

# Municipal Planning Area Socioeconomic Profile Queen Creek, Arizona

June 2013

# MAG Regional Profile

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## INTRODUCTION

The Maricopa Association of Governments (MAG) is the designated Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for transportation planning for the Maricopa region. MAG is also the designated Air Quality Planning Agency for the region. The MAG membership consists of the 25 incorporated cities and towns within Maricopa County, the Gila River Indian Community, the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community, Fort McDowell Yavapai Nation, Maricopa County, the Arizona Department of Transportation and the Citizens Transportation Oversight Committee.

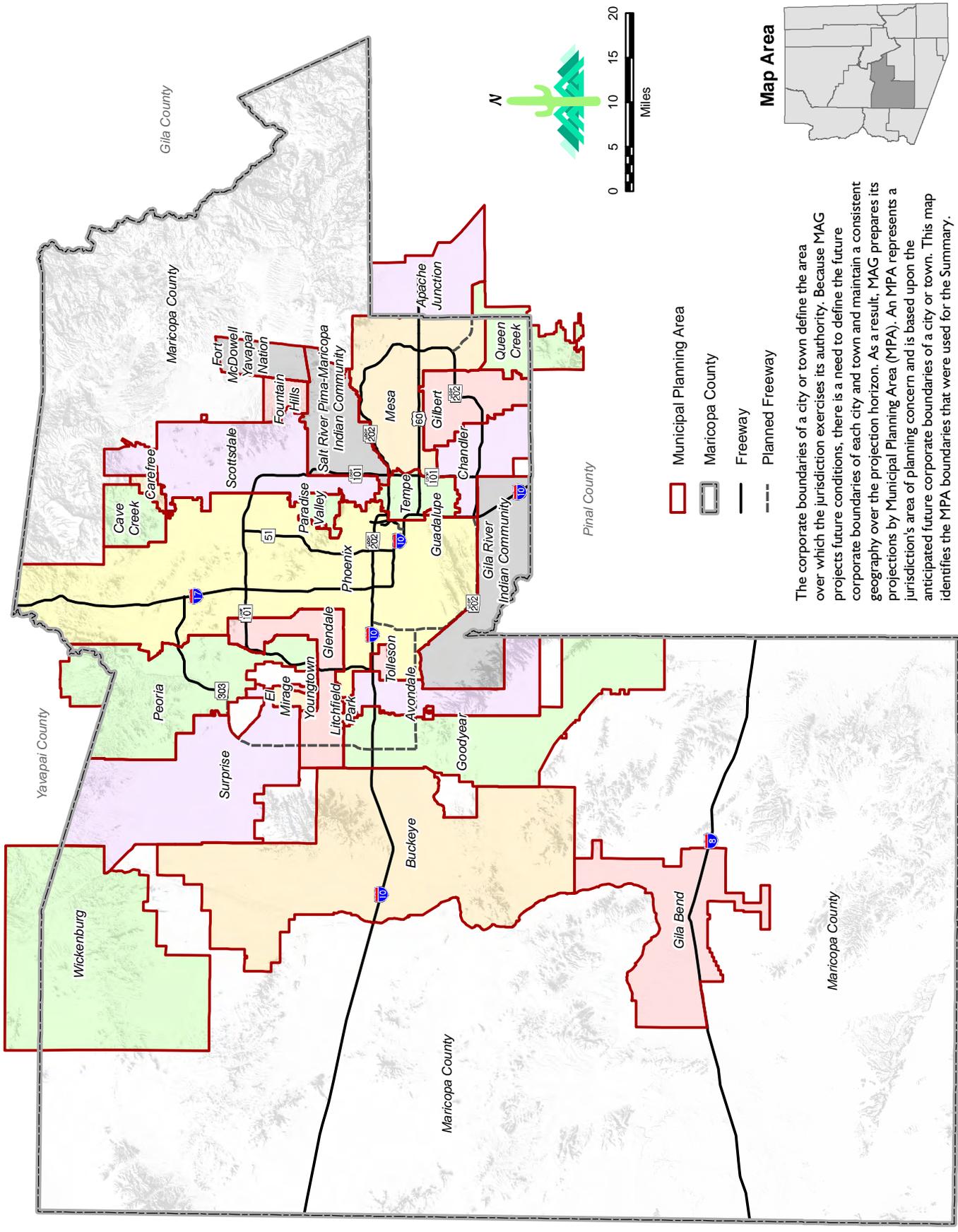
Arizona Executive Order 2011-04 requires the preparation of an official Arizona set of resident population projections. The Executive Order mandates that the Arizona Department of Administration (ADOA) prepare the state and county resident population projections, but authorizes Councils of Governments to prepare projections below the county level that are consistent with the County control totals developed by ADOA. The Maricopa Association of Governments has been preparing subregional population projections since the mid 1970s.

Socioeconomic projections are crucial to sound regional planning. Projections of population and employment are used as inputs to forecast vehicle trips and air quality emissions. They also are used to develop the MAG Transportation Improvement Program and Regional Transportation Plan, help determine the need for human services, plan for water quality, and carry out other regional planning efforts.

The MAG 2012 Socioeconomic Projections are a collaborative effort between MAG staff and the staff of its member agencies. The projections have been developed over an 18 month period during which time all data inputs for the projections have been reviewed and modified based on comments received. The methodologies used to prepare the projections have been reviewed and approved by the MAG Population Technical Advisory Committee.

This document provides socioeconomic information for historic and projected dates focusing upon the years 2010, 2020, 2030 and 2040 for Maricopa County and Municipal Planning Areas (MPAs). The document also includes socioeconomic profiles of each MPA. These profiles summarize and interpret information that plays a vital role in analyzing the future of each city and town: population, employment, housing and type and availability of land for future commercial and residential development.

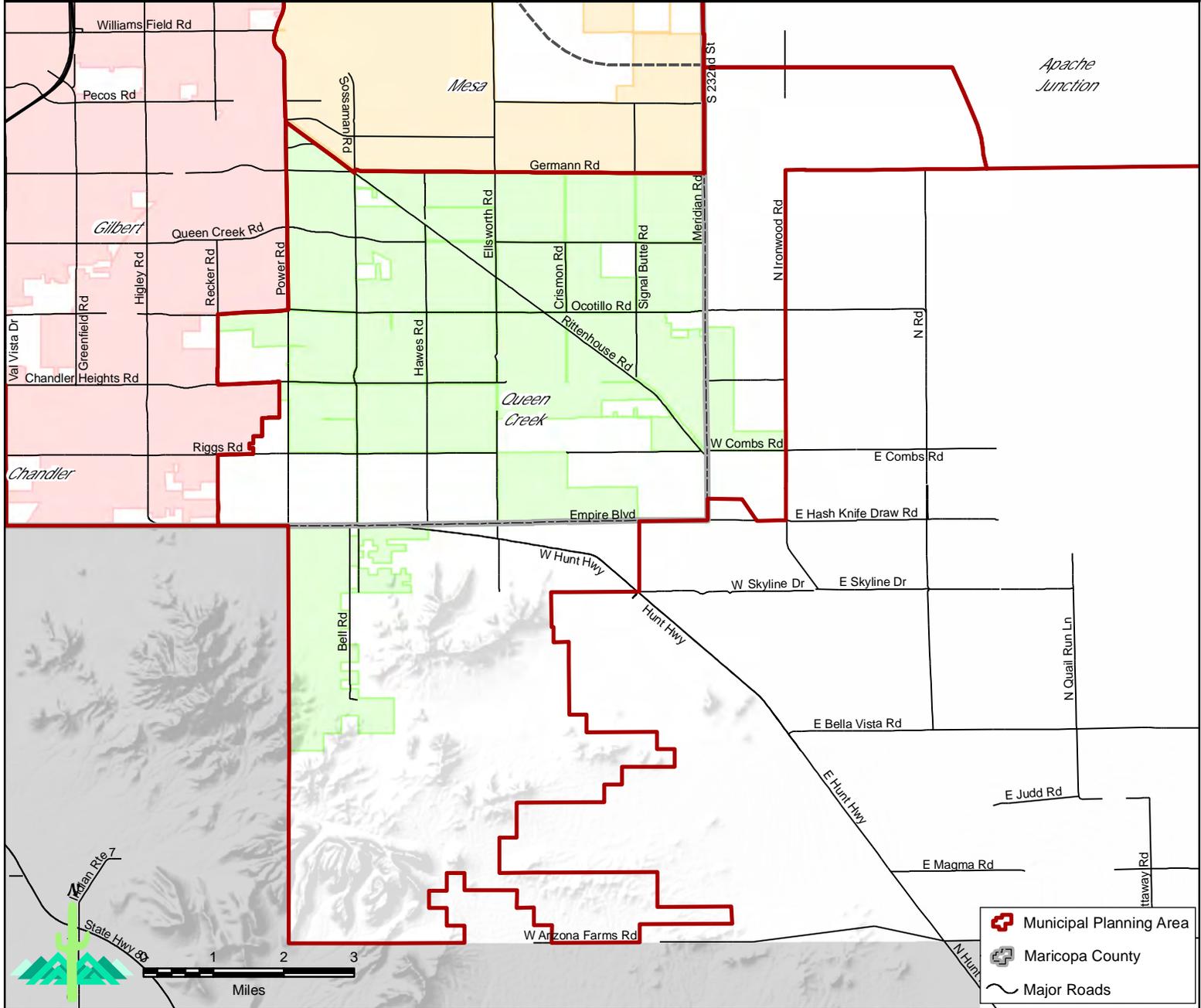
The complete drafts of the MAG 2012 Socioeconomic Projections, including projections, socioeconomic profiles and documentation, are available on the MAG website at: <http://www.azmag.gov>.



- Municipal Planning Area
- Maricopa County
- Freeway
- Planned Freeway

The corporate boundaries of a city or town define the area over which the jurisdiction exercises its authority. Because MAG projects future conditions, there is a need to define the future corporate boundaries of each city and town and maintain a consistent geography over the projection horizon. As a result, MAG prepares its projections by Municipal Planning Area (MPA). An MPA represents a jurisdiction's area of planning concern and is based upon the anticipated future corporate boundaries of a city or town. This map identifies the MPA boundaries that were used for the Summary.

# Queen Creek, Arizona



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Incorporated Area Statistics				
	1990	2000	2010	2012
Incorporated Area (Sq. Mi.)	10.2	25.9	27.5	27.5
Municipal Planning Area (Sq. Mi.)	29.1	56.9	32.5	69.0
Incorporated Area as % of MPA	35%	46%	85%	40%
Population	2,667	4,197	26,361	27,706
Population in Households	2,505	4,197	26,345	N/A
Housing Units	769	1,229	8,557	9,208
Occupied Housing Units	710	1,172	7,720	N/A
Occupancy Rate	92%	95%	90%	N/A
Persons per Occupied Unit	3.53	3.58	3.41	N/A

Source: 1990, 2000, 2010: U.S. Census Bureau Decennial Census

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# Demographic Profile: 2010

# Queen Creek town

Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
<b>Total Population</b> .....	<b>26,361</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN AND RACE</b>		
<b>SEX AND AGE</b>			<b>Total Population</b> .....	<b>26,361</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Male.....	13,197	50.1	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	4,566	17.3
Female.....	13,164	49.9	Mexican.....	3,685	14.0
Under 5 Years.....	2,731	10.4	Puerto Rican.....	204	0.8
5 to 9 Years.....	3,127	11.9	Cuban.....	41	0.2
10 to 14 Years.....	2,714	10.3	Other Hispanic or Latino [4].....	636	2.4
15 to 19 Years.....	1,947	7.4	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	21,795	82.7
20 to 24 Years.....	1,109	4.2	White alone.....	19,516	74.0
25 to 34 Years.....	3,945	15.0	<b>RELATIONSHIP</b>		
35 to 44 Years.....	4,541	17.2	<b>Total Population</b> .....	<b>26,361</b>	<b>100.0</b>
45 to 54 Years.....	2,919	11.1	In Households.....	26,345	99.9
55 to 59 Years.....	1,012	3.8	Householder.....	7,720	29.3
60 to 64 Years.....	948	3.6	Spouse [5].....	5,529	21.0
65 to 74 Years.....	989	3.8	Child.....	10,682	40.5
75 to 84 Years.....	285	1.1	Own child under 18 years.....	9,155	34.7
85 Years and over.....	94	0.4	Other relatives.....	1,411	5.4
Median Age (years).....	29.8	(X)	Under 18 years.....	566	2.1
18 Years and over.....	16,500	62.6	Nonrelatives.....	1,003	3.8
Male.....	8,075	30.6	Unmarried partner.....	466	1.8
Female.....	8,425	32.0	In group quarters.....	16	0.1
21 Years and over.....	15,597	59.2	Institutionalized population.....	0	0.0
62 Years and over.....	1,892	7.2	Noninstitutionalized population.....	16	0.1
65 Years and over.....	1,368	5.2	<b>HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE</b>		
Male.....	678	2.6	<b>Total households</b> .....	<b>7,720</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Female.....	690	2.6	Family households (families) [6].....	6,557	84.9
<b>RACE</b>			With own children under 18 years.....	4,133	53.5
One race.....	25,418	96.4	Husband-wife family.....	5,529	71.6
White.....	22,043	83.6	With own children under 18 years.....	3,450	44.7
Black or African American.....	895	3.4	Female householder, no husband present.....	651	8.4
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	189	0.7	With own children under 18 years.....	436	5.6
Asian.....	732	2.8	Nonfamily households [6].....	1,163	15.1
Asian Indian.....	63	0.2	Householder living alone.....	801	10.4
Chinese.....	86	0.3	Householder 65 years and over.....	158	2.0
Filipino.....	218	0.8	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	4,388	56.8
Japanese.....	31	0.1	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	984	12.7
Korean.....	80	0.3	Average household size.....	3.41	(X)
Vietnamese.....	132	0.5	Average family size [6].....	3.69	(X)
Other Asian [1].....	122	0.5	<b>HOUSING OCCUPANCY</b>		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	39	0.1	<b>Total housing units</b> .....	<b>8,557</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Native Hawaiian.....	16	0.1	Occupied housing units.....	7,720	90.2
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	11	0.0	Vacant housing units.....	837	9.8
Samoan.....	8	0.0	For seasonal, recreational or occasional use.....	142	1.7
Other Pacific Islander [2].....	4	0.0	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent) [7].....	5.1	(X)
Some other race.....	1,520	5.8	Rental vacancy rate (percent) [8].....	9.0	(X)
Two or more races.....	943	3.6	<b>HOUSING TENURE</b>		
<b>Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]</b>			<b>Occupied housing units</b> .....	<b>7,720</b>	<b>100.0</b>
White.....	22,890	86.8	Owner-occupied housing units.....	6,141	79.5
Black or African American.....	1,183	4.5	Renter-occupied housing units.....	1,579	20.5
American Indian or Alaskan Native.....	343	1.3	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	3.41	(X)
Asian.....	1,022	3.9	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	3.43	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	123	0.5			
Some other race.....	1,832	6.9			

Notes:  
 (X) Not applicable; [1] Other Asian alone, or two or more Asian categories; [2] Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories; [3] In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population, and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race; [4] This category is composed of people whose origins are from the Dominican Republic, Spain, and Spanish-speaking Central or South American countries. It also includes general origin responses such as "Latino" or "Hispanic." [5] "Spouse" represents spouse of the householder. It does not reflect all spouses in a household. Responses of "same-sex spouse" were edited during processing to "unmarried partner." [6] "Family households" consist of a householder and one or more other people related to the householder by birth, marriage, or adoption. They do not include same-sex married couples even if the marriage was performed in a state issuing marriage certificates for same-sex couples. Same-sex couple households are included in the family households category if there is at least one additional person related to the householder by birth or adoption. Same-sex couple households with no relatives of the householder present are tabulated in nonfamily households. "Nonfamily households" consist of people living alone and households which do not have any members related to the householder. [7] The homeowner vacancy rate is the proportion of the homeowner inventory that is vacant "for sale." It is computed by dividing the total number of vacant units "for sale only" by the sum of owner-occupied units, vacant units that are "for sale only," and vacant units that have been sold but not yet occupied; and then multiplying by 100. [8] The rental vacancy rate is the proportion of the rental inventory that is vacant "for rent." It is computed by dividing the total number of vacant units "for rent" by the sum of the renter-occupied units, vacant units that are "for rent," and vacant units that have been rented but not yet occupied; and then multiplying by 100.

**Maricopa Association of Governments**  
**Summary Projections of Population, Housing, and Employment**  
**July 1, 2010 and Projections July 1, 2020 to July 1, 2040**

<b>Queen Creek</b>				
Year	2010	2020	2030	2040
Total Population	32,208	50,130	67,808	73,410
Population in Households	32,187	50,109	67,785	73,386
Population in Group Quarters	21	21	23	24
Housing Units	10,527	15,821	21,715	23,769
Occupied Housing Units	9,374	14,656	20,390	22,589
Vacant Housing Units	1,153	1,165	1,325	1,180
Occupancy Rate	0.89	0.93	0.94	0.94
Persons per Occupied Unit	3.43	3.42	3.32	3.25
Average Annual Change in Housing Units		529	589	205
Average Annual Housing Unit Growth Rate (%)		4.2%	3.2%	0.9%
Total Employment	5,913	12,663	19,854	27,803
Employment by Sector:				
Retail	2,012	4,433	6,792	9,015
Office	348	2,095	4,309	6,533
Industrial	288	1,130	2,670	4,447
Public	676	1,433	2,596	3,237
Other*	2,589	3,572	3,487	4,571
Average Annual Change in Employment		675	719	795
Average Annual Employment Growth Rate (%)		7.9%	4.6%	3.4%
Job/Housing Balance	0.63	0.86	0.97	1.23
Jobs per 100 Persons	18	25	29	38

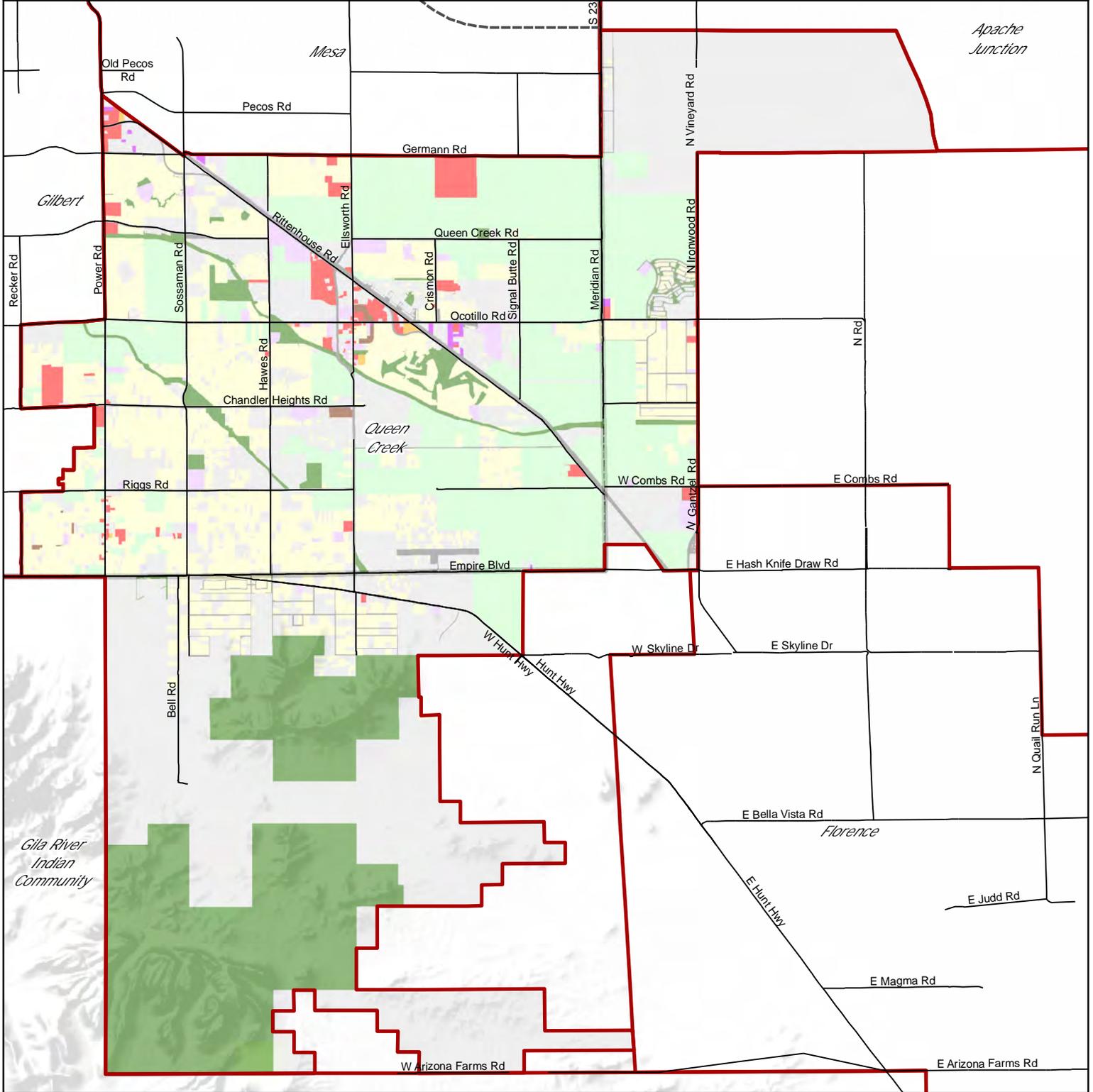
\* Other Employment includes work-at-home, non-site based, and construction employment. Because non-site based and construction employment follow development, employment projections may show declines in future years.

Note: These projections include only the Maricopa County portions for Apache Junction, Peoria, Queen Creek, Wickenburg, and the Gila River Indian Community.

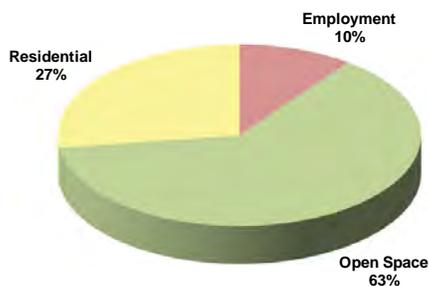
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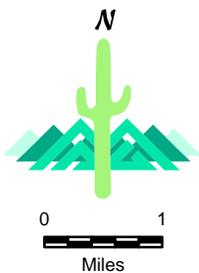
# Queen Creek Existing Land Use



Existing Land Use (as % of incorporated area)



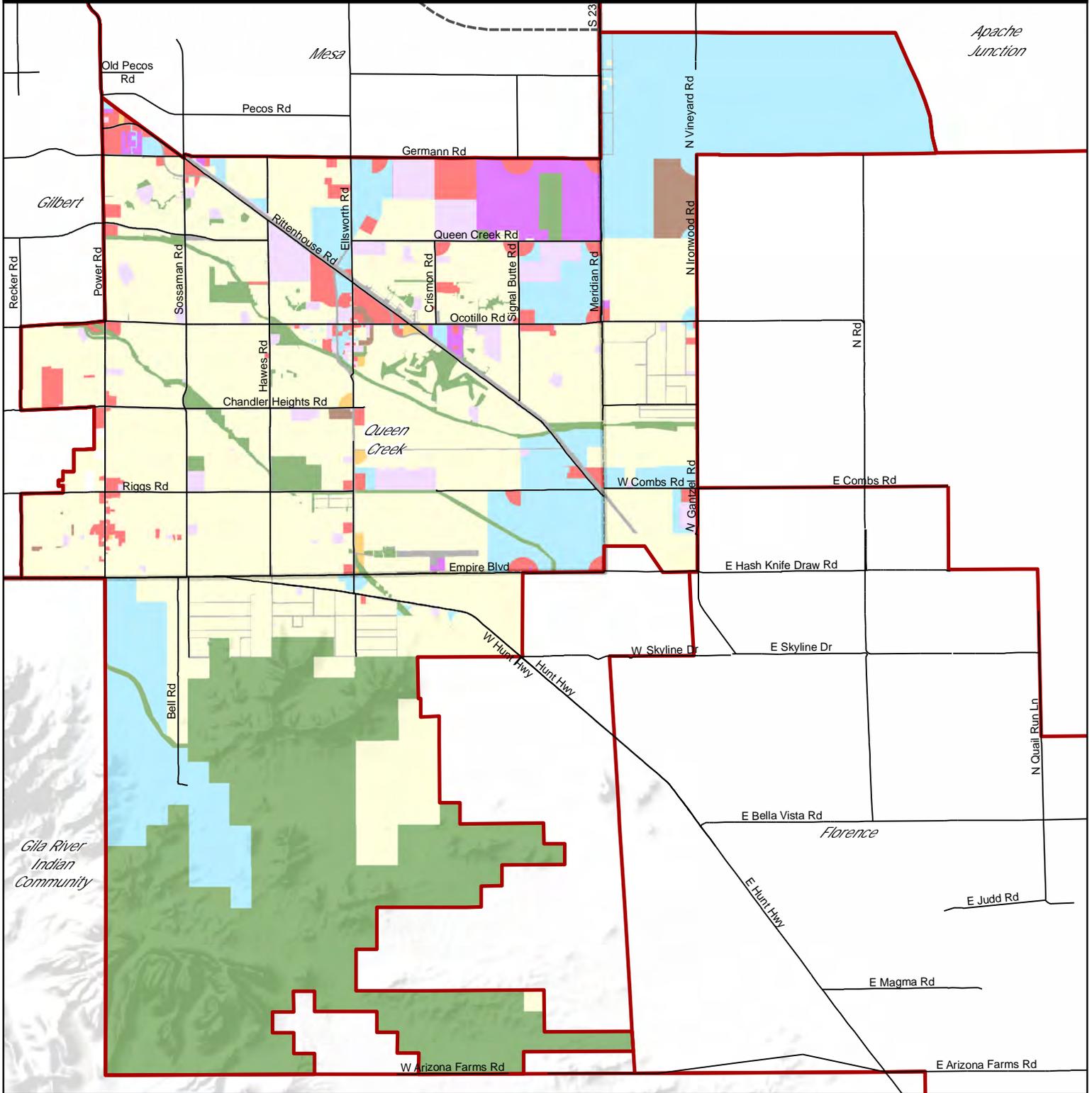
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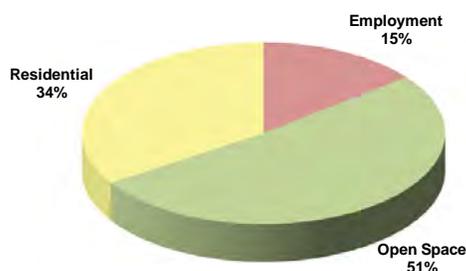


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Future Land Use (as % of total area)



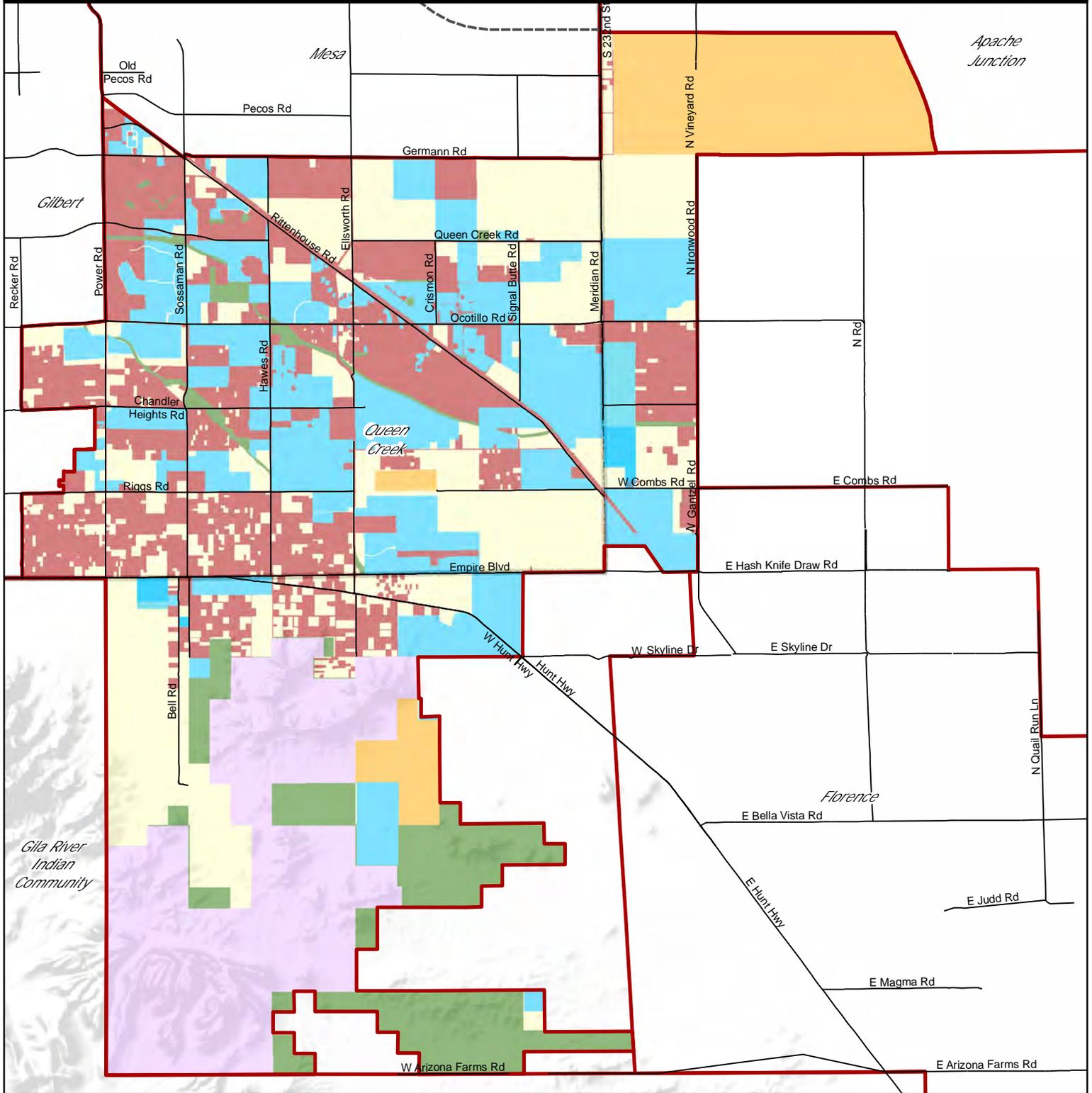
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# Queen Creek Development Status



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Developable Land (as % of total area)



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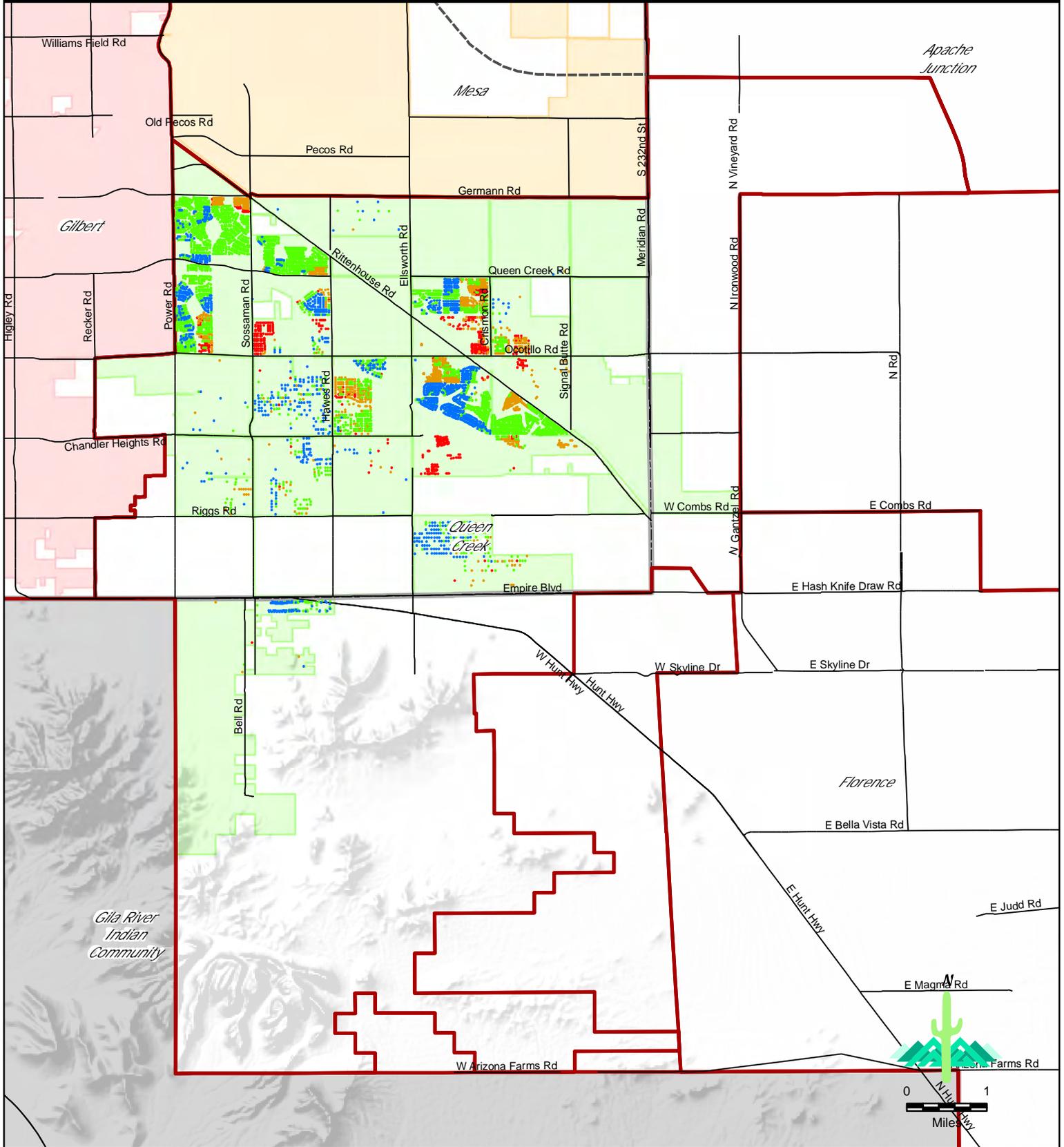
- Developed
- Development Projects
- Developable (private)
- State Trust (Developable)
- Developable - Indian Communities
- Bureau of Land Management
- Open Space and Military

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# Queen Creek Residential Completions

April 1, 2000 to December 31, 2012



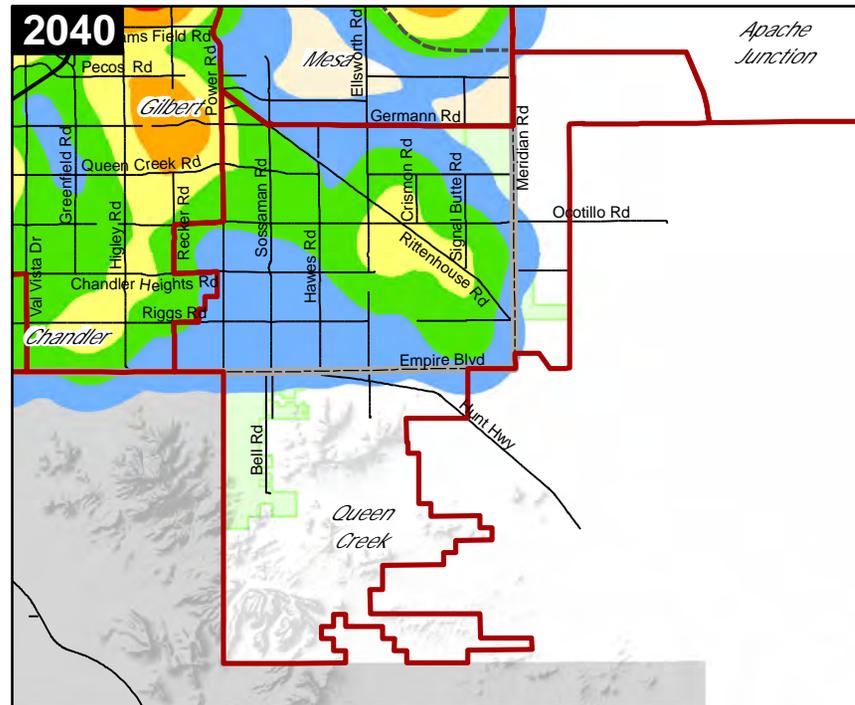
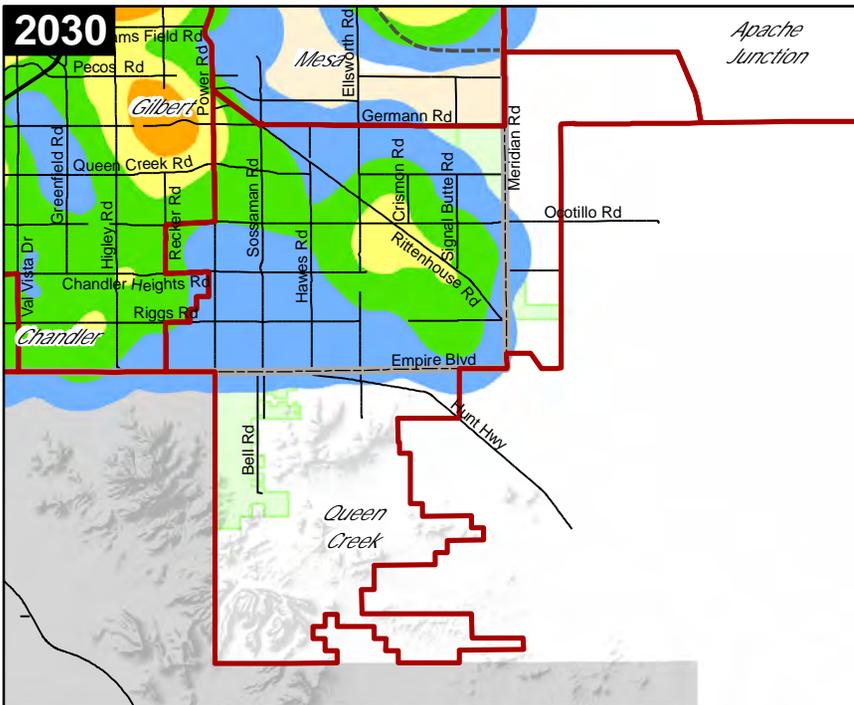
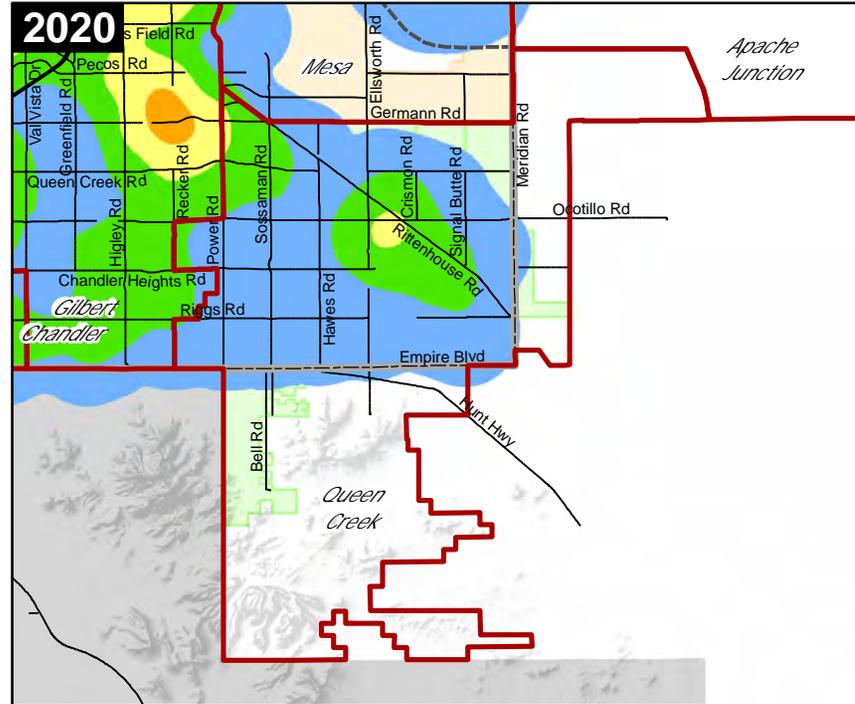
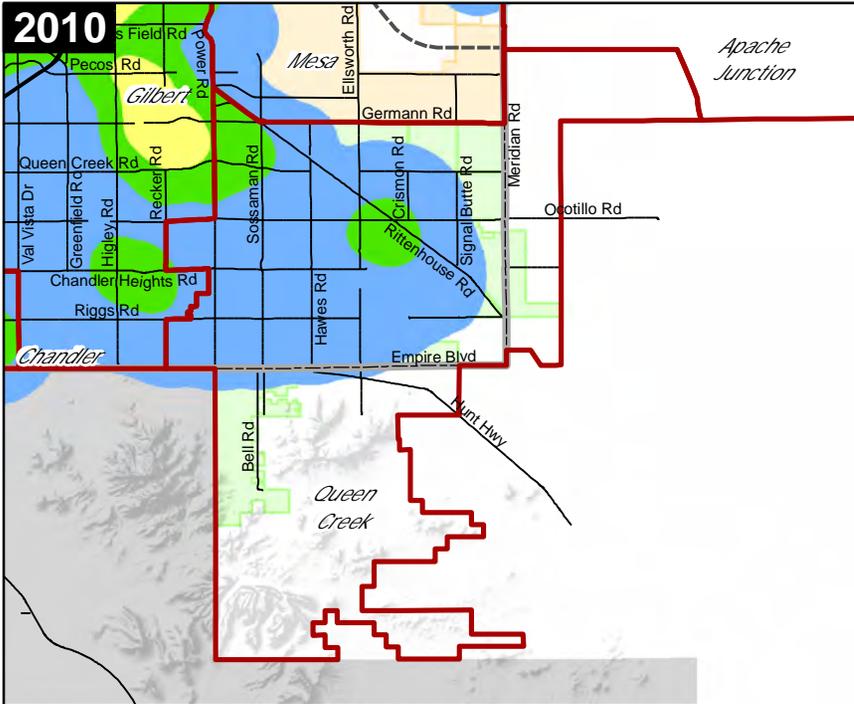
- April 1, 2000 to December 31, 2003
- January 1, 2004 to December 31, 2006
- January 1, 2007 to December 31, 2009
- January 1, 2010 to December 31, 2012

	Residential Completions				Total
	2000 to 2003	2004 to 2006	2007 to 2009	2010 to 2012	
Incorporated Area	1,621	3,658	1,559	569	7,407
Unincorporated Area	486	308	125	276	1,195
<b>MPA Total</b>	<b>2,107</b>	<b>3,966</b>	<b>1,684</b>	<b>845</b>	<b>8,602</b>

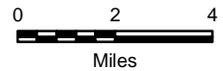
Source: Residential completions from MAG member agencies (April 2000 - December 2012)

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# Queen Creek, Arizona Population Concentration 2010-2040



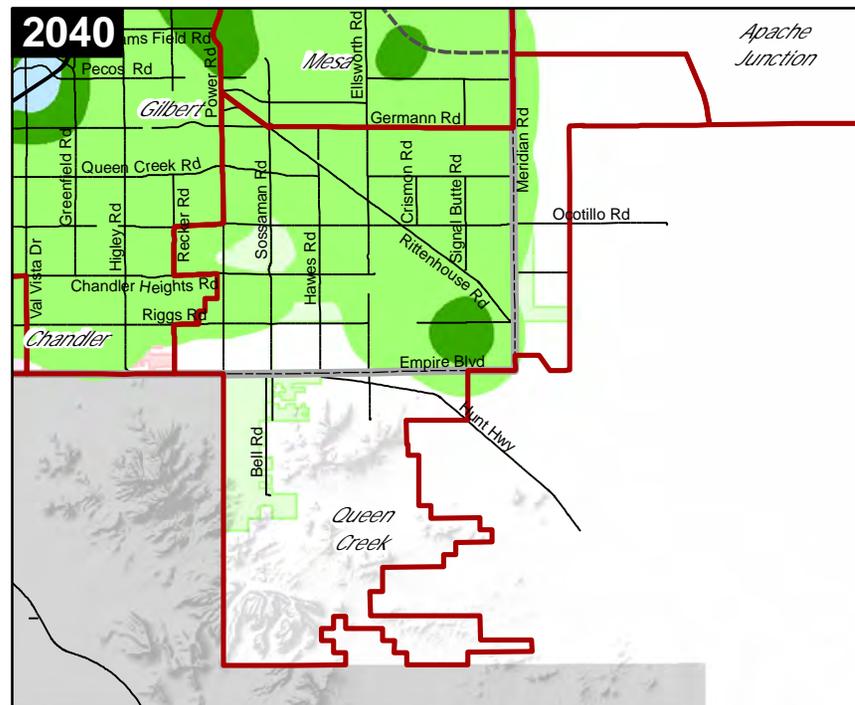
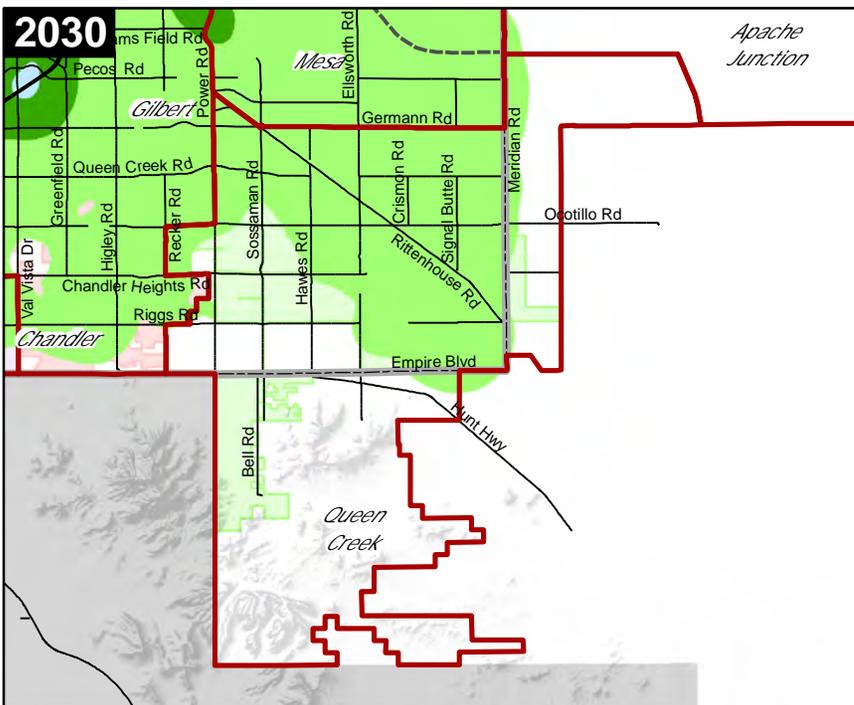
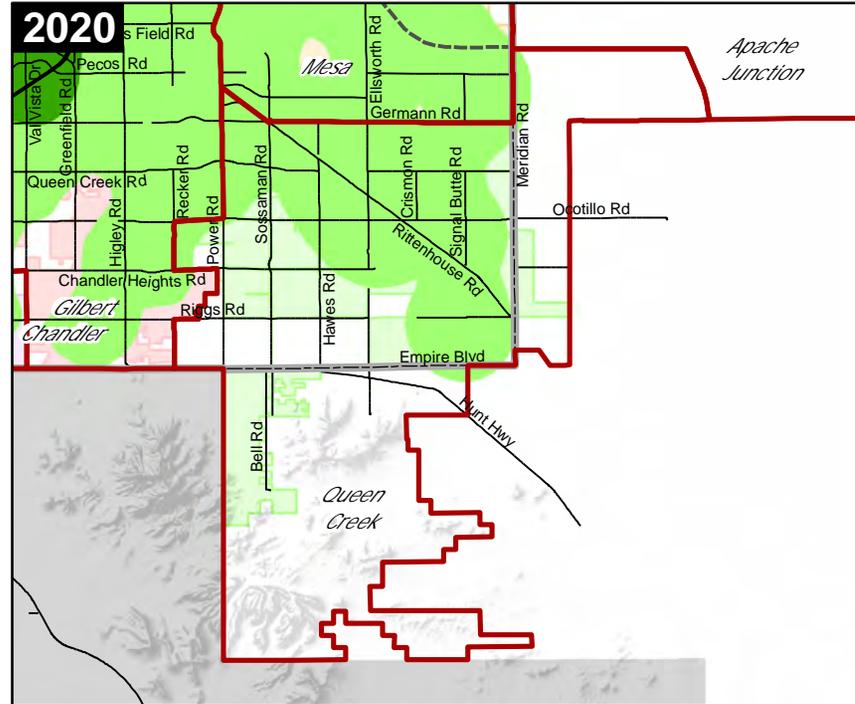
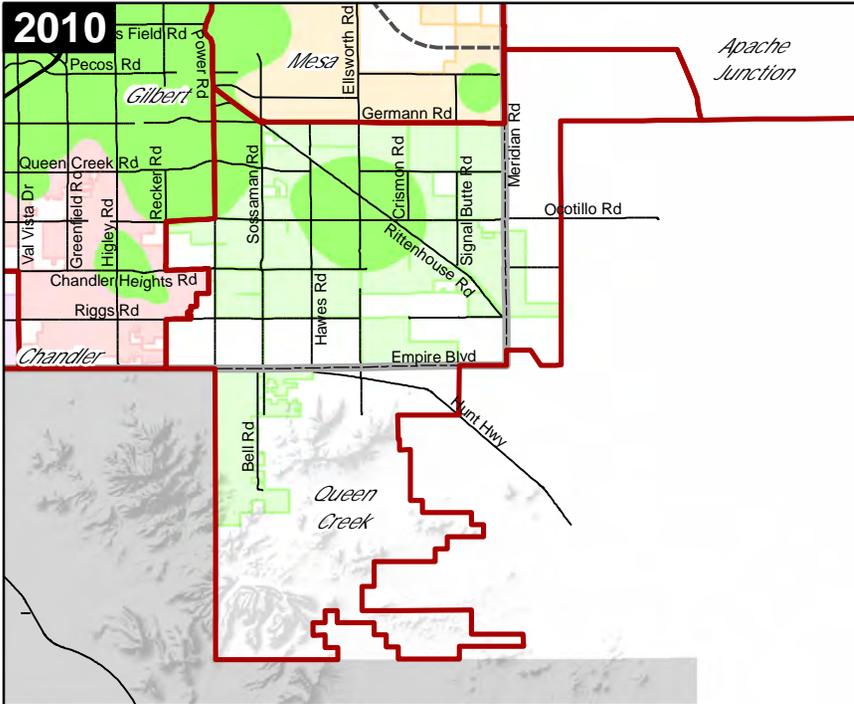
- Persons per Square Mile**
- Less than 250
  - 250 to 2000
  - 2000 to 4000
  - 4000 to 6000
  - 6000 to 8000
  - More than 8000
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# Queen Creek, Arizona Employment Concentration 2010-2040



## Employees per Square Mile

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**2010 Census Population and Housing Summary**  
 April 1, 2010 Population and Housing Units  
 for Maricopa County Incorporated Places and Indian Communities

Area	Population	Housing Units	Occupied Housing Units	Vacant Housing Units
<b>Maricopa County Total*</b>	<b>3,817,117</b>	<b>1,639,279</b>	<b>1,411,583</b>	<b>227,696</b>
Apache Junction	35,840	22,564	15,574	6,990
<i>Maricopa County Part</i>	294	293	210	83
<i>Pinal County Part</i>	35,546	22,271	15,364	6,907
Avondale	76,238	27,001	23,386	3,615
Buckeye	50,876	18,207	14,424	3,783
Carefree	3,363	2,251	1,654	597
Cave Creek	5,015	2,579	2,150	429
Chandler	236,123	94,404	86,924	7,480
El Mirage	31,797	11,326	9,416	1,910
Fort McDowell Yavapai Nation	971	308	283	25
Fountain Hills	22,489	13,167	10,339	2,828
Gila Bend	1,922	943	664	279
Gila River Indian Community	11,712	3,238	2,982	256
<i>Maricopa County Part</i>	2,994	835	748	87
<i>Pinal County Part</i>	8,718	2,403	2,234	169
Gilbert	208,453	74,907	69,372	5,535
Glendale	226,721	90,505	79,114	11,391
Goodyear	65,275	25,027	21,491	3,536
Guadalupe	5,523	1,376	1,292	84
Litchfield Park	5,476	2,716	2,263	453
Mesa	439,041	201,173	165,374	35,799
Paradise Valley	12,820	5,643	4,860	783
Peoria Total	154,065	64,818	57,457	7,361
<i>Maricopa County Part</i>	154,058	64,814	57,454	7,360
<i>Yavapai County Part</i>	7	4	3	1
Phoenix	1,445,632	590,149	514,806	75,343
Queen Creek Total	26,361	8,557	7,720	837
<i>Maricopa County Part</i>	25,912	8,394	7,569	825
<i>Pinal County Part</i>	449	163	151	12
Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community	6,289	2,607	2,198	409
Scottsdale	217,385	124,001	101,273	22,728
Surprise	117,517	52,586	43,272	9,314
Tempe	161,719	73,462	66,000	7,462
Tolleson	6,545	2,169	1,959	210
Wickenburg	6,363	3,619	2,909	710
<i>Maricopa County Part</i>	6,363	3,617	2,909	708
<i>Yavapai County Part</i>	0	2	0	2
Youngtown	6,156	2,831	2,470	361
Balance of Maricopa County	274,150	141,988	117,709	24,279

\* Maricopa County Total excludes portions of cities in Pinal County and Yavapai County

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2010 Decennial Census, PL 94-171

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**Maricopa Association of Governments**  
**Total Resident Population by Municipal Planning Area, Maricopa County**  
**July 1, 2010 and Projections July 1, 2020 to July 1, 2040**

Municipal Planning Area	Total Resident Population			
	2010	2020	2030	2040
<b>Apache Junction</b>	300	300	300	300
<b>Avondale</b>	77,900	96,600	121,500	155,300
<b>Buckeye</b>	62,800	103,600	183,800	313,500
<b>Carefree</b>	3,400	3,800	4,200	4,400
<b>Cave Creek</b>	4,900	5,800	7,400	8,900
<b>Chandler</b>	244,600	283,100	307,500	316,500
<b>County Areas</b>	94,600	104,100	119,900	145,200
<b>El Mirage</b>	31,900	34,600	41,000	48,400
<b>Fort McDowell</b>	1,000	1,000	1,100	1,100
<b>Fountain Hills</b>	22,400	25,900	31,000	31,200
<b>Gila Bend</b>	2,500	2,800	6,200	17,000
<b>Gila River</b>	3,000	3,100	3,300	3,400
<b>Gilbert</b>	212,400	259,100	293,100	322,300
<b>Glendale</b>	252,800	291,500	343,500	357,500
<b>Goodyear</b>	68,000	115,300	167,600	241,400
<b>Guadalupe</b>	5,500	6,000	6,500	6,800
<b>Litchfield Park</b>	10,500	12,000	13,800	13,800
<b>Mesa</b>	482,500	543,400	620,300	656,900
<b>Paradise Valley</b>	12,800	13,000	14,100	14,500
<b>Peoria</b>	162,500	214,400	276,200	342,600
<b>Phoenix</b>	1,501,300	1,711,600	1,953,800	2,198,000
<b>Queen Creek</b>	32,200	50,100	67,800	73,400
<b>Salt River</b>	6,300	6,400	7,000	7,600
<b>Scottsdale</b>	217,400	252,300	283,000	296,300
<b>Surprise</b>	127,600	159,200	241,900	336,900
<b>Tempe</b>	162,100	183,900	211,700	217,600
<b>Tolleson</b>	6,600	7,000	8,200	8,900
<b>Wickenburg</b>	8,000	10,700	16,200	27,700
<b>Youngtown</b>	6,100	6,600	7,400	7,600
<b>County Total</b>	<b>3,823,900</b>	<b>4,507,200</b>	<b>5,359,300</b>	<b>6,175,000</b>

Notes: Numbers rounded to the nearest 100.

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Source: Maricopa Association of Governments (MAG) Socioeconomic Projections of Population, Housing and Employment by Municipal Planning Area (MPA) and Regional Analysis Zone (RAZ), May 2013

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**Maricopa Association of Governments**  
**Total Housing Units by Municipal Planning Area, Maricopa County**  
**July 1, 2010 and Projections July 1, 2020 to July 1, 2040**

Municipal Planning Area	Total Housing Units			
	2010	2020	2030	2040
Apache Junction	300	300	300	300
Avondale	27,600	31,400	40,000	50,500
Buckeye	22,500	35,800	65,300	116,200
Carefree	2,200	2,600	2,900	3,000
Cave Creek	2,600	3,000	3,900	4,500
Chandler	98,600	108,200	118,900	123,100
County Areas	64,400	69,400	75,500	82,800
El Mirage	11,300	11,800	13,600	16,000
Fort McDowell	300	300	400	400
Fountain Hills	13,200	14,600	15,900	15,900
Gila Bend	1,100	1,200	2,900	7,800
Gila River	800	800	900	900
Gilbert	76,400	90,100	103,800	111,900
Glendale	98,700	106,000	122,600	126,500
Goodyear	26,000	41,700	64,700	92,900
Guadalupe	1,400	1,500	1,700	1,800
Litchfield Park	4,600	4,900	5,700	5,700
Mesa	227,000	241,300	266,600	275,800
Paradise Valley	5,600	5,800	6,100	6,100
Peoria	68,000	84,400	110,700	135,500
Phoenix	611,500	653,300	735,100	818,200
Queen Creek	10,500	15,800	21,700	23,800
Salt River	2,600	2,700	2,800	3,000
Scottsdale	124,000	133,300	147,100	150,200
Surprise	56,900	68,000	99,300	138,000
Tempe	73,200	77,300	90,000	91,400
Tolleson	2,200	2,300	2,700	2,800
Wickenburg	4,400	5,500	8,400	13,600
Youngtown	2,800	2,900	3,100	3,100
<b>County Total</b>	<b>1,640,700</b>	<b>1,816,200</b>	<b>2,132,600</b>	<b>2,421,700</b>

Notes: Numbers rounded to the nearest 100.

These projections include only the Maricopa County portions for Apache Junction, Peoria, Queen Creek, Wickenburg, and the Gila River Indian Community.

Source: Maricopa Association of Governments (MAG) Socioeconomic Projections of Population, Housing and Employment by Municipal Planning Area (MPA) and Regional Analysis Zone (RAZ), May 2013

For explanation of variables and complete notation on this series, please refer to the Notes and Caveats in Appendix A.

**Maricopa Association of Governments**  
**Total Employment by Municipal Planning Area, Maricopa County**  
**July 1, 2010 and Projections July 1, 2020 to July 1, 2040**

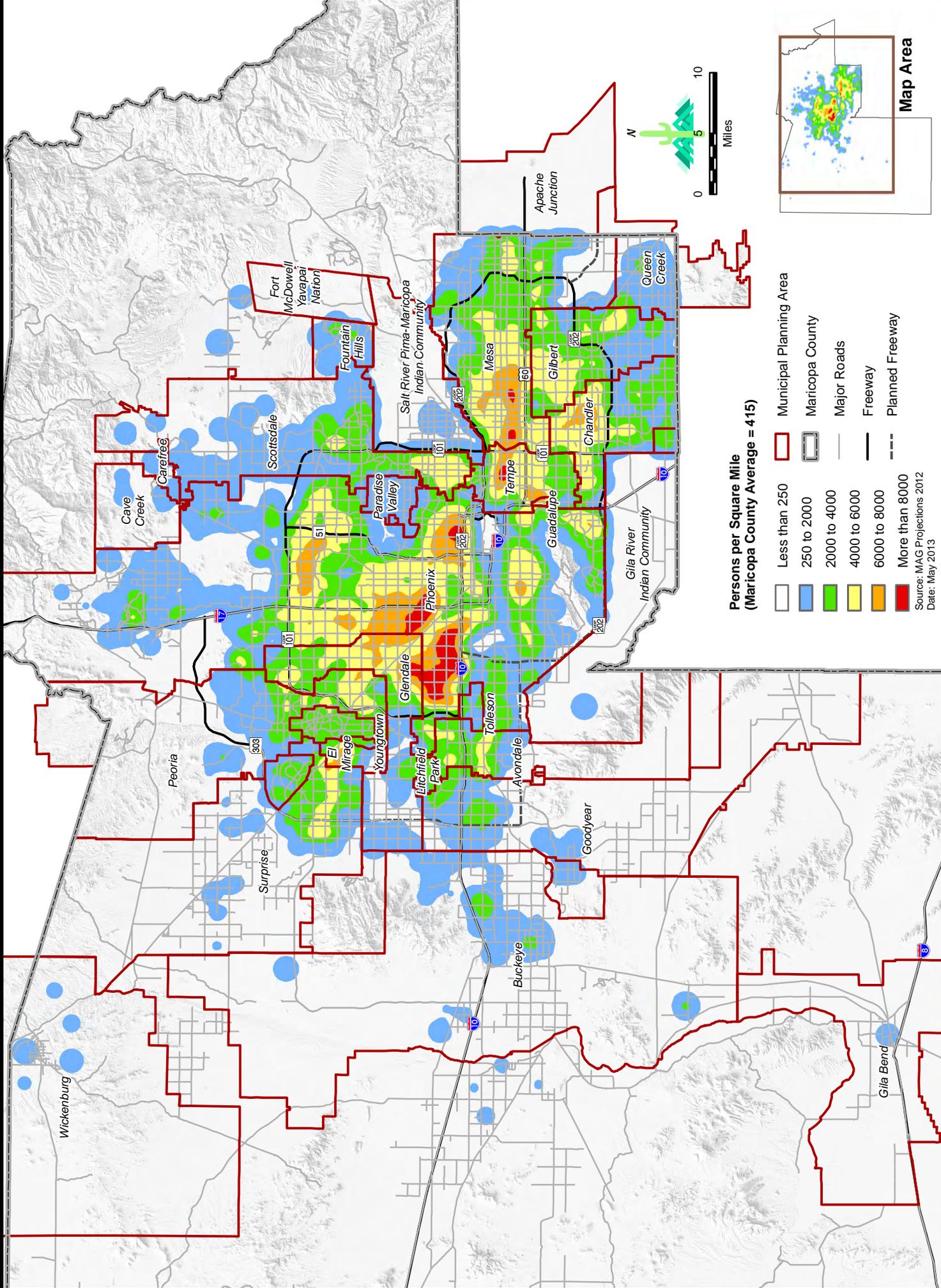
Municipal Planning Area	Total Employment			
	2010	2020	2030	2040
<b>Apache Junction</b>	0	100	100	100
<b>Avondale</b>	14,100	27,200	40,700	50,000
<b>Buckeye</b>	12,800	29,200	56,300	97,800
<b>Carefree</b>	1,400	1,900	2,200	2,400
<b>Cave Creek</b>	1,800	2,800	3,400	4,200
<b>Chandler</b>	112,900	152,600	171,400	194,500
<b>County Areas</b>	24,500	30,300	33,700	39,200
<b>El Mirage</b>	4,300	5,900	8,900	15,000
<b>Fort McDowell</b>	1,500	1,900	2,200	2,200
<b>Fountain Hills</b>	5,500	7,500	8,300	9,400
<b>Gila Bend</b>	800	1,500	3,300	6,300
<b>Gila River</b>	5,600	10,800	11,900	15,700
<b>Gilbert</b>	74,600	108,100	126,700	143,700
<b>Glendale</b>	78,600	116,400	143,400	169,100
<b>Goodyear</b>	24,200	46,500	70,400	93,200
<b>Guadalupe</b>	1,000	1,100	1,300	1,500
<b>Litchfield Park</b>	2,000	3,200	4,800	5,400
<b>Mesa</b>	160,800	215,400	256,000	291,600
<b>Paradise Valley</b>	4,300	6,300	6,200	6,200
<b>Peoria</b>	40,900	62,600	75,700	94,700
<b>Phoenix</b>	747,700	958,000	1,071,200	1,182,800
<b>Queen Creek</b>	5,900	12,700	19,900	27,800
<b>Salt River</b>	11,300	20,500	28,500	40,000
<b>Scottsdale</b>	165,800	212,800	224,500	233,100
<b>Surprise</b>	19,500	35,200	64,600	92,200
<b>Tempe</b>	169,100	221,400	236,400	244,900
<b>Tolleson</b>	10,600	14,000	15,700	21,400
<b>Wickenburg</b>	3,500	5,300	7,300	10,300
<b>Youngtown</b>	1,300	1,700	1,900	1,900
<b>County Total</b>	<b>1,706,300</b>	<b>2,312,900</b>	<b>2,696,900</b>	<b>3,096,600</b>

Notes: Numbers rounded to the nearest 100.

These projections include only the Maricopa County portions for Apache Junction, Peoria, Queen Creek, Wickenburg, and the Gila River Indian Community.

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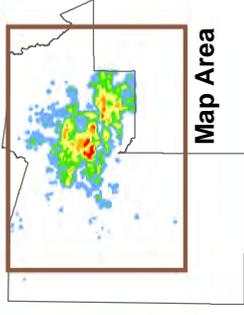
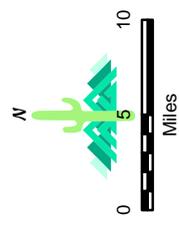
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Persons per Square Mile  
(Maricopa County Average = 415)

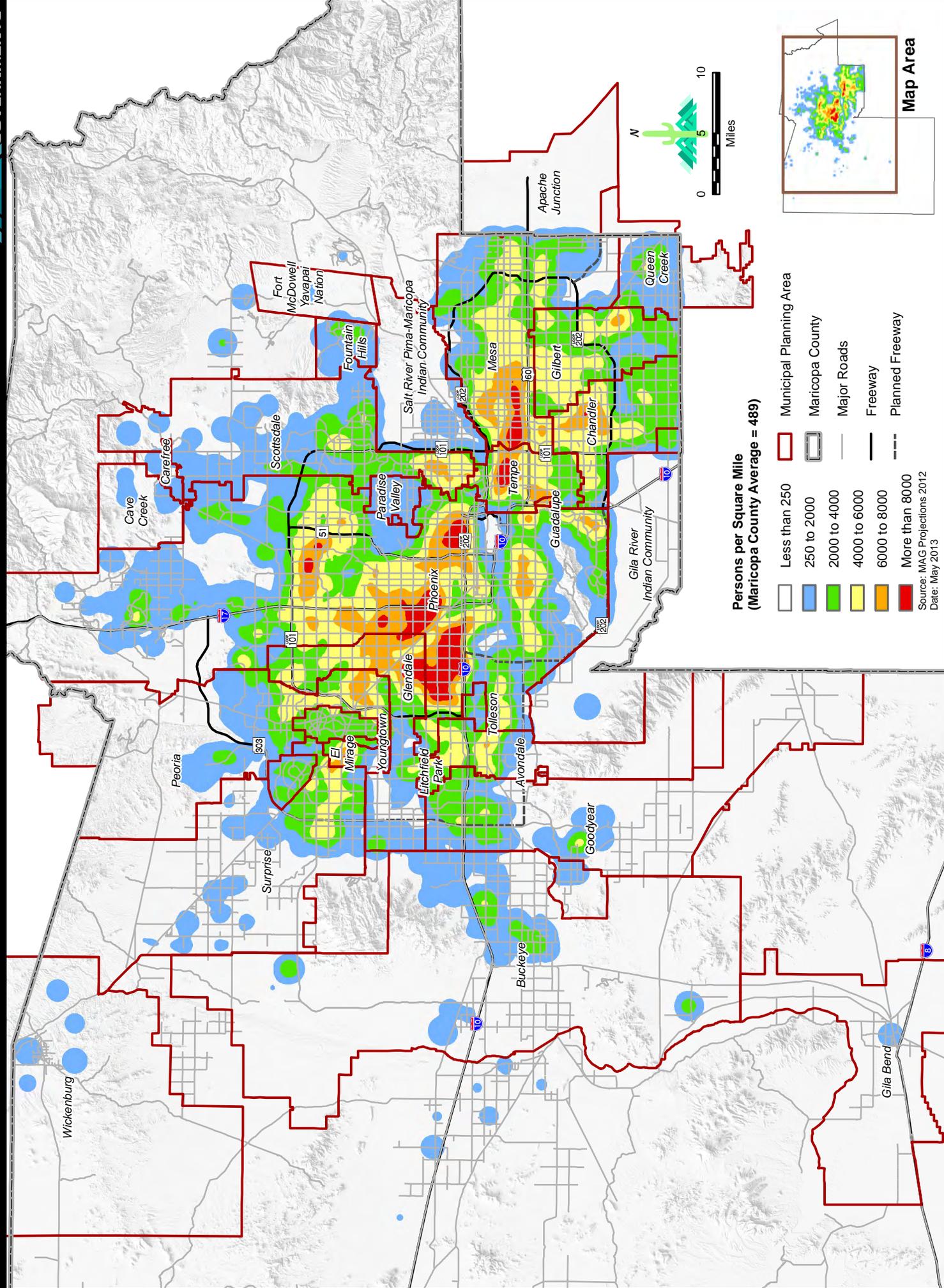
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  - 2000 to 4000
  - 4000 to 6000
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- Municipal Planning Area
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  - Major Roads
  - Freeway
  - Planned Freeway

Source: MAG Projections 2012  
Date: May 2013



Map Area

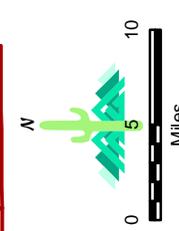
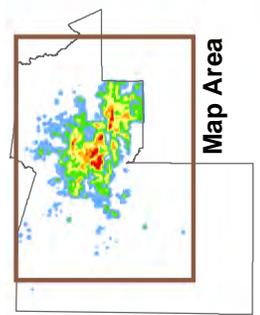
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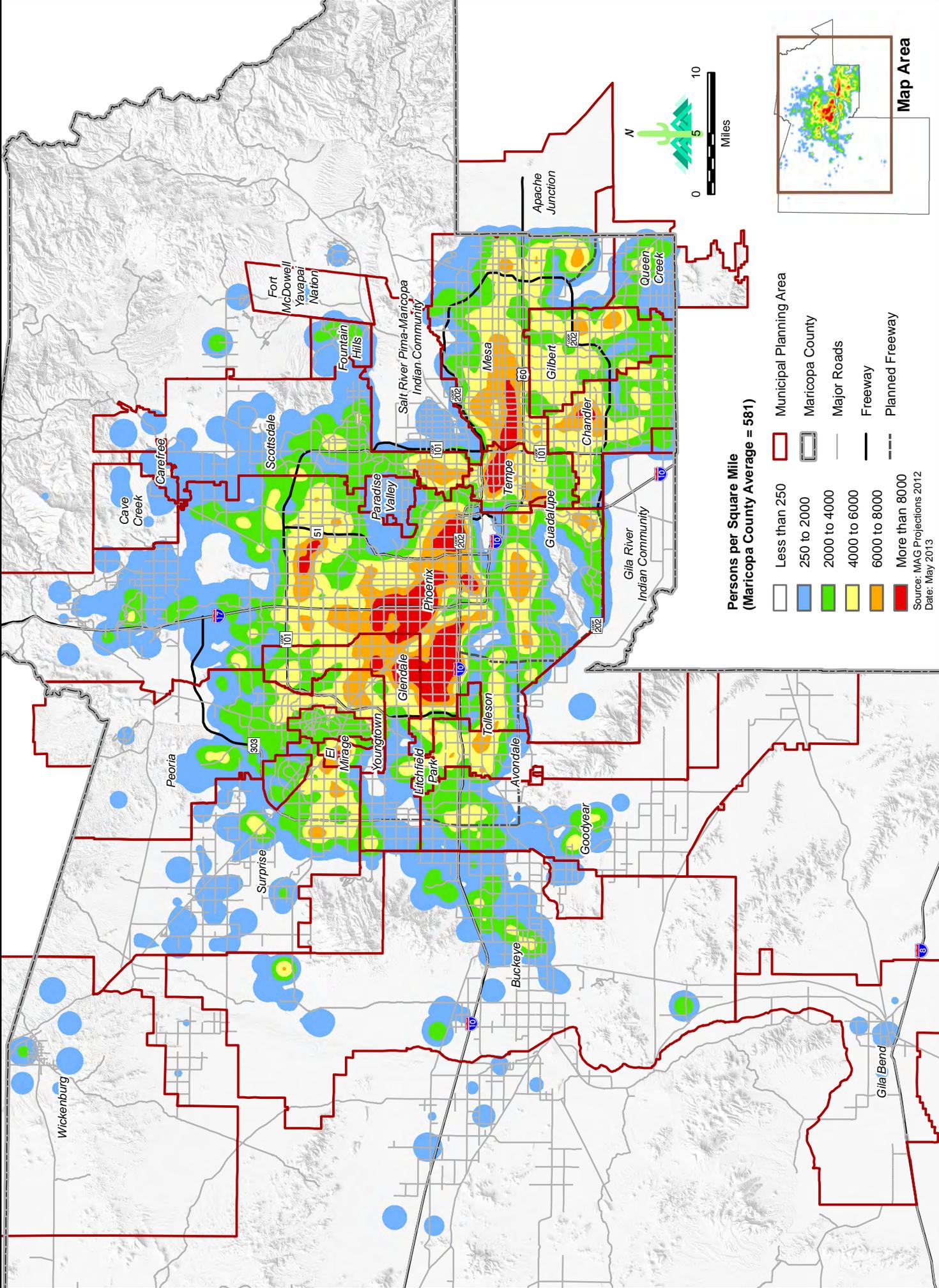
**Persons per Square Mile  
(Maricopa County Average = 489)**

	Less than 250		Municipal Planning Area
	250 to 2000		Maricopa County
	2000 to 4000		Major Roads
	4000 to 6000		Freeway
	6000 to 8000		Planned Freeway
	More than 8000		

Source: MAG Projections 2012  
Date: May 2013



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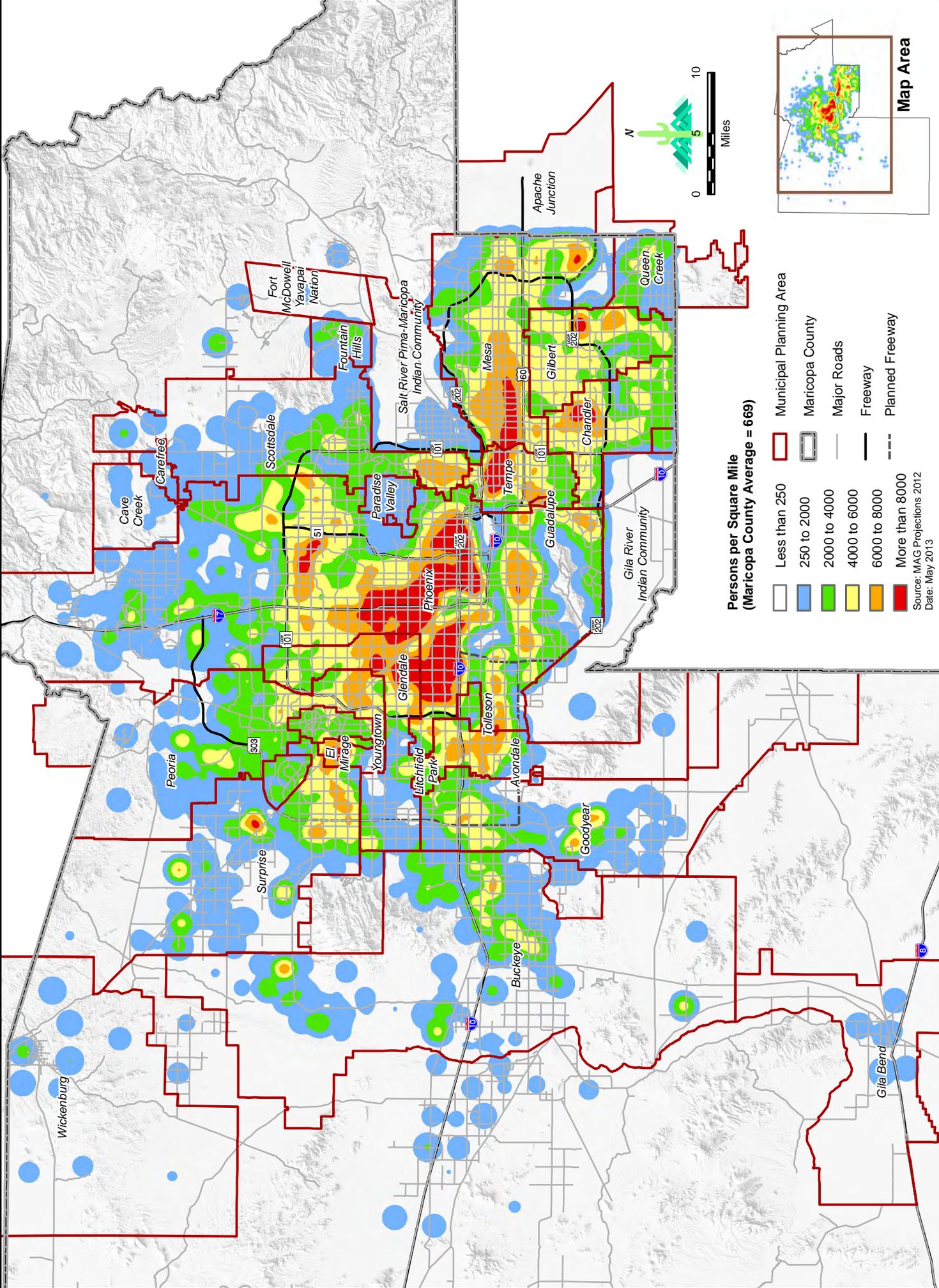


Persons per Square Mile  
(Maricopa County Average = 581)

- Less than 250
  - 250 to 2000
  - 2000 to 4000
  - 4000 to 6000
  - 6000 to 8000
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- Municipal Planning Area
  - Maricopa County
  - Major Roads
  - Freeway
  - Planned Freeway

Source: MAG Projections 2012  
Date: May 2013

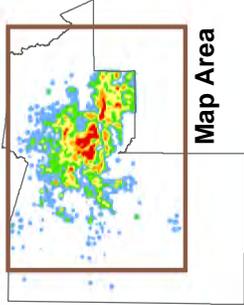
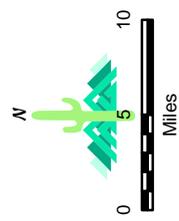
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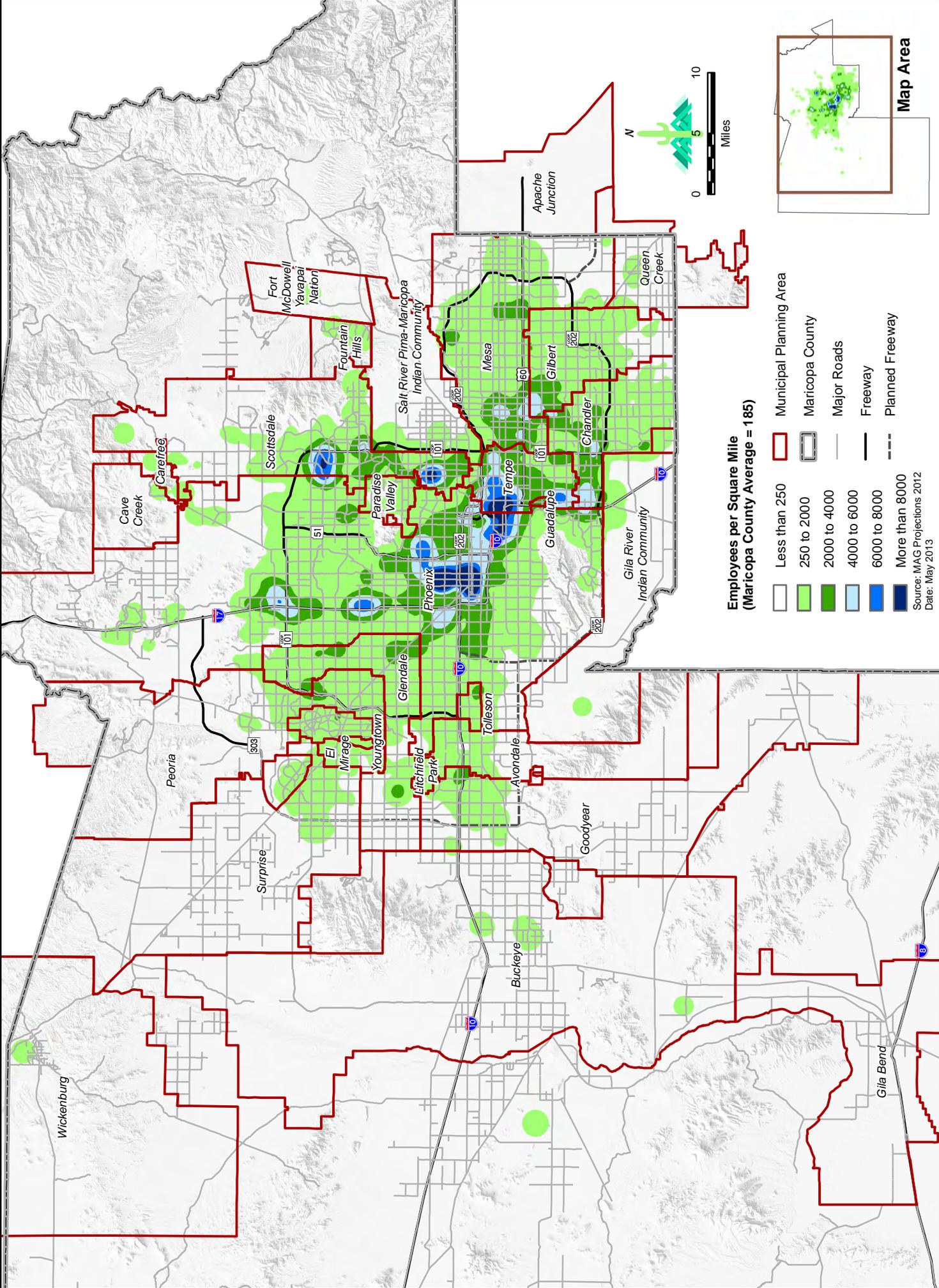
Persons per Square Mile  
(Maricopa County Average = 669)

- Less than 250
  - 250 to 2000
  - 2000 to 4000
  - 4000 to 6000
  - 6000 to 8000
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- Municipal Planning Area
  - Maricopa County
  - Major Roads
  - Freeway
  - Planned Freeway

Source: MAG Projections 2012  
Date: May 2013



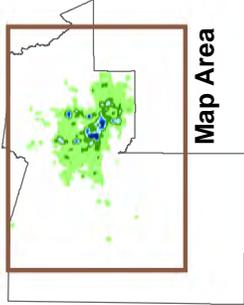
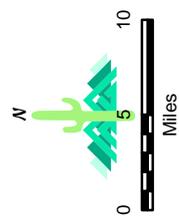
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Employees per Square Mile  
(Maricopa County Average = 185)

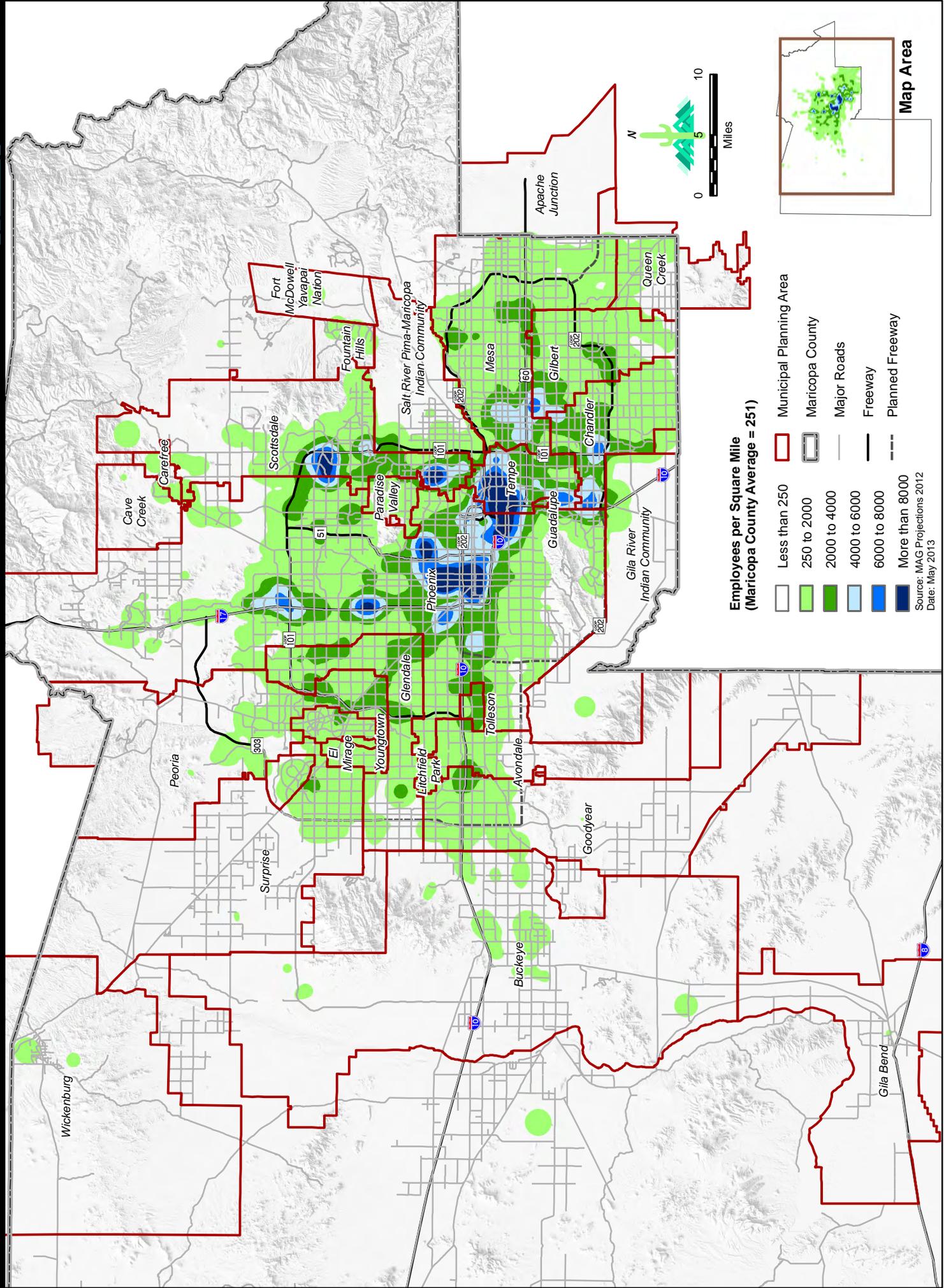
- Less than 250
- 250 to 2000
- 2000 to 4000
- 4000 to 6000
- 6000 to 8000
- Municipal Planning Area
- Maricopa County
- Major Roads
- Freeway
- Planned Freeway

Source: MAG Projections 2012  
Date: May 2013

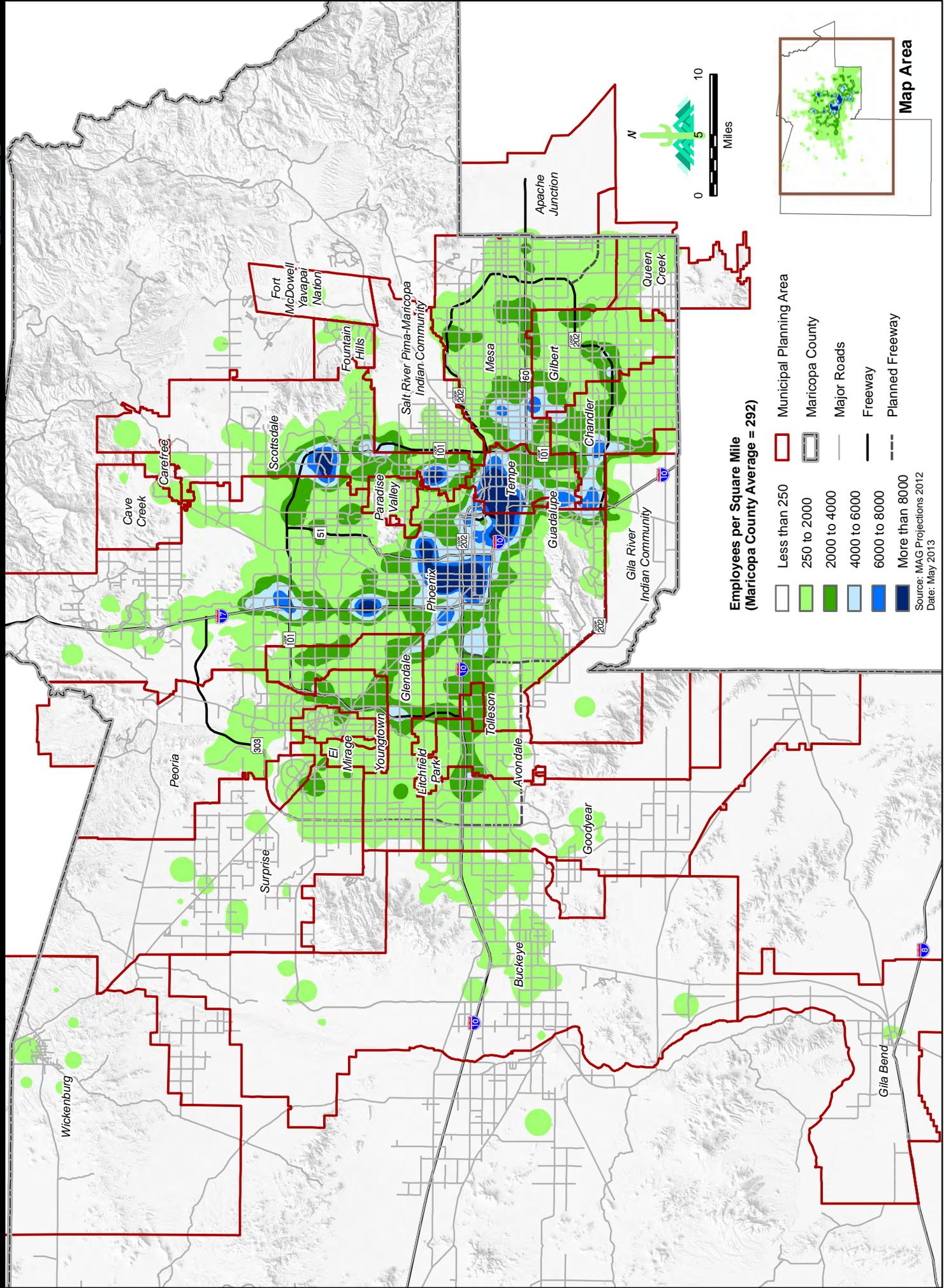


Map Area

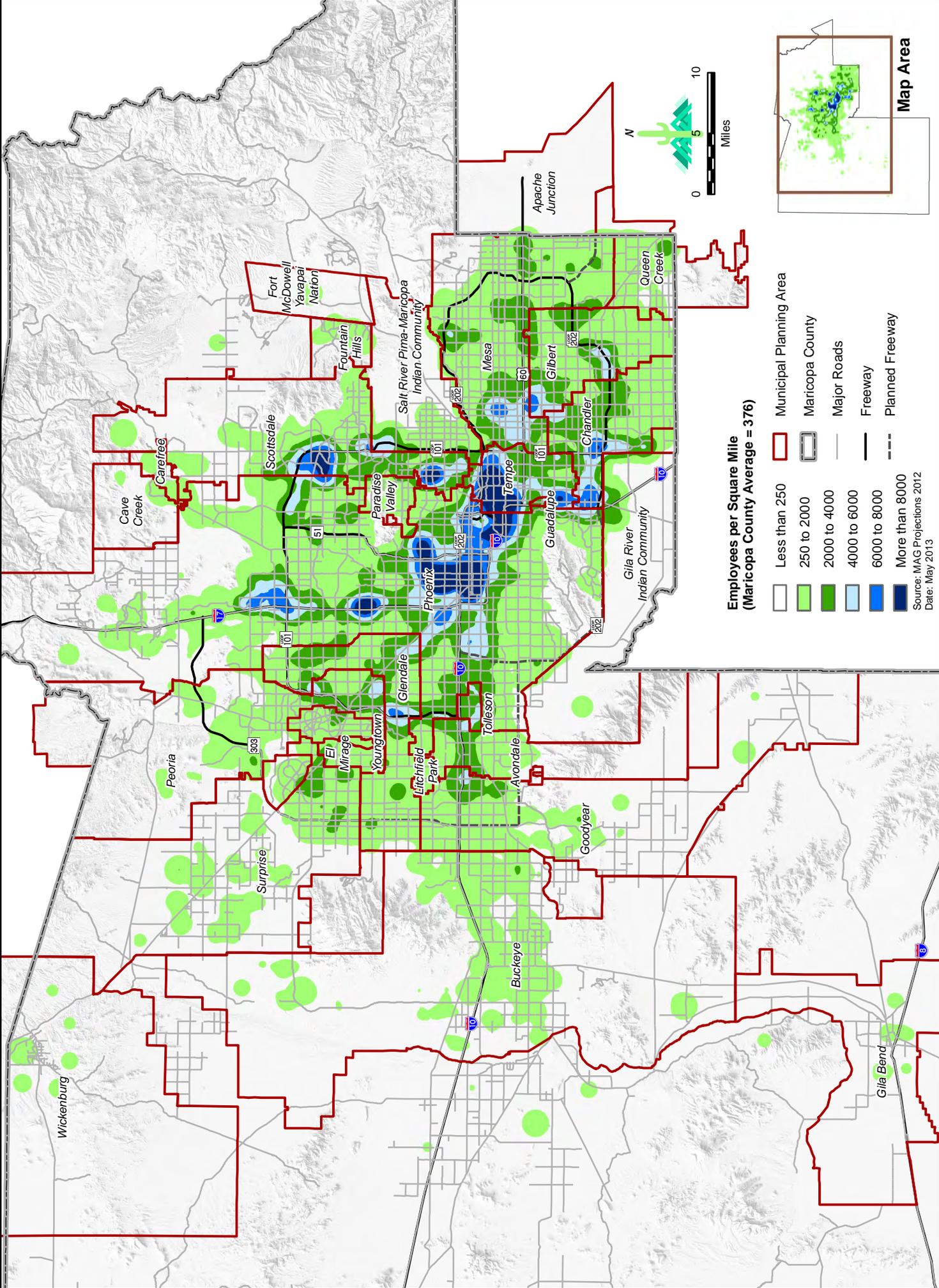
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# Employment Concentration, 2030, Maricopa County, Arizona



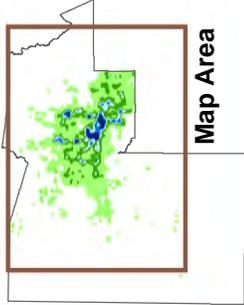
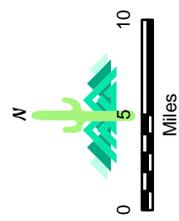
# Employment Concentration, 2040, Maricopa County, Arizona



Employees per Square Mile  
(Maricopa County Average = 376)

- Less than 250
- 250 to 2000
- 2000 to 4000
- 4000 to 6000
- 6000 to 8000
- Municipal Planning Area
- Maricopa County
- Major Roads
- Freeway
- Planned Freeway

Source: MAG Projections 2012  
Date: May 2013



Map Area

## **NOTES AND CAVEATS FOR 2013 PROJECTIONS**

1. The projections by Municipal Planning Area (MPA) and Regional Analysis Zone (RAZ) were prepared to be consistent with the April 1, 2010 Census and have been prepared for July 1<sup>st</sup> of the base year 2010 and projected for July 1<sup>st</sup> of 2020, 2030, and 2040.
2. The 2010 housing and population base was developed by aggregating Census 2010 data to Traffic Analysis Zones. Census place mismatches were corrected in this process and are reflected in the Base 2010 MPA and RAZ numbers.
3. The population projections are for resident population only and do not include nonresident seasonal or transient population.
4. The projections are required to use the latest Census as the base. The 2010 Census data were released in July 2011. Subsequent to the release, the Arizona Department of Administration, Office of Employment and Population Statistics, prepared a new set of Maricopa County projections consistent with the 2010 Decennial Census. These County projections were recommended for approval by the MAG Population Technical Advisory Committee (POPTAC) in October 2012 and the Management Committee in November 2012. The projections were approved by the Regional Council in December 2012.
5. The MAG socioeconomic projections by MPA and RAZ were recommended for approval by the MAG POPTAC on May 28, 2013 and by the MAG Management Committee on June 12, 2013. The projections were approved by MAG Regional Council on June 19, 2013.
6. The projections include the Maricopa County portion of Apache Junction, Gila River Indian Community, Peoria, Queen Creek and Wickenburg only.
7. The projections were based upon the latest version of each member agency's land use plan. These plans are subject to change.
8. The databases and assumptions upon which the projections are based have been reviewed by MAG member agencies, revised by MAG staff based on input received and approved by members of the MAG POPTAC.
9. The projections are based upon previous review and local insight by members of the MAG POPTAC.
10. The "other" employment category includes work-at-home, construction employment, and non-site based employment. Because construction and non-site based employment follows development, employment projections may show declines in future years.
11. The projections should be used with caution. They are subject to change as a result of fluctuation in economic and development conditions, local development policies and updated data.