

Aging in Arborg



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Overview

- Introduction to Arborg
- Population and demographics
- Arborg today
- Land use
- Areas: Main, West, East, South
- Aging in Arborg
- Future

The town of Arborg



- 103 kilometres north of Winnipeg
- 1901 first settlement
- 1908 Polish and Ukrainian settlers arrived
- 1910 CPR reached the settlement
- January 1, 1964 Arborg became a Village
- October 10, 1997 Arborg became a Town

Seasonal temperatures



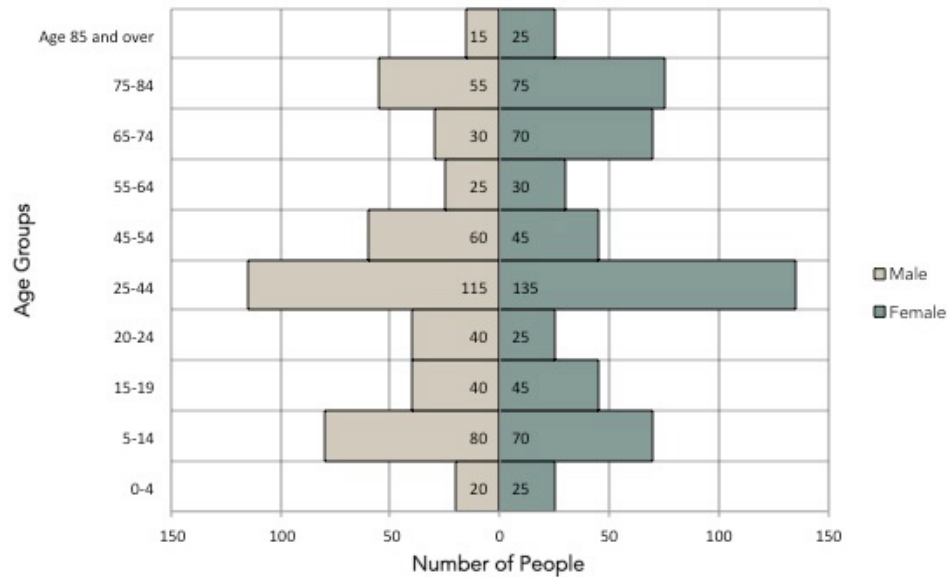
Fall
Average temperature
2.9°
Average Precipitation
40.9mm

Winter
Average temperature
-22°
Average Precipitation
17.5mm

Spring
Average temperature
1.7°
Average Precipitation
28.3mm

Summer
Average temperature
23.4°
Average Precipitation
75.8mm

1996 Arborg Population Pyramid



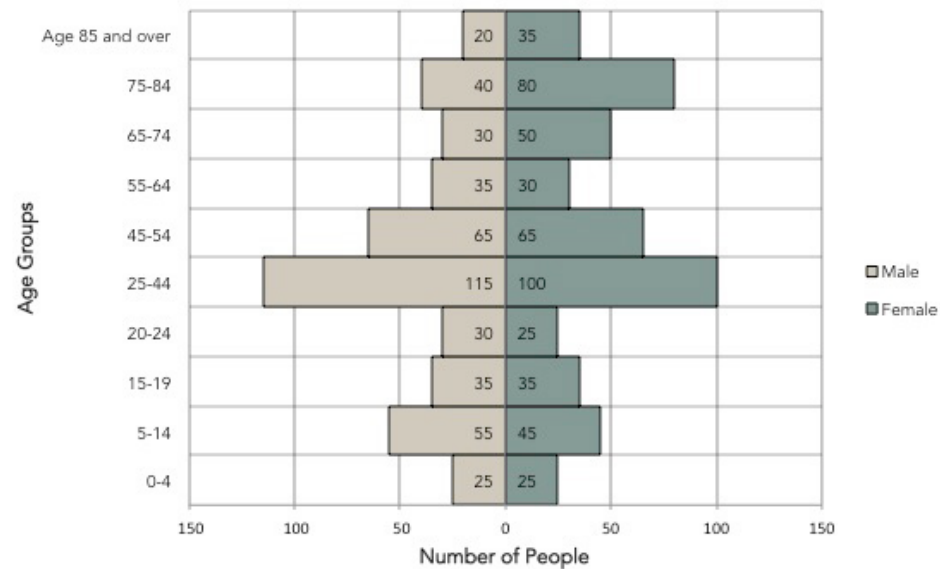
1996 Census Data

Total Population:
1012

Total Population over 65:
270

Percentage over 65:
26.67%

2001 Arborg Population Pyramid



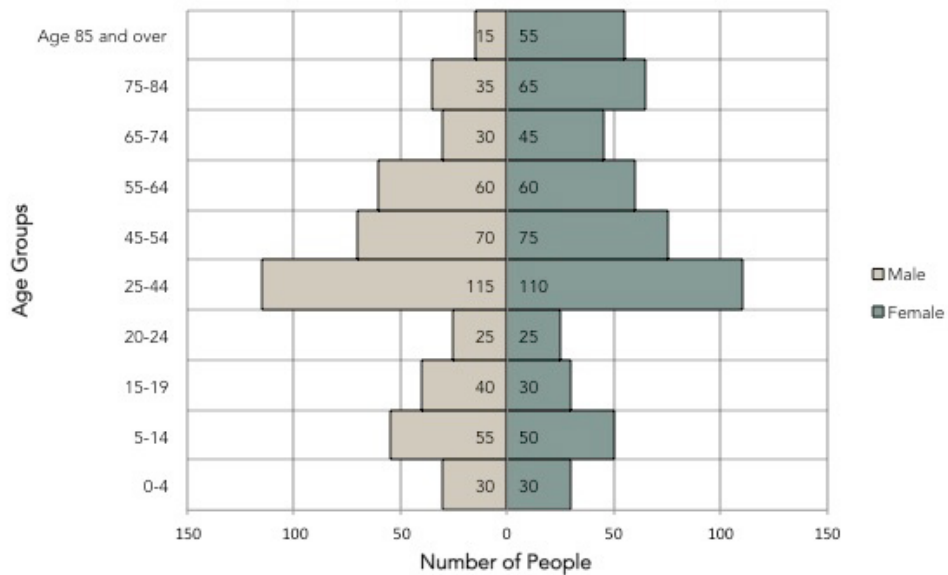
2001 Census Data

Total Population:
959

Total Population over 65:
265

Percentage over 65:
27.63%

2006 Arborg Population Pyramid



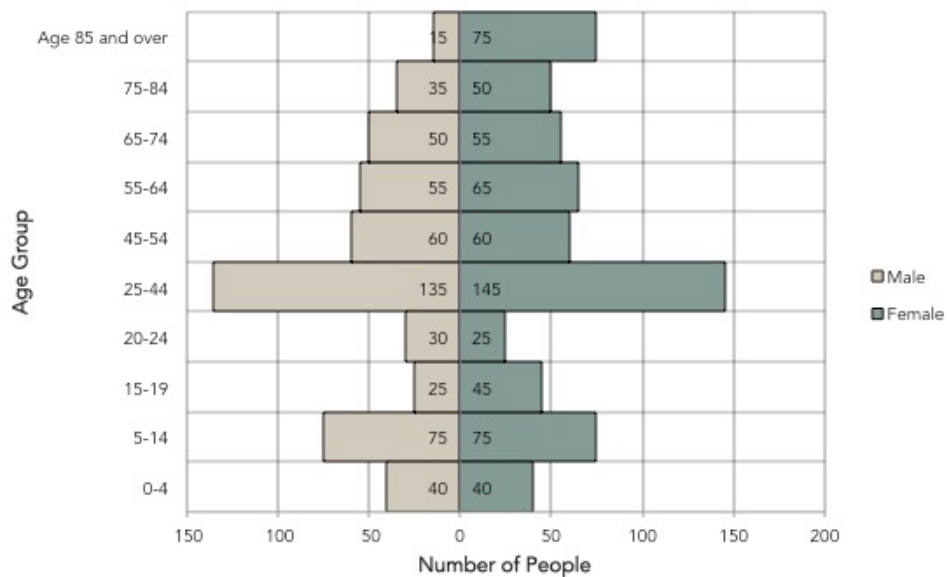
2006 Census Data

Total Population:
1021

Total Population over 65:
255

Percentage over 65:
24.97%

2011 Arborg Population Pyramid



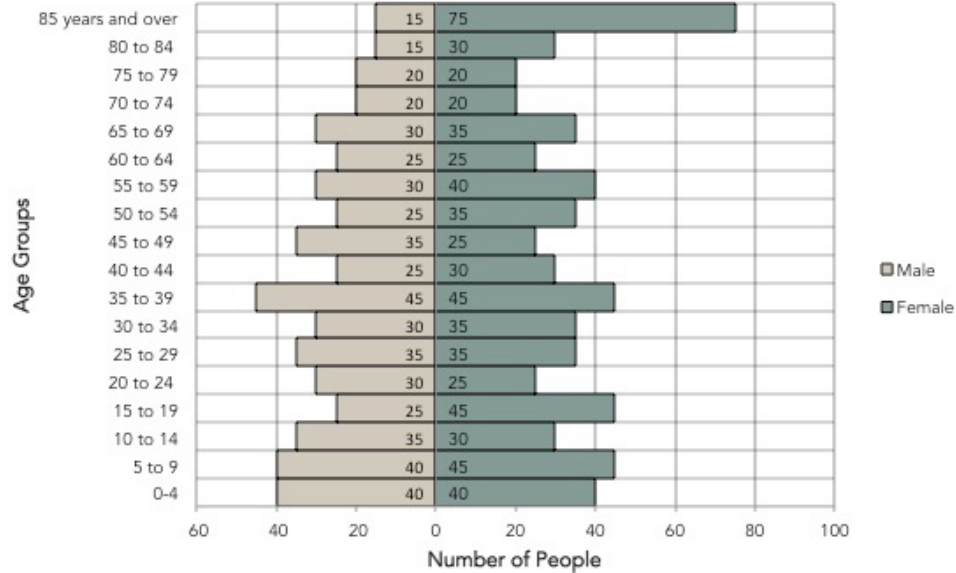
2011 Census Data

Total Population:
1152

Total Population over 65:
290

Percentage over 65:
25.17%

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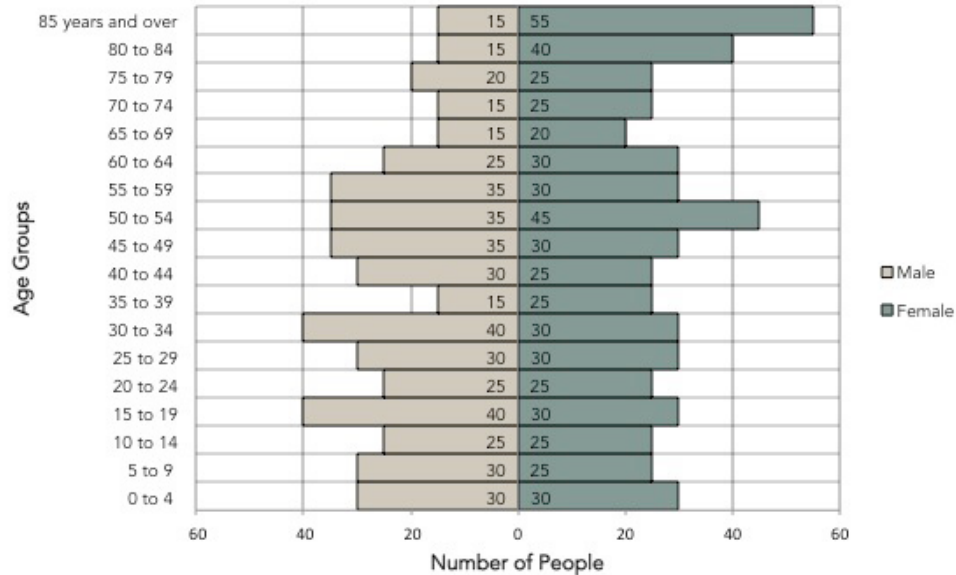
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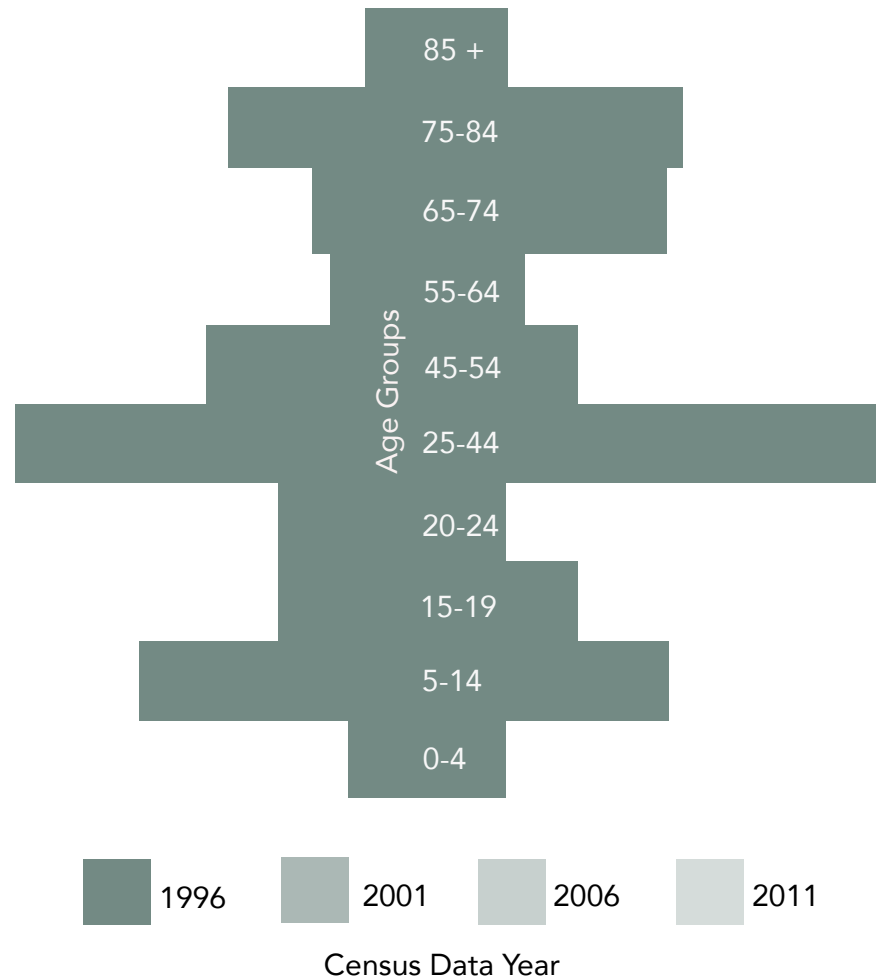
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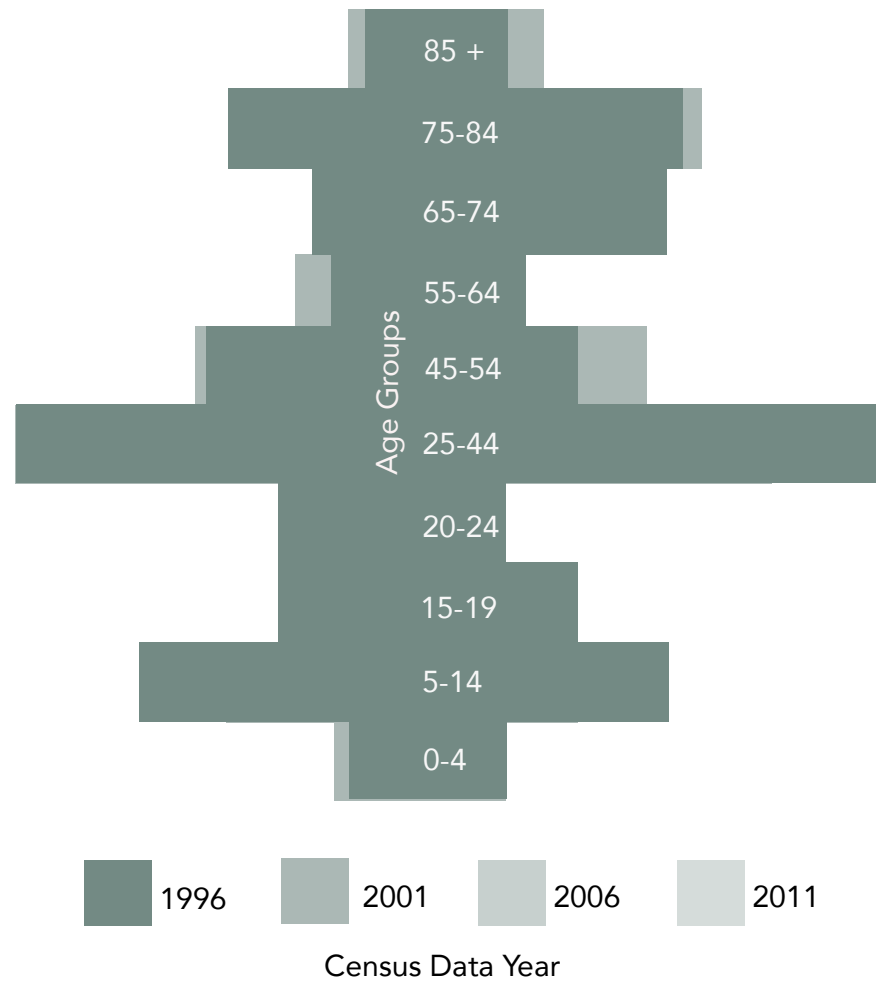
Demographic shift

Arborg Population Change 1996-2011



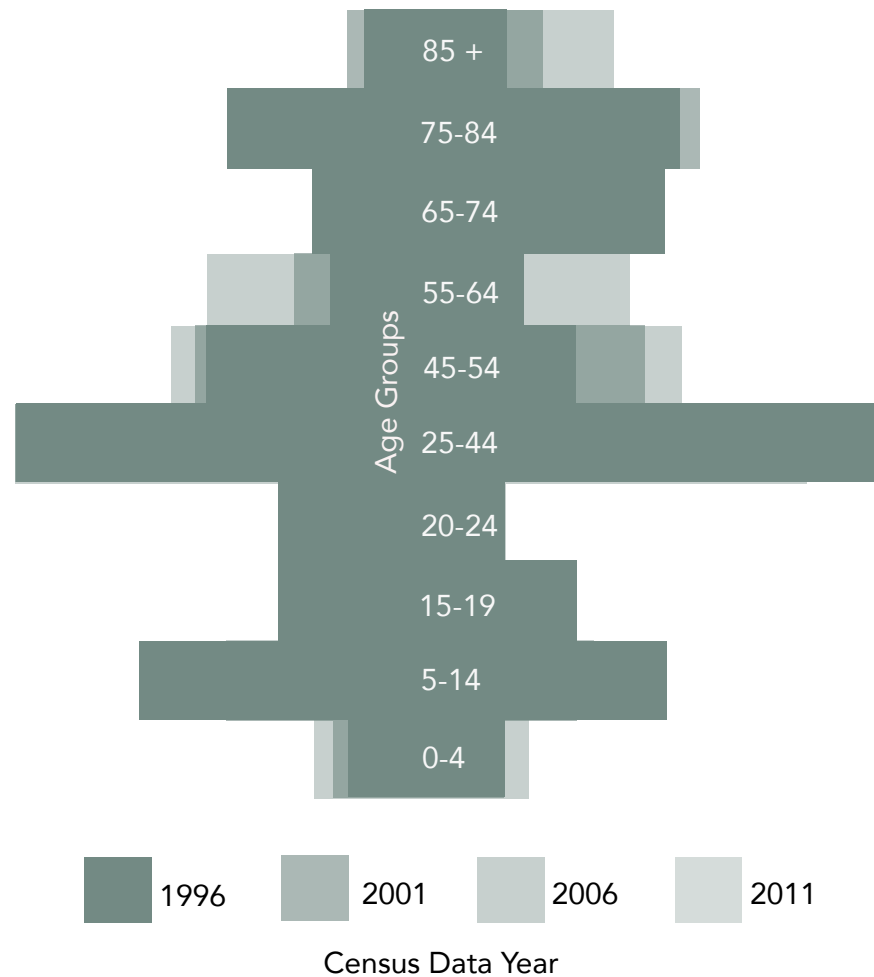
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Arborg today

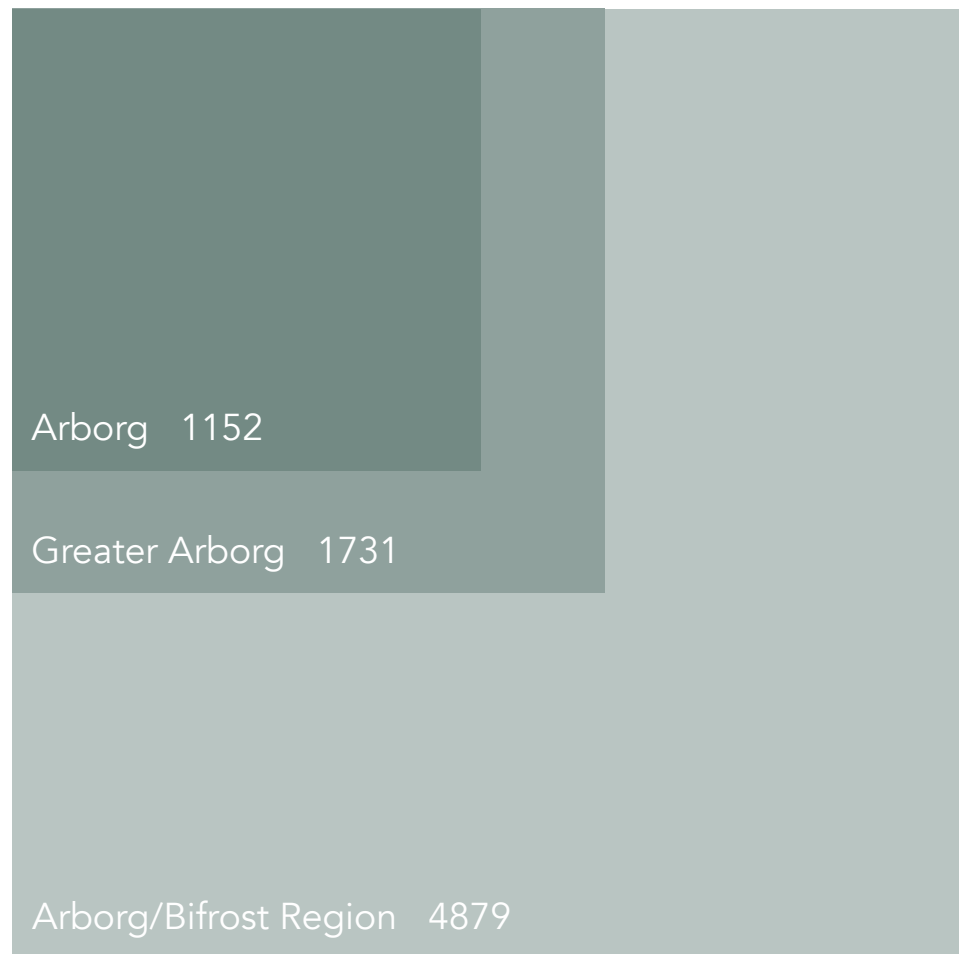
- 2011 census quotes population at 1,152
- Service and shopping centre for market area of aprox. 13,000
- Farming, livestock and manufacturing
- Showcases the multicultural history of the area in a working village- depicting rural Manitoba farming community

Amenities

A word cloud of community amenities. The words are arranged in a roughly circular pattern, with 'Automotive' and 'Health Services' being the largest. Other prominent words include 'Agricultural', 'Seniors' Housing', 'Recreation', 'Construction', and 'Government'. Smaller words like 'Fuel', 'Small Engine Repair', 'Trucking', 'News', 'Library', 'Computer', 'Legal Services', 'Grocery', 'Beauty', 'Dining', 'Worship', 'Vetrinarian', 'Schools', and 'Finances' are also present.

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Trucking Seniors' Housing
Automotive News Library Health Services
Computer Legal Services
Recreation Grocery Beauty Dining
Worship Vetrinarian Construction Real Estate
Government Schools Finances

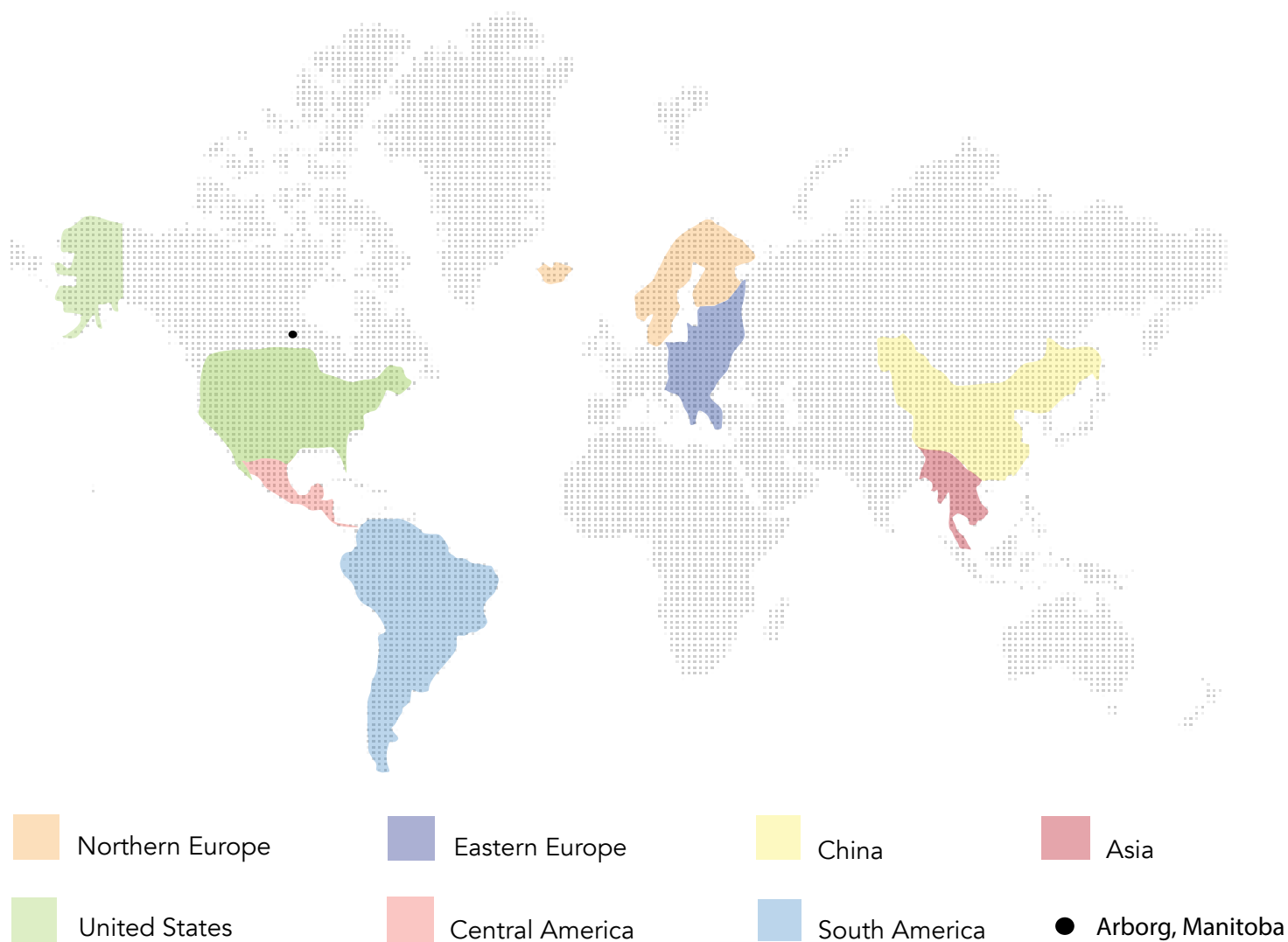
Population of Arborg and area



2010/2011 Data

Recent immigration

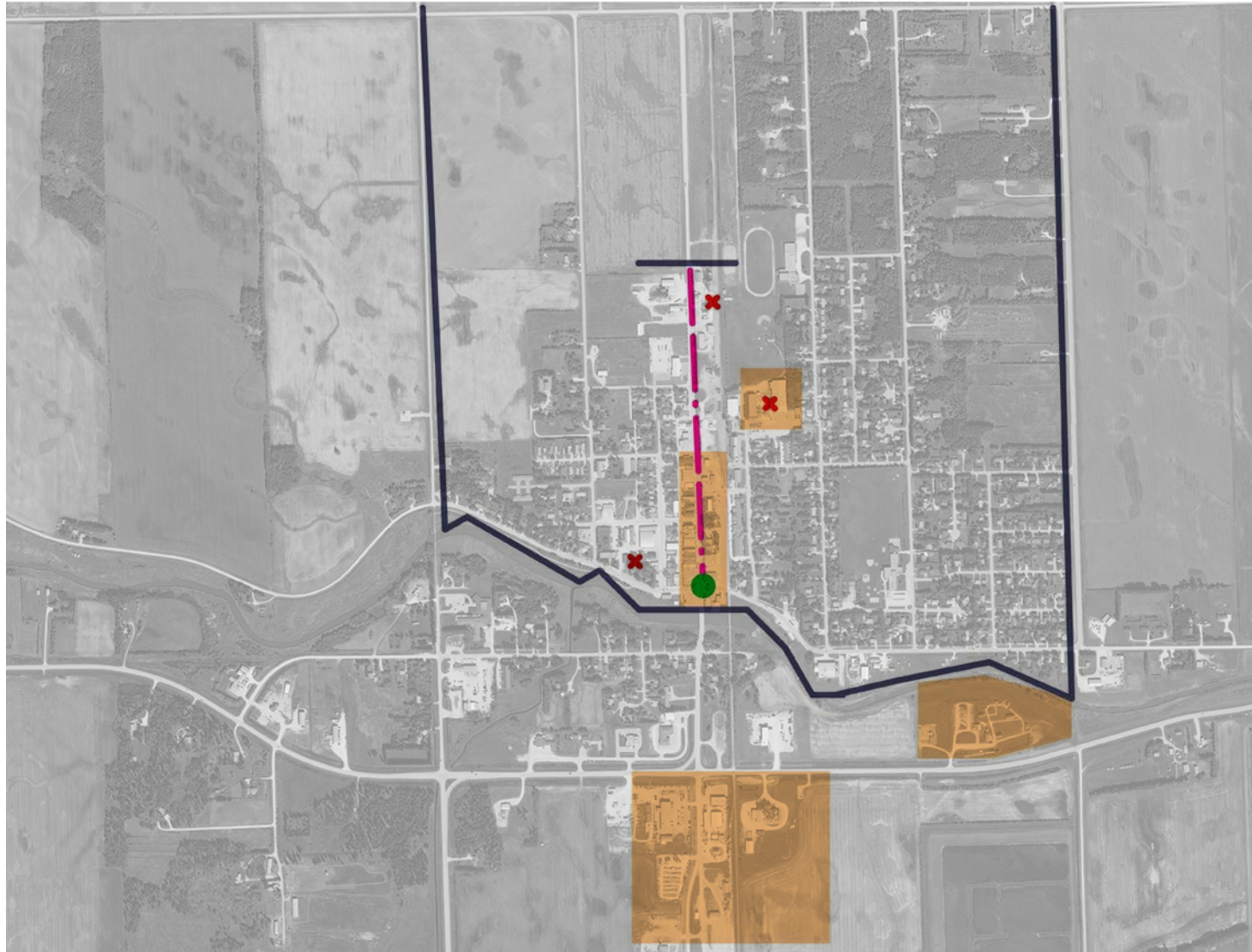
Arborg by Immigrant Status and Place of Birth
2005 Census Data



Arborg land use

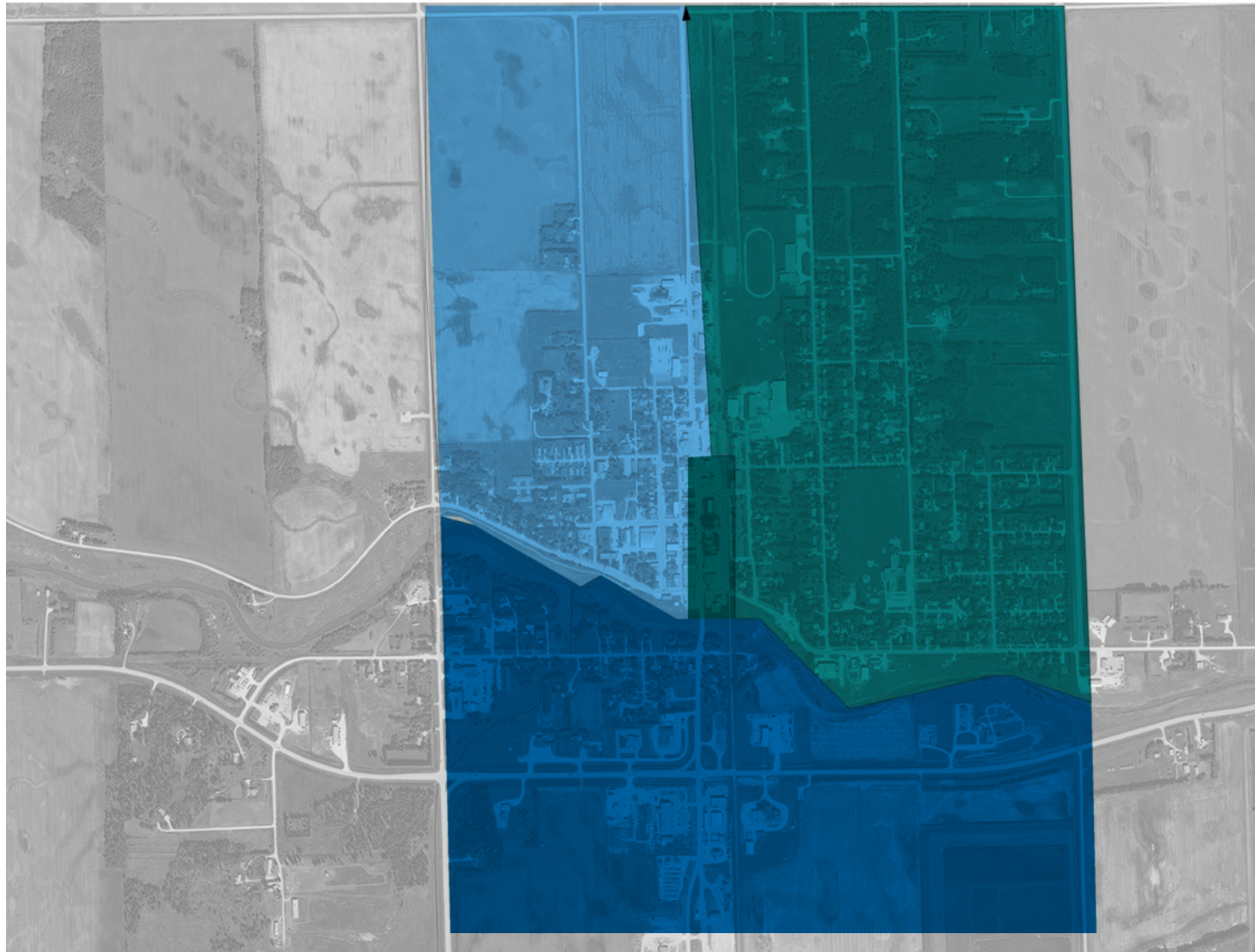


Arborg areas



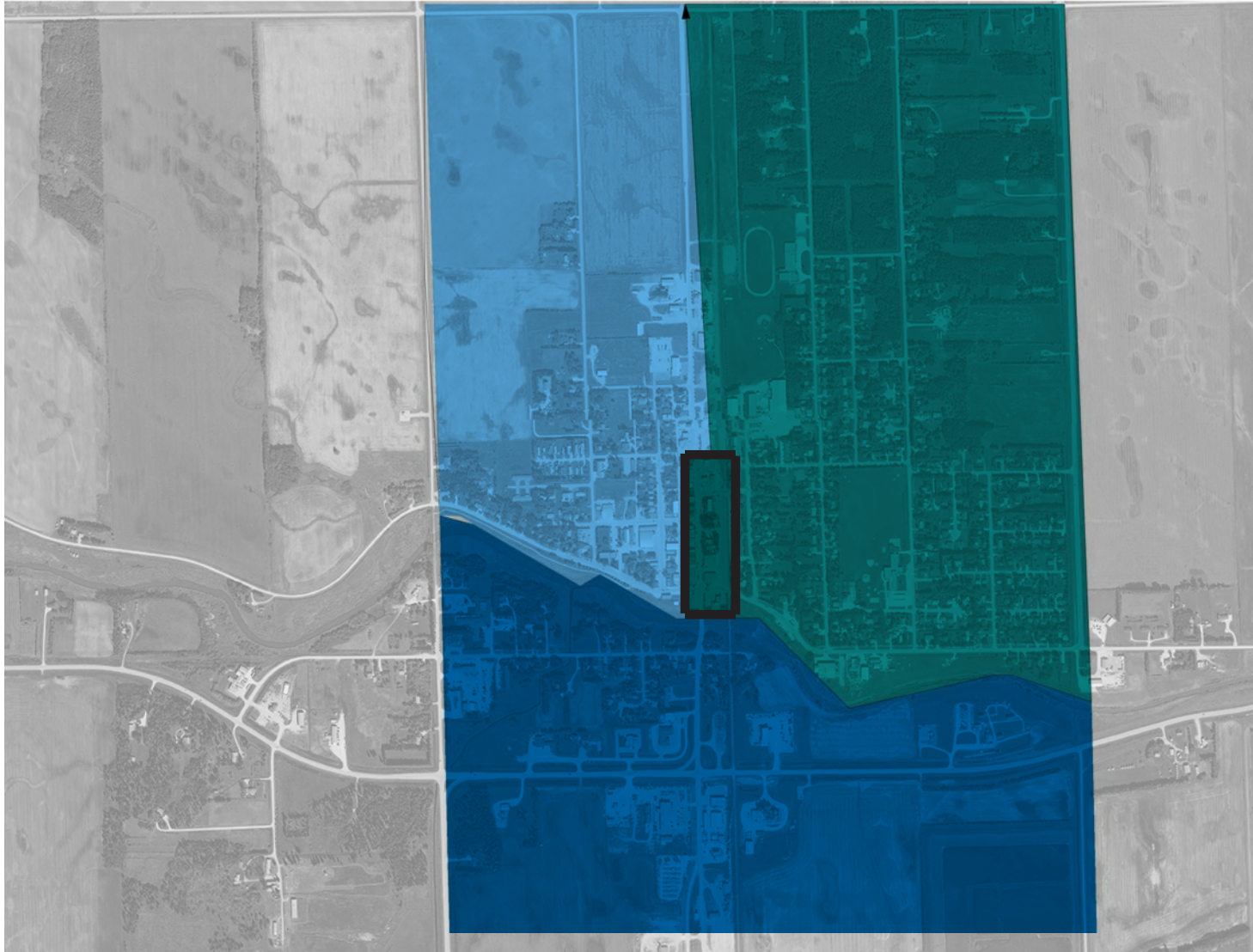
- ✕ Landmark
- Edge
- District
- Node
- Path

Arborg area map



- Main Street
- West
- East
- South

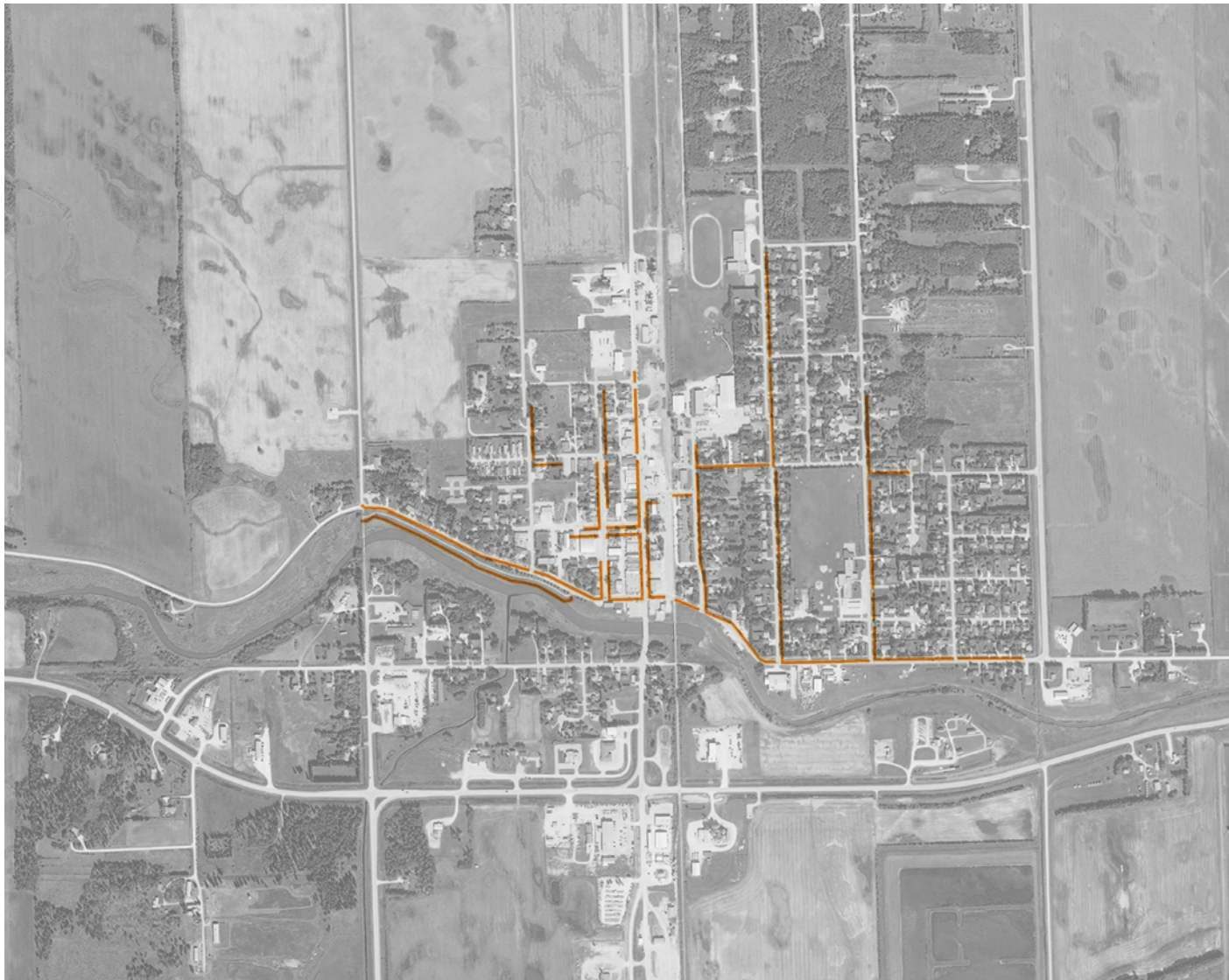
Area: Main



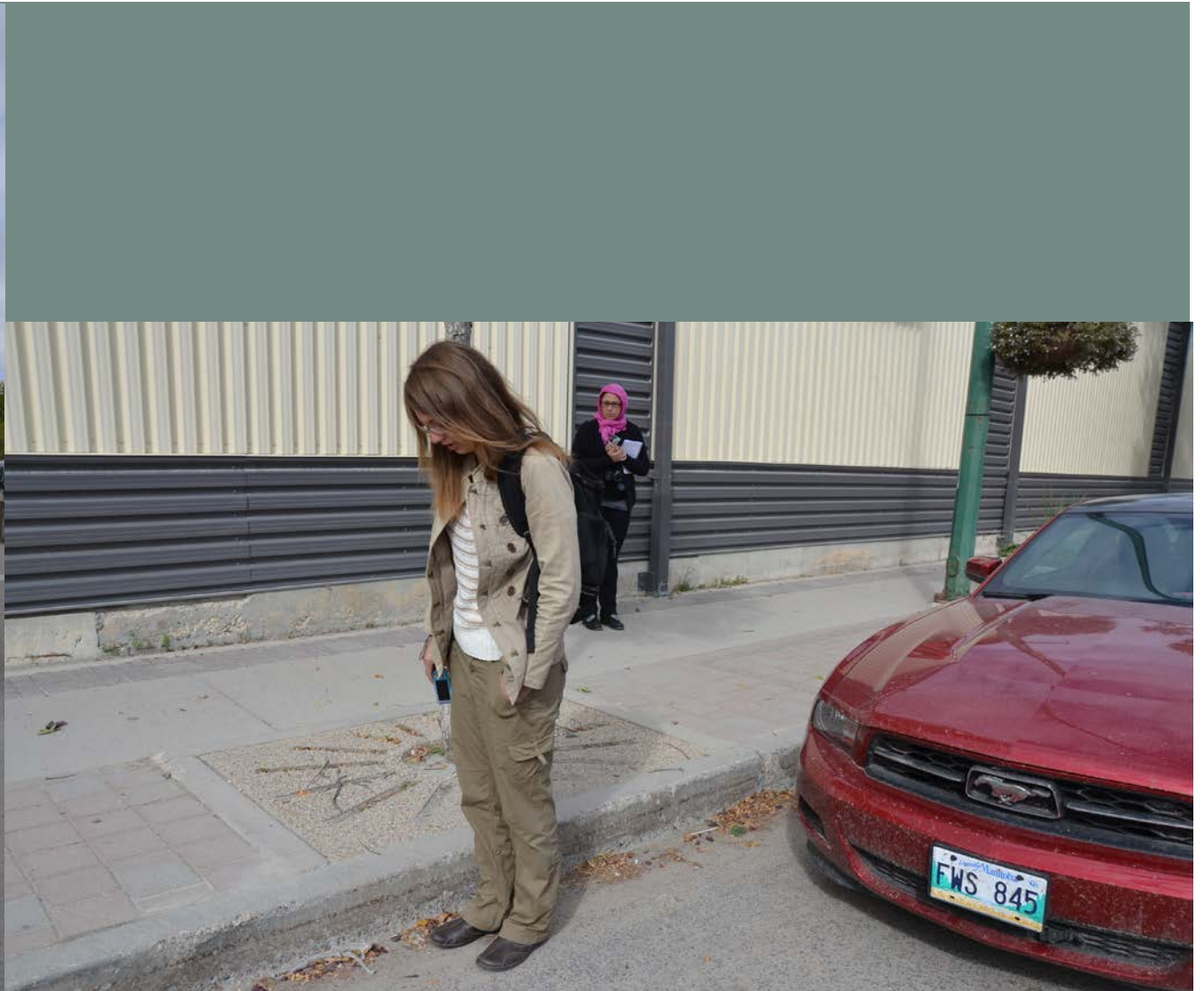
Walking distances



Sidewalks



Curb cuts



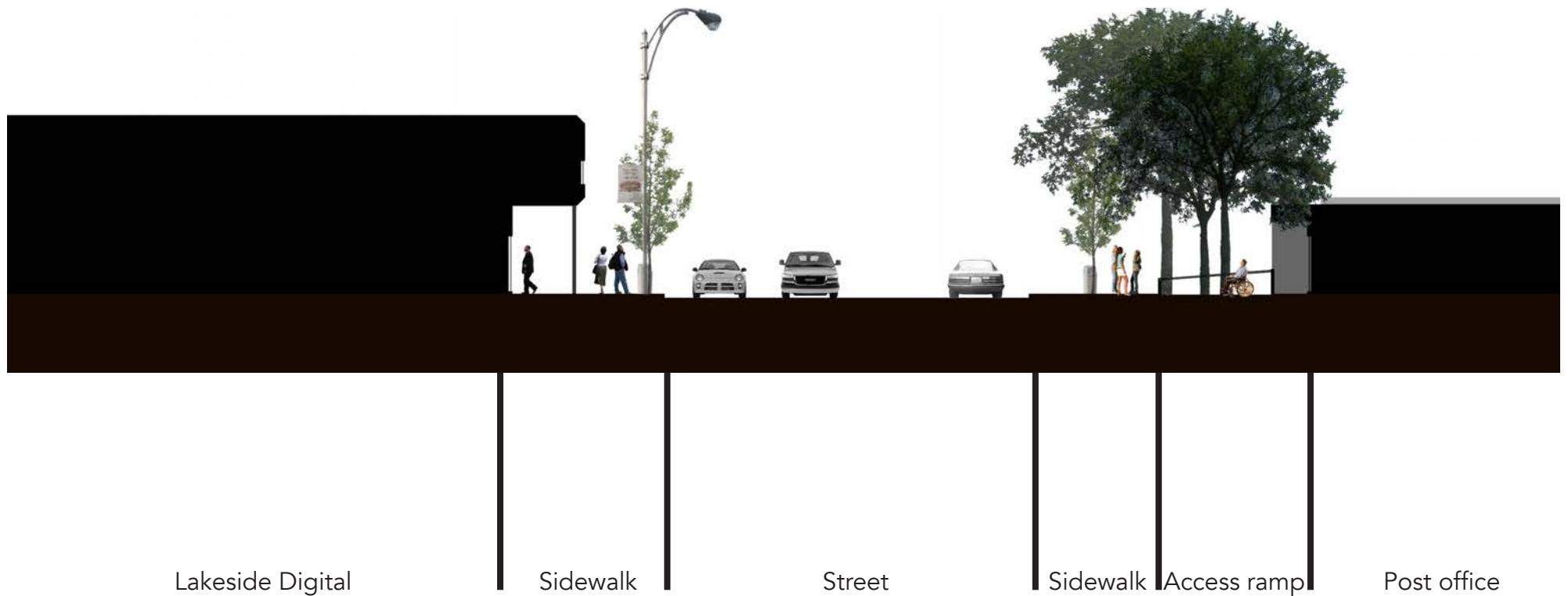
Crosswalk and accessibility



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Downtown section



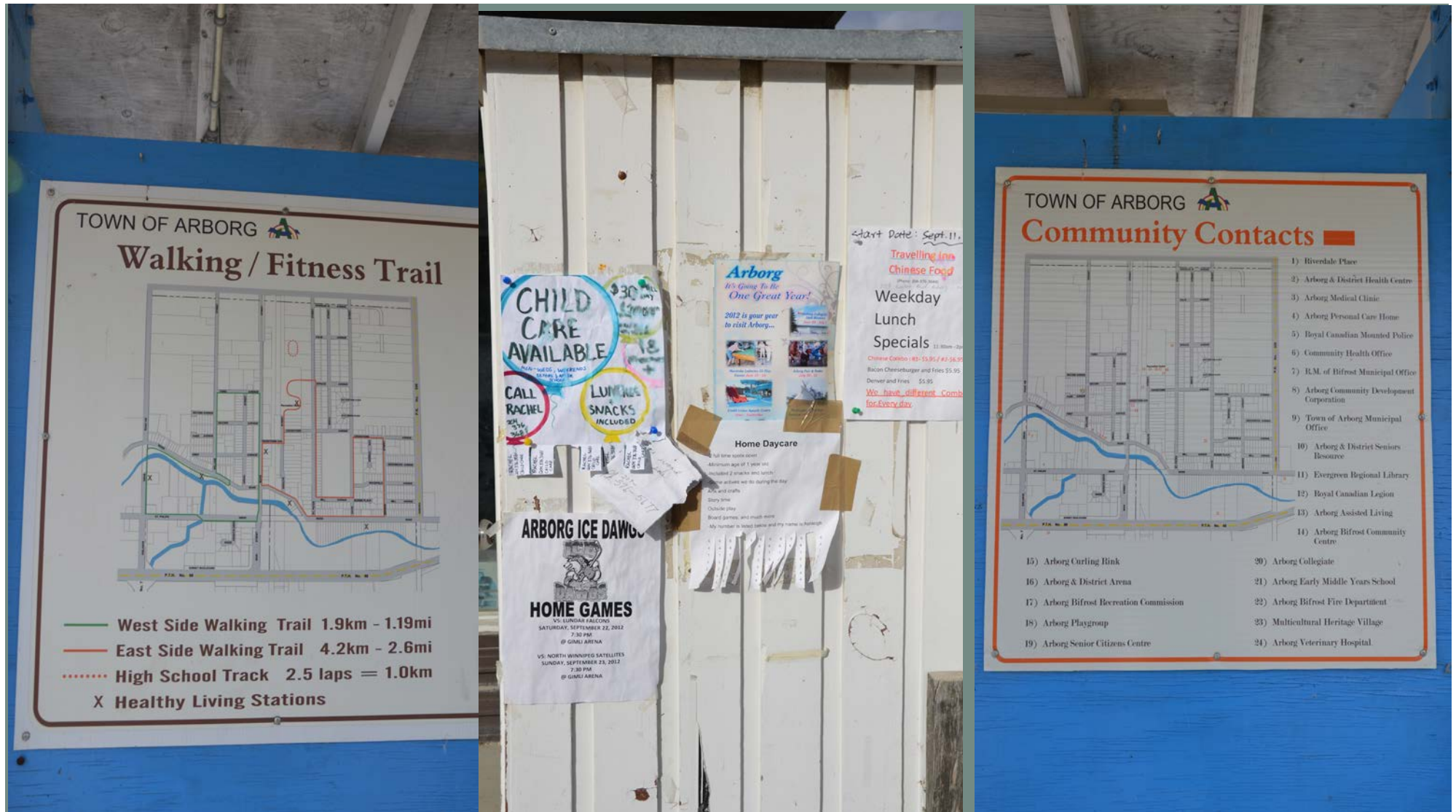
Street benches



Building accessibility



Information



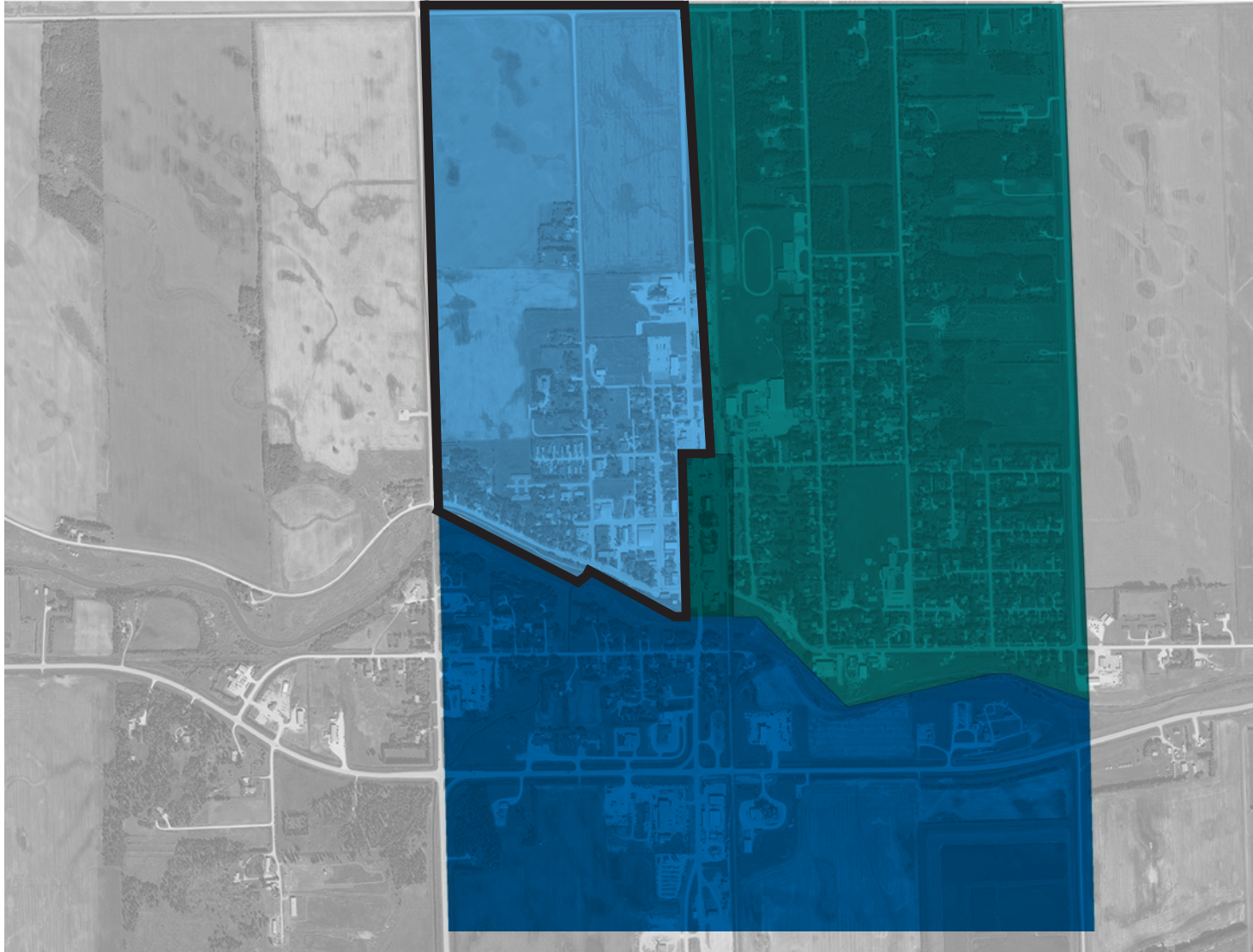
Unused space



Rail yards



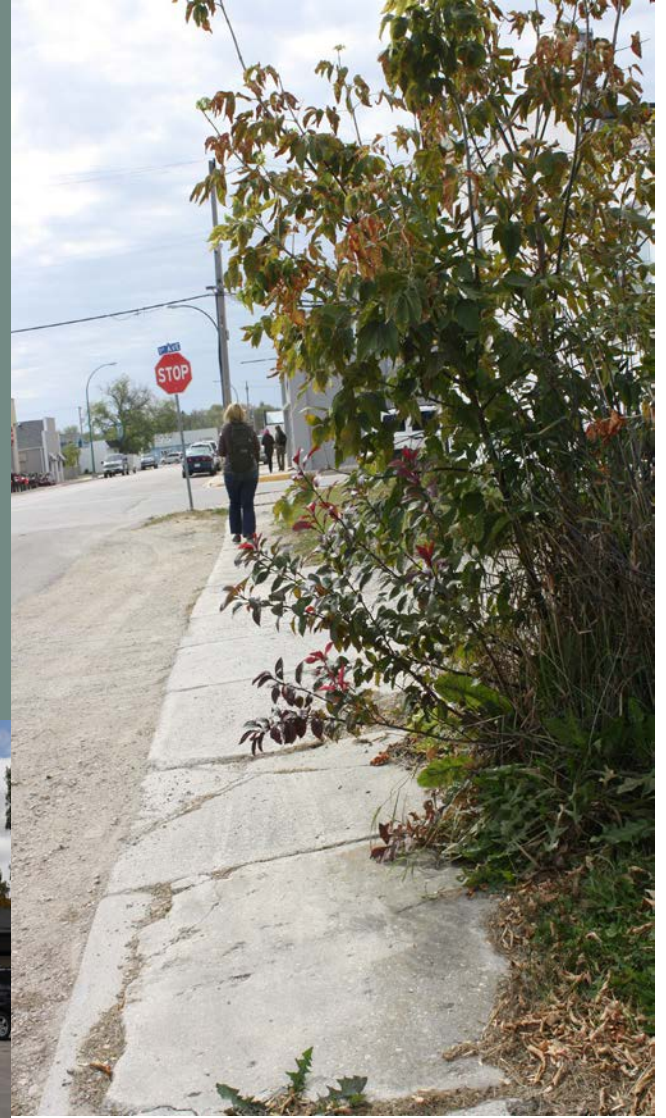
Area: West



Sidewalks



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Commercial



Housing

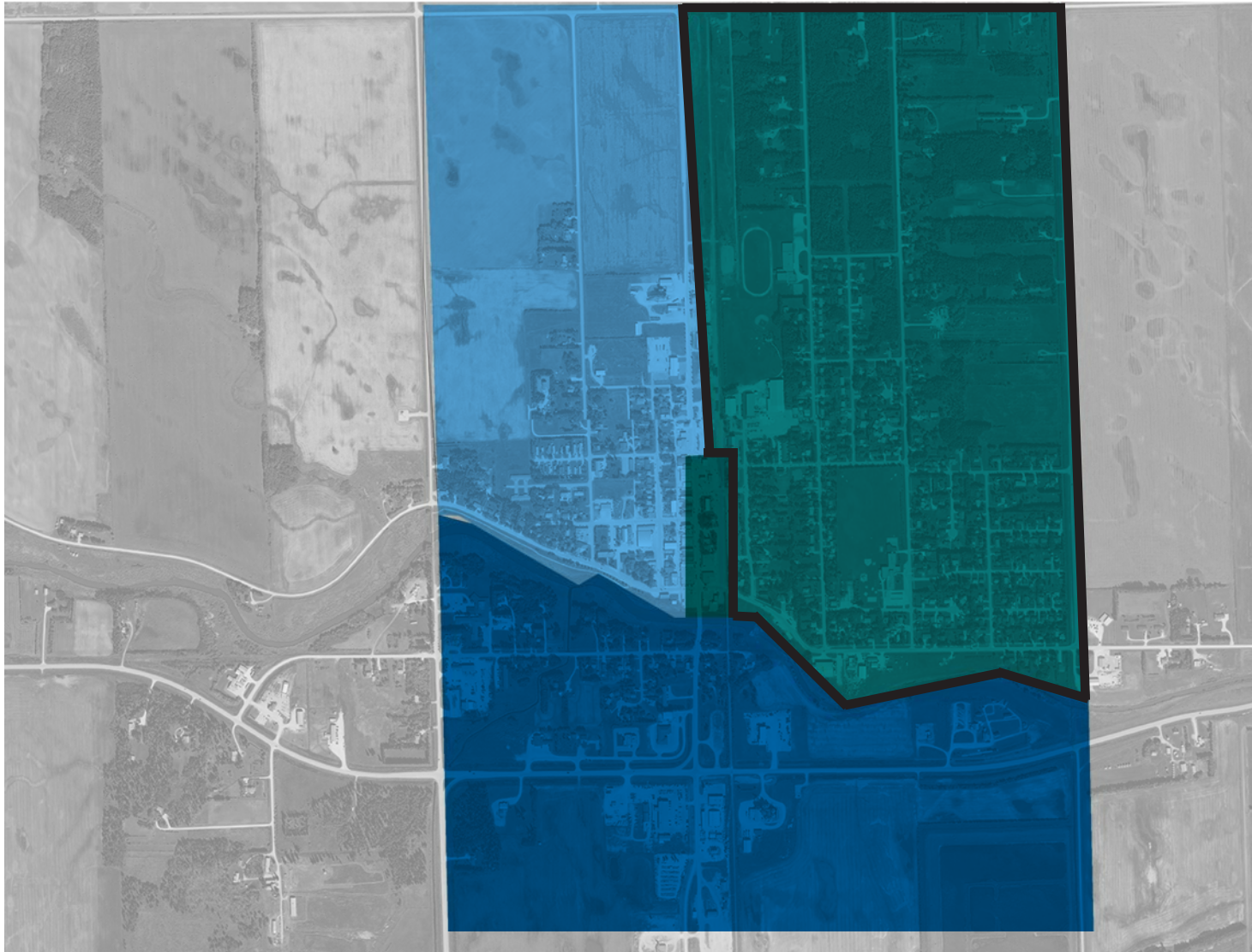


“The ability to live independently in ones own home depends on a range of factors, including good health, finances and the availability of support services (such as medical and personal care). Many older persons feel that they could continue to live in the homes they have inhabited for years or decades, but under certain conditions. For example, the availability of help with housework, gardening or repair work could enable seniors to remain in their homes.” (Age-friendly Rural and Remote Communities p.18)

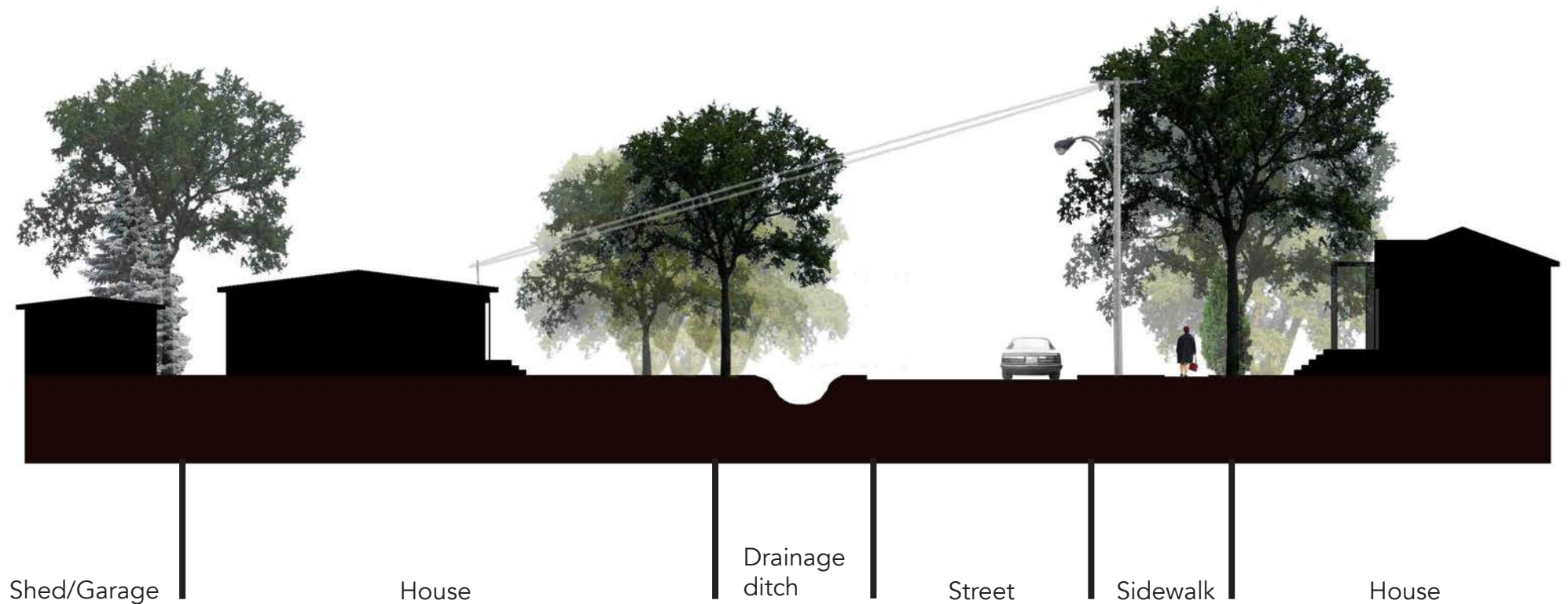
Vacancy



Area: East



Residential section



Sidewalks



"Older adults and service providers in rural and remote communities expressed that 'walkable' sidewalks, pathways and trails are very important for older persons, not only because they support safety and physical activity, but also because they enable older adults to get around and take care of their personal and social needs." (Age-friendly Rural and Remote Communities, p.11)



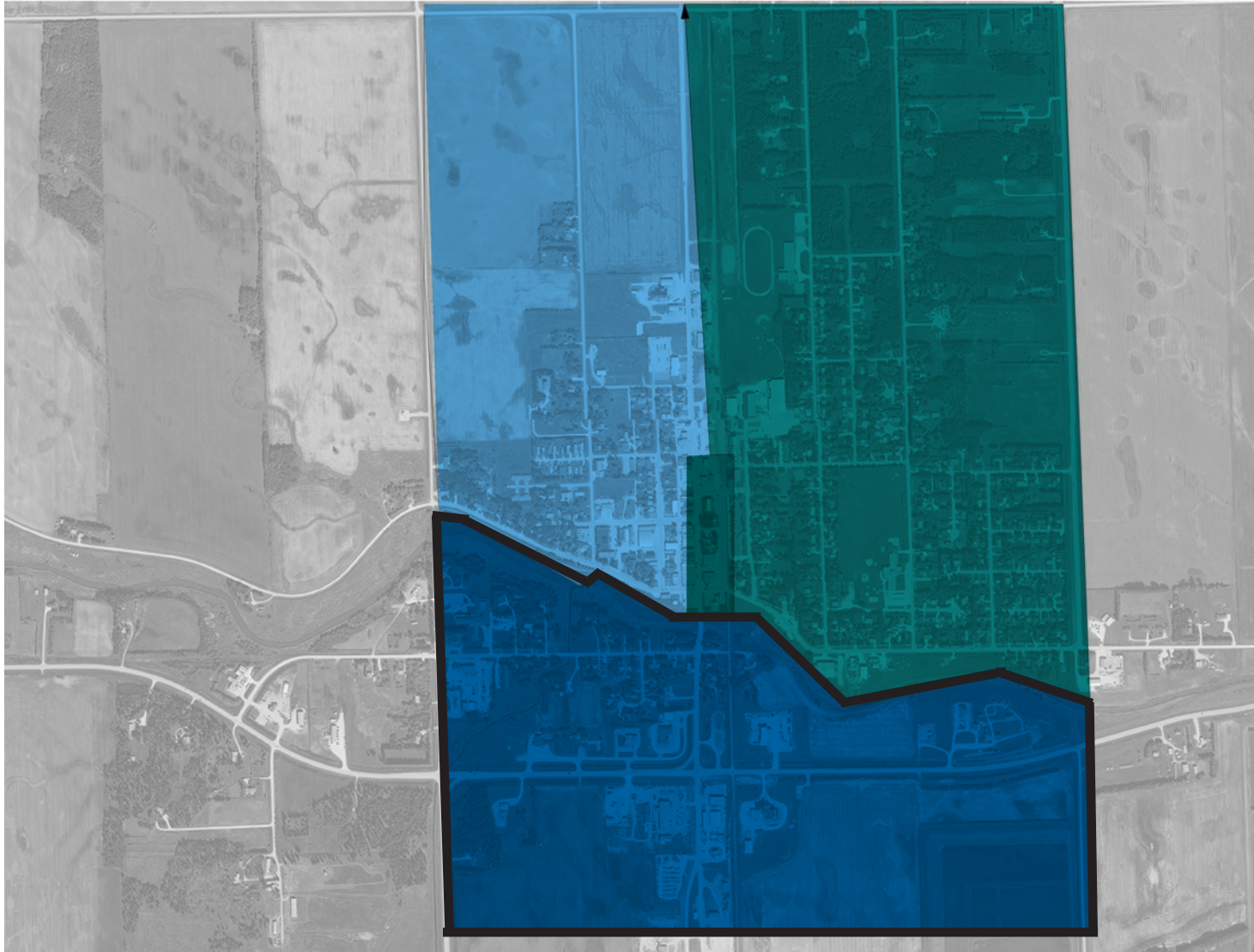
Residential housing and care facilities



Public garden



Area: South



Health



Housing



"Older persons want to do more than simply continue to reside in their communities - they want to be able to contribute to, and benefit from, community life." (Age-friendly Rural and Remote Communities p.21)

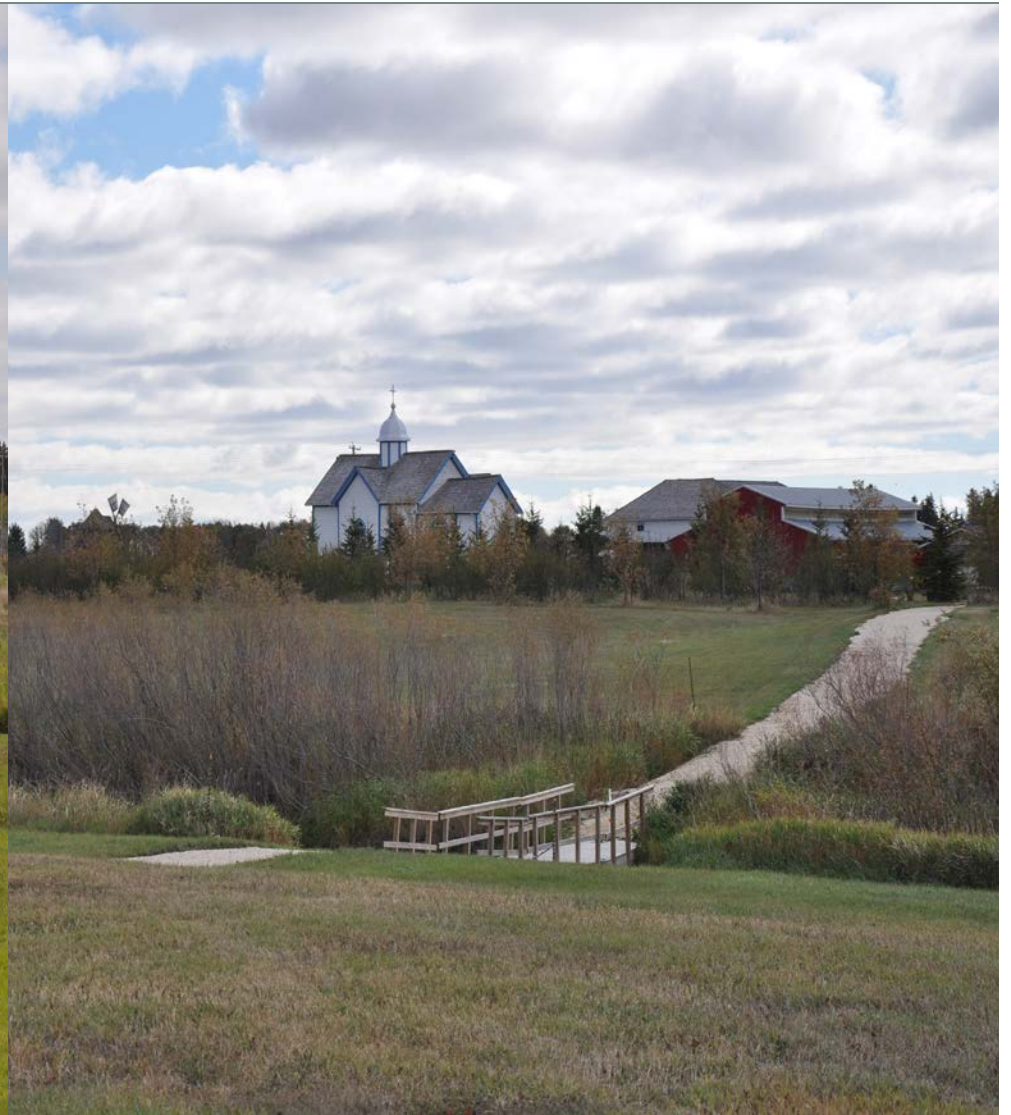
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Heritage

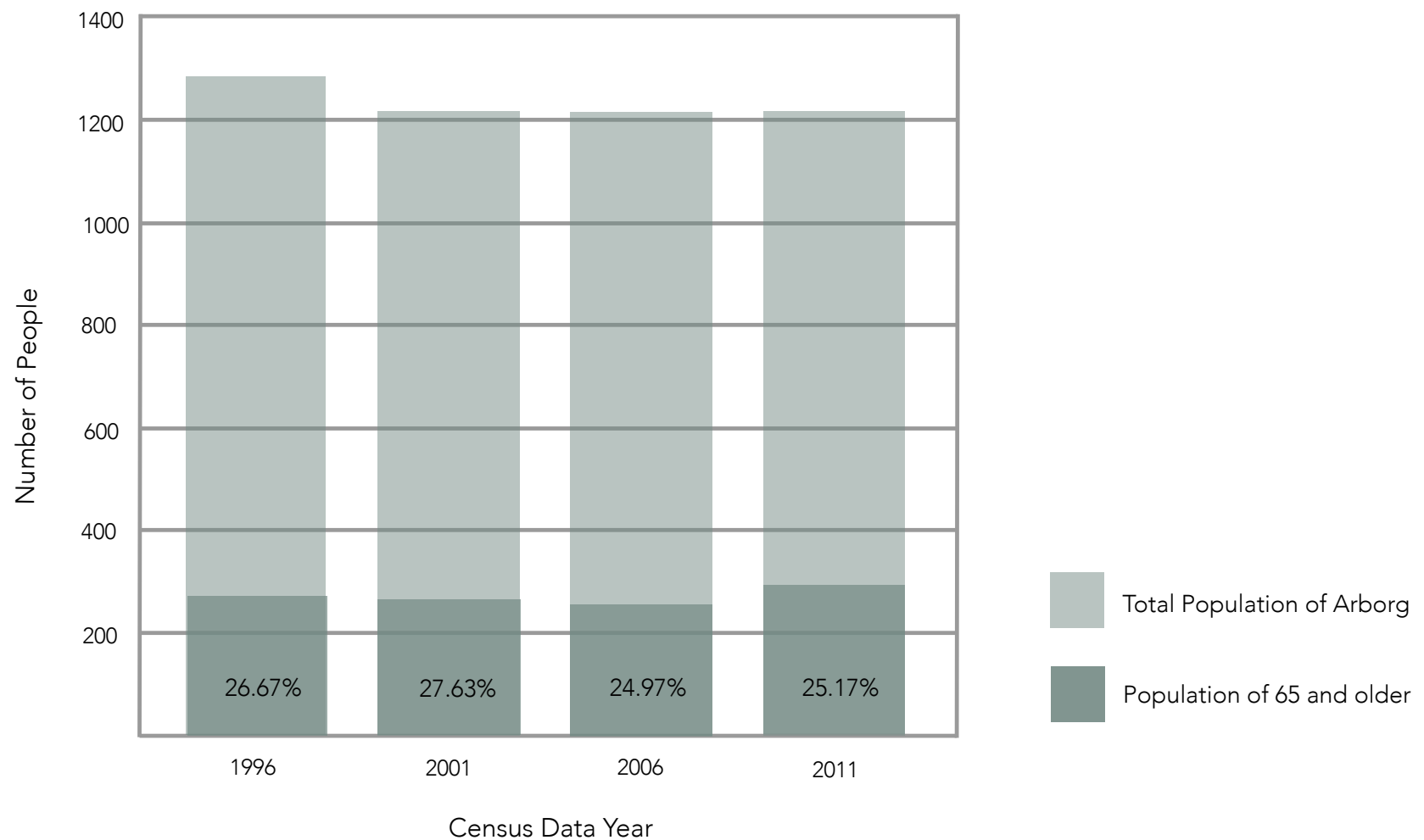


Boundaries



Aging in Arborg

Arborg Population Trend 1996-2011
of 65 and older residents



Designated seniors' housing

16

beds
55 plus
housing

16

beds
supportive
housing

16

beds
assistive
housing

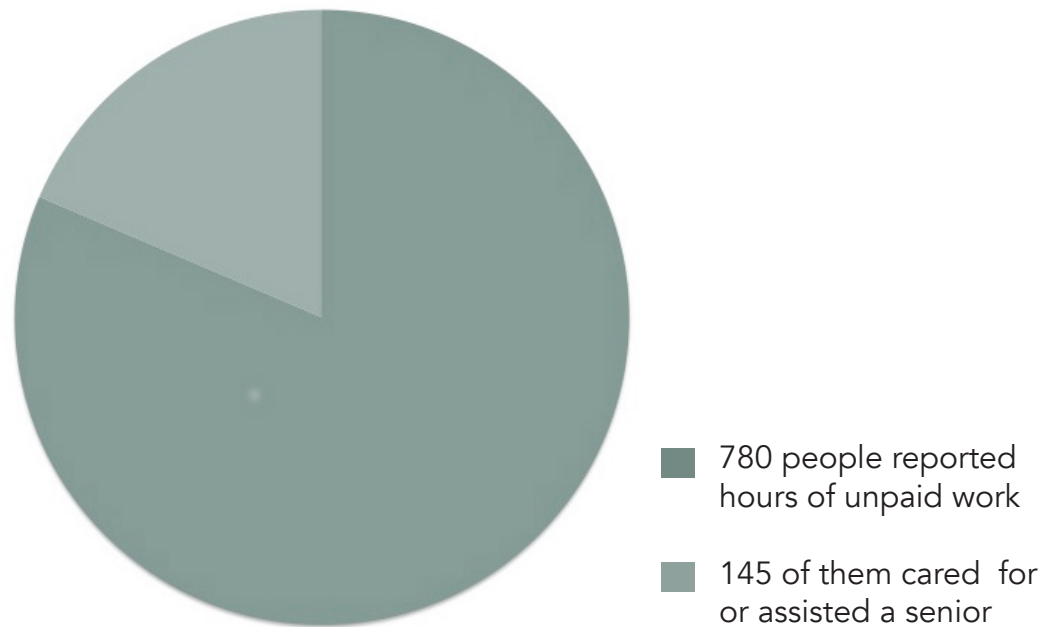
40

beds
personal care home

Designated seniors' housing



Caring for seniors



2006 Census Data

Where is...

- Pedestrian crosswalk
- Town square
- Public washrooms
- Information board
- Aligned curb cuts
- Street appeal
- Shopping cart corral
- Connectivity

Further data

- Arborg as a service centre for surrounding area
- Income and local housing affordability
- Transportation to work
- Senior specific services
- Street lighting
- Local perceptions of aging in Arborg
- Town Council view of aging in Arborg
- Unpaid work: an asset indicator of need?
- Arborg age-friendly club

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