

RPC MPO

Title VI Non-Discrimination Policy

Requirement under:

- Title VI of Civil Rights Act of 1964
- Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987
- USDOT Regulation 49 CFR Part 21
- Executive Order 12898 on Environmental Justice



Environmental Justice Principles & Title VI of the Civil Rights Act

Key Requirements for MPOs:

- Consider effects of transportation decisions on minority and low-income populations
- Public involvement opportunities
- Gather demographic information
- Minimize or mitigate any adverse impact

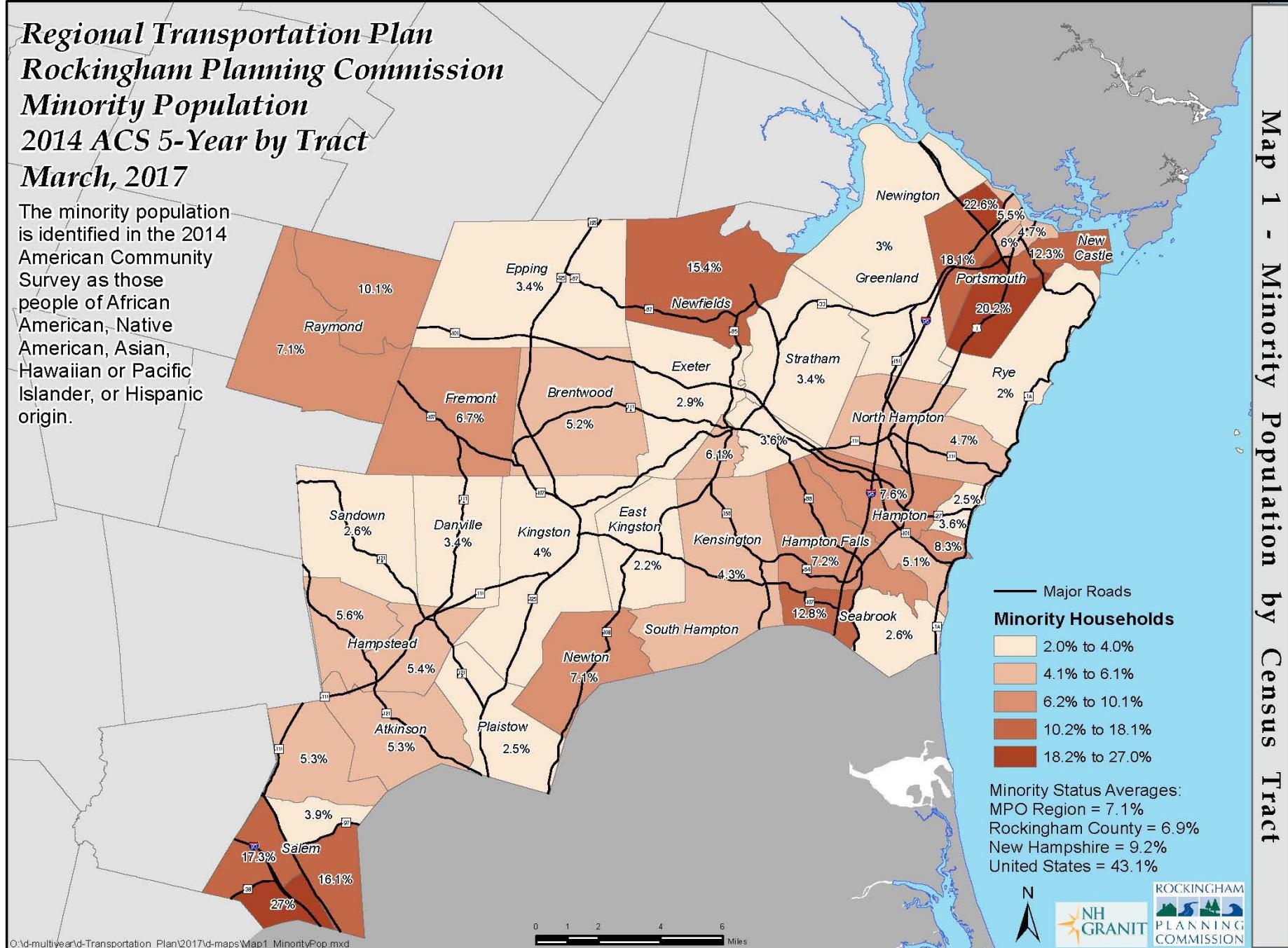
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Program Deliverables for MPOs:

- Certifications & Assurances
- Title VI Policy
- Title VI Notice to Public
- Title VI Complaint Procedures & Documentation
- Demographic Analysis
- Document outreach efforts

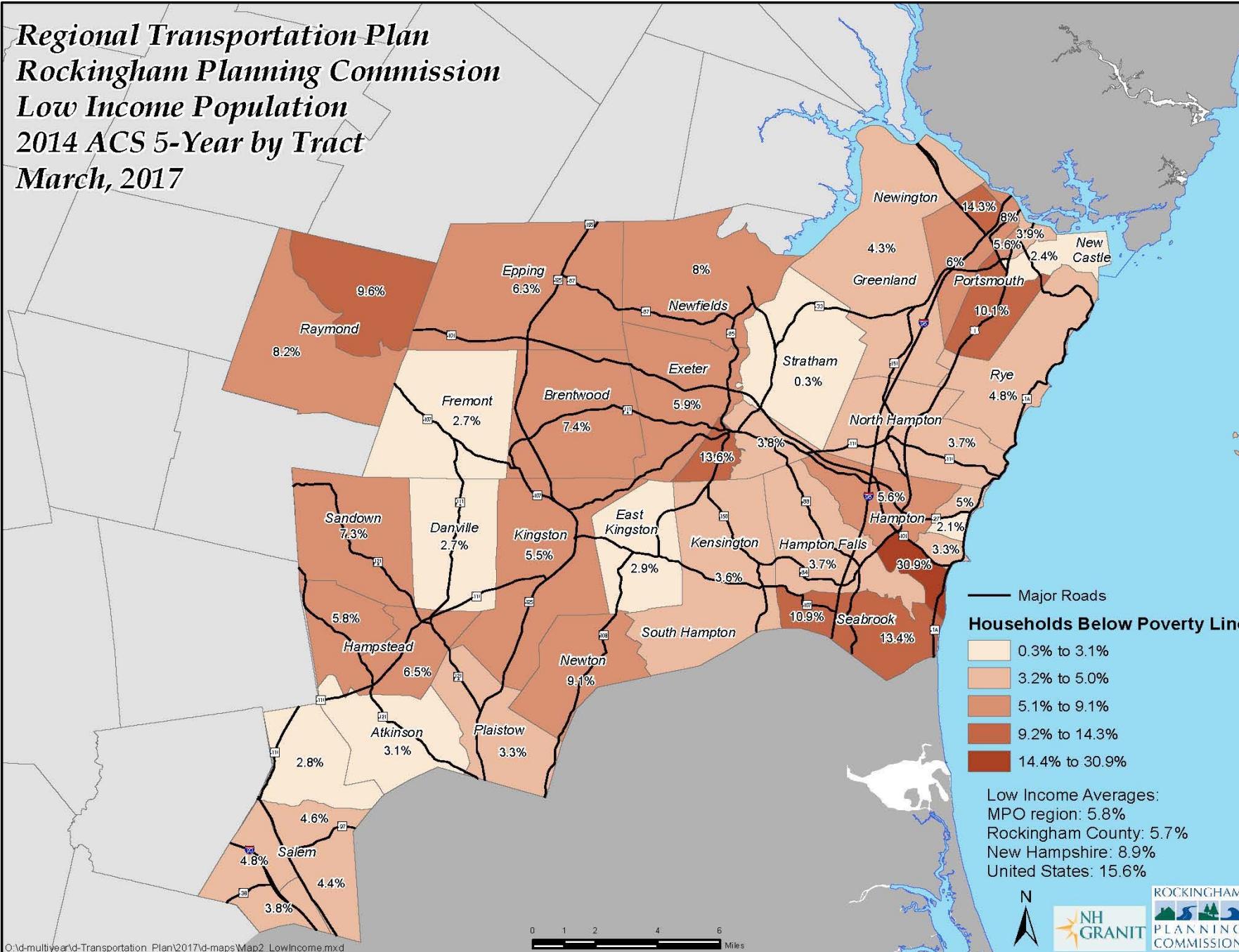
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Minority Population
2014 ACS 5-Year by Tract
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The minority population is identified in the 2014 American Community Survey as those people of African American, Native American, Asian, Hawaiian or Pacific Islander, or Hispanic origin.



Map 2 - Low Income Population by Census Tract

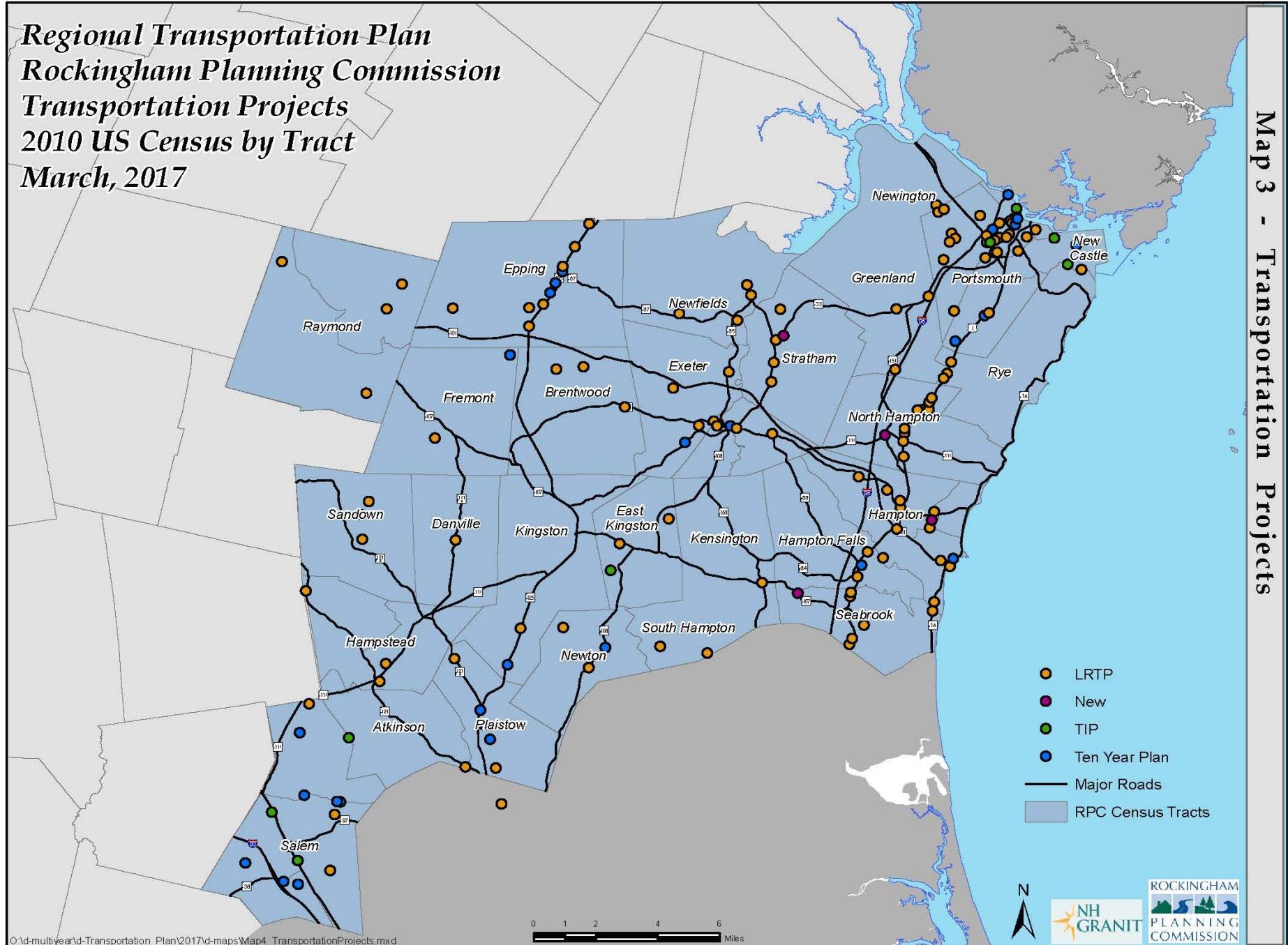
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Map 3 - Transportation Projects

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Transportation Projects
2010 US Census by Tract
March, 2017



Languages Spoken in MPO Region

Language Spoken at Home	MPO Region		MPO Region Percent
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English Only	169,555	93.6%	
Spanish	3,435	1.9%	
French	2,312	1.3%	
Chinese	655	0.4%	
Arabic	599	0.3%	
German	471	0.3%	
Portuguese	430	0.2%	
Other Asian Languages	423	0.2%	
Italian	327	0.2%	
Polish	326	0.2%	
Greek	290	0.2%	
Korean	232	0.1%	
Tagalog	222	0.1%	
Other Indic languages	183	0.1%	
Vietnamese	174	0.1%	
Hebrew	160	0.1%	
Other Indo-European languages	128	0.1%	
Other Pacific Island languages	116	0.1%	
Gujarati	114	0.1%	
Other Slavic languages	107	0.1%	

Limited English Proficiency (LEP) Analysis

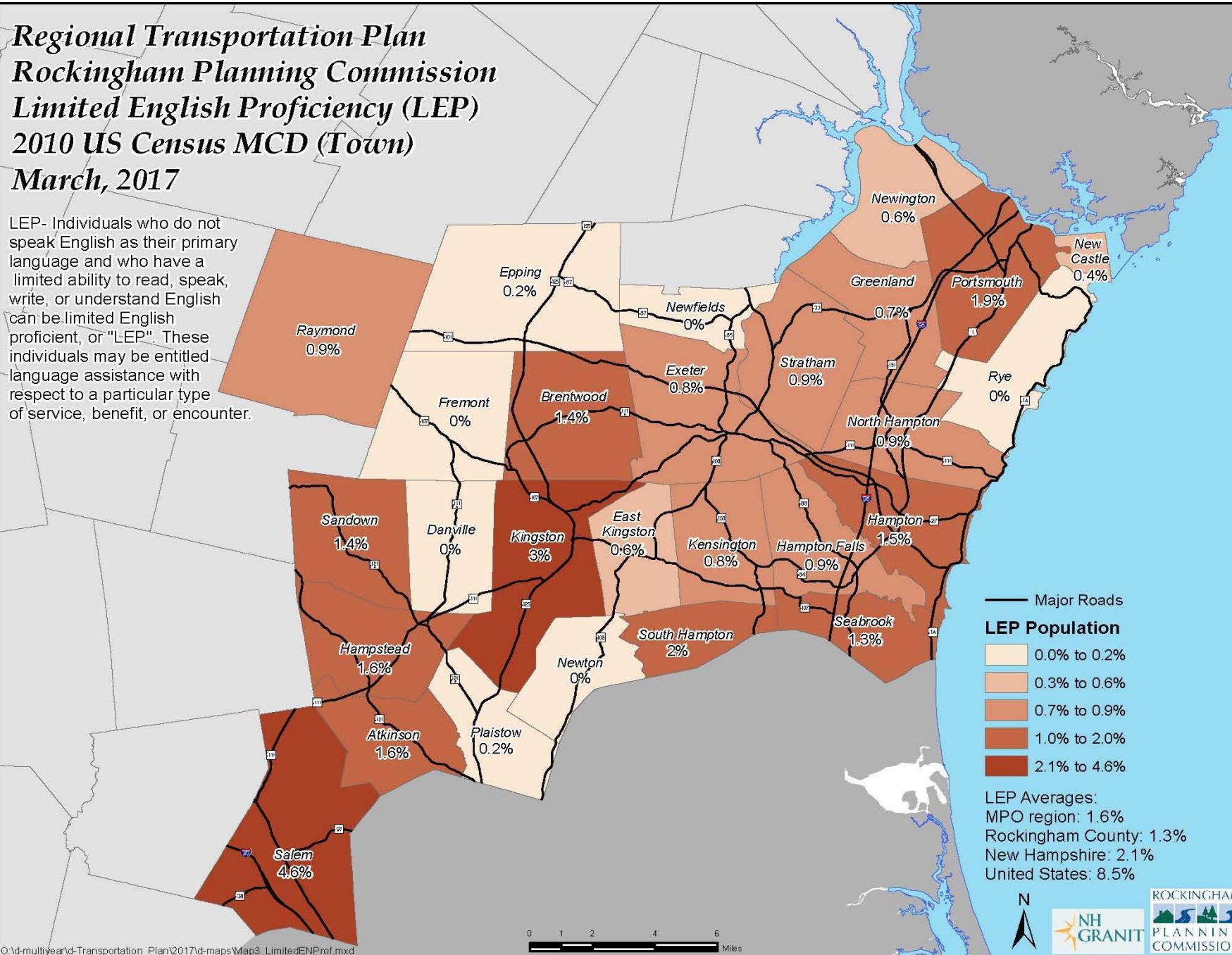
	Total Region Population	Speak Only English	English Only %
English	181,061	169,555	93.6%

	Speakers of Language	LEP Speakers	% LEP
Spanish	3,435	848	0.5%
Other Indo-European Languages	5,125	968	0.5%
Chinese	655	421	0.2%
Other Asian-Pacific Languages	1,356	590	0.3%
Other Languages	935	99	0.1%
Total for RPC MPO Region	11,506	2,926	1.6%

Map 4 - Population with Limited English Proficiency (LEP) by Town

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Limited English Proficiency (LEP)
2010 US Census MCD (Town)
March, 2017

LEP - Individuals who do not speak English as their primary language and who have a limited ability to read, speak, write, or understand English can be limited English proficient, or "LEP". These individuals may be entitled to language assistance with respect to a particular type of service, benefit, or encounter.



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Demographic Analysis Findings:

- Minority population up slightly since 2011
- Low-income population up slightly since 2011
- No evidence of discrimination in project programming
- Significant Spanish Speaking LEP population – MPO has taken steps for language accommodation

Title VI Civil Rights Plan Elements

Documenting outreach efforts:

- Regional Coordinating Councils
- Surveys of Welfare Officers
- Surveys of Human Service Agencies
- Surveys of Transit Riders
- Household telephone survey with UNH
- Granite State Future focus groups with NH Listens

