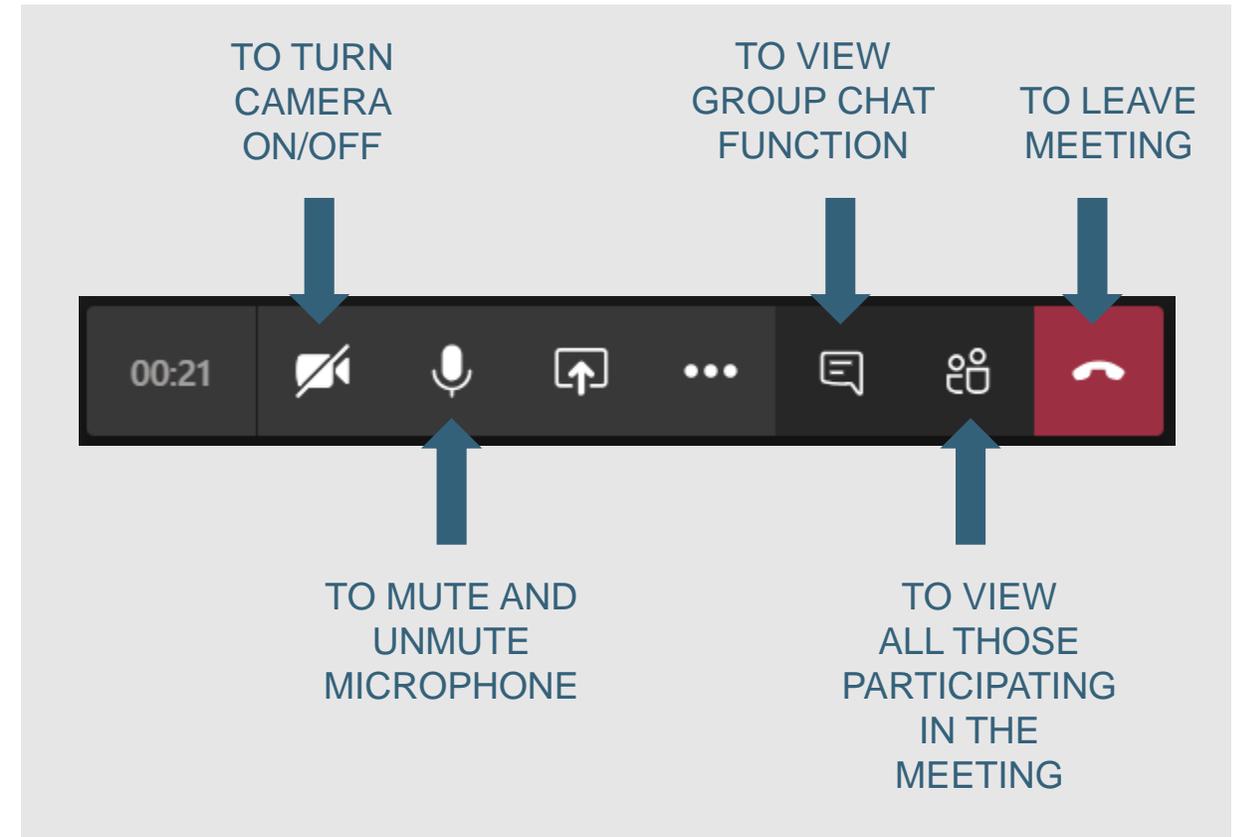


WELCOME!



The Regional Policy Roundtable meeting will begin shortly.

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REGIONAL POLICY ROUNDTABLE



Ben Collins, Chair
February 23, 2021



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AGENDA



1. **Welcome and Introductions** – Ben Collins, Chair
2. **Kirwan Institute Update** – Kyle Strickland
3. **Transit Funding Update** – Aslyne Rodriguez
4. **Public Policy Agenda Update** – Joe Garrity
5. **Legislative Update** – Joe Garrity and Steve Tugend
6. **Central Ohio Defense Group Update**– Joe Garrity and Steve Tugend
7. **OTHER:** – OPEN



REGIONAL POLICY ROUNDTABLE UPDATE



BEN COLLINS, CHAIR
MORPC REGIONAL POLICY ROUNDTABLE



MEDIA COVERAGE OF THE PUBLIC POLICY AGENDA



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Government & Regulations

MORPC sets public policy goals for 2021-22

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Protestors took to the streets of downtown Columbus in the days after the death of George Floyd while in police custody in Minneapolis.

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By Carrie Ghose - Staff reporter, Columbus Business First
Jan 21, 2021, 1:06pm EST

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TRANSIT FUNDING UPDATE



ASLYNE RODRIGUEZ, DIRECTOR OF GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS
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How Kirwan Approaches Our Work

RACE & COGNITION

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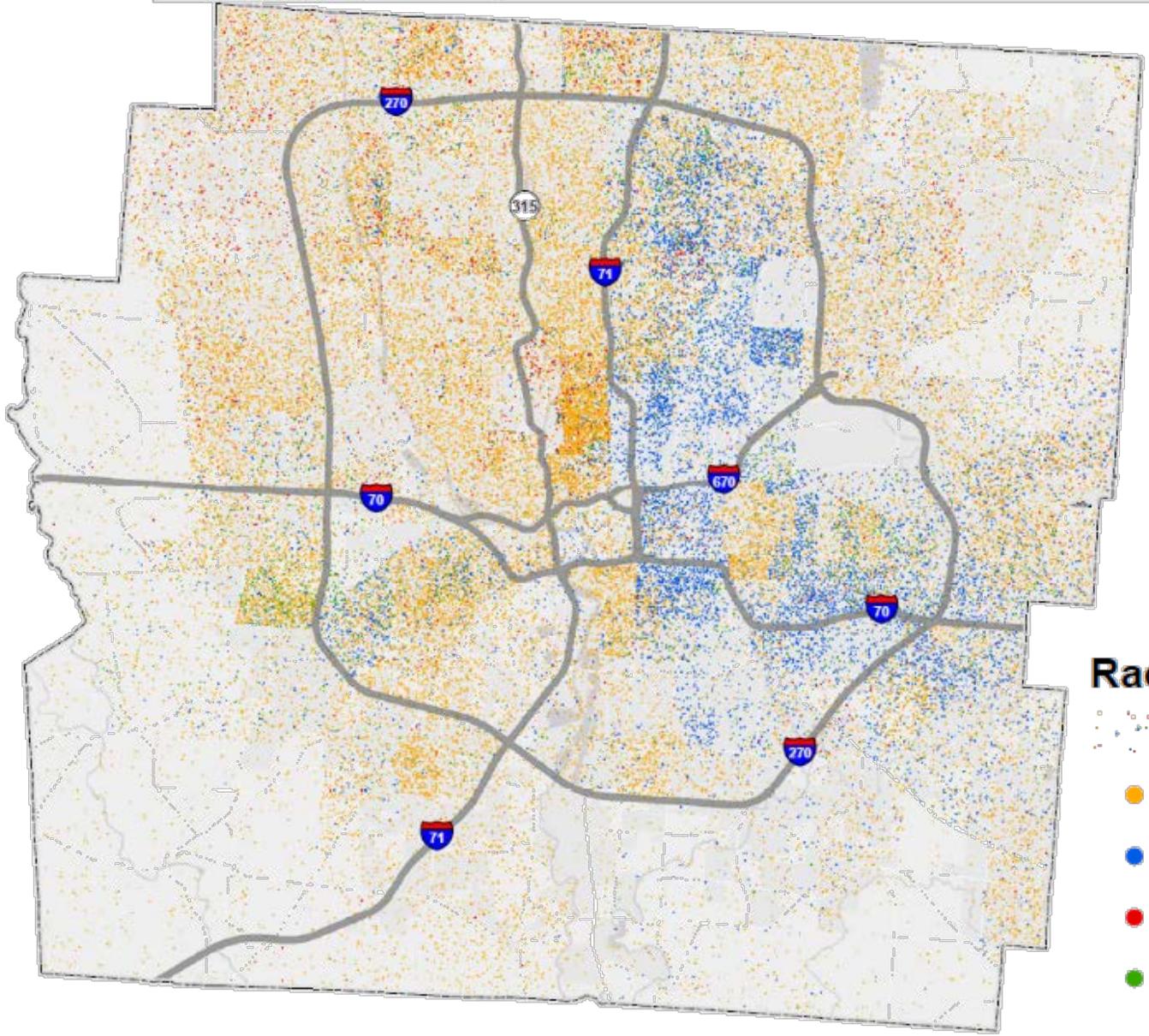
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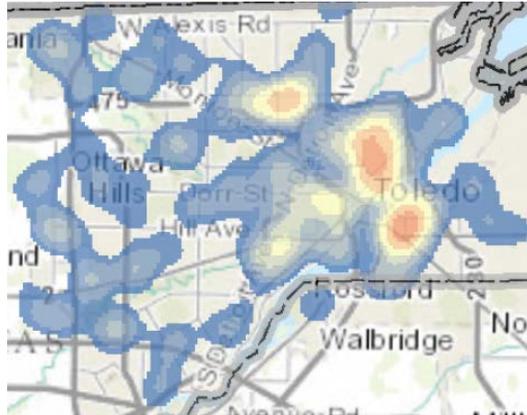
Racial Distribution Map



Race / Ethnicity

- 1 Dot = 20
- White (non-Hispanic)
- Black (non-Hispanic)
- Asian (non-Hispanic)
- Hispanic (Any race)

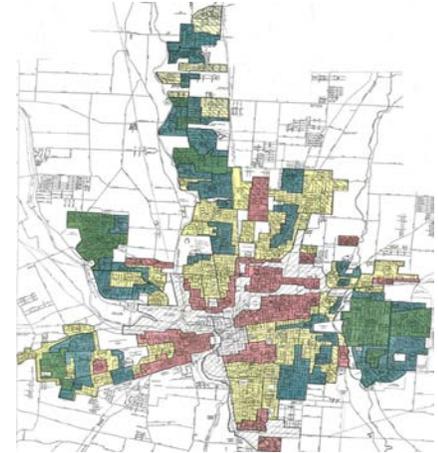
Long-term impacts of discriminatory laws and policies



“Million Dollar Blocks”
Infant Mortality, LBW
Asthma
Lead
Diabetes

Racial Wealth Gap
City Services and Maintenance

Redlining



Crime & Safety,
Health Problems

Disinvestment
Housing Decline
Predatory Lending
Property Value Loss

Foreclosure &
Vacancy

Asset Wealth Loss,
Dwindling Tax Base



How do we build more equitable communities?

- Understand the role of systems and policy
- Promote policies that address structural drivers of inequality
- Be both holistic & strategic (Identifying strategic points of change)
- Focus on engagement & local capacity



Equity & Justice



Creating a Cycle of Equity



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PUBLIC POLICY AGENDA UPDATE



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GOALS



**GOAL 1:
REGIONALISM**



**GOAL 2:
TRANSPORTATION**



**GOAL 3:
SUSTAINABILITY**



**GOAL 4:
DATA & DIGITAL INFRASTRUCTURE**



**GOAL 5:
RACIAL & SOCIAL JUSTICE**

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11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

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