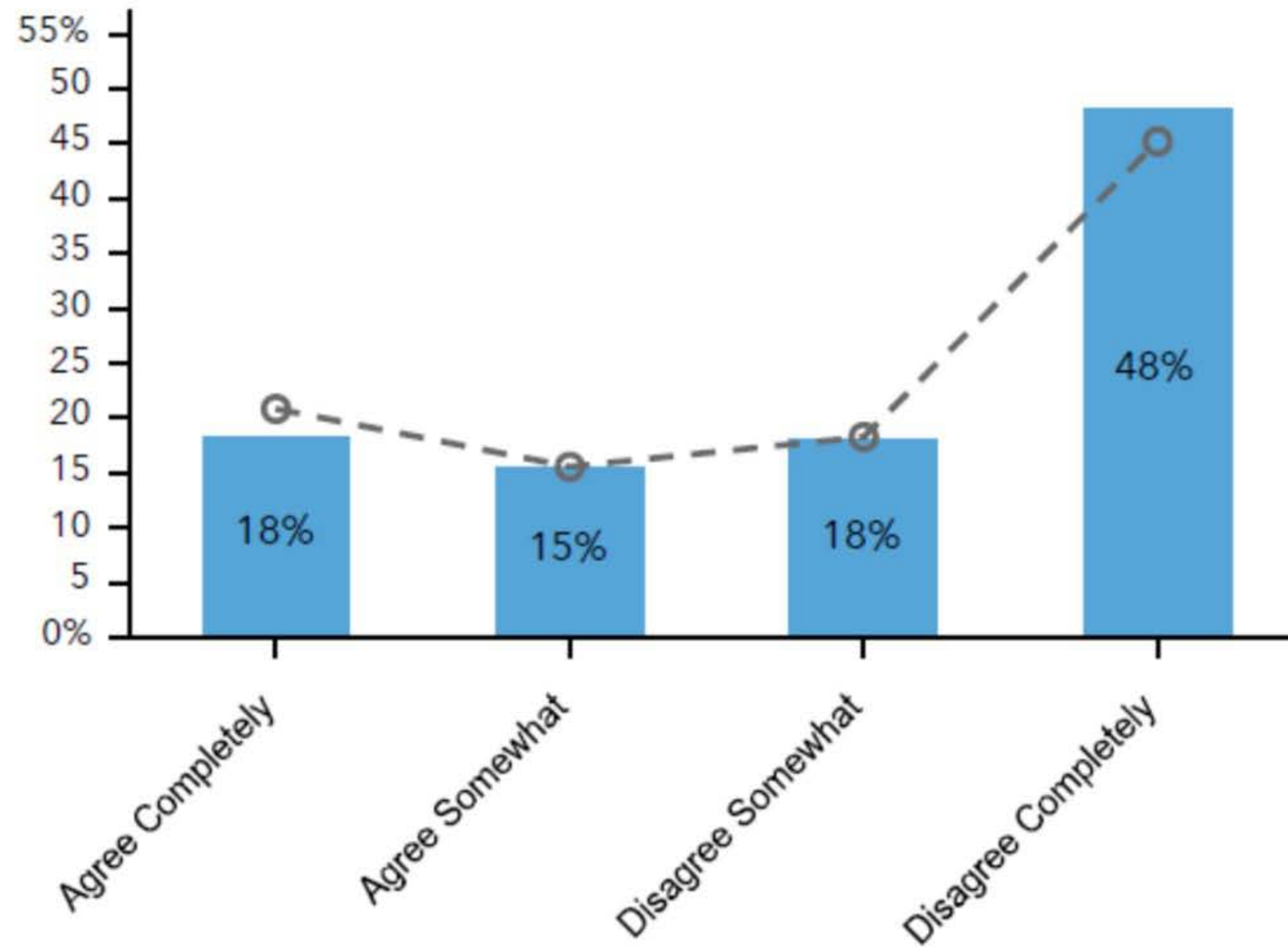
Owns a Dog



22%

Owns a Cat

DO YOU ATTEND RELIGIOUS SERVICES REGULARLY? (vs NATIONAL AVERAGE)



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For the 'Ville

The unchanging truth of God for the
ever-changing needs of our city.

Sermon: "A City Divided"

1. The Division of Our City
2. The Vision of Our Church

Wall #1 - Partisan Politics

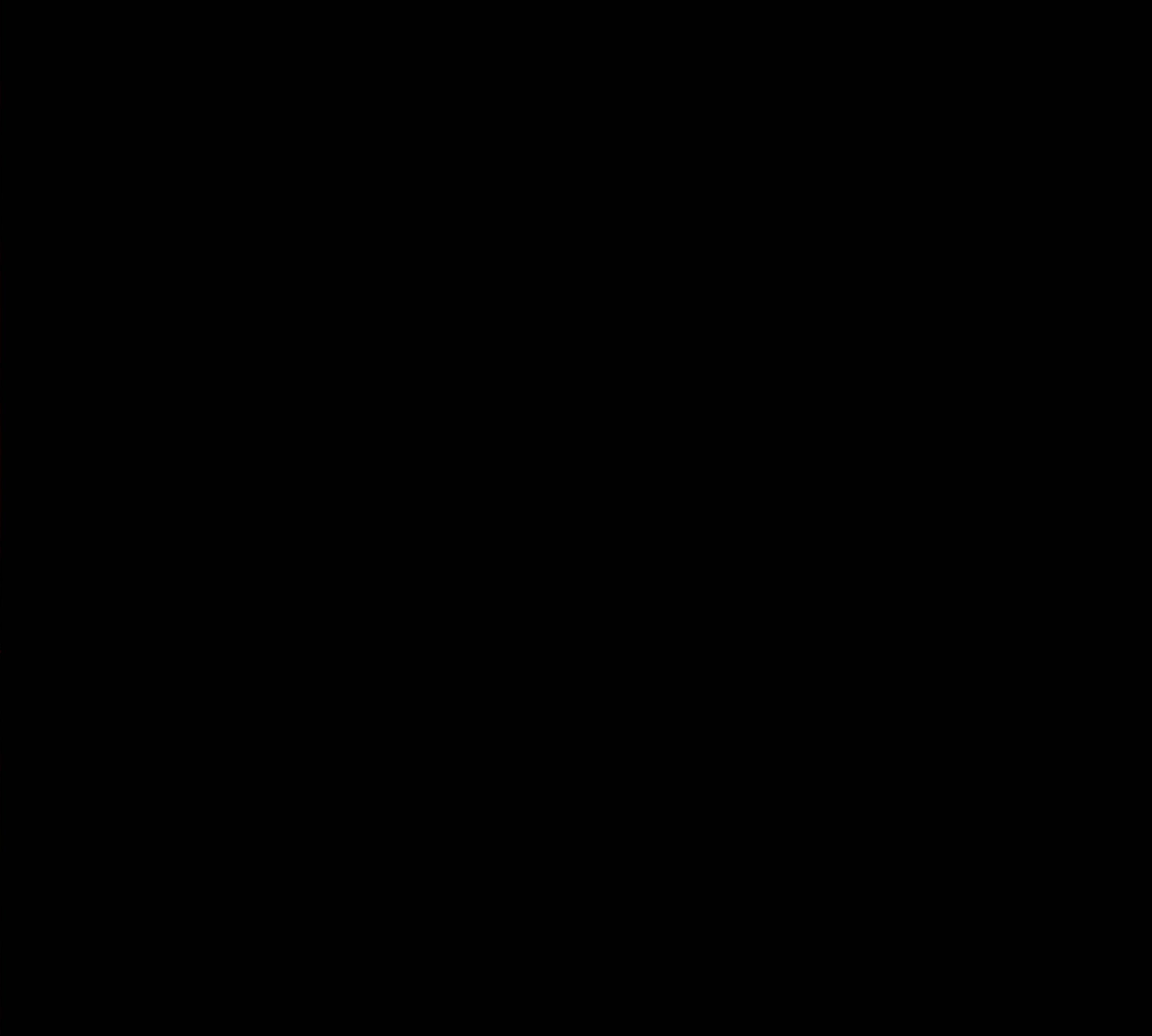
Governor	Years in Office	Party
Julian Carroll	1974-1979	 Democrat
John Y. Brown Jr.	1979-1983	 Democrat
Martha Layne Collins	1983-1987	 Democrat
Wallace Wilkinson	1987-1991	 Democrat
Brereton C. Jones	1991-1995	 Democrat
Paul Patton	1995-2003	 Democrat
Ernie Fletcher	2003-2007	 Republican
Steve Beshear	2007-2015	 Democrat
Matt Bevin	2015-2019	 Republican
Andy Beshear	2019-present	 Democrat

Election	Democratic Nominee	Republican Nominee	KY Winner	R %	D%
2012	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	 R	60.5%	37.8%
2016	Hilary Clinton	Donald Trump	 R	62.5%	32.7%
2020	Joe Biden	Donald Trump	 R	62.1%	36.1%
2024	Kamala Harris	Donald Trump	 R	64.4%	33.9%

County	Harris %	Trump %	Margin of Victory
Jefferson	57.4%	40.9%	Harris 16.5%
Oldham	37.7%	60.3%	Trump 22.6%
Shelby	31.8%	66.4%	Trump 34.6%
Henry	23.0%	75.5%	Trump 52.5%

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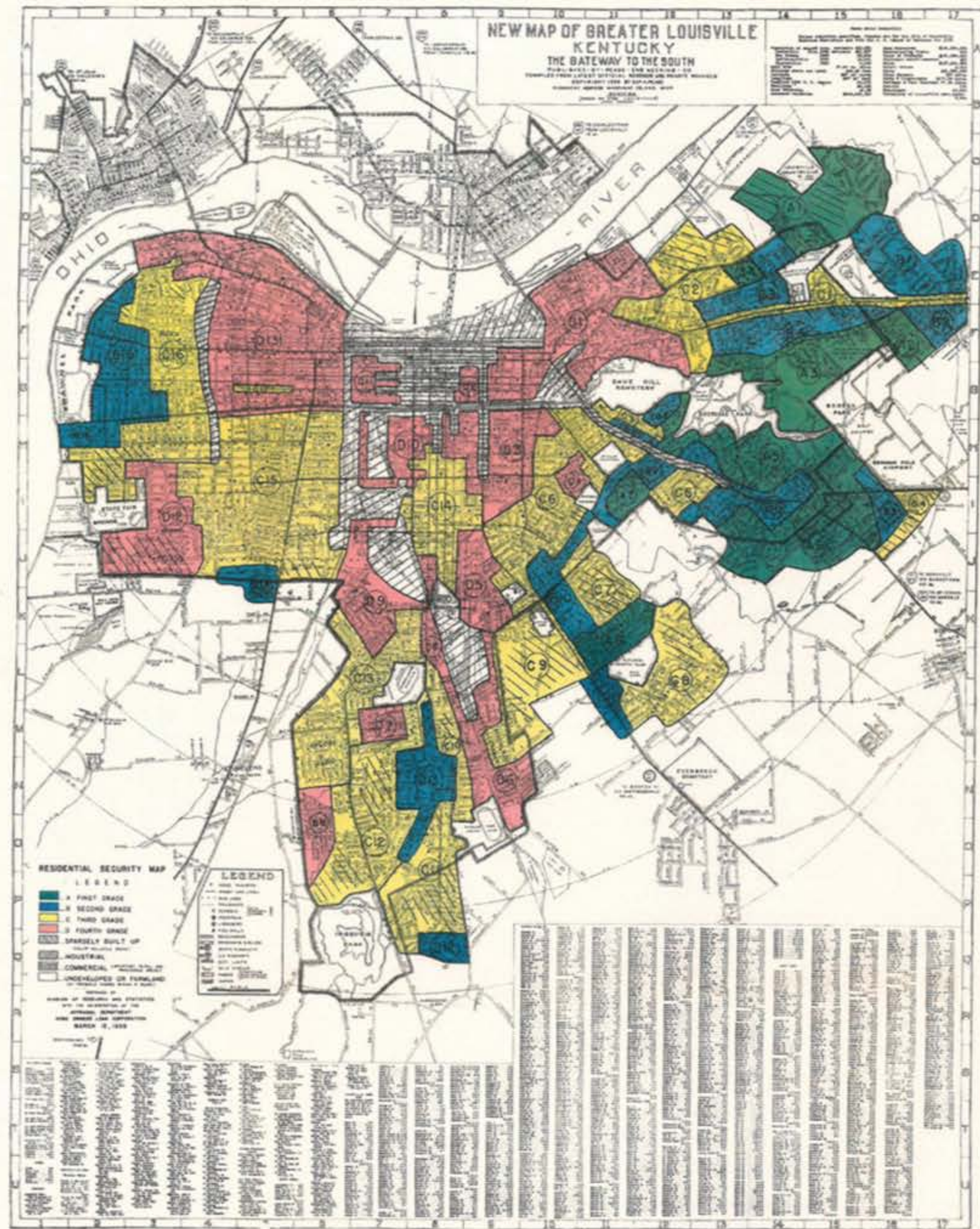




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Wall #4 - Neighborhood Culture



The Bible's primary models for community describe unity that becomes richer through interdependent diversity.

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Christian Essentials from Ephesians 4

One God – Believing that
God exists.

One Lord – Submitting to
Jesus as King.

One Spirit – Relying on the
saving, sanctifying,
sustaining Spirit.

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One Faith – Believing in the
gospel.

One Baptism – Identifying with
the death and resurrection.

One Body – Committing to the
people and mission of the church.

One Hope – Persevering in
expectation of resurrection.

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