

Regional challenges and opportunities

Challenges



A reduction in farmland

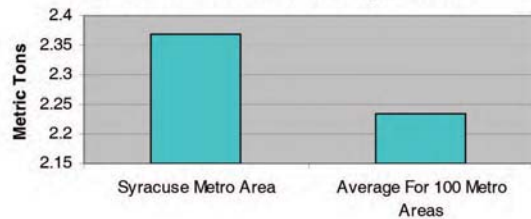


An inability to support mass transit



Demand for facilities and public services in new areas

Carbon Emissions Per Capita, 2005



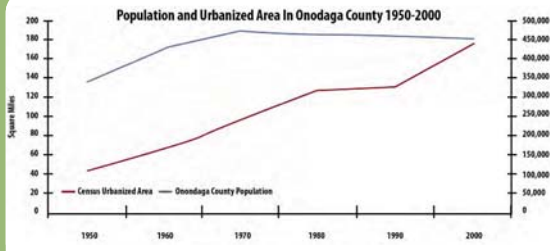
Increased driving and a larger carbon footprint



Abandoned neighborhoods and buildings



Concentrations of poverty

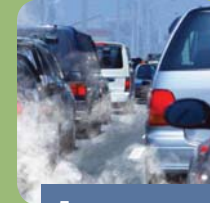


Spreading our tax dollars over a large area

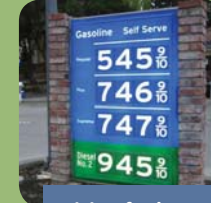


Economic competitiveness

Opportunities



Focus on climate change and reducing pollution



Rising fuel cost = more interest in other modes/fuel efficiency



Connections between land use and public health



Government modernization and efficiency



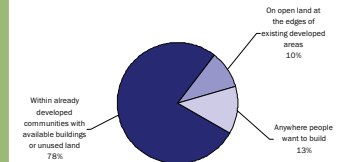
Smart growth



Protection of natural resources

Location of New Development

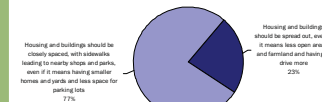
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Model of New Development

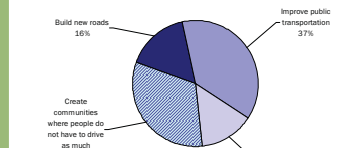
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Solutions to Congestion

In your opinion, which of the following do you think is the best long-term solution to reducing traffic congestion in Onondaga County?



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