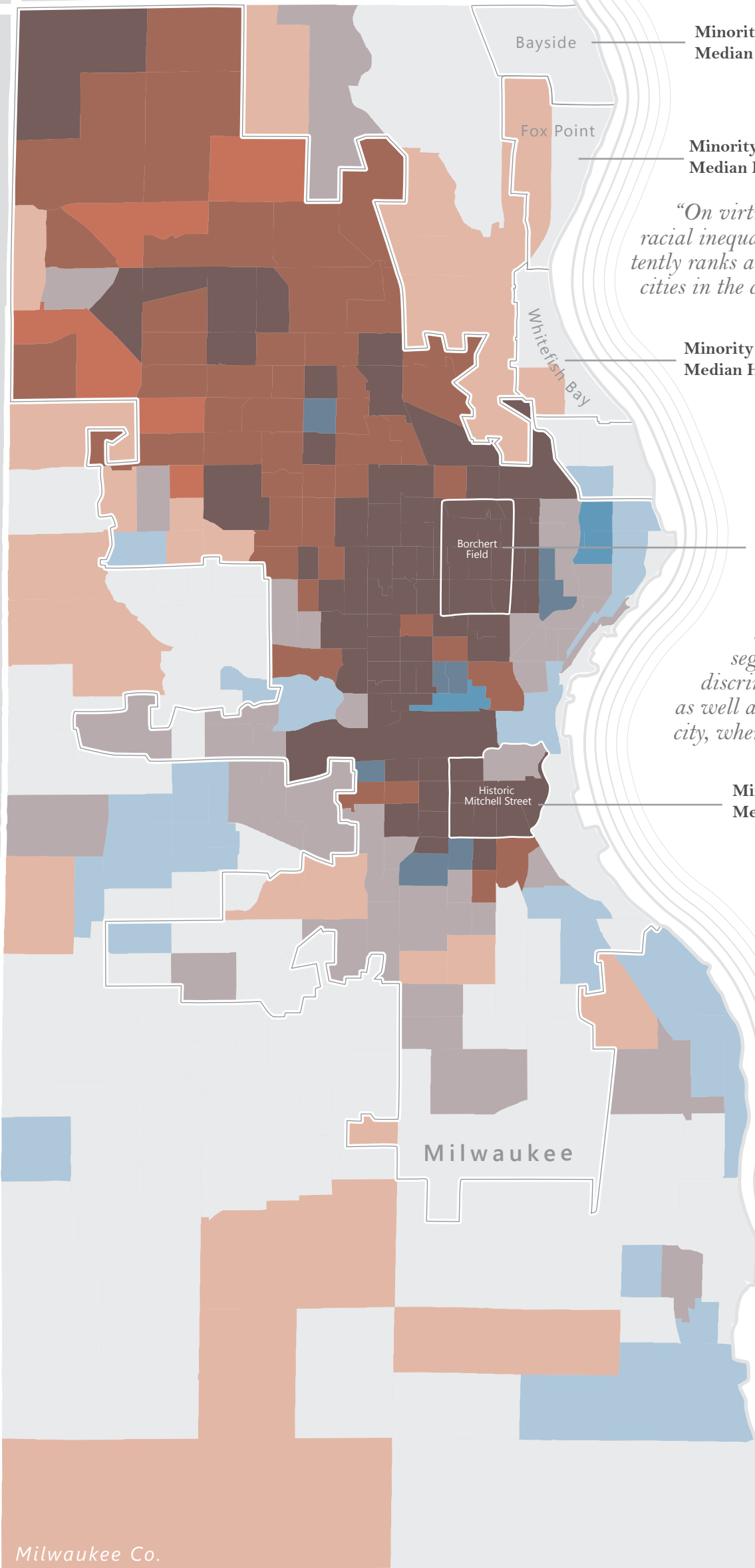


Milwaukee County Separated & Unequal

Washington Co. Ozaukee Co.

“Southeastern Wisconsin’s richest residents live less than 10 miles away from its poorest”
—wuwvm.com



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Median Household Income: \$95,150

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“On virtually every indicator of racial inequality, Milwaukee consistently ranks among the worst five cities in the country...”
—cnn.com

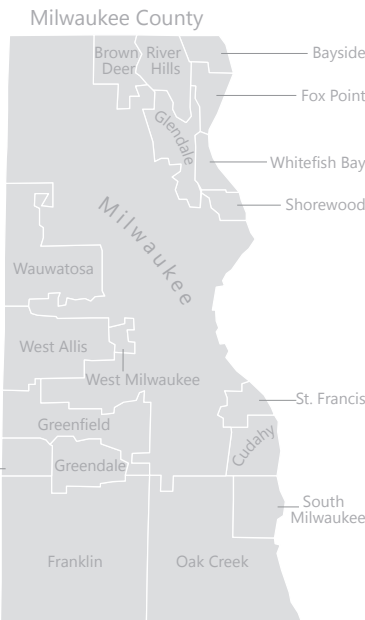
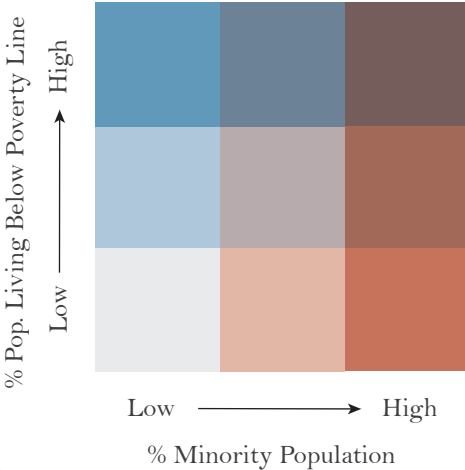
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Median Household Income: \$95,150

Minority Population: 98.4%
Median Household Income: \$22,602

“...this economic inequality amounts to economic segregation that often coincides with racial segregation. It has been exacerbated by the legacy of discriminatory housing policies put in place decades ago as well as the current trend of locating jobs far outside the city, where the poor cannot access them.”
—wuwvm.com

Minority Population: 53.5%
Median Household Income: \$26,297

The growing gap between the wealthy and the poor in Milwaukee is one of the starkest dissimilarities in any major metro in the United States. The economic and racial segregation seen within the city proper explodes to levels of hypersegregation in the surrounding suburbs. To make matters worse suburban Milwaukee boasts some of the highest median incomes in the nation while select neighborhoods in the City boast some of the lowest median incomes in the nation. Minority populations have historically been the marginalized groups that are forced into lower income neighborhoods through redlining practices and exclusionary policies set forth by predominantly white suburban city planners.



1 Mile

Notes: Basemap: Albers Equal Area Conic CM: -87.95 SP1:42.75 SP2:43.25
inset: Lambert conformal conic CM: -87.95 SP1:47.5 SP2: 43.25
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