Caltrans Transportation Equity Index (EQI)

EAC Data Implementation Subcommittee

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Director's Office of

Equity & Tribal Affairs (ETA)



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Advisory Request Overview

Objectives

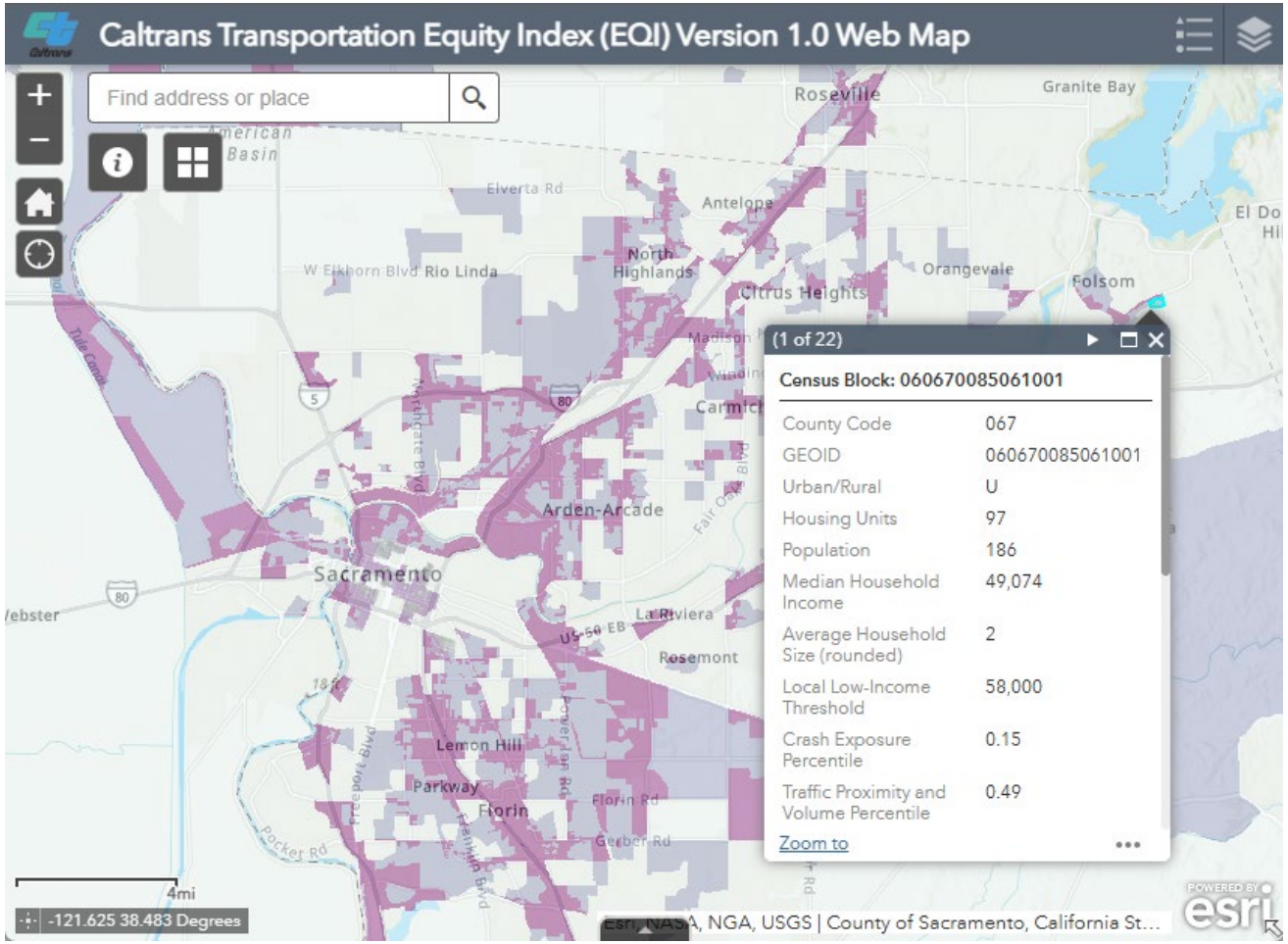
- Test the EQI user guide to ensure it is clear, practical, and well-designed
- Provide actionable feedback to improve the guidance

Outcomes

- Refine the EQI User Guide prior to publishing
- Improve the capability of Caltrans staff to integrate the EQI into their work
- Identify technical assistance gaps for internal and external users

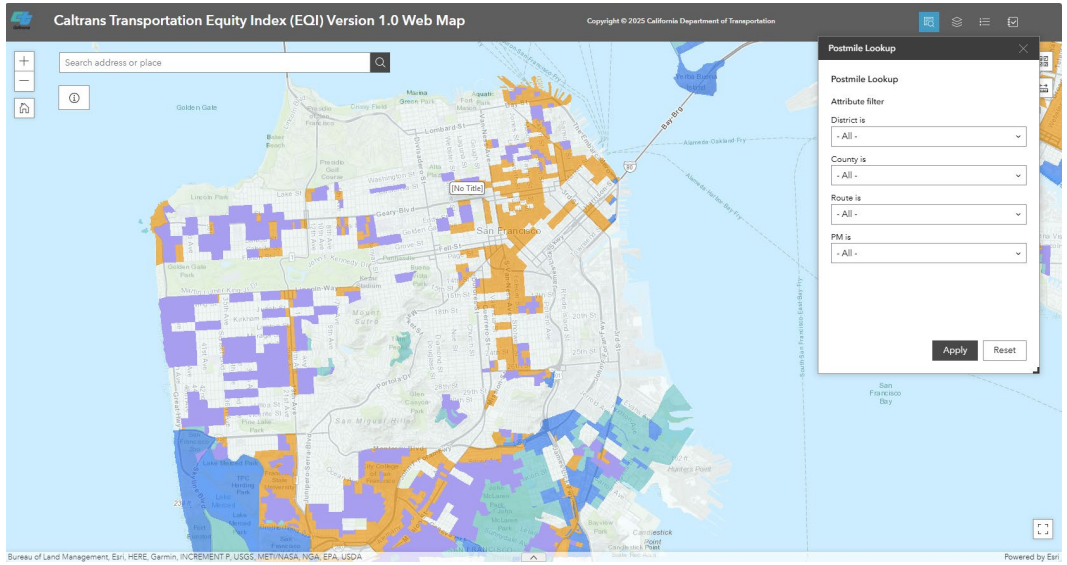
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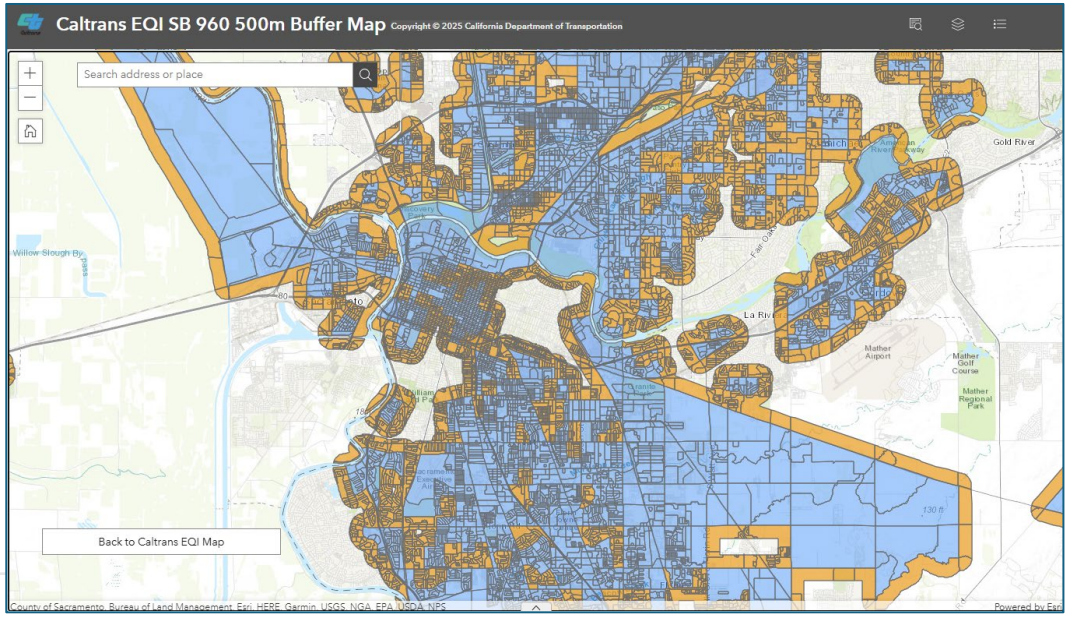
- Positive Themes
- Common Challenges
- Opportunities for Improvement
- Most Common User Requests



Review of Tool Changes

- Postmile look-up function
- Categorical color scheme
- User interface improvements
- Built-in 500-meter buffer layer





Next Steps & Timeline

Next Steps

- Develop a quick-start guide and onboarding walkthrough
- Produce training videos and demonstrations
- Update and expand the user guide

Timeline

- Launch updated web map in December 2026
- Final user guide released in January 2027
- Additional training materials under development in early 2027

Thank You!

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