Florida vs. Oregon Where is the best place to live?

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Measures

- ► Education
- ► Income
- National Parks
- Climate and Temperature



Who is the focus?

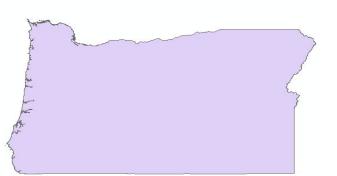
- A recent college graduate
- Activities, Job Opportunities, and Lifestyle

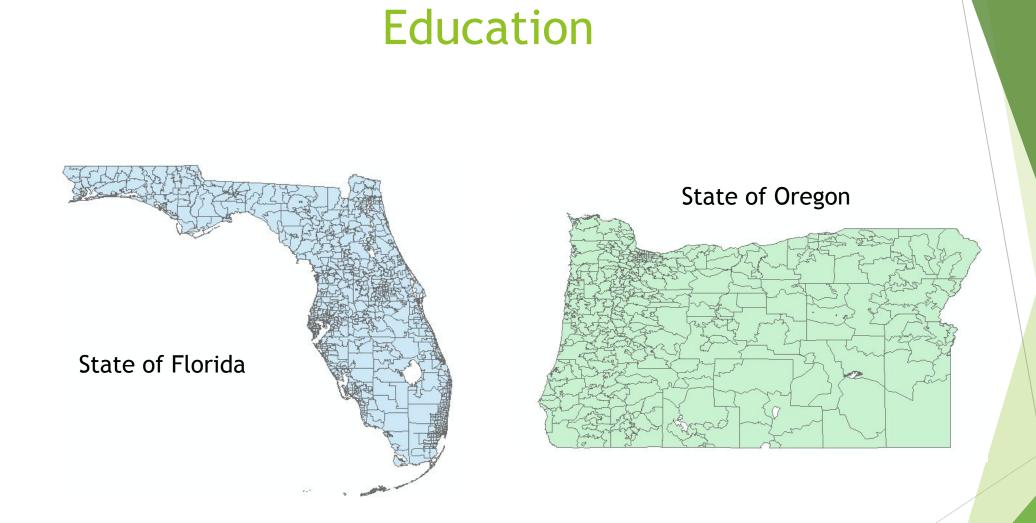


Florida and Oregon

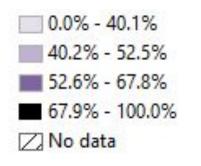
Definition queries were used on the states layer to separate Florida and Oregon. Select by attributes was utilized to isolate data that referred to Florida and Oregon.

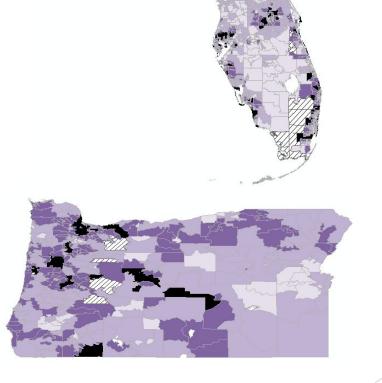




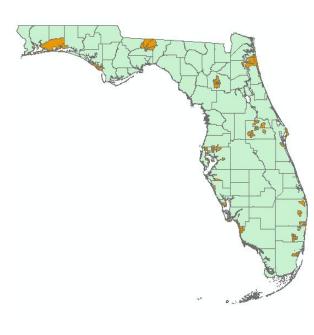


- Select by Attributes
 - College Adult Education (ESRI '09)
 - ▶ Percent ≥ 0.70 (70%)
 - ▶ Both Florida and Oregon



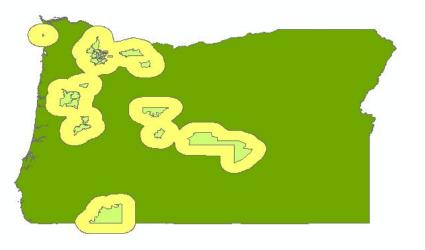


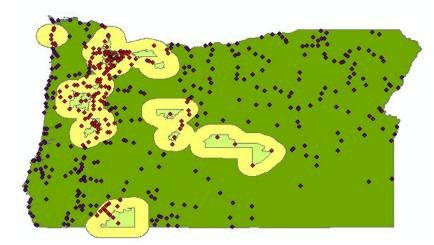
- 132/945 (13.9%) zip codes met criteria in Florida
- ► 43/400 (10.8%) zip codes met criteria in Oregon



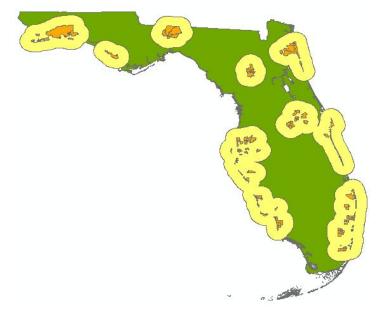


- Buffer of 15 miles around zip codes for Oregon
 - Select by location cities that intersect buffer
 - Cities within the buffer 170/481 (35.3%)





- Buffer of 15 miles around zip codes for Florida
 - Select by location cities that intersect buffer
 - Cities within the buffer 664/1116 (59.5%)



• Selected cities will be used for further analysis

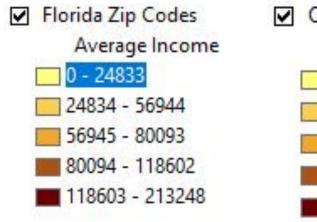


Income **FLORIDA** OREGON

- Used data from census to clarify zip codes in each state
- Select by attribute zip codes with average household income >= \$60,000

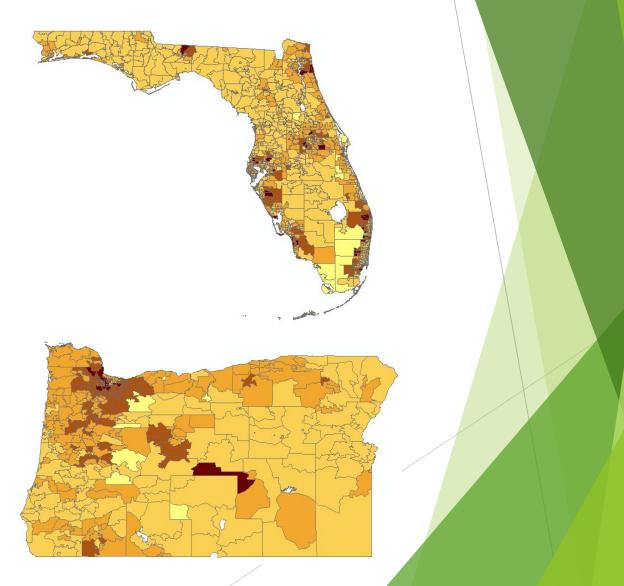
Income

- Select by Attributes
 - Average income
 - ► Quantity ≥ 60,000 (\$60,000)
 - Both Florida and Oregon



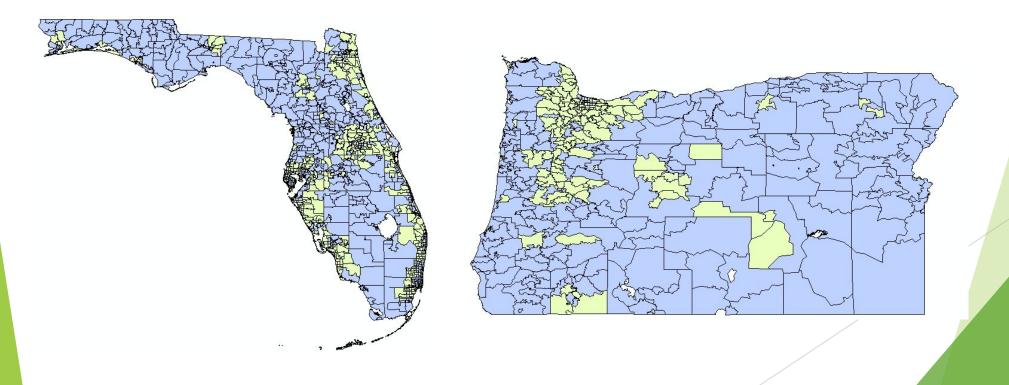
Oregon Zip Codes

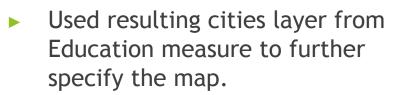
 Average Income
 0 - 16309
 16310 - 51818
 51819 - 65395
 65396 - 89171
 89172 - 136933



Income - Preliminary Results

- 442/945 (46.77%) zip codes met criteria for Florida
- ▶ 145/400 (36.25%) zip codes met criteria for Oregon

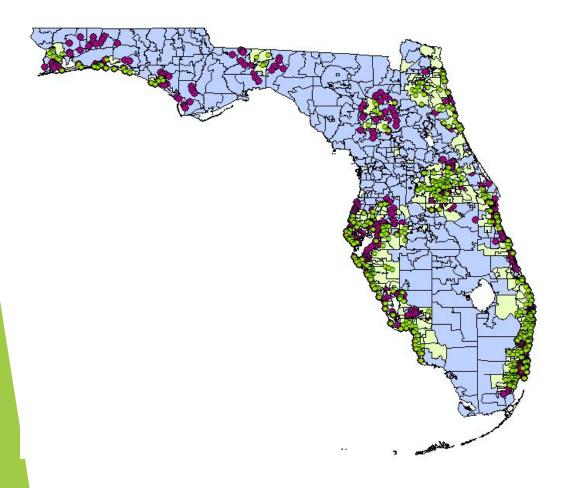




Set up selection by location to find the chosen cities within the chosen zip codes.

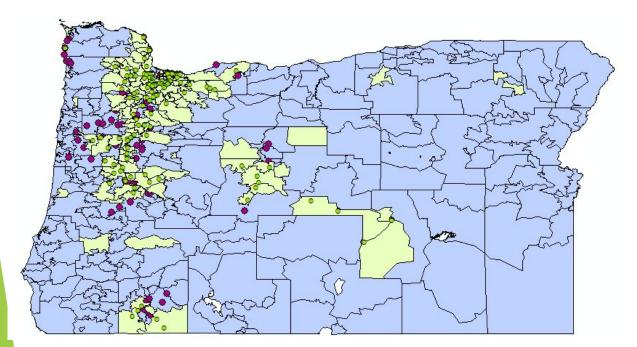


Income (Florida)



- Select by Location
 - Target layer = Florida cities
 - Source layer = Florida zip codes >= \$60,000
- Florida Cities in Zip Codes w/ Average Household Income > \$60,000
- Florida Average Household Income (by Zip Code) > \$60,000
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- Florida Household Income (by Zip Code)

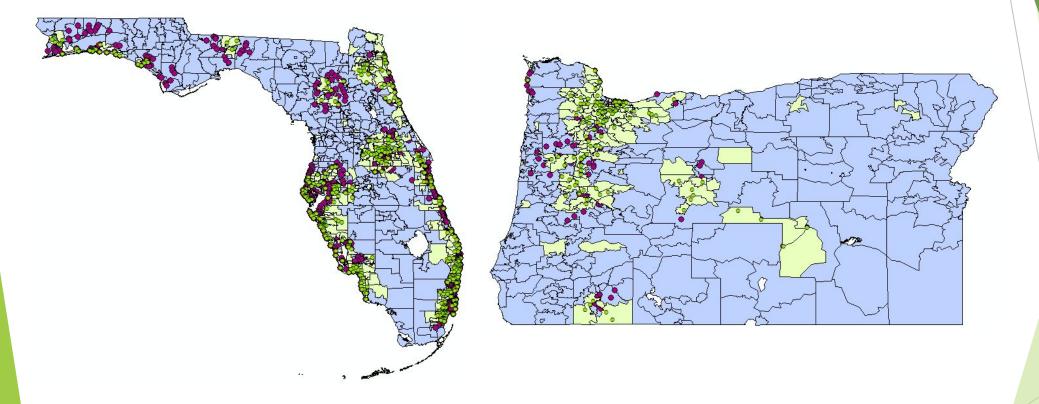
Income (Oregon)



- Select by Location
 - Target layer = Oregon cities
 - Source layer = Oregon zip codes >= \$60,000

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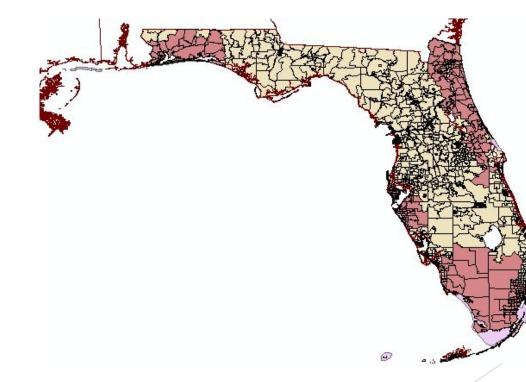
Income - Final Results



- ► 364 / 664 (54.82%) cities met criteria for Florida
- ▶ 113 / 170 (66.47%) cities met criteria for Oregon

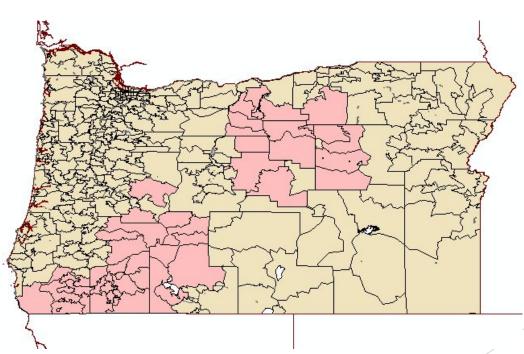
Florida Natural Areas- Preliminary Results

- ▶ 945 Total Zip Codes
- > 326 zip codes lie within 25 miles of both a national and state park
 - ▶ 338 NP, 932 SP
 - ► 34.5 %



Oregon Natural Areas- Preliminary Results

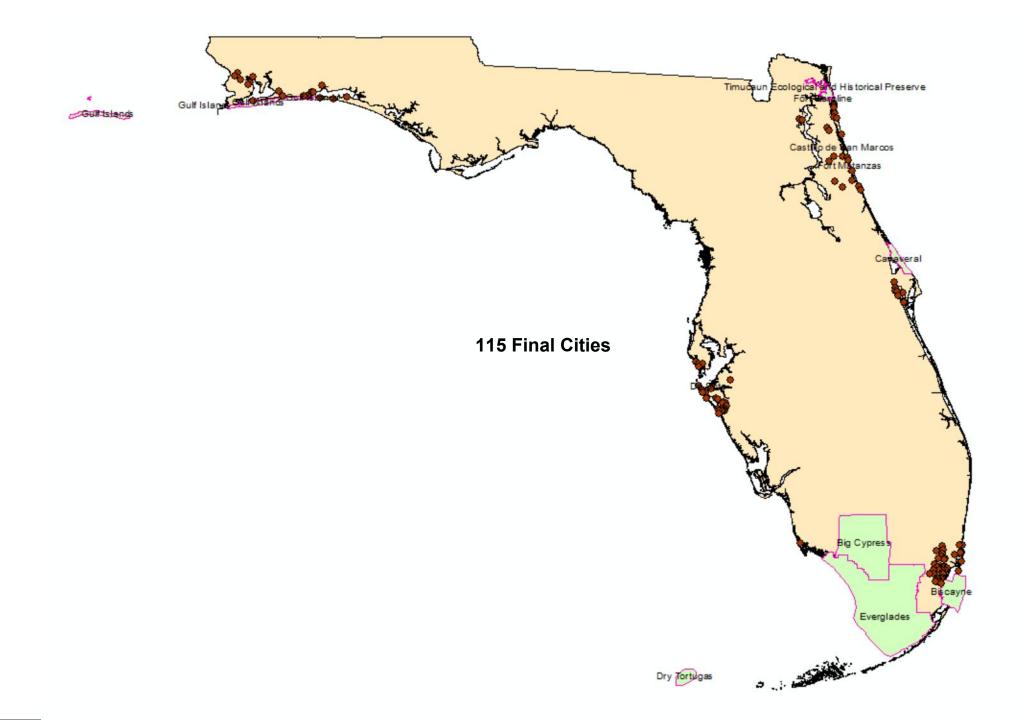
- 400 Total Zip Codes
- ▶ 52 Zip Codes lie within 25 miles of both a national and state park
 - ▶ 55 NP, 395 SP
 - ► **13**%

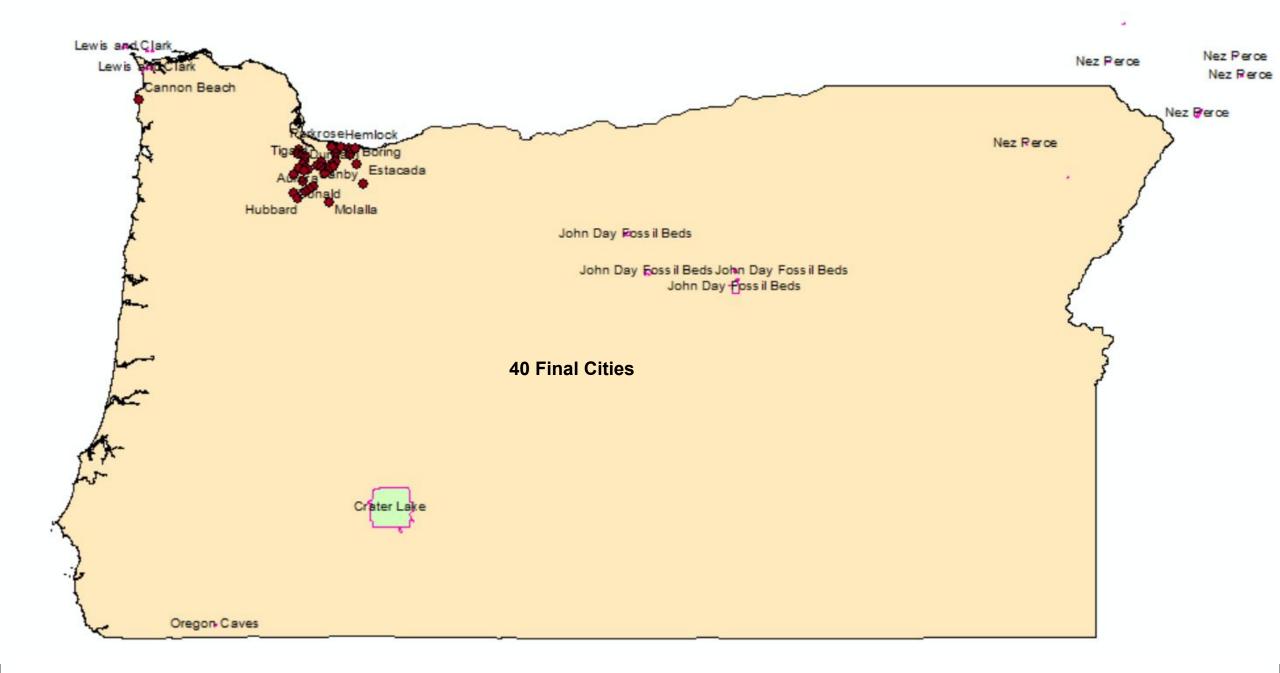


Synthesis

Process

- Began with the Cities where 70% or more of adult population was college educated.
- From this file, we narrowed it down to the cities within zip codes that had an average household income of \$60,000 or more.
- From the new refined file we overlaid the National Parks in the two states and using Select by Location method we were able to narrow down the cities to those that were within 20 miles of a national park.
- From here we created new files from the selected cities and ended up with a very refined list of each states "best" cities.





Percent Area

- Oregon- 62,161,000 Total Acres
 - ► Total Natural Area Acreage- 294,477
 - Percent Area- 0.47%
- ► Florida- 37,532,000 Total Acres
 - ► Total Natural Area Acreage- 3,236,859
 - Percent Area- 8.62%

Climate

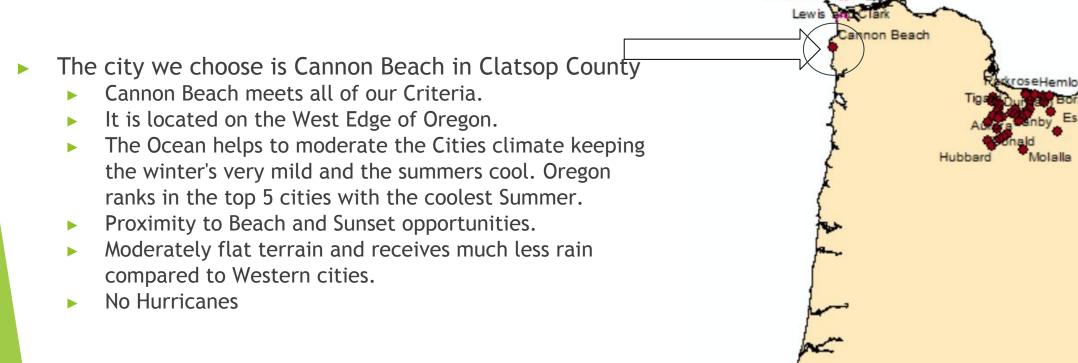
Florida (overall)

- Humid subtropical,
- Winter low 40- high 60
- Summer- 80- 90's
- High humidity

Oregon (overall)

- West Mostly oceanic/mediterranean
- Very mild climate
- Low humidity
- Summer 70-80
- ► Winter 30-50
- Known for cool summers

Our pick? Oregon

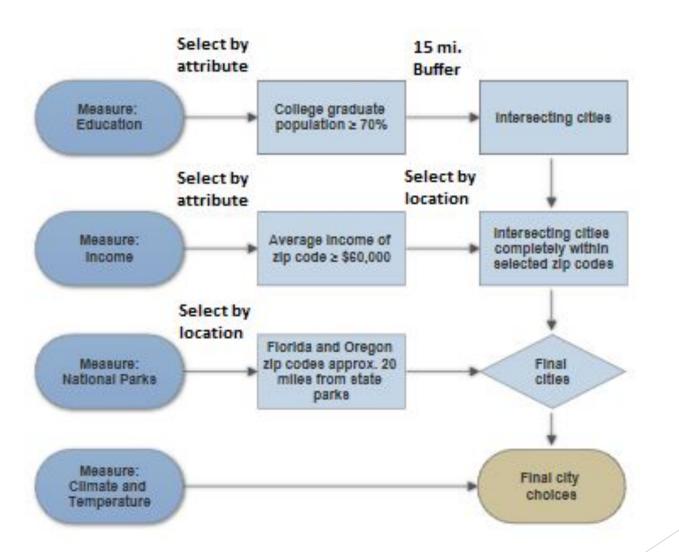


Lewis and Clark





Flow Chart



Any Questions?