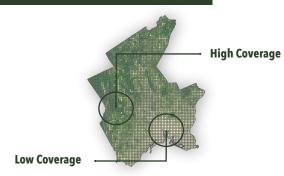
TREE CANOPY ASSESSMENT OVERVIEW

GREATER BRIDGEPORT, CT

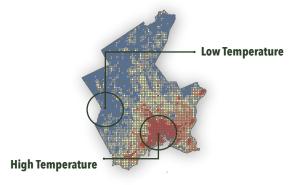
HOW MUCH TREE CANOPY DO WE HAVE?



URBAN HEAT ISLAND



MORE TREES MEANS COOLER TEMPERATURE AND LESS ENERGY



POSSIBLE TREE CANOPY

Grass or shrub area that is theoretically available for the establishment of tree canopy

RESIDENTIAL LAND

MAJORITY OF TREES ARE ON

EXISTING TREE CANOPY

The amount of urban tree canopy present when viewed from above using aerial or satellite imagery

Areas where it is highly unlikely that new tree canopy could be established (primarily buildings and roads).

WHO OWNS THE TREES AND WHERE CAN WE IMPROVE?

COMMERCIAL

OTHER

INSTITUTIONAL 3%



RESIDENTIAL HAS THE MOST AREA FOR ESTABLISHING NEW TREE CANOPY