

# APPENDIX L

CAREER TECHNICAL EDUCATION STUDY

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# PCC Career and Technical Education (CTE) Enrollment Study

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# Background and purpose

- For selected Career and Technical Education (CTE) pathways at Portland Community College (PCC), ECONorthwest conducted a study of enrollment patterns by geography and prepared enrollment projections using PCC-provided student-level data.
- These analyses can help guide planning for future space needs and other College initiatives.

For facilities planning purposes, PCC asked ECONorthwest to identify and focus on the following pathways:

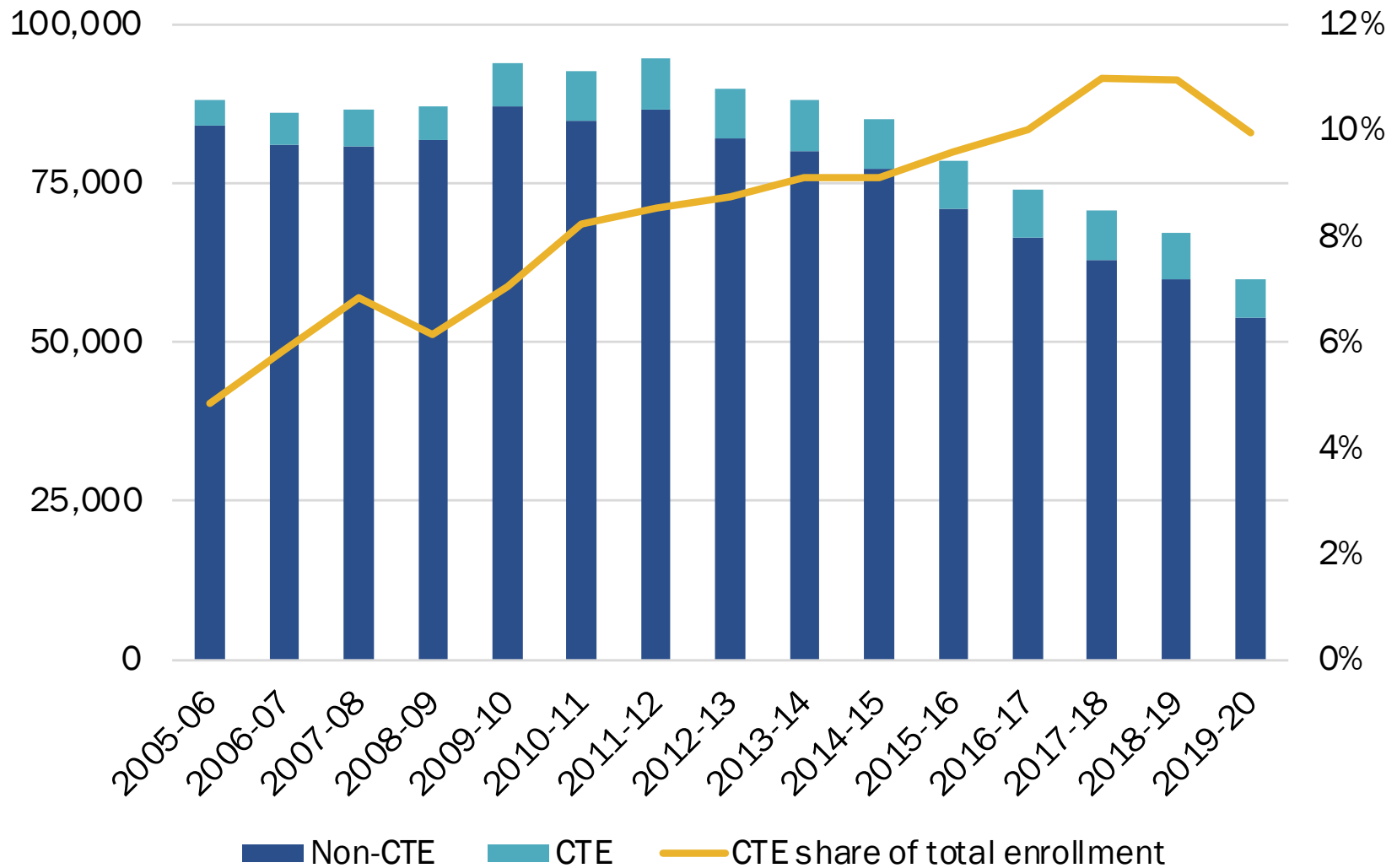
- Healthcare and Emergency Professions
- Construction, Manufacturing Tech, and Transportation (CMTT)
  - Automotive Service
  - Diesel Service
  - Building Construction Technology

- Enrollment in the selected CTE pathways has risen since the mid-2000s and remained relatively steady until the 2019-20 academic year
- The selected CTE pathways make up about 10 percent of total enrollment, increasing from 5 percent in 2005-06
- The distribution of enrollment across the selected pathways has been stable over time
- Enrollees in the selected CTE pathways, and jobs relevant to these pathways, are distributed across the region
- Pathway-specific enrollment projections and the gap analysis suggest room for PCC programs to grow, through increased enrollment as well as higher completion rates

- PCC provided ECONorthwest with anonymized student- and course-level data for academic years 2005-06 through 2019-20.
- These data included all courses students had taken as well as student demographic characteristics, including the zip code (either 5- or 9-digit, also known as zip+4) of the student's residence.
- Pathways were identified using program information available on PCC's website and were refined to exclude general education and other less relevant courses.
- Enrollees were assigned to pathways based on the pathway to which most of their credits were assigned.
- Enrollment projections are based on credit-hour based FTE, which differs from the clock-hour based FTE that PCC reports to the state.<sup>1</sup>

# Career and Technical Education Enrollment and Completions

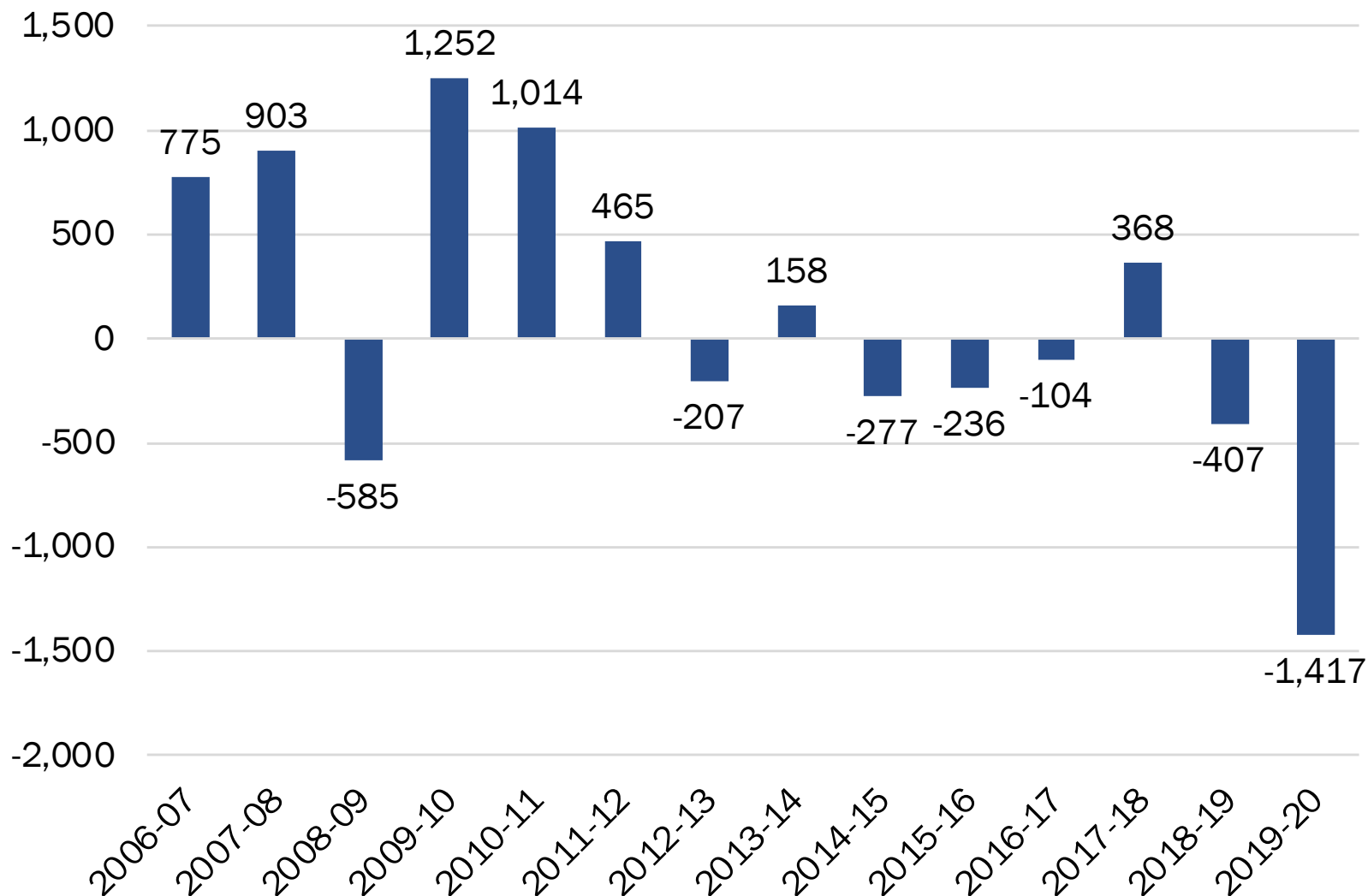
# Selected CTE enrollment compared to total



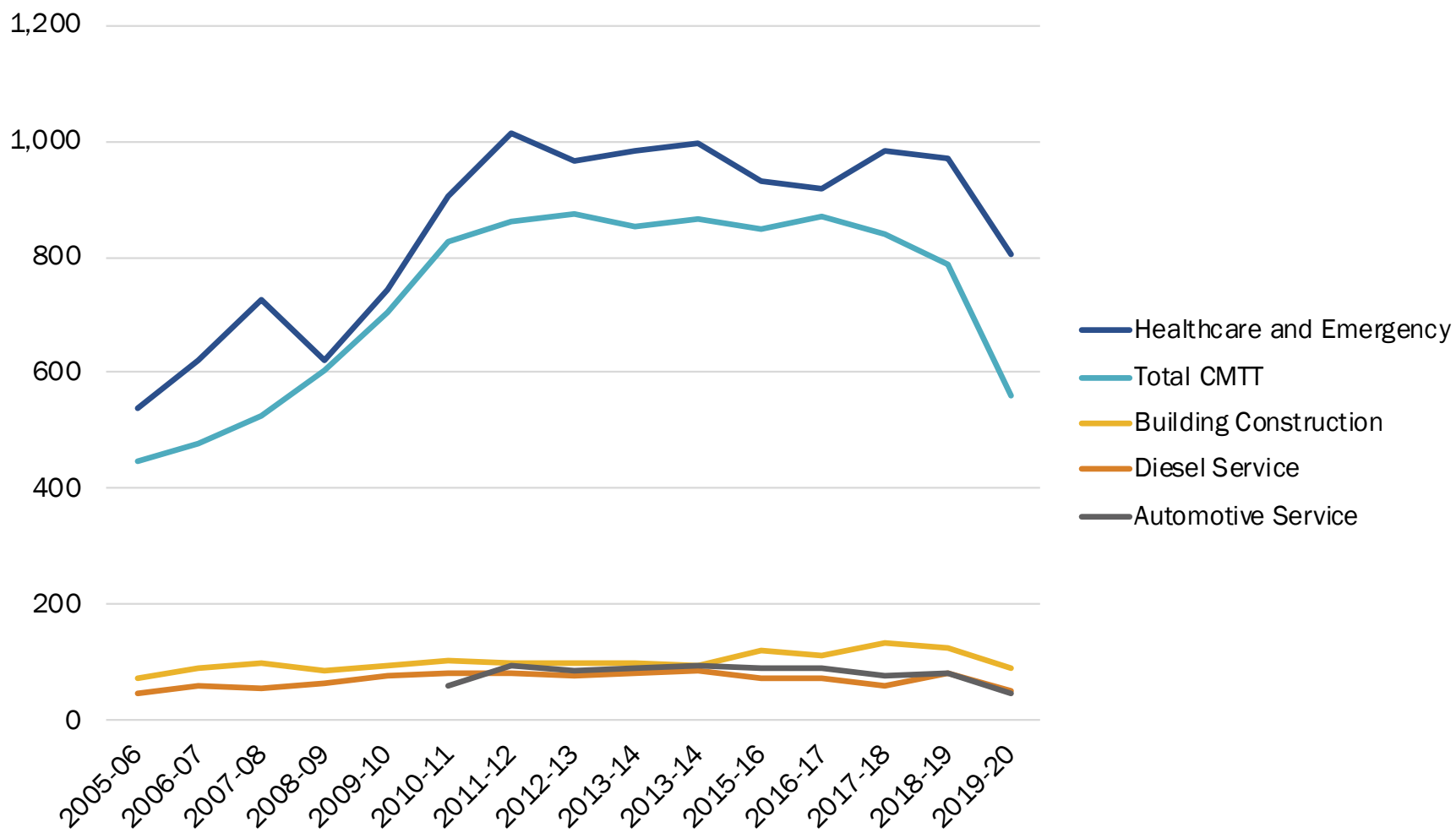
"CTE" encompasses the selected pathways of interest and is not inclusive of all CTE enrollment at PCC.  
Source: ECONorthwest analysis of PCC student-level data.



# Absolute change in selected CTE enrollment



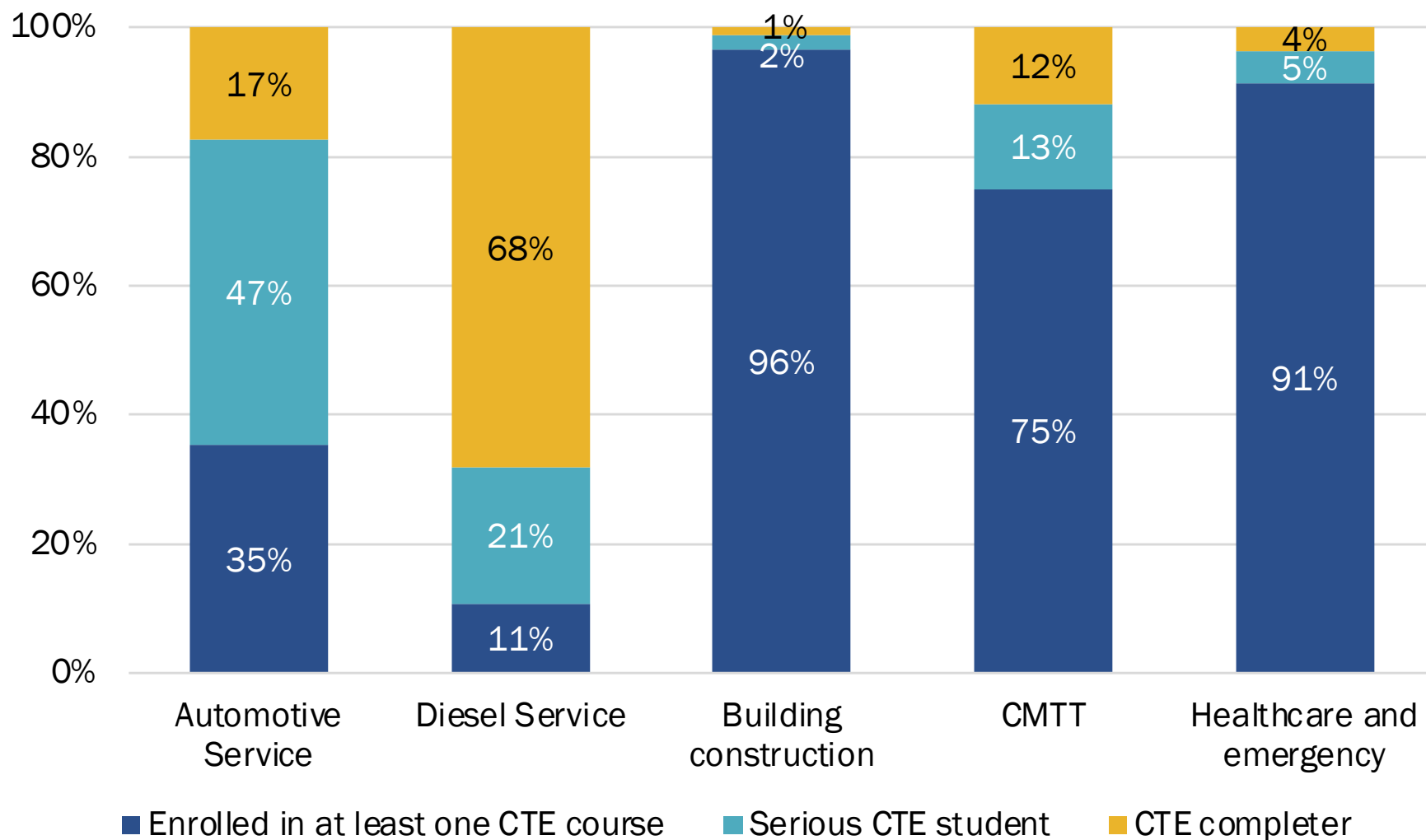
# Selected pathway FTE over time



# CTE enrollment intensity

- We defined three levels of CTE intensity
  1. CTE enrollee – Student enrolled in at least one CTE course within the academic year
  2. Serious CTE enrollee – Student enrolled in at least the median number of credits (pooled for 2013-14 through 2018-19) for certificate completers within each relevant pathway
  3. CTE completer – Student completed in a selected CTE pathway within the academic year

# CTE enrollment intensity by pathway, 2018-19



# Pathway Enrollment Geography and Projections

# Roadmap for each pathway

1. Geography of enrollment
2. Jobs distribution
3. Projections and gaps

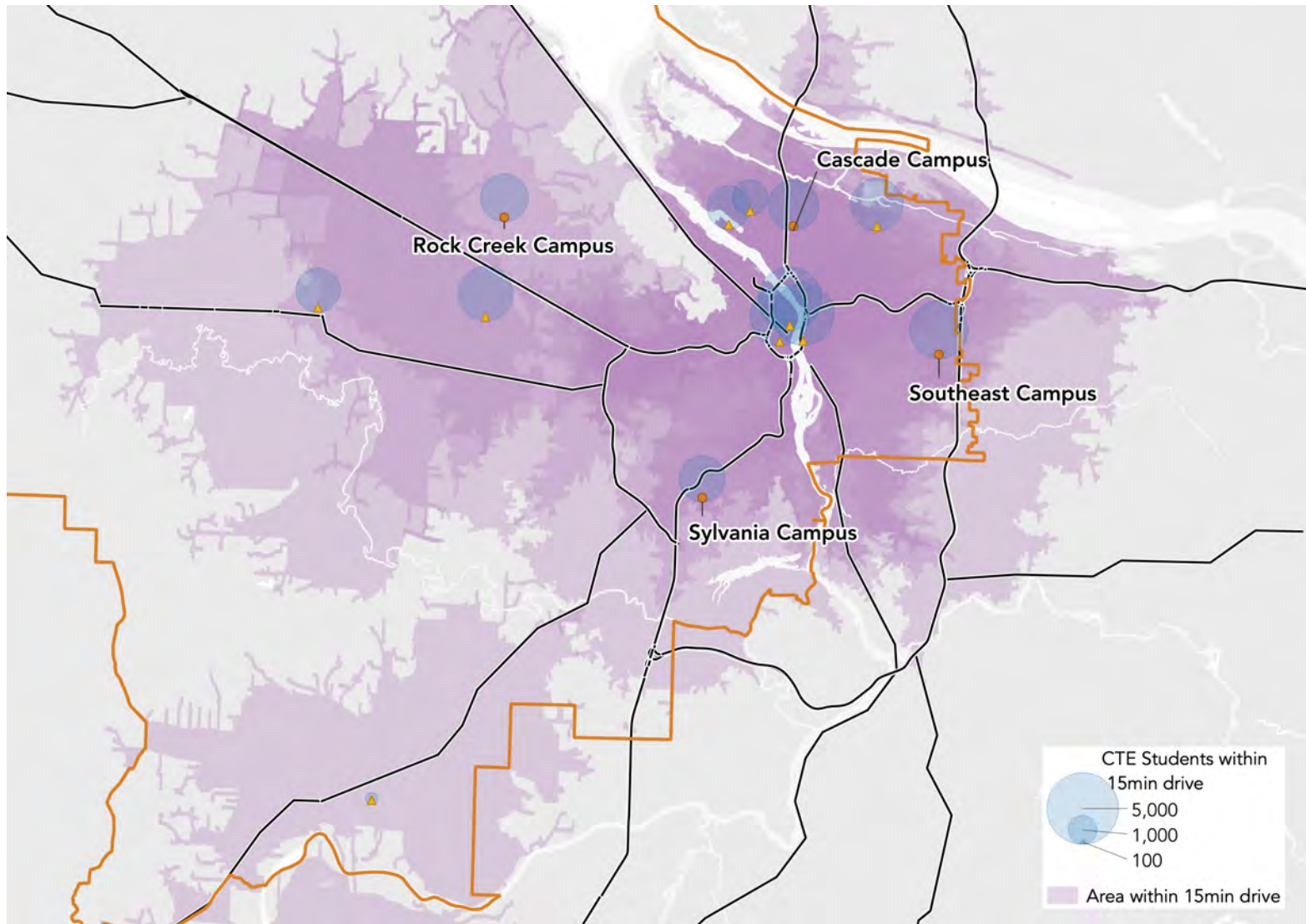
# Note about the enrollment projections

- We produced high and low projections based on historical CTE enrollment and the growth rate derived from our previously completed enrollment projections.
- The high and low projections provide a potential range for how CTE enrollment may perform in the future. Future enrollment will depend on many things, including recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic.
  - **High projections:** High projections were produced using CTE enrollment in 2018-19 as the base and applying growth rates from previously completed enrollment projections.
  - **Low projections:** Low projections were produced using CTE enrollment in 2019-20 as the base and applying growth rates from previously completed enrollment projections.

# Healthcare and Emergency



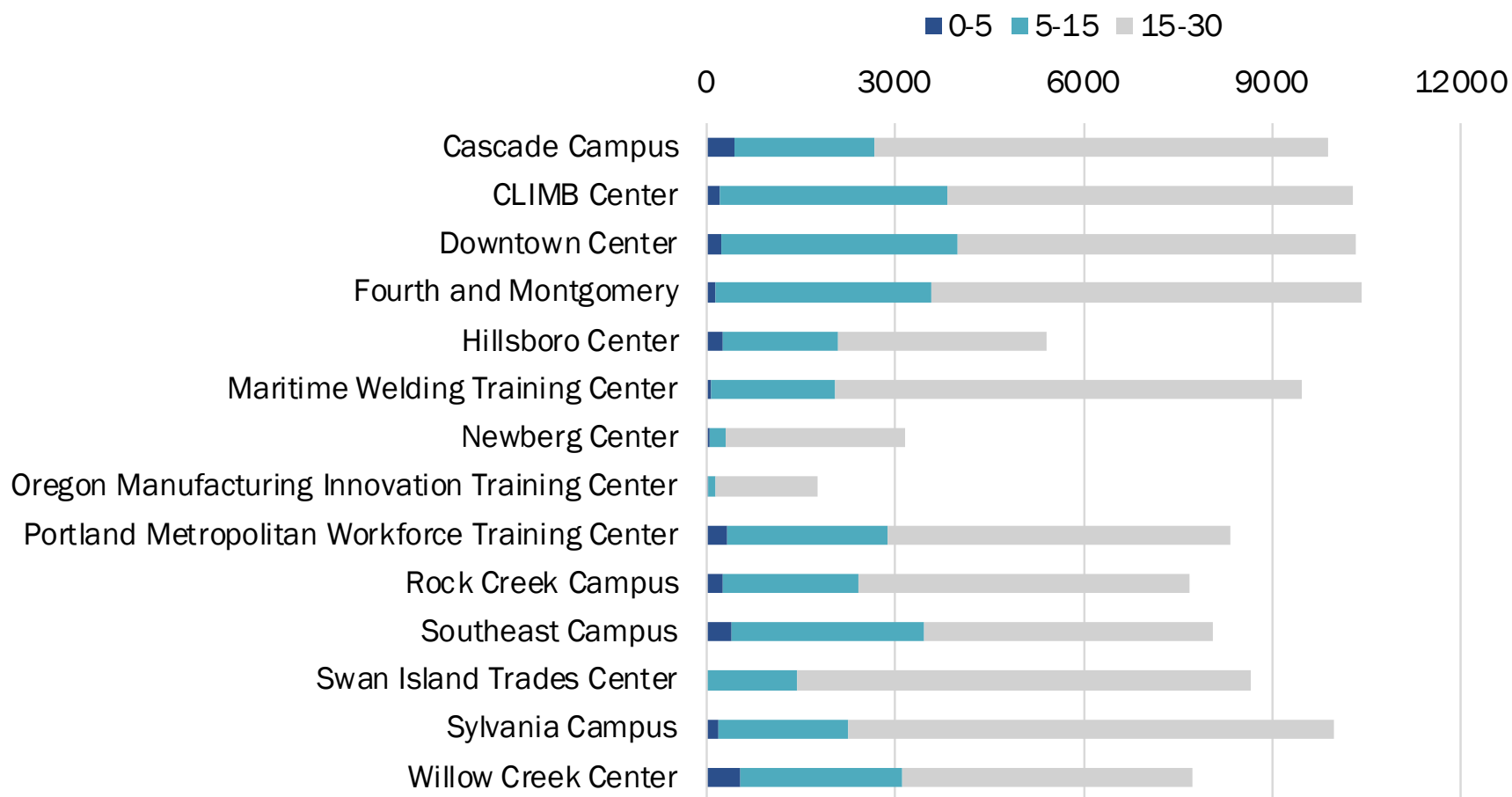
# Healthcare and Emergency enrollees, by drive time



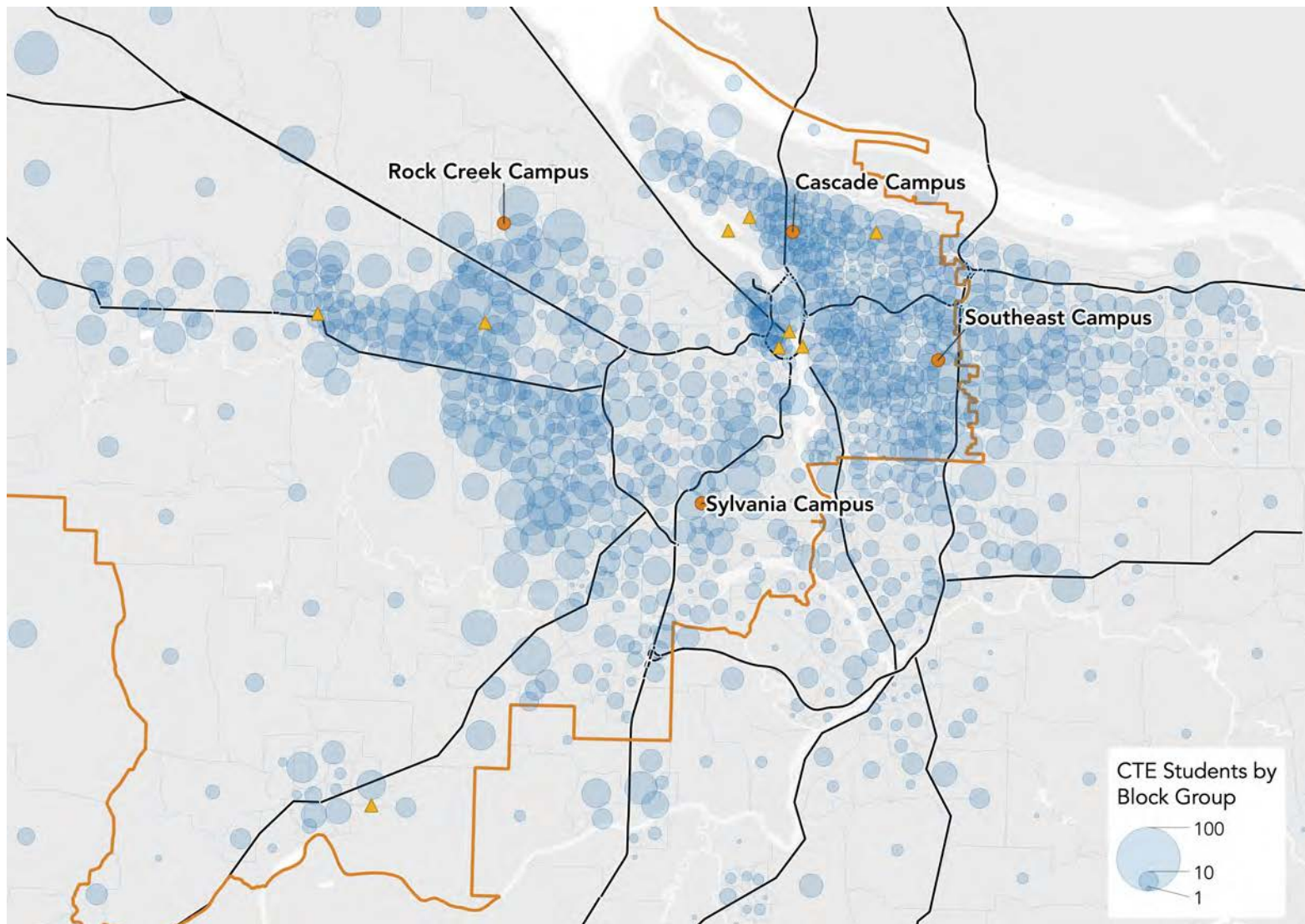
Enrollees in 2016-19 (three academic years). Source: ECONorthwest

# Drive times: Healthcare and Emergency

Drive time to each PCC campus/center (in minutes) for Healthcare enrollees



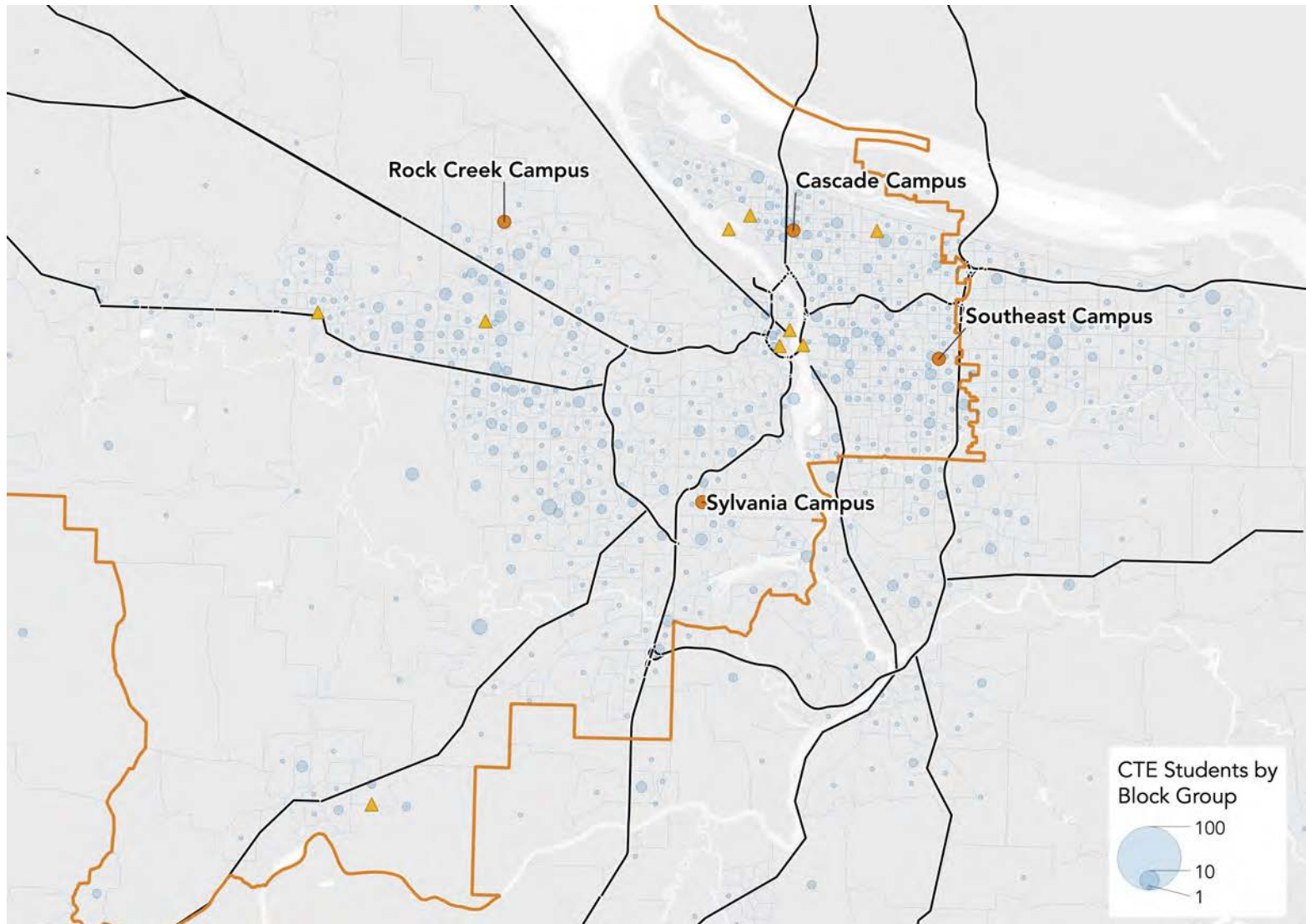
# Healthcare and Emergency, all enrollees



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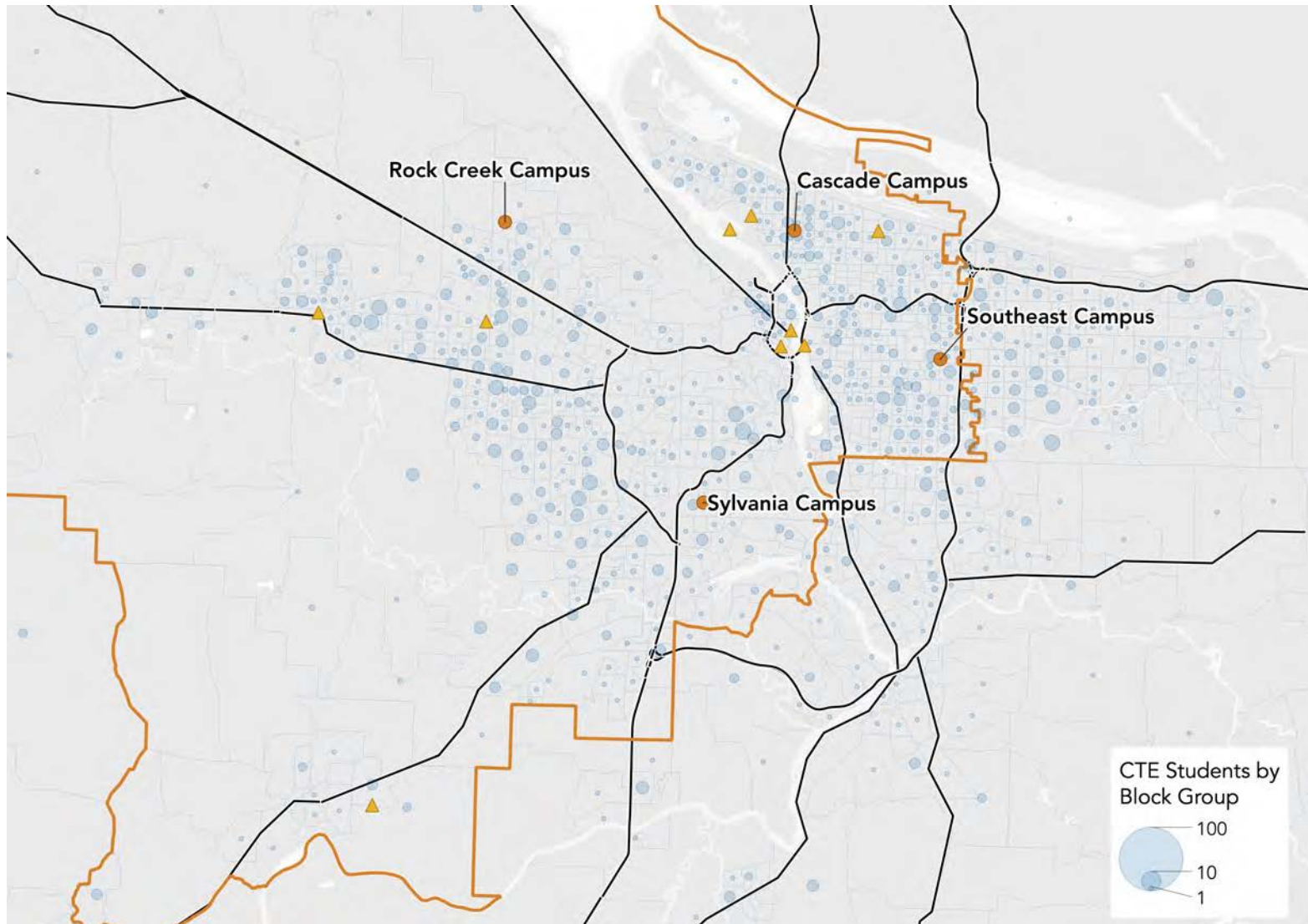


# Healthcare and Emergency, serious enrollees



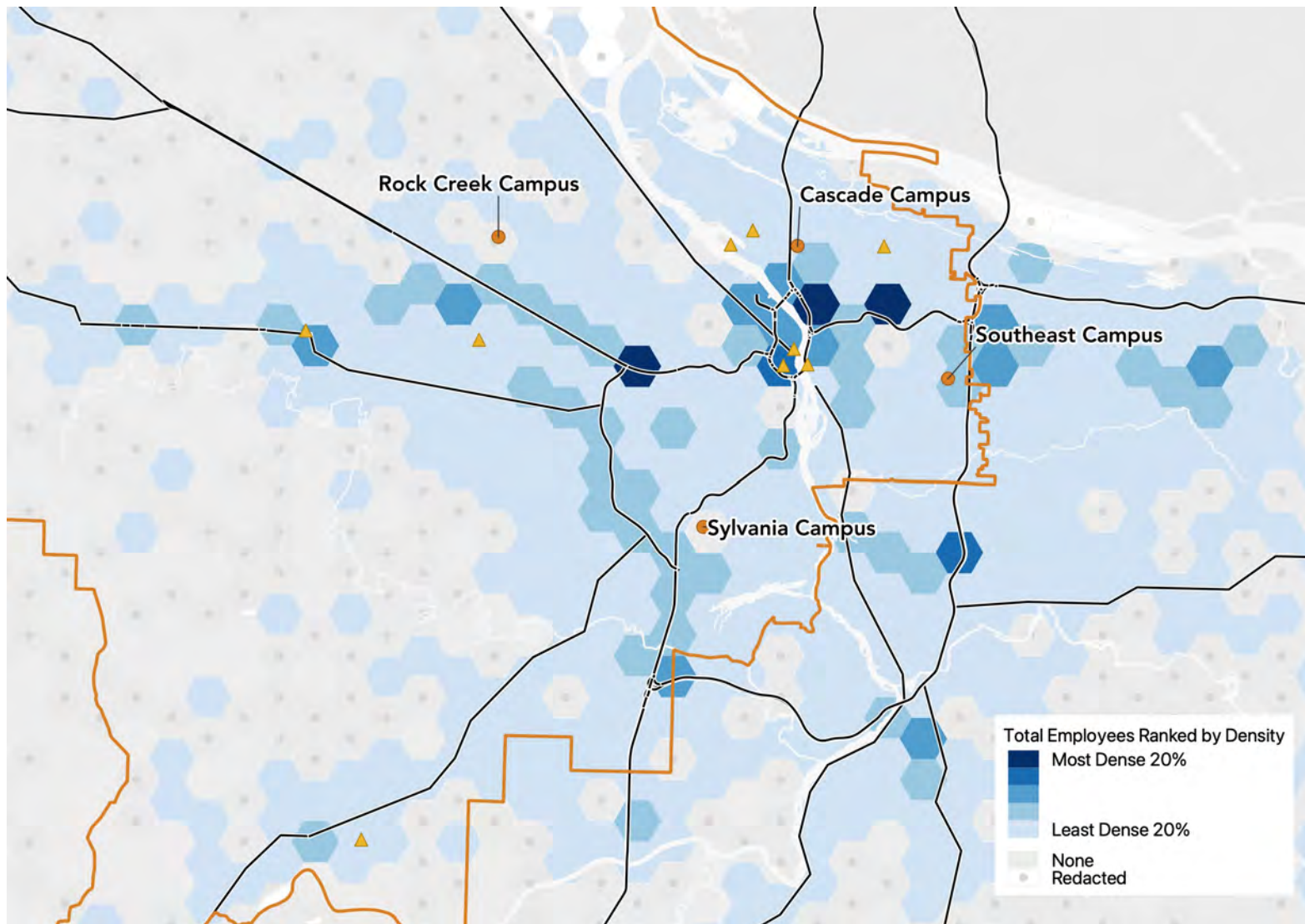
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# Healthcare and Emergency, completers



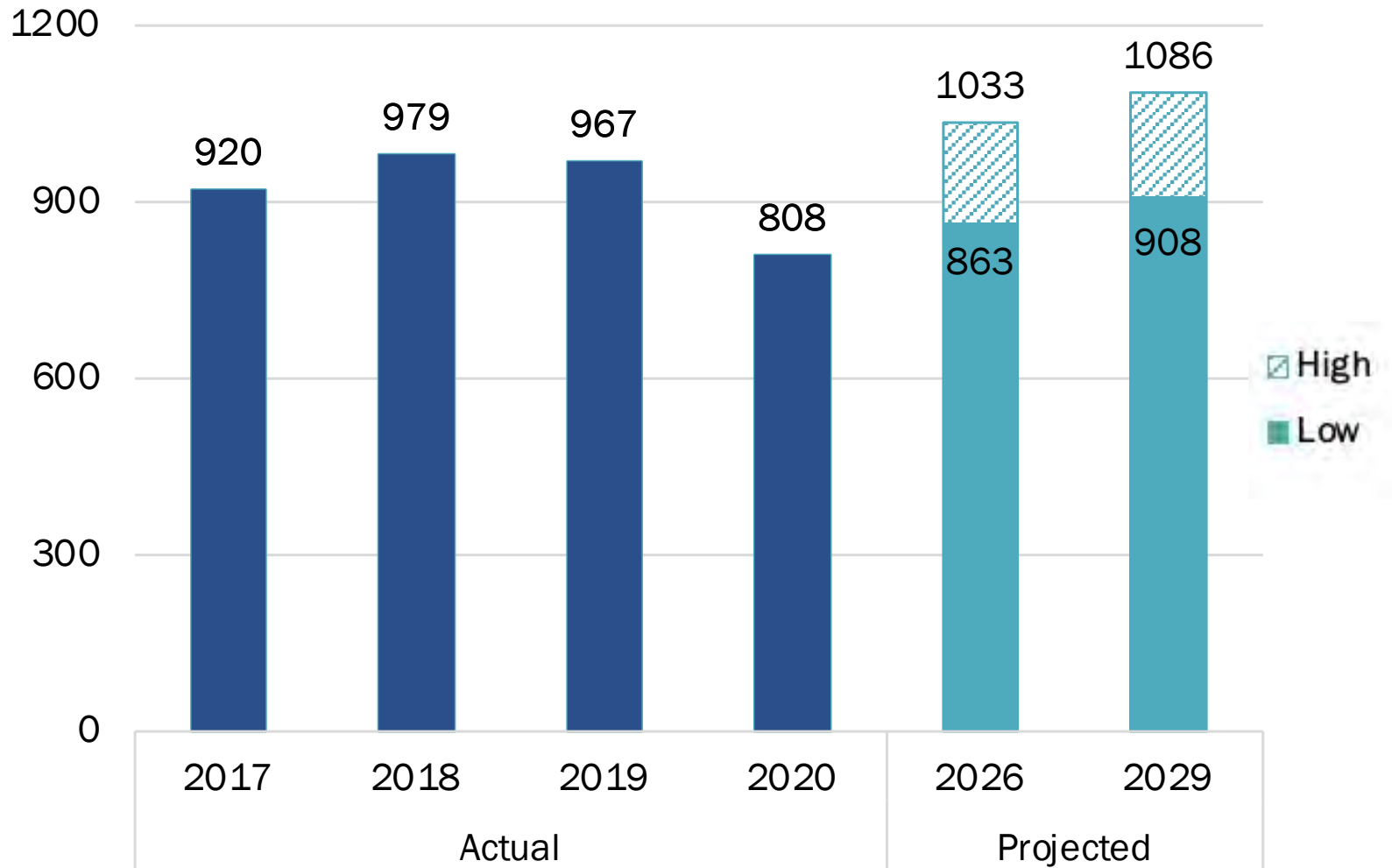
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# Healthcare and Emergency jobs



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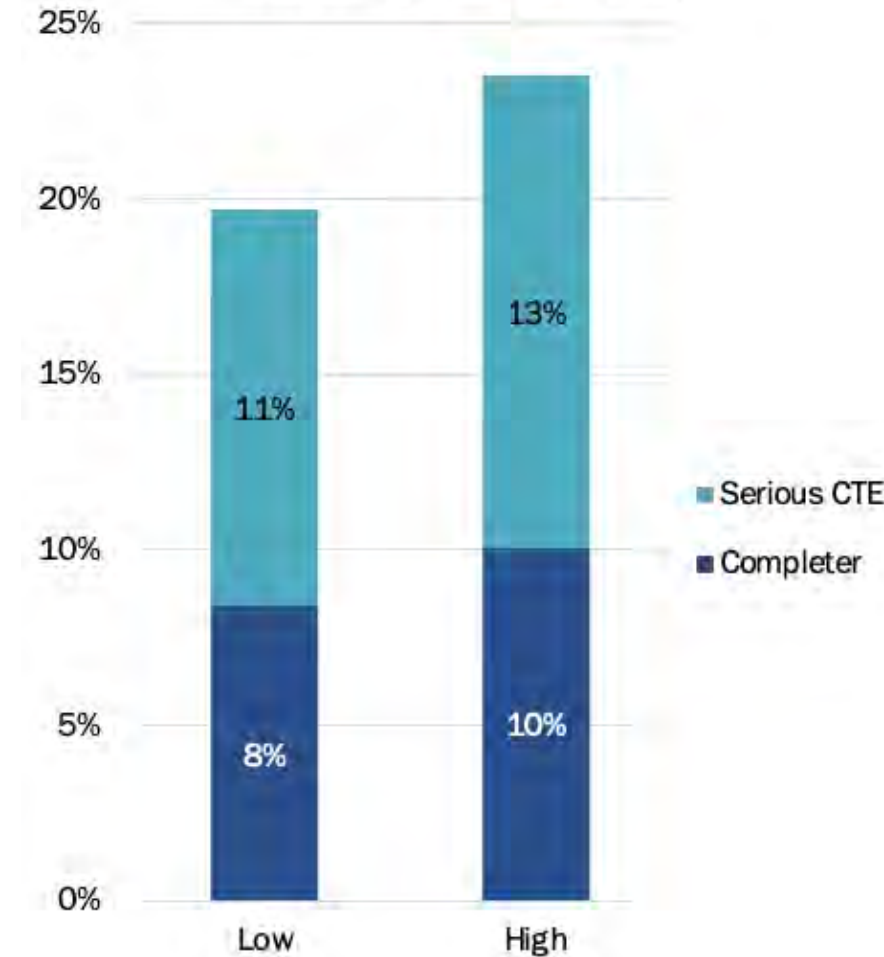
# Projection of enrolled FTE: Healthcare and Emergency





# Gap analysis: Healthcare and Emergency

Serious PCC Healthcare and Emergency enrollees as a share of average annual job openings, 2029



- 4,779 healthcare and emergency job openings projected in Portland in 2029
- Student projections based on person counts rather than FTE



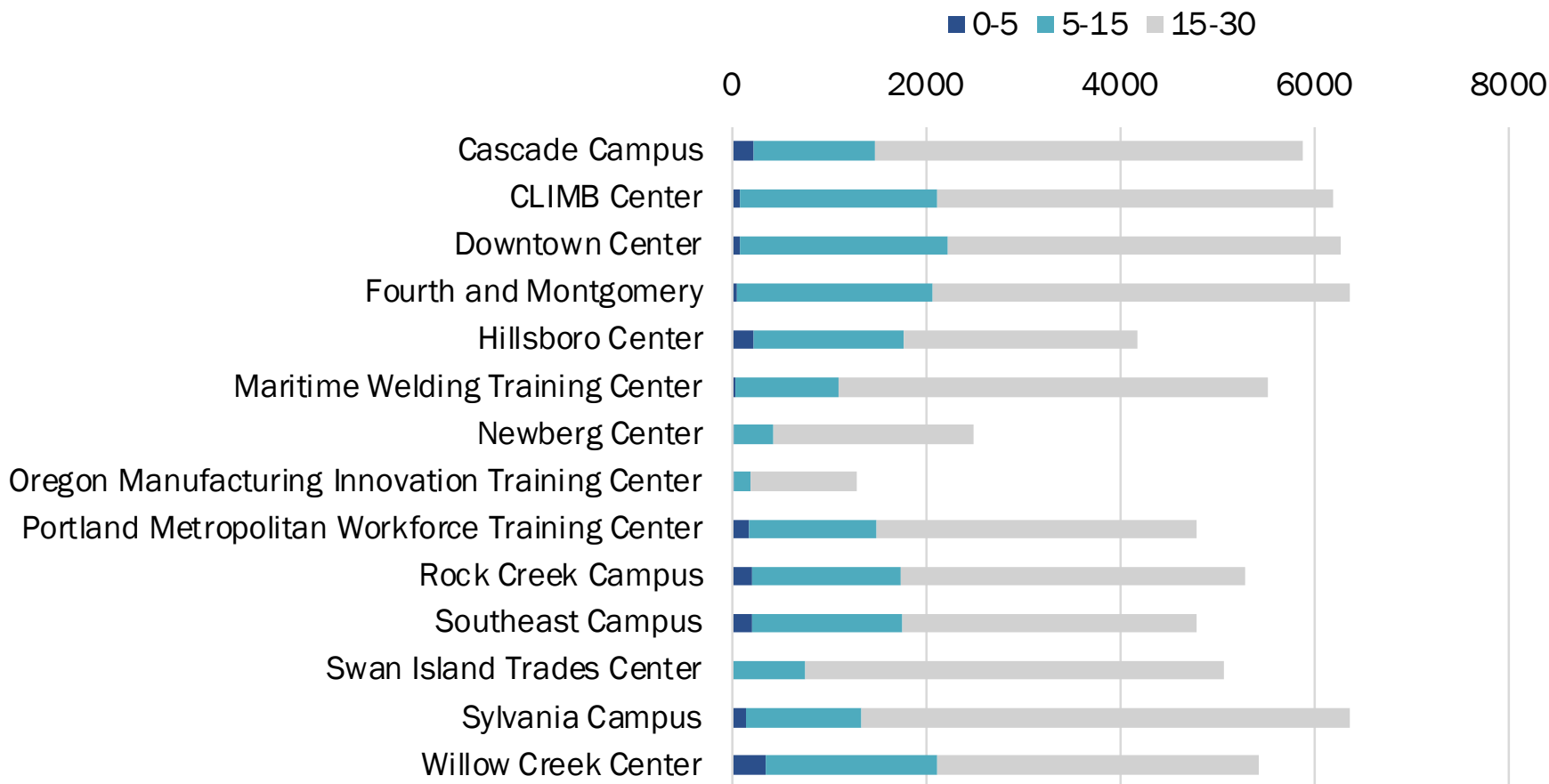
# Healthcare and Emergency takeaways

- We expect Healthcare and Emergency enrollment to be at the high end of our projected enrollment and completion estimates due to high existing demand and turnover related to the COVID-19 pandemic.
- In 2029, we expect about 1,000 enrolled Healthcare and Emergency FTE and around 500 completers.
- At this level, serious PCC enrollees and completers could potentially fill between 10 and 23 percent of Healthcare and Emergency job openings in 2029.
- The largest concentration of Healthcare and Emergency jobs is in the downtown area and along major roads and thoroughfares. About 30 percent of enrollees lived within 15 minutes of the Downtown Center and CLIMB Center, respectively.

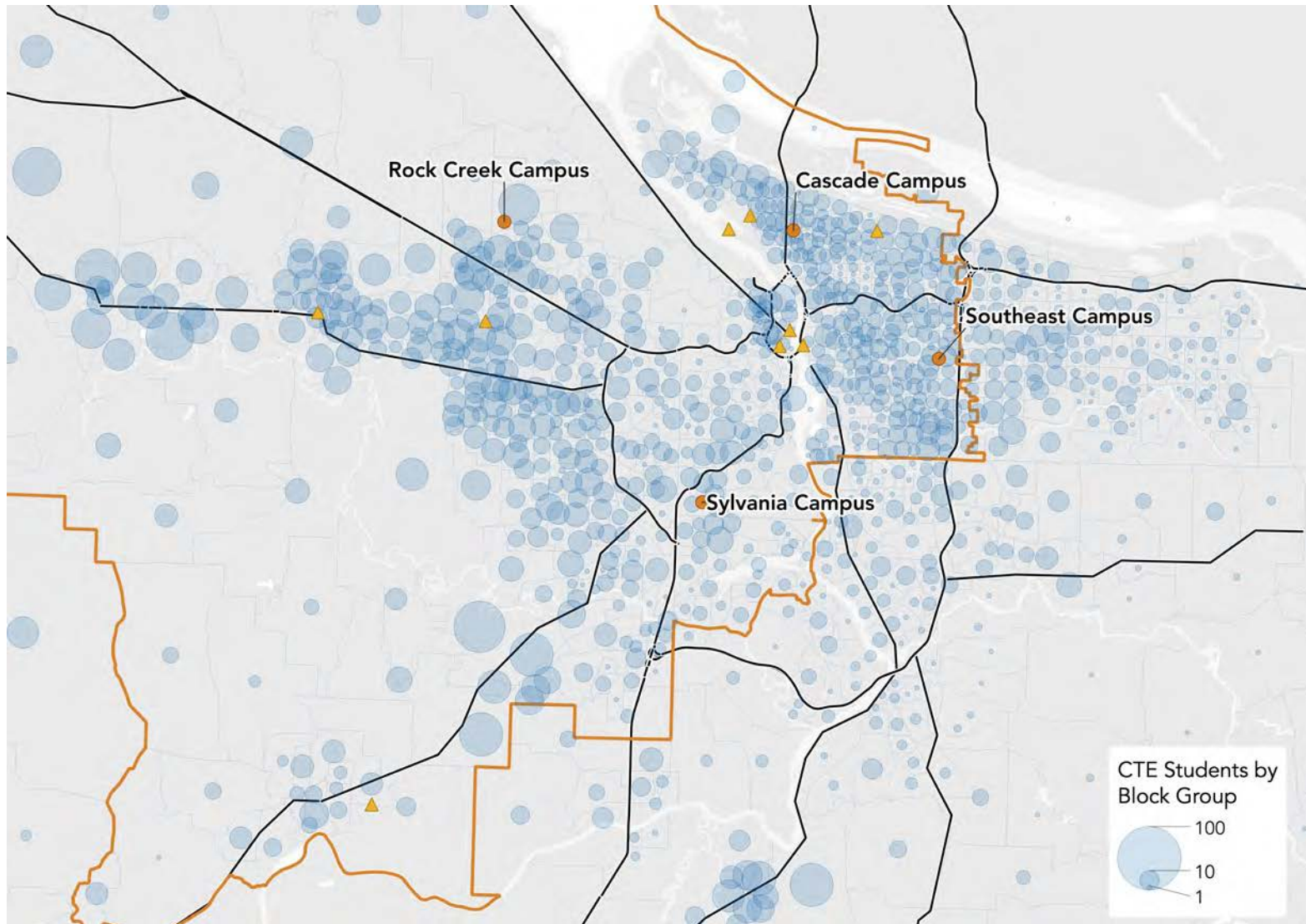
# Construction, Manufacturing Tech, and Transportation (CMTT)

# Drive time: CMTT

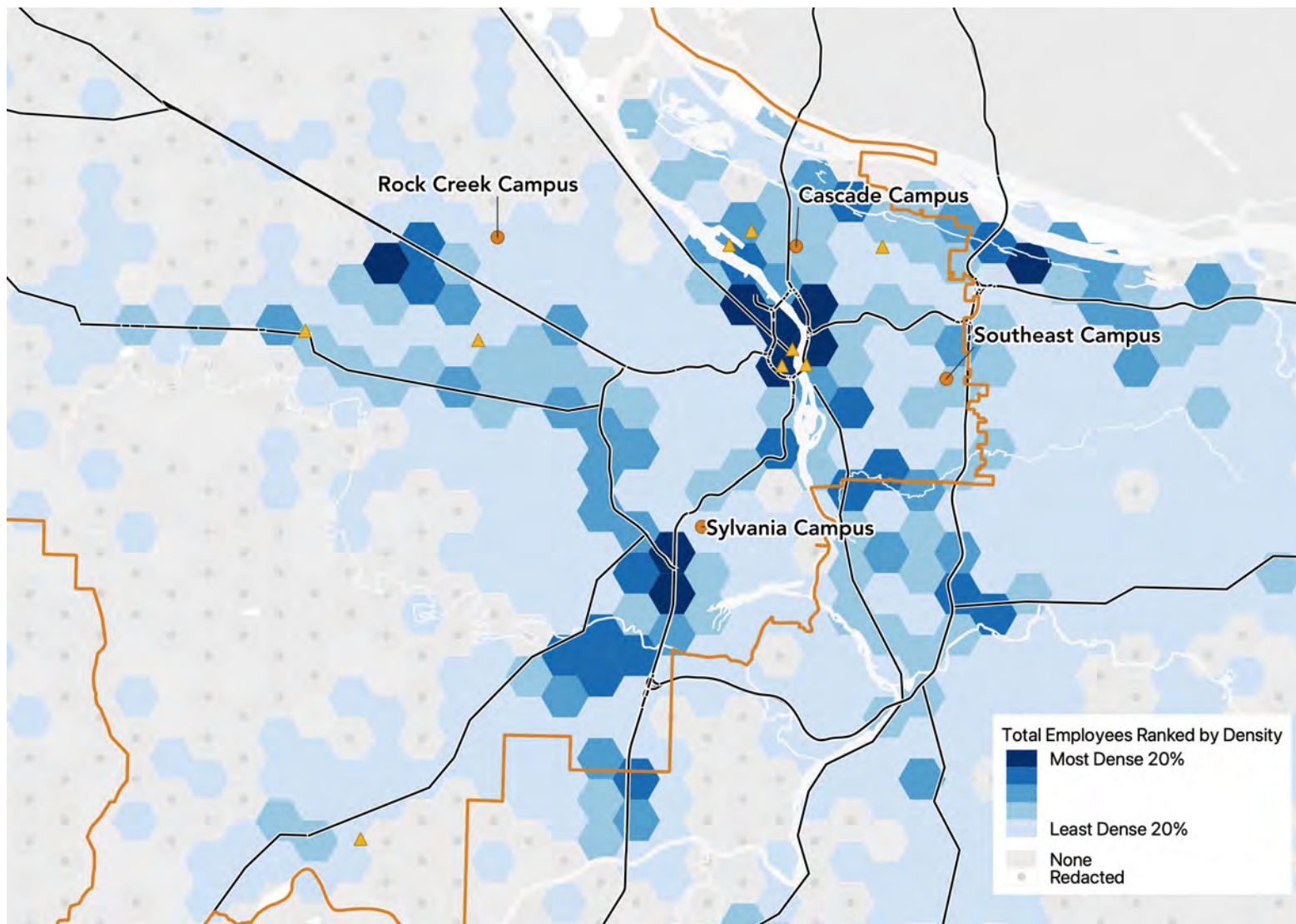
Drive time to each PCC campus/center (in minutes) for CMTT enrollees



# CMTT, all enrollees

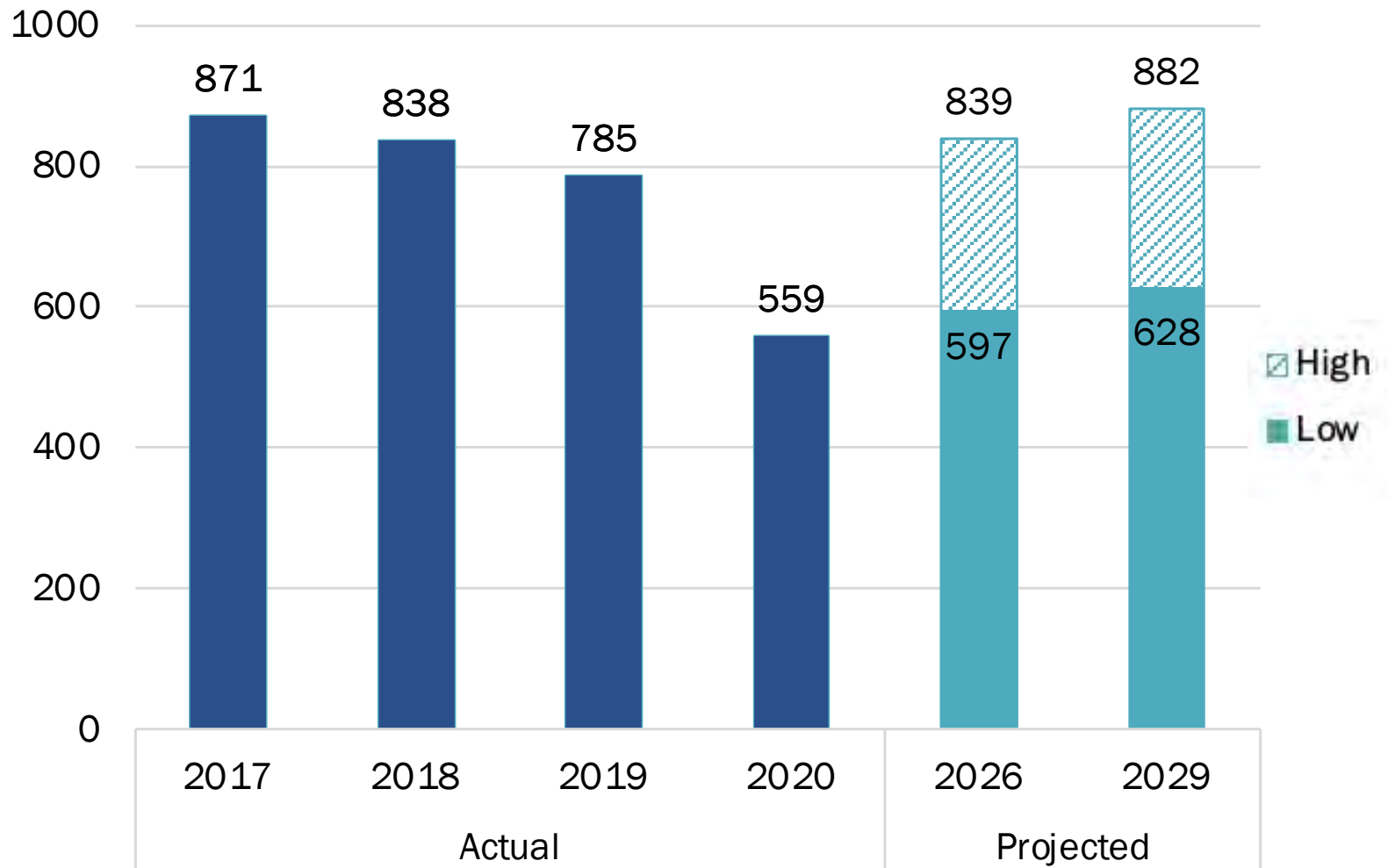


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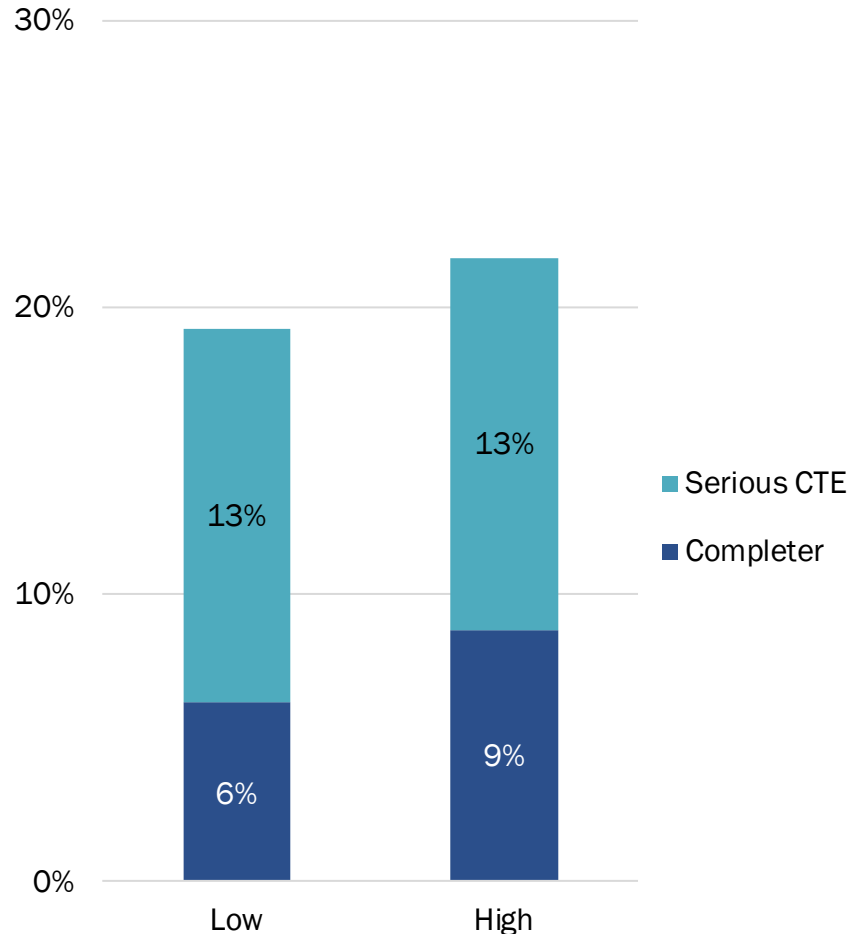
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# Projection of enrolled FTE: CMTT



# Gap analysis: CMTT

Serious PCC CMTT enrollees as a share of average annual job openings, 2029



- 3,360 CMTT job openings projected in Portland in 2029
- Student projections based on person counts rather than FTE



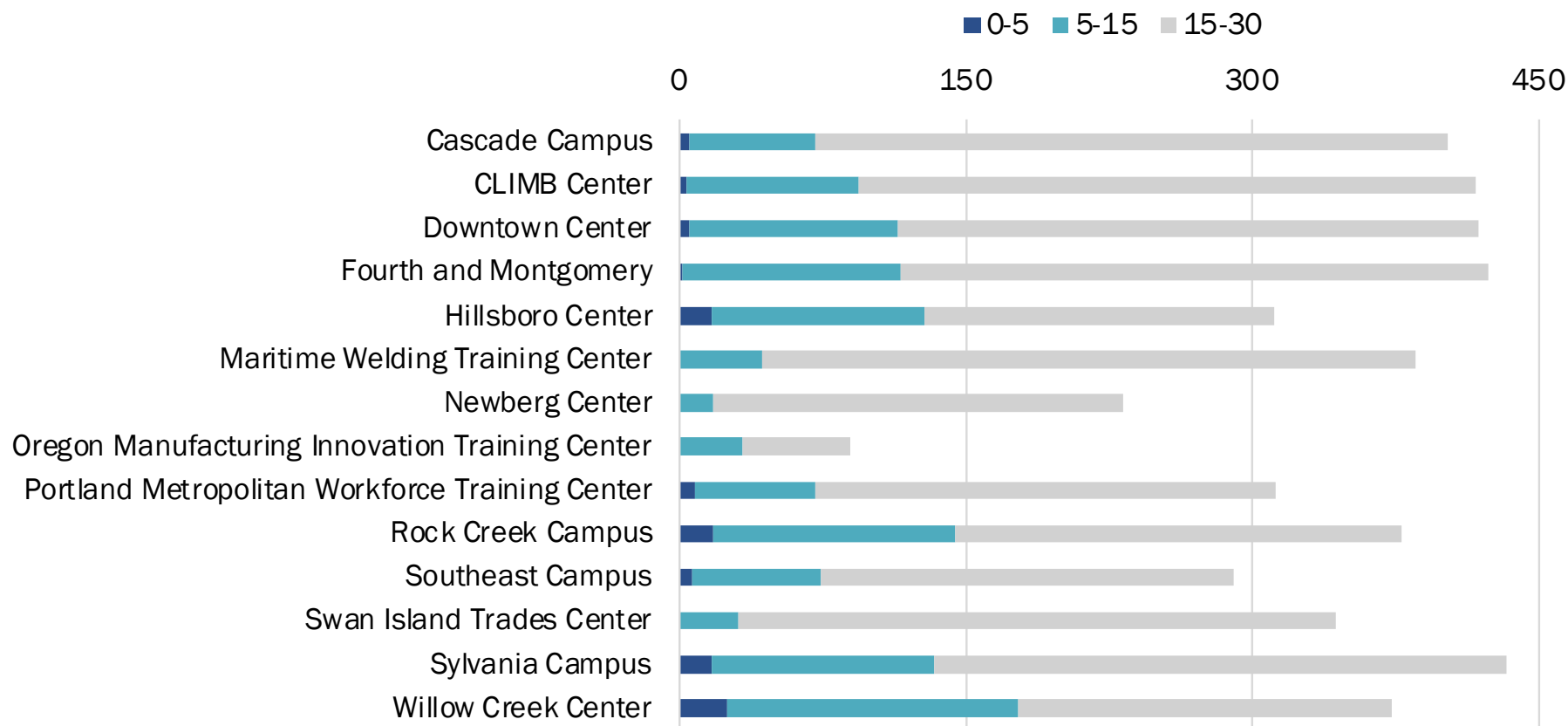
- We expect the CMTT enrollment to be toward the mid to high end of our projected enrollment and completion based on pre-existing trends.
- In 2029, we expect around 900 enrolled CMTT FTE and around 300 completers at the high end.
- At this level, serious PCC enrollees and completers could potentially fill between 9 and 22 percent of CMTT job openings in 2029.
- The largest concentrations of CMTT jobs are in the downtown area, toward North Plains, Tigard, and in north Portland. The Downtown Center has the highest share of enrollees (24 percent) living within 15 minutes.



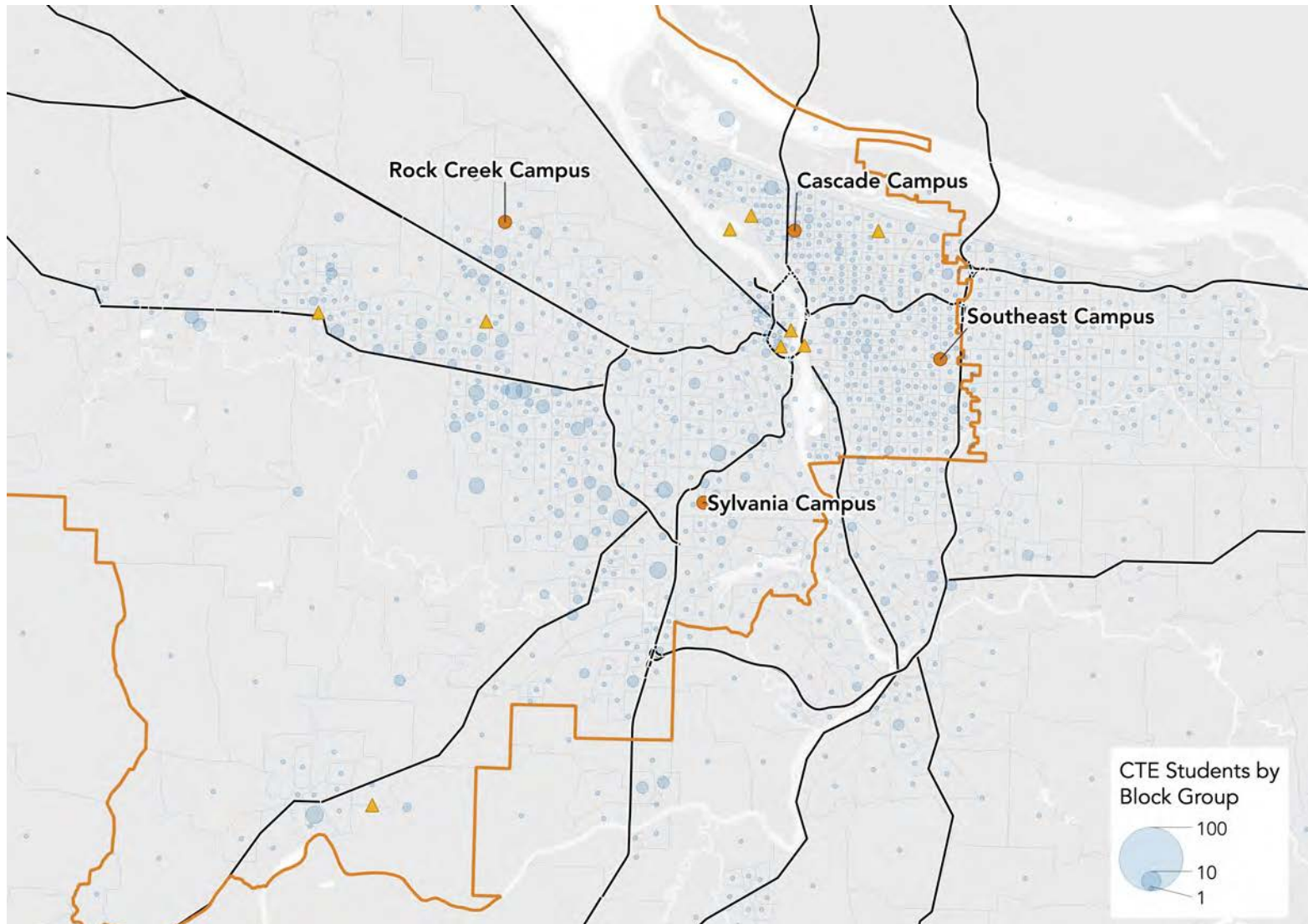
# Automotive Service

# Drive time: Automotive Service

Drive time to each PCC campus/center (in minutes) for Automotive Service enrollees

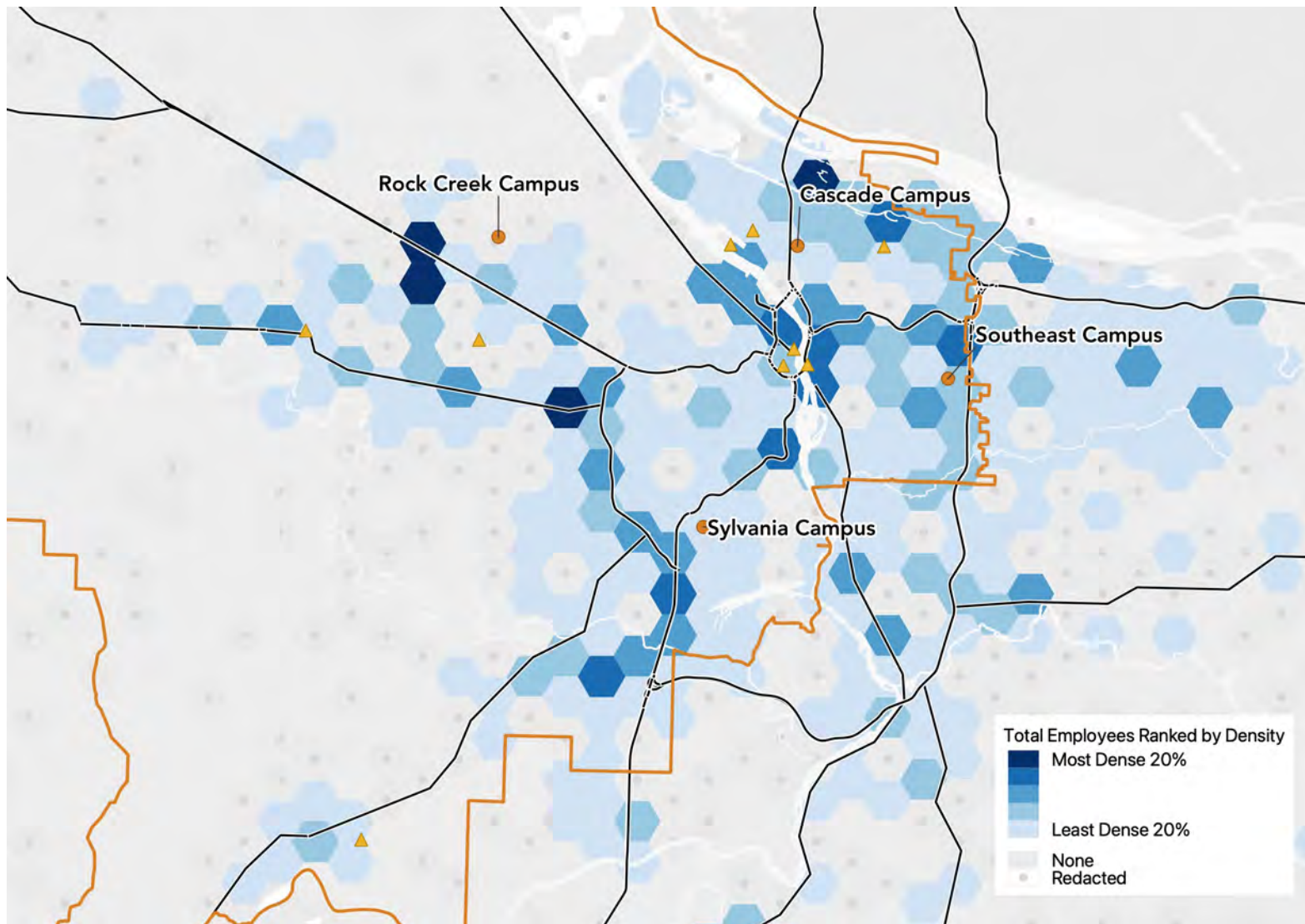


# Automotive Service, all enrollees



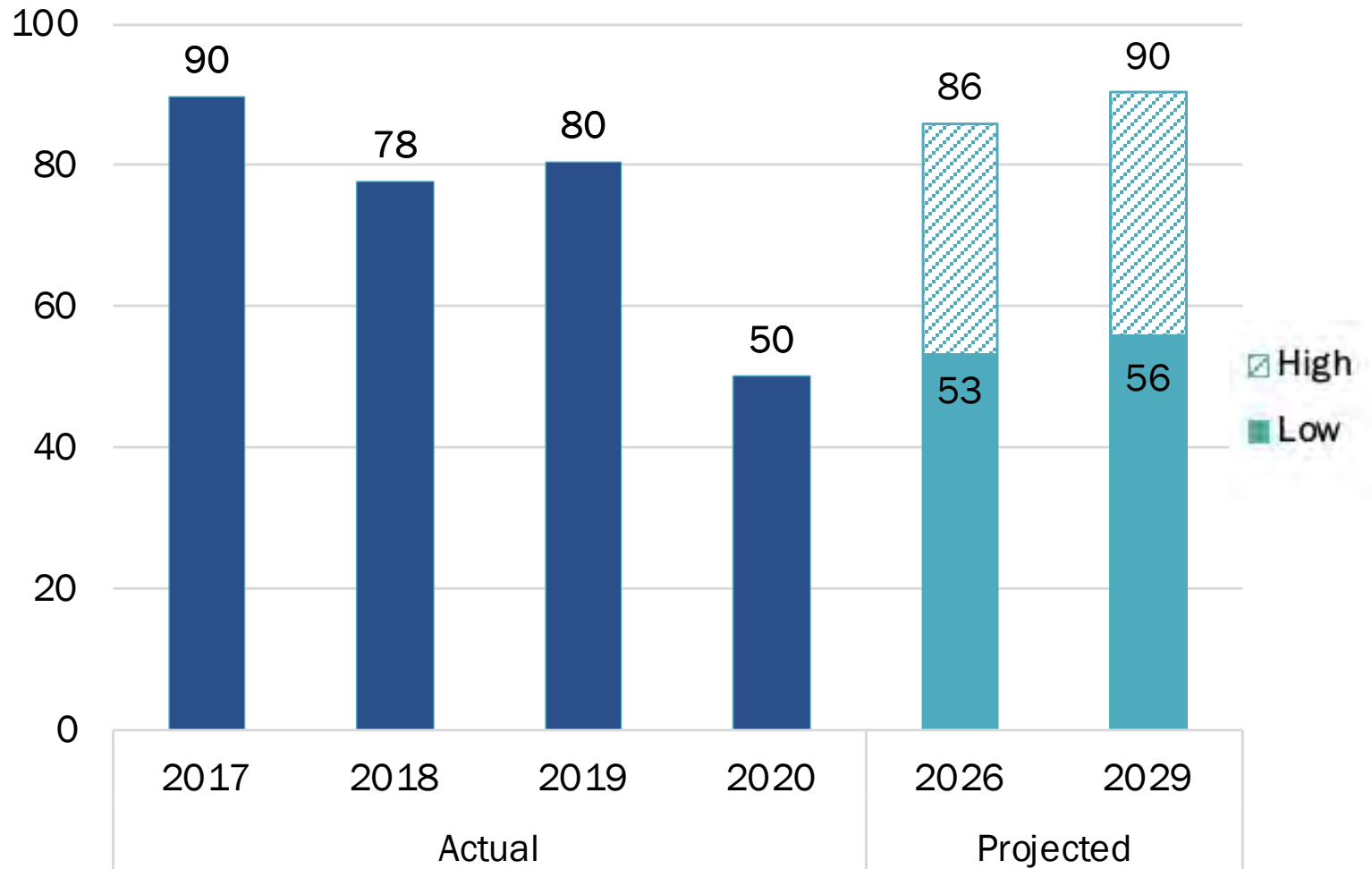
Enrollees in 2016-19 (three academic years). Source: ECONorthwest

# Automotive Service jobs



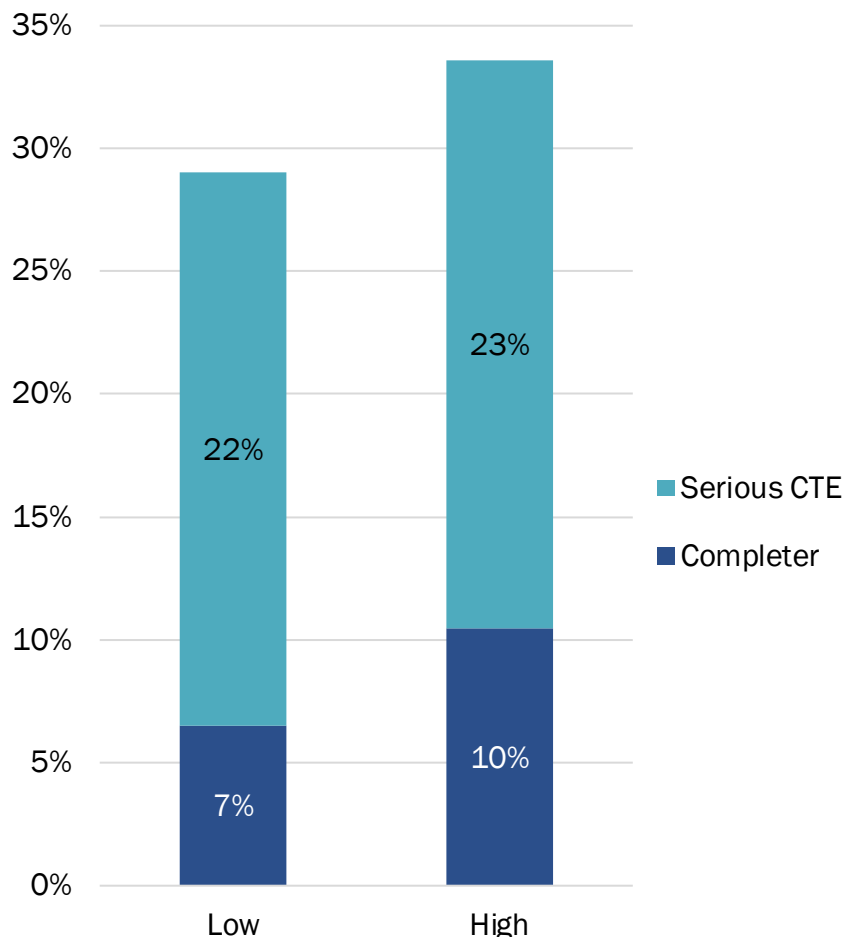
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# Projection of enrolled FTE: Automotive Service



# Gap analysis: Automotive Service

Serious PCC Automotive Service enrollees as a share of average annual job openings, 2029



- 358 Automotive Service job openings projected in Portland in 2029
- Student projections based on person counts rather than FTE

# Automotive Service takeaways

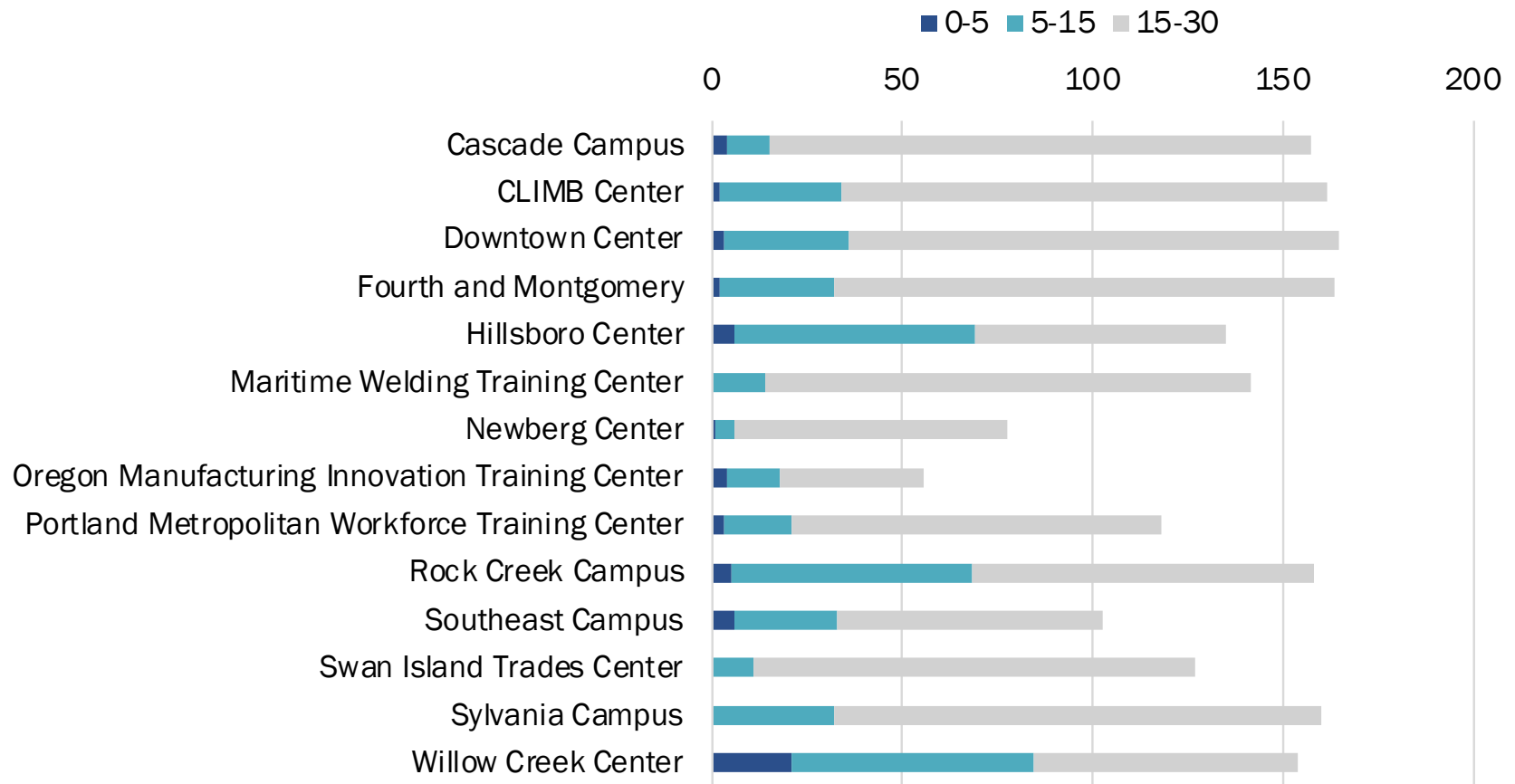
- We expect Auto Service enrollment to be toward the low end of our projected enrollment and completion estimates based on pre-existing trends.
- In 2029, we expect around 56 enrolled Auto Service FTE and around 23 completers.
- At this level, we estimate serious PCC enrollees and completers could fill between 10 and 33 percent of Auto Service job openings in 2029.
- The largest concentrations of Auto Service jobs are on the west side of the river along Highway 217 and west of Rock Creek Campus. There is also a concentration of jobs in north Portland. Approximately the same number of enrollees live near Rock Creek (within 15 minutes) as Sylvania (26 percent and 24 percent, respectively).

# Diesel Service

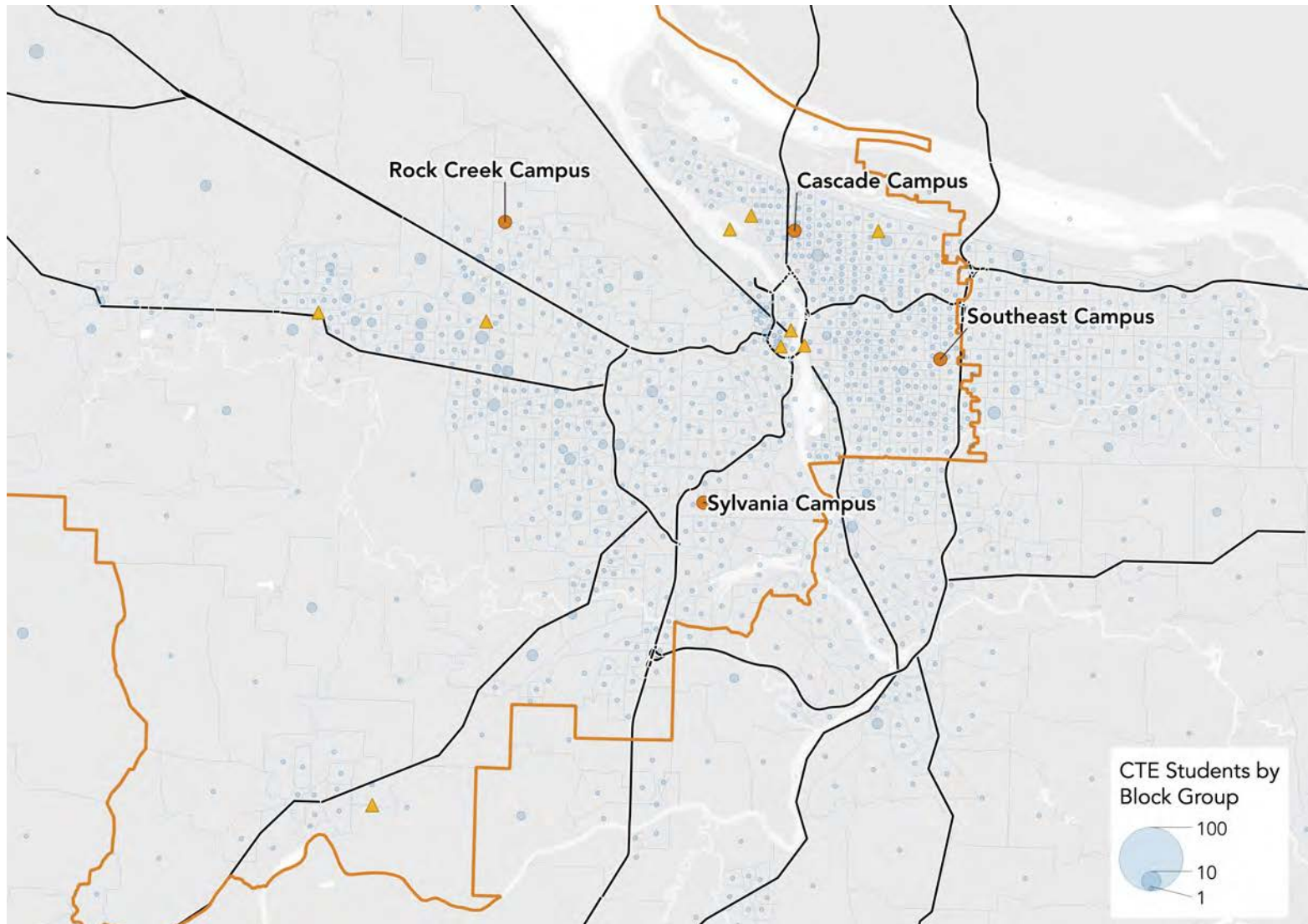


# Drive time: Diesel Service

Drive time to each PCC campus/center (in minutes) for Diesel Service enrollees

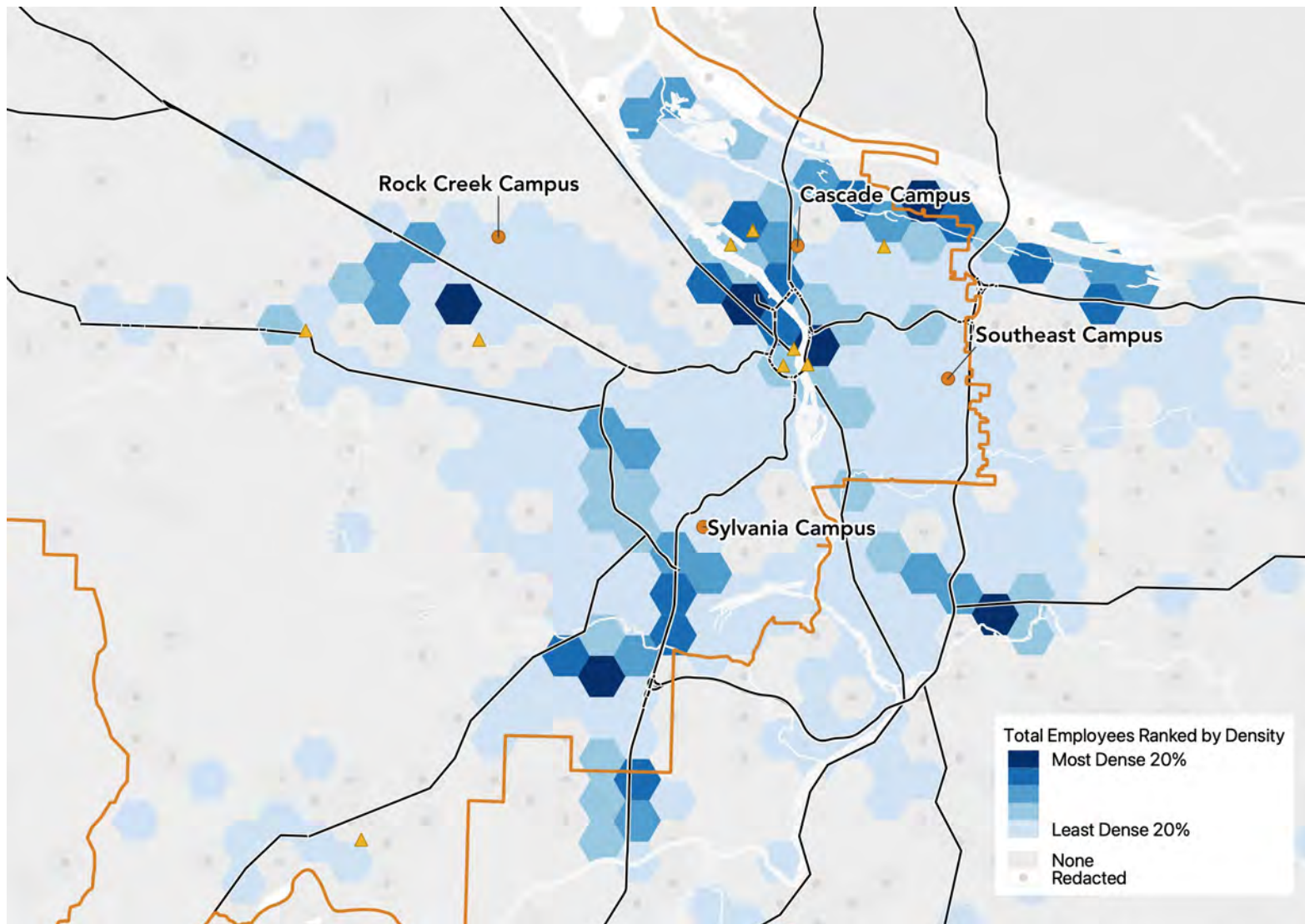


# Diesel Service, all enrollees



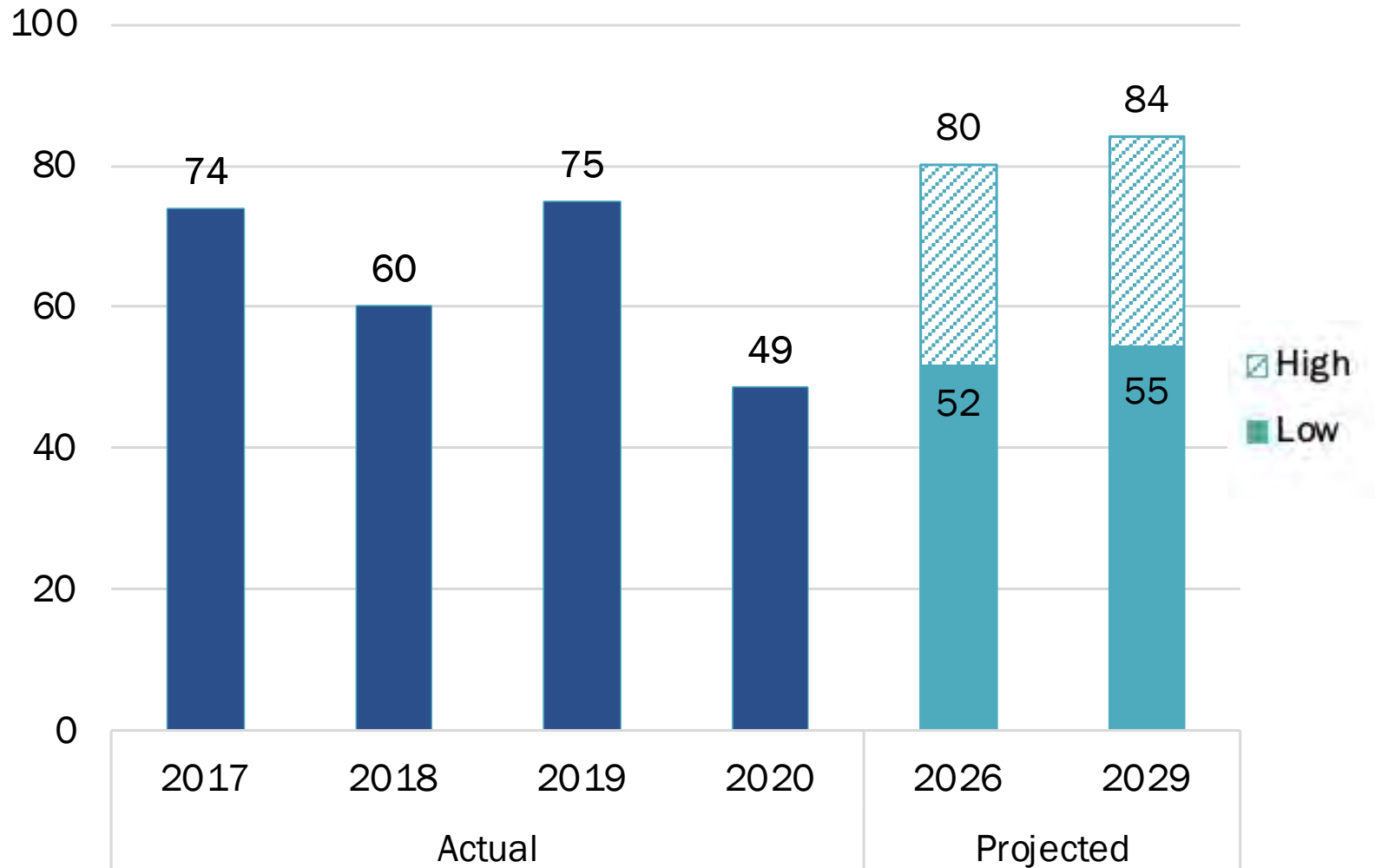
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# Diesel Service jobs



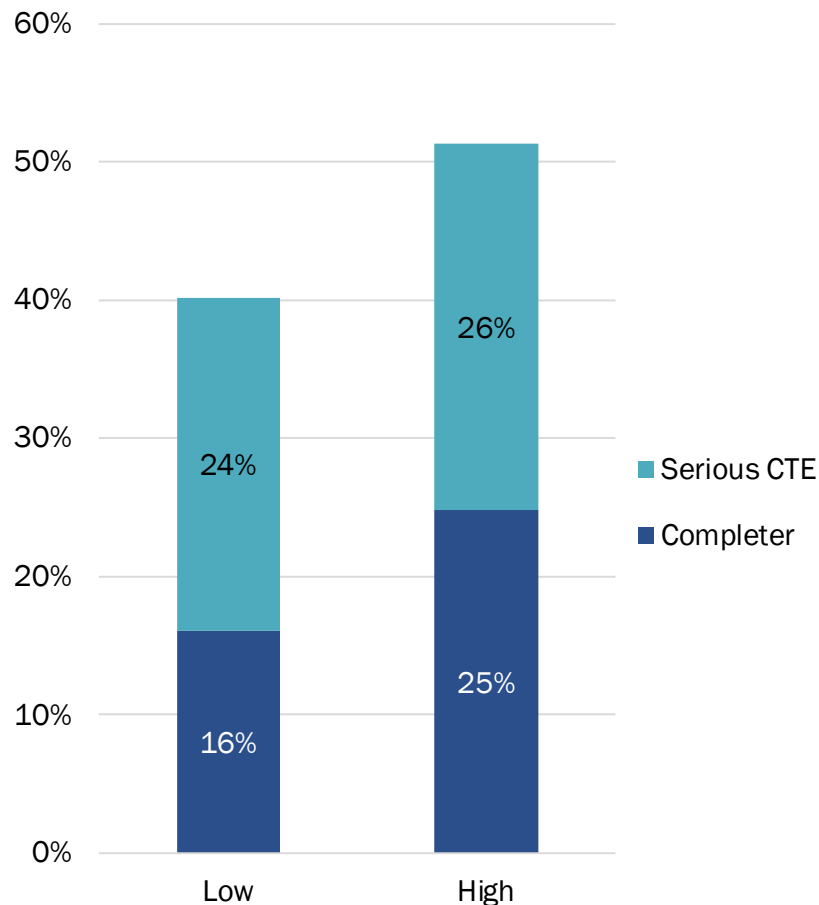
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# Projection of enrolled FTE: Diesel Service



# Gap analysis: Diesel Service

Serious PCC Diesel Service enrollees as a share of average annual job openings, 2029



- 191 Diesel Service job openings projected in Portland in 2029
- Student projections based on person counts rather than FTE

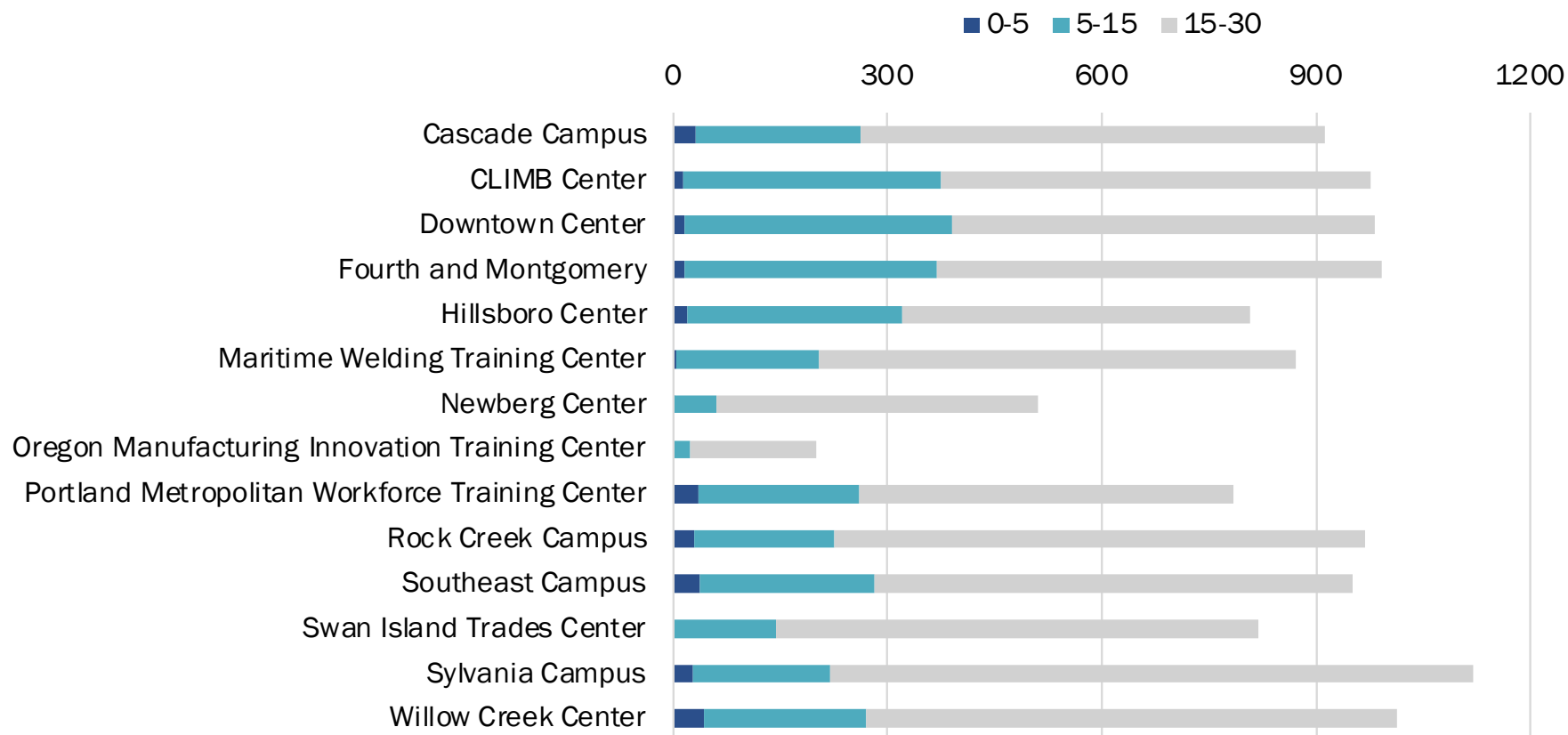
# Diesel Service takeaways

- We expect Diesel Service enrollment to fall midway between our projected high and low enrollment and completion estimates based on pre-existing trends.
- In 2029, we expect around 70 enrolled Diesel Service FTE and around 40 completers.
- At this level, we estimate serious PCC enrollees and completers could fill between 20 and 51 percent of Diesel Service job openings in 2029.
- The largest concentrations of Diesel Service jobs are around North Portland, Clackamas, and Tualatin. About one quarter (26 percent) of enrollees lived within 15 minutes of the Willow Creek Center and 21 percent lived within 15 minutes of the Rock Creek Campus and the Hillsboro Center, respectively.

# Building Construction Technology

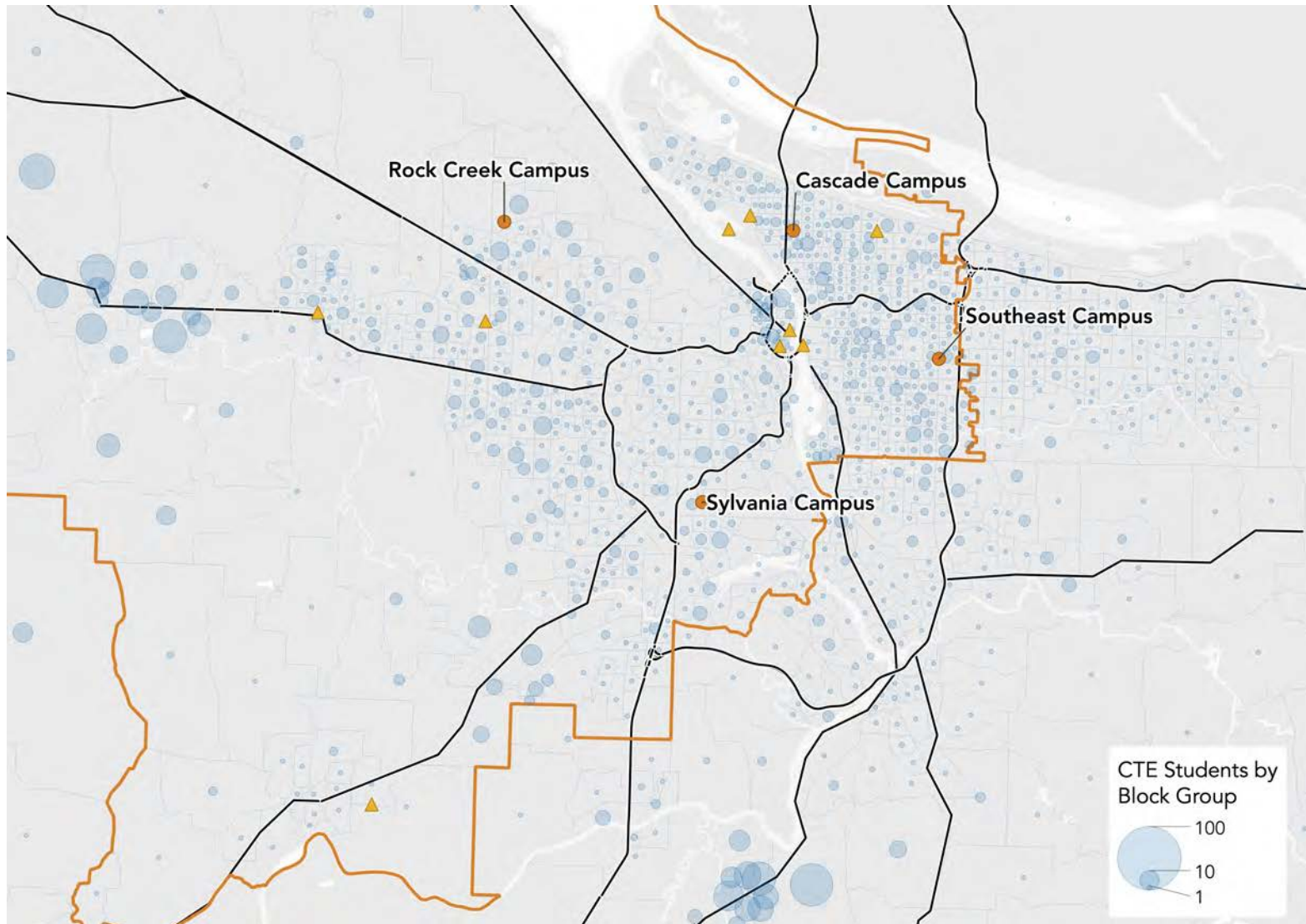
# Drive time: Building Construction

Drive time to each PCC campus/center (in minutes) for Building Construction enrollees



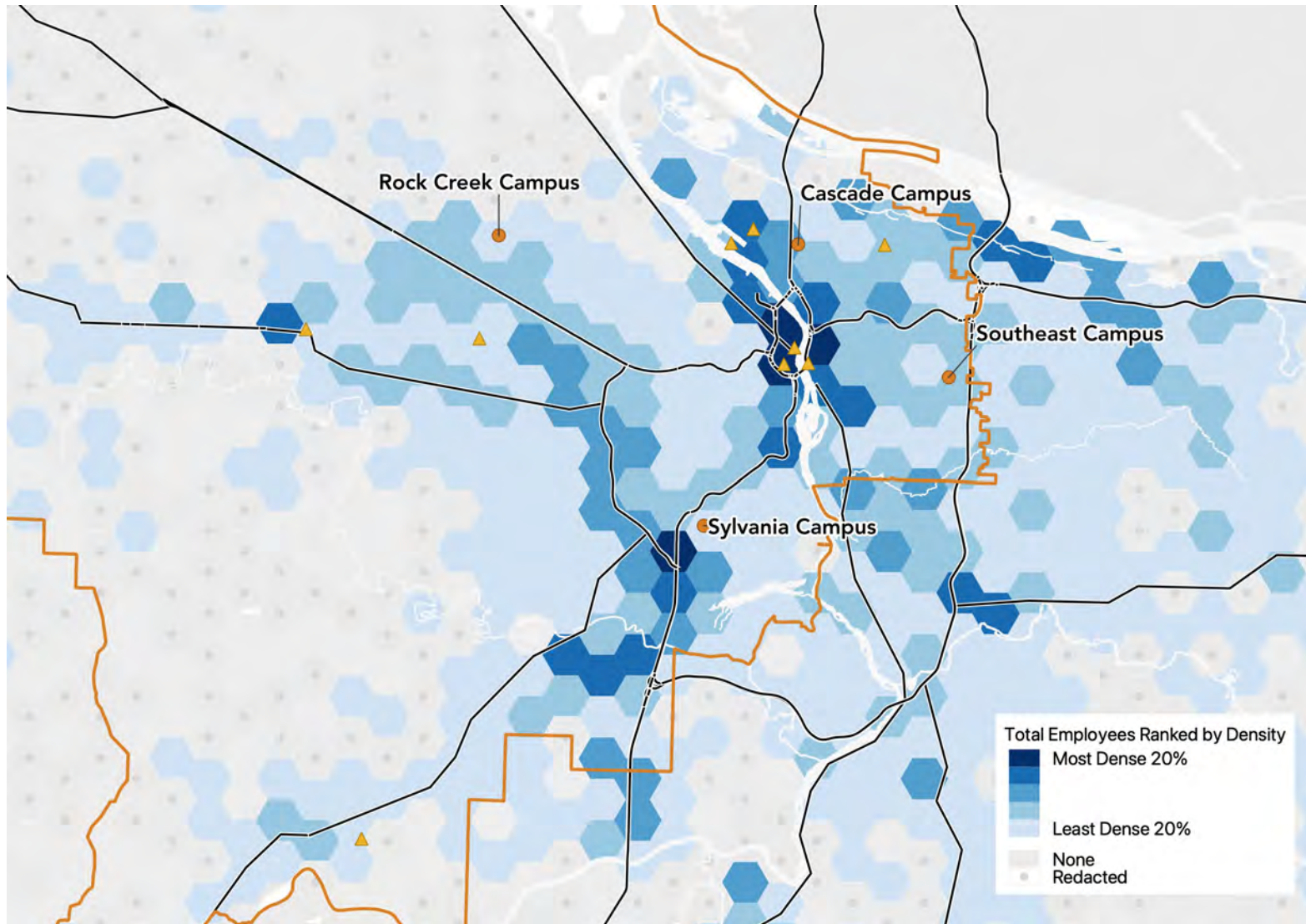


# Building Construction, all enrollees



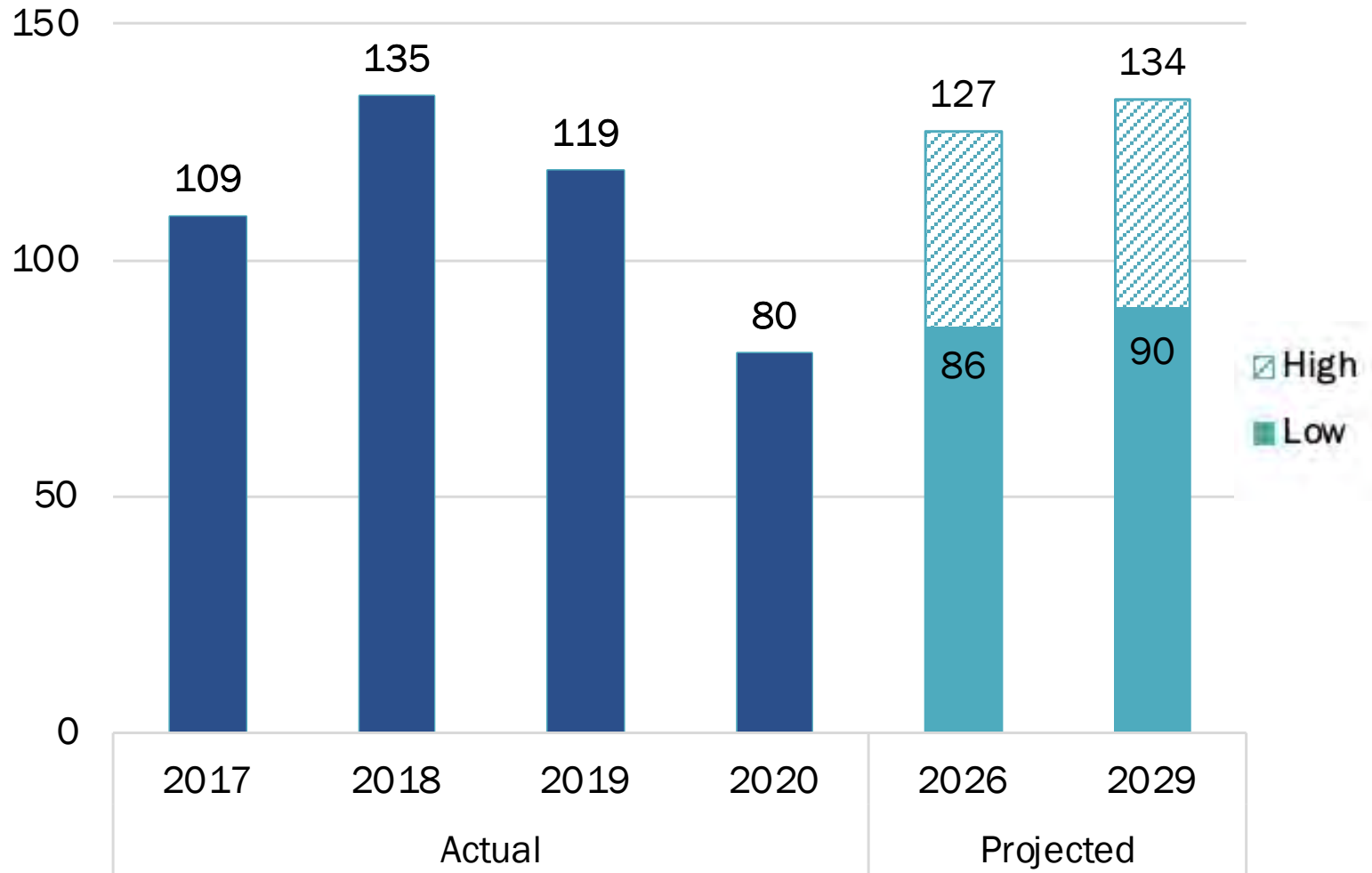
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# Building Construction jobs



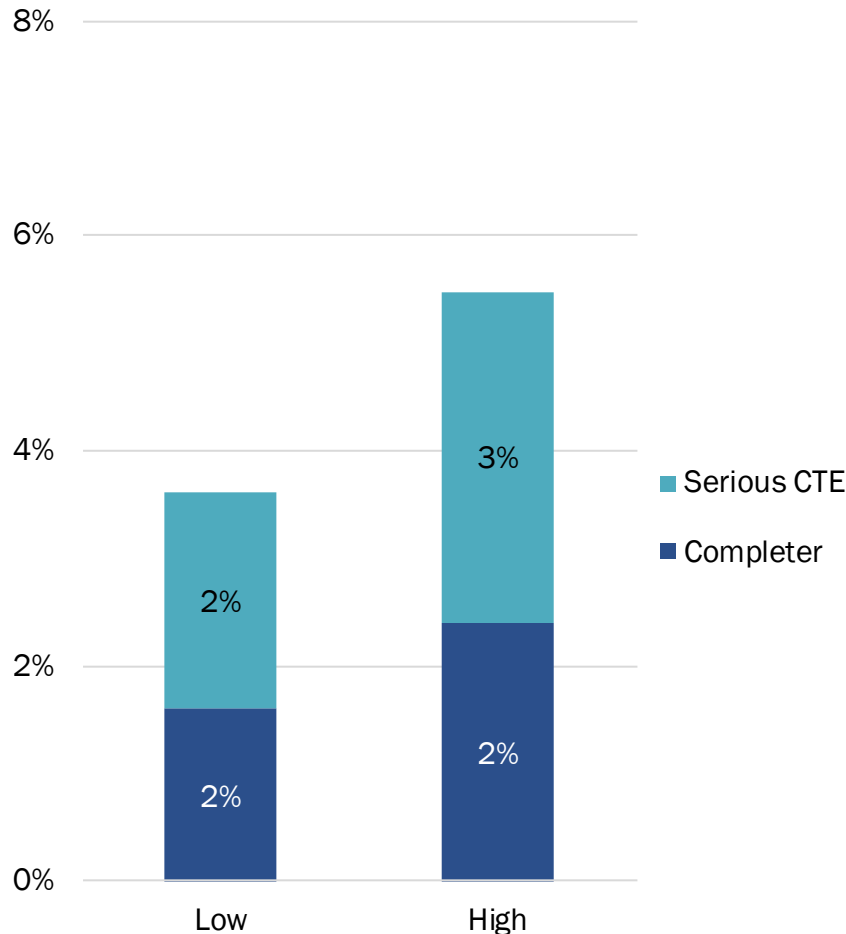
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# Projection of enrolled FTE: Building Construction



# Gap analysis: Building Construction

Serious PCC Building Construction enrollees as a share of average annual job openings, 2029



- 507 Building Construction Technology job openings projected in Portland in 2029
- Student projections based on person counts rather than FTE

# Building Construction takeaways

- Enrollment in the Building Construction pathway has grown in recent years. Whether this growth continues will depend on economic conditions; the recently passed infrastructure bill may support additional enrollment.
- In 2029, we expect between 90 and 134 enrolled Building Construction FTE and between 8 and 12 completers.
- There are few completions relative to enrollment in the Building Construction pathway.
- The largest concentrations of Building Construction jobs are in the downtown area and in Tigard.

# Appendix

# Methodology

# Defining CTE courses

- Programs and their required courses within each relevant pathway were identified manually via a search of PCC's website
- Required courses within CTE pathways were matched to student data using subject and course codes
- The definition of a CTE course was refined further. Remedial, liberal arts, and general studies courses and courses in irrelevant CIP codes were identified and removed



# Defining CTE completions

- CTE completers were identified using CIP codes derived from the list of CTE courses we identified earlier in the analysis
- The CIP code list was hand-vetted and cross-walked with older CIP codes to ensure accuracy

# Assigning students to pathways

## ■ Enrollees

- Students were given a single, mutually-exclusive pathway assignment based on their enrolled credits within a given academic year
- Students enrolled in multiple courses that fell into two or more CTE pathways were assigned to the pathway in which they had taken the most credits

## ■ Completers

- Completers were given a single, mutually-exclusive pathway assignment based on the CIP code of their completion within a given academic year
- For completers with multiple completions in a single year, associate degree completions were prioritized

# Allocating students to zip codes

- Student data were recorded at the end of the last term the student was enrolled in the data set.
- The maps display information about the distribution of students' assumed residences across the PCC district and beyond. We choose 2018-19 and earlier years instead of more-current years to avoid displaying enrollment anomalies related to the COVID-19 pandemic.
- We used the zip code / zip+4 field in the data PCC provided to determine where PCC enrollees were located. Students were assigned to the Census block group that includes the center point of the delivery route.
- Students with missing zip+4 data (about a third of student observations in the 2018-19 academic year) were allocated proportionally across five-digit zip codes.
- This method allowed us to capture 98.4% of completers and 99.5% of enrollees in 2018-19.
- Students who were missing zip codes entirely or who lived outside of Oregon were not mapped.
  - 6.1% percent of selected CTE enrollees and 9.0% of completers in 2018-19 were outside the state or missing geographic data. Of these, 90% of enrollees and 91% of completers were Washington residents.

# Drive-time and employment maps

- Drive times calculated using ArcGIS Online. Block groups were assigned to a distance band based on where they had the most overlap. Block groups with less than 25 percent overlap with any distance band were not included.
- The industry job maps are based on QCEW data from 2019 for 5 counties: Multnomah, Clackamas, Washington, Columbia, and Yamhill. Based on the business's NAICS code, a percentage of the total average annual employment was determined to be CTE-relevant for each pathway. This employment was aggregated to 2km hexbins (2km height/width). Hexbins with data that did not meet disclosure requirements are redacted from the maps. To meet disclosure requirements, a hexbin had to have no fewer than 3 firms and one firm could not represent 80 percent of the reported employment. Hexbins were ranked by number of jobs (i.e., ranked by density with constant area) and split into quintiles from most to least dense.

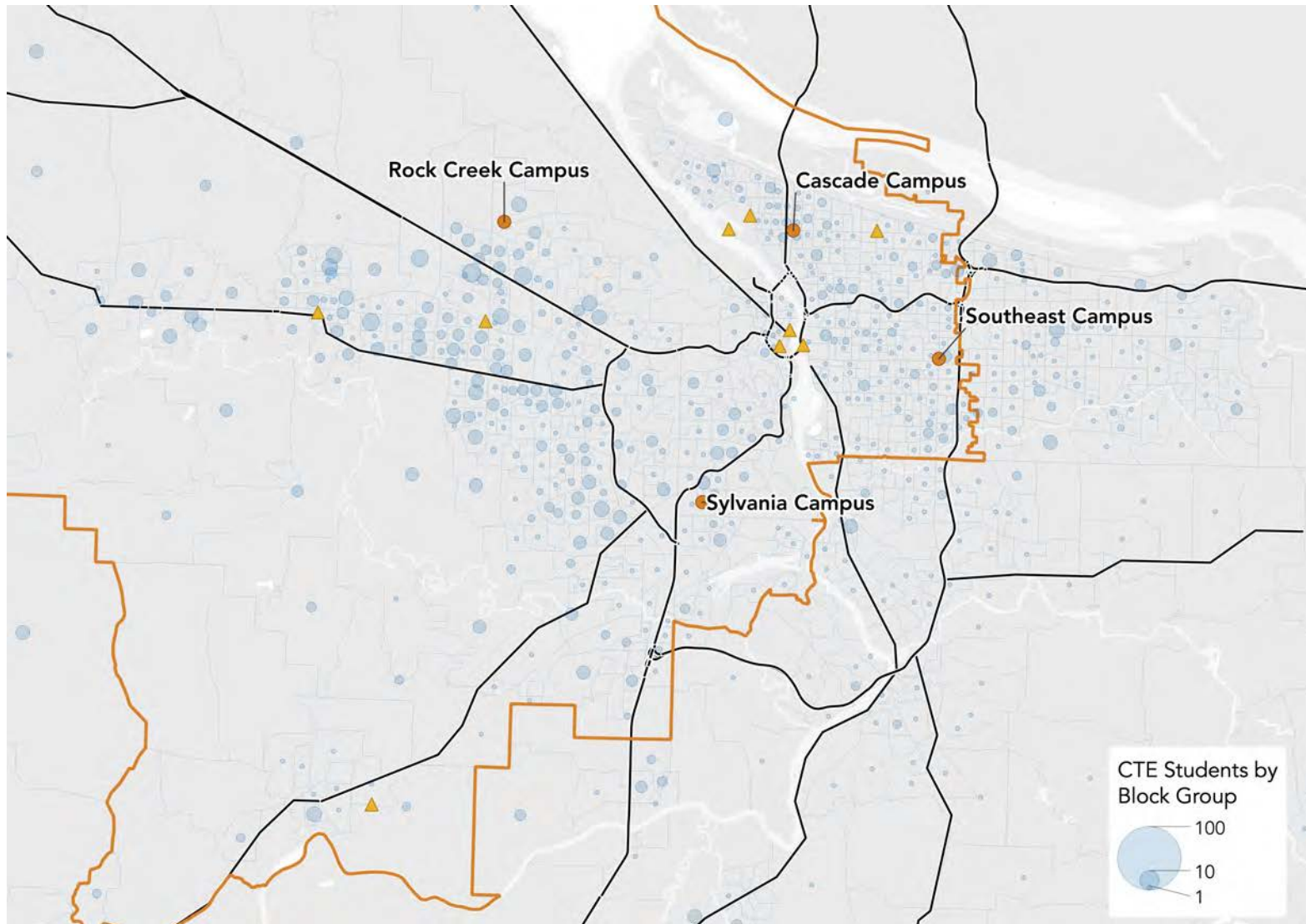
# Projections and gap analysis

- We applied growth rates from our previously completed enrollment projections in Spring 2021 to estimate FTE enrollment for the selected PCC pathways. We produced high and low projections to provide a potential range for how CTE enrollment may perform in the future. Future enrollment will depend on many things, including recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic.
- **High projections:** High projections were produced using CTE enrollment in 2018-19 as the base and applying growth rates from previously completed enrollment projections.
- **Low projections:** Low projections were produced using CTE enrollment in 2019-20 as the base and applying growth rates from previously completed enrollment projections.
- To project completions, we applied a completion to FTE ratio (pooling completions from the 2014-15 to 2018-19 academic years) for each pathway. Due to an anomaly in the PCC completion data, we averaged 2008-09 through 2012-13 completions for the Diesel pathway. We applied these completion to FTE ratios to the high and low FTE projections to estimate a potential range of completions for the 2022-23 through 2029-30 academic years.

- The gap analysis is based on enrollment projections by pathway and projected job openings (2020-2030) in the tri-county region for occupations relevant to each pathway. CIP codes for PCC pathway coursework are crosswalked to SOC codes to identify relevant occupations.

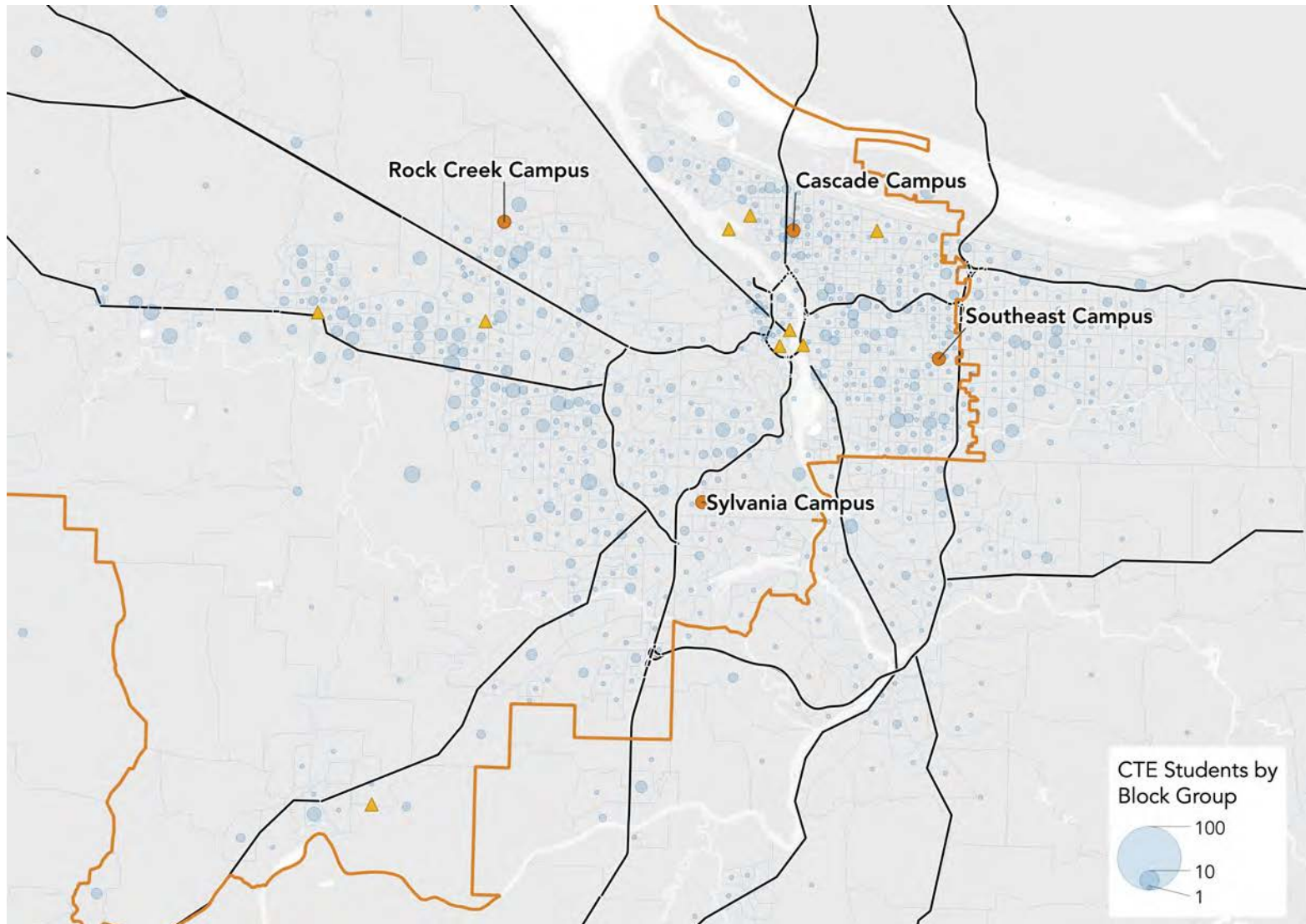
# Additional enrollee maps

# CMTT, serious enrollees



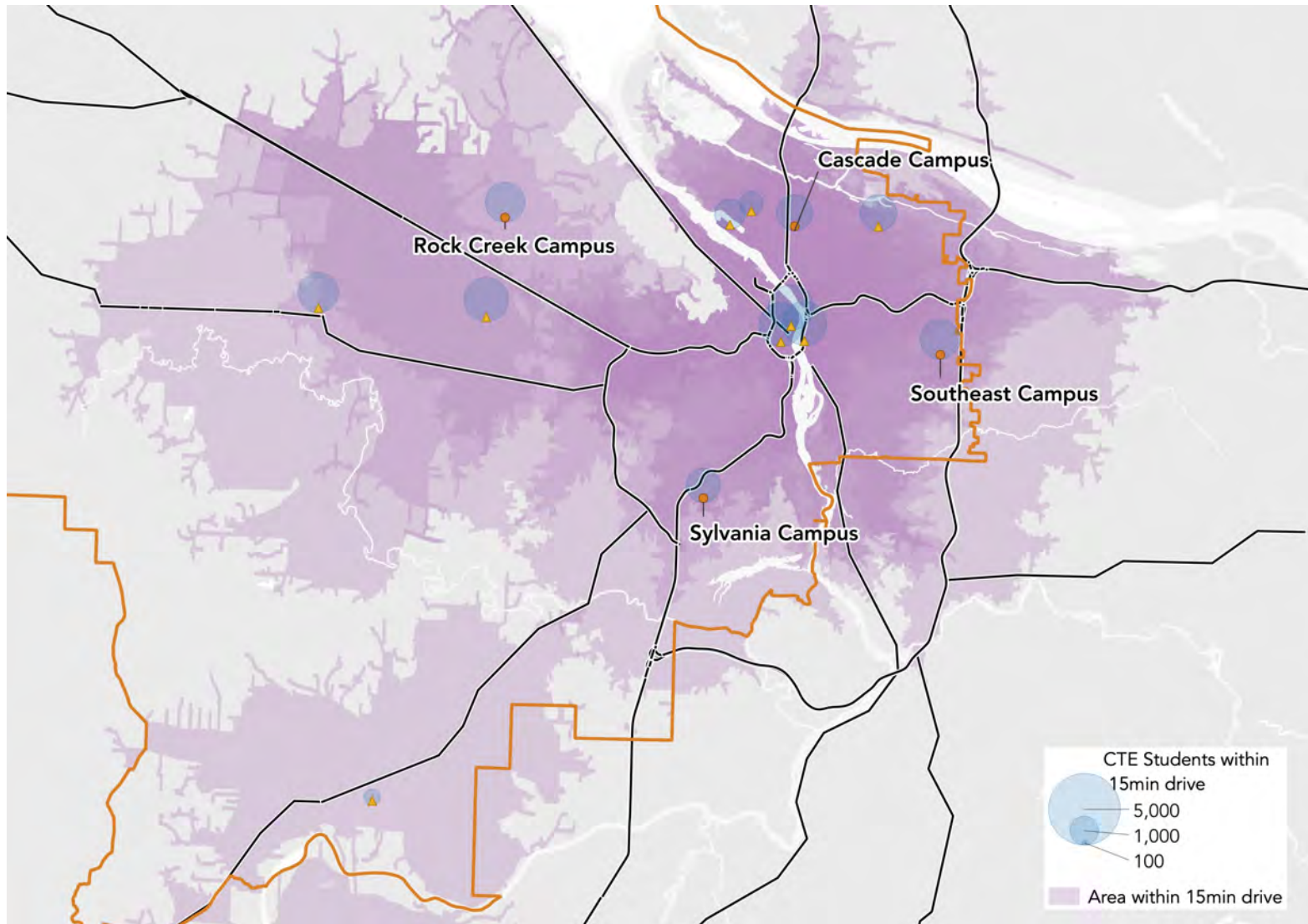


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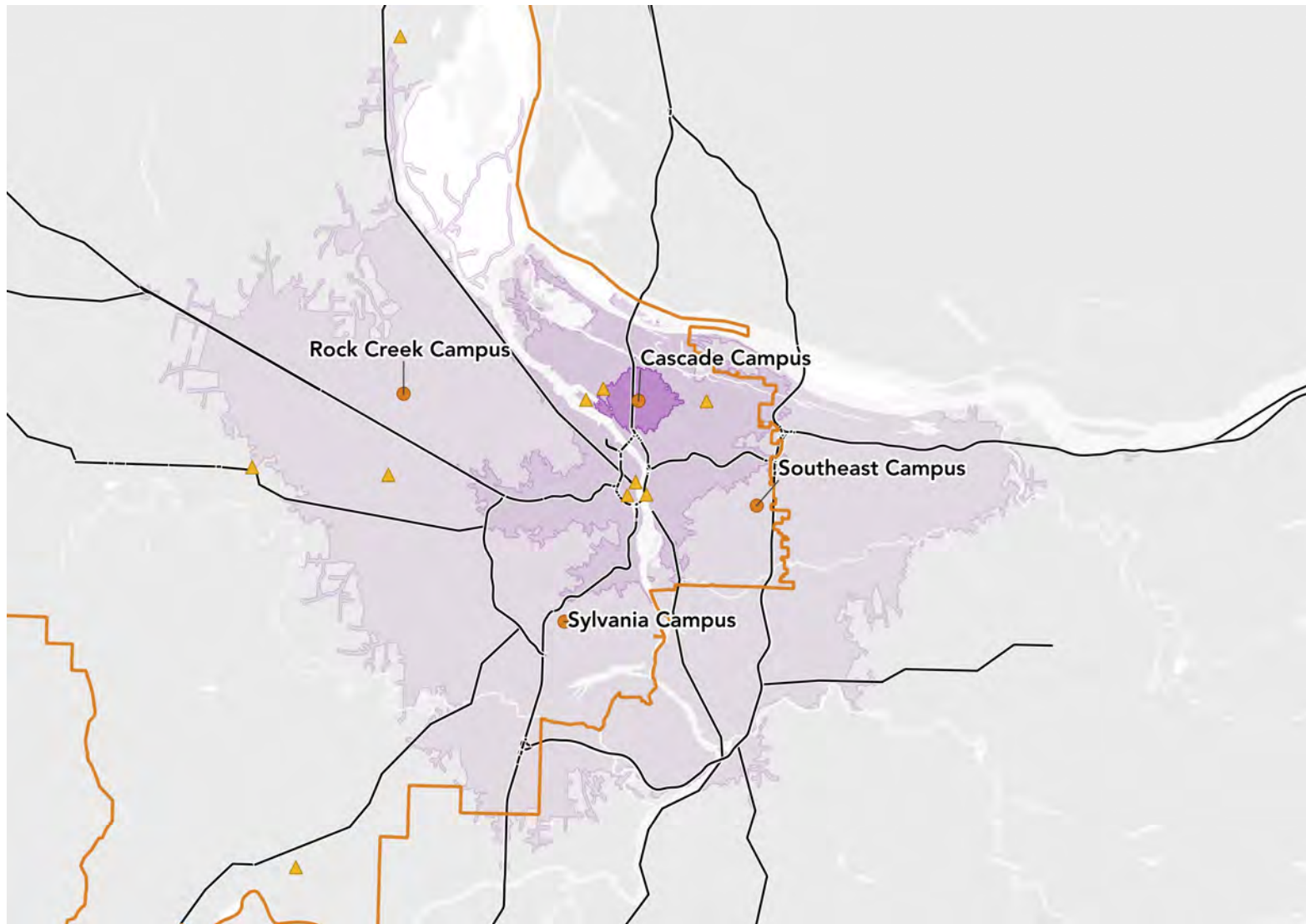


# Drive-time reference maps

# CMTT enrollees, by drive time

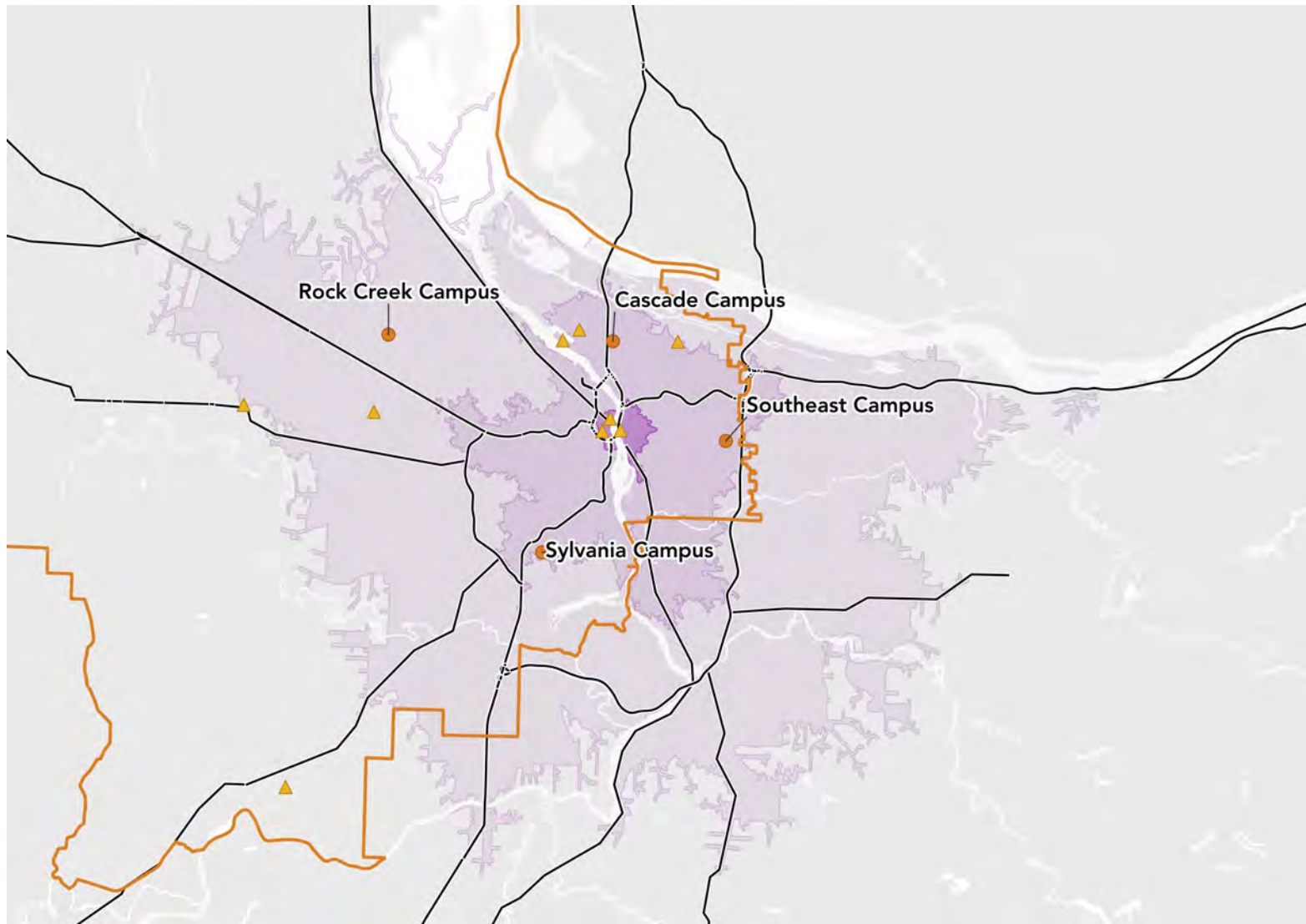


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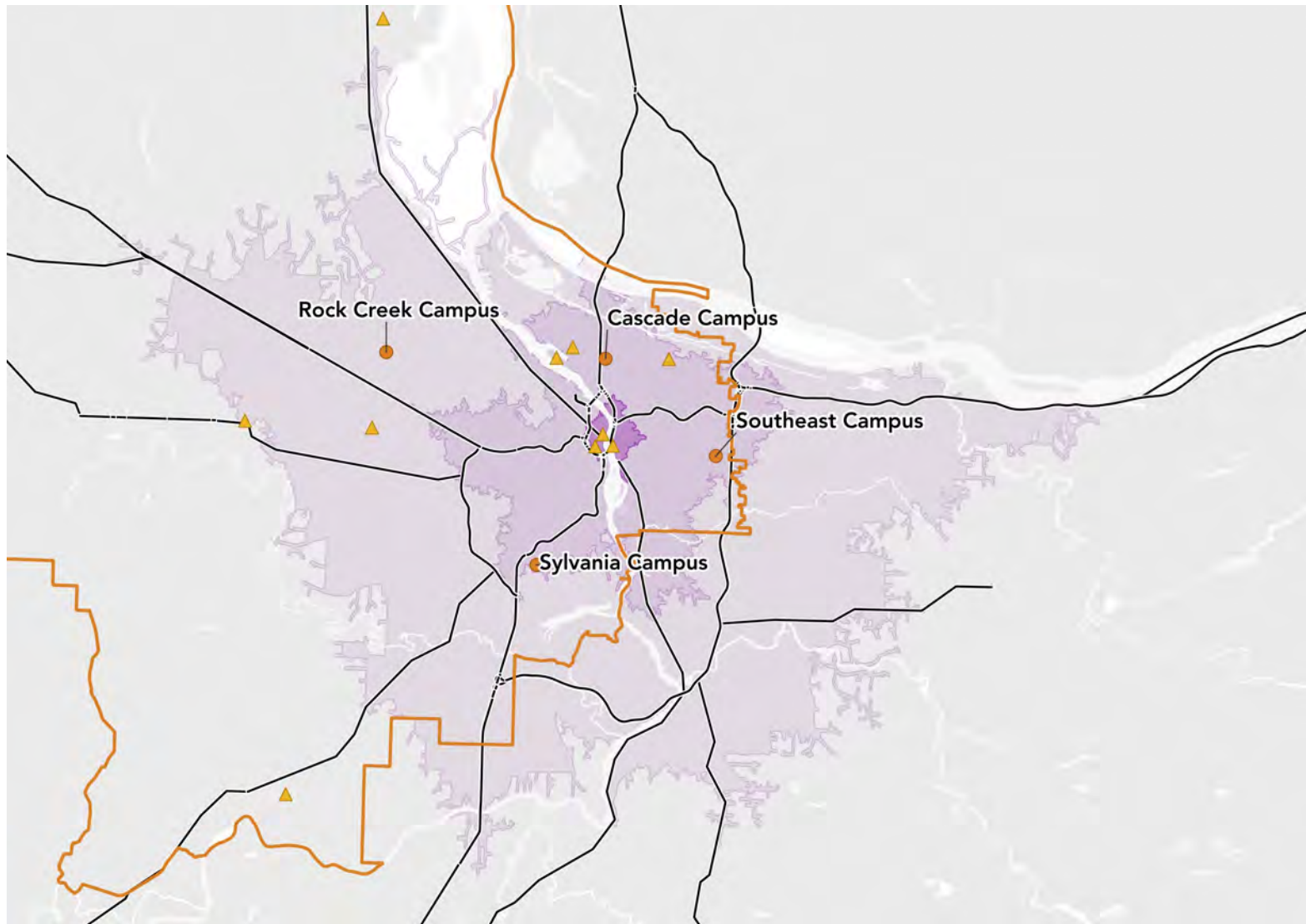
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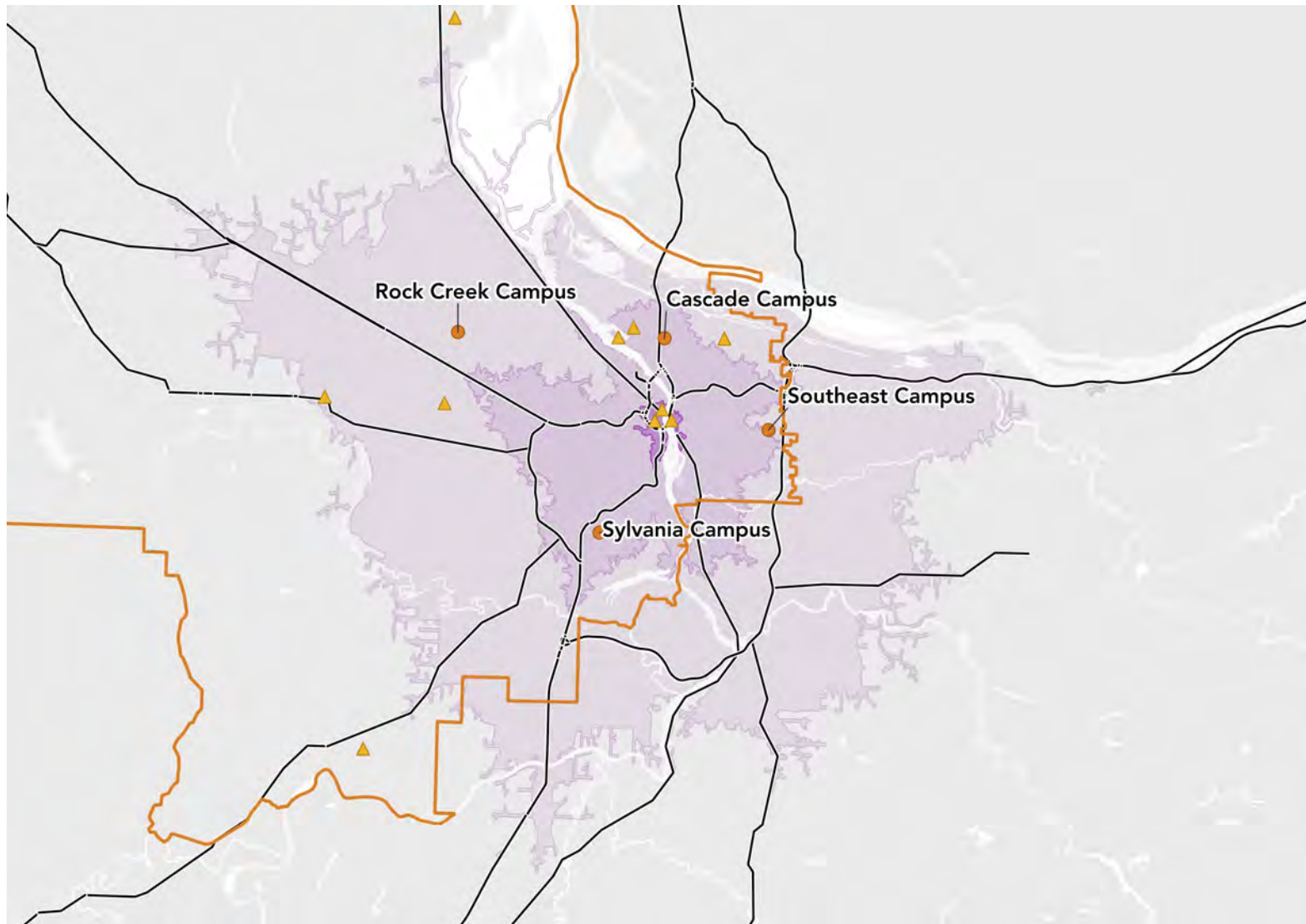
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# Downtown Center



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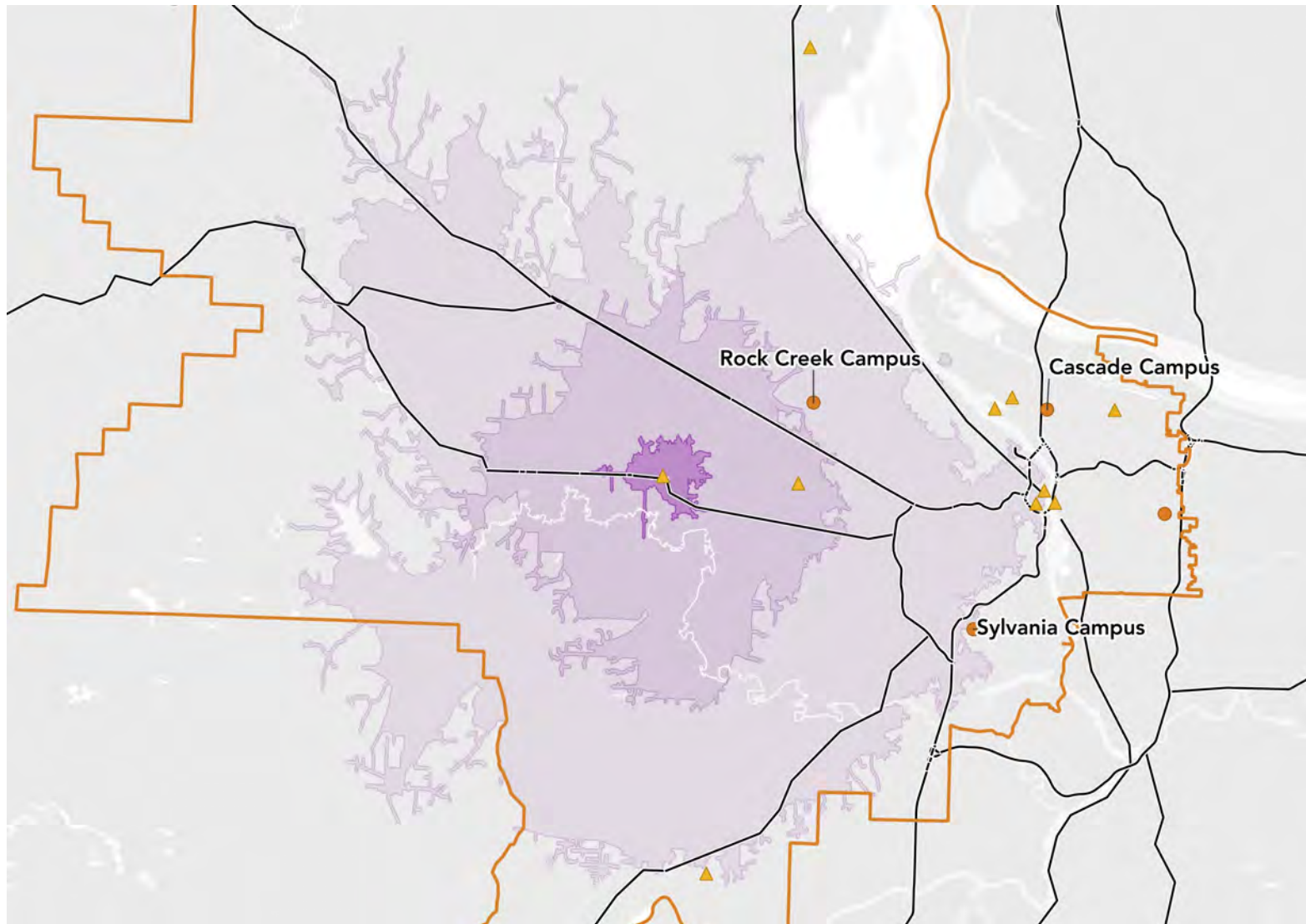
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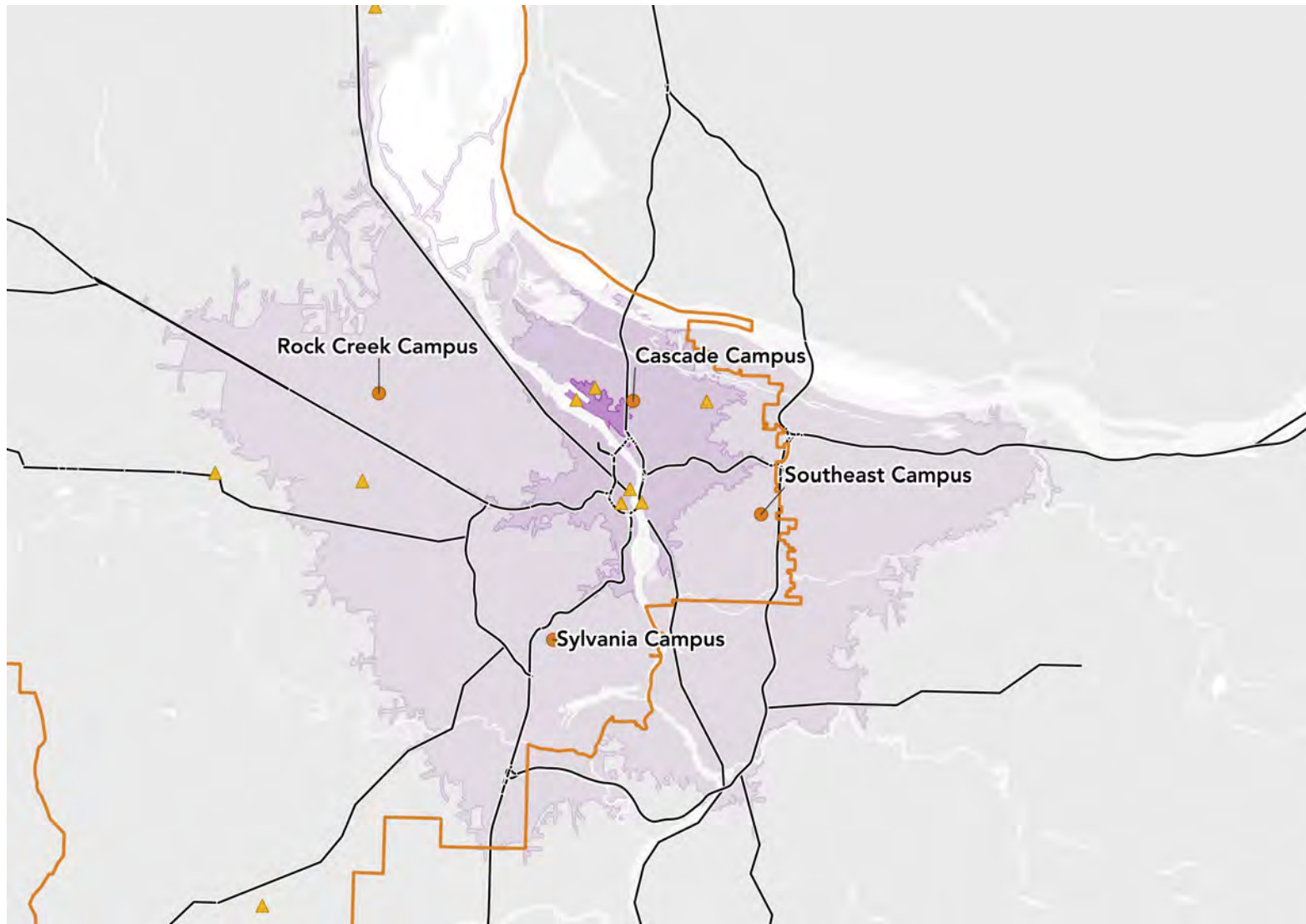
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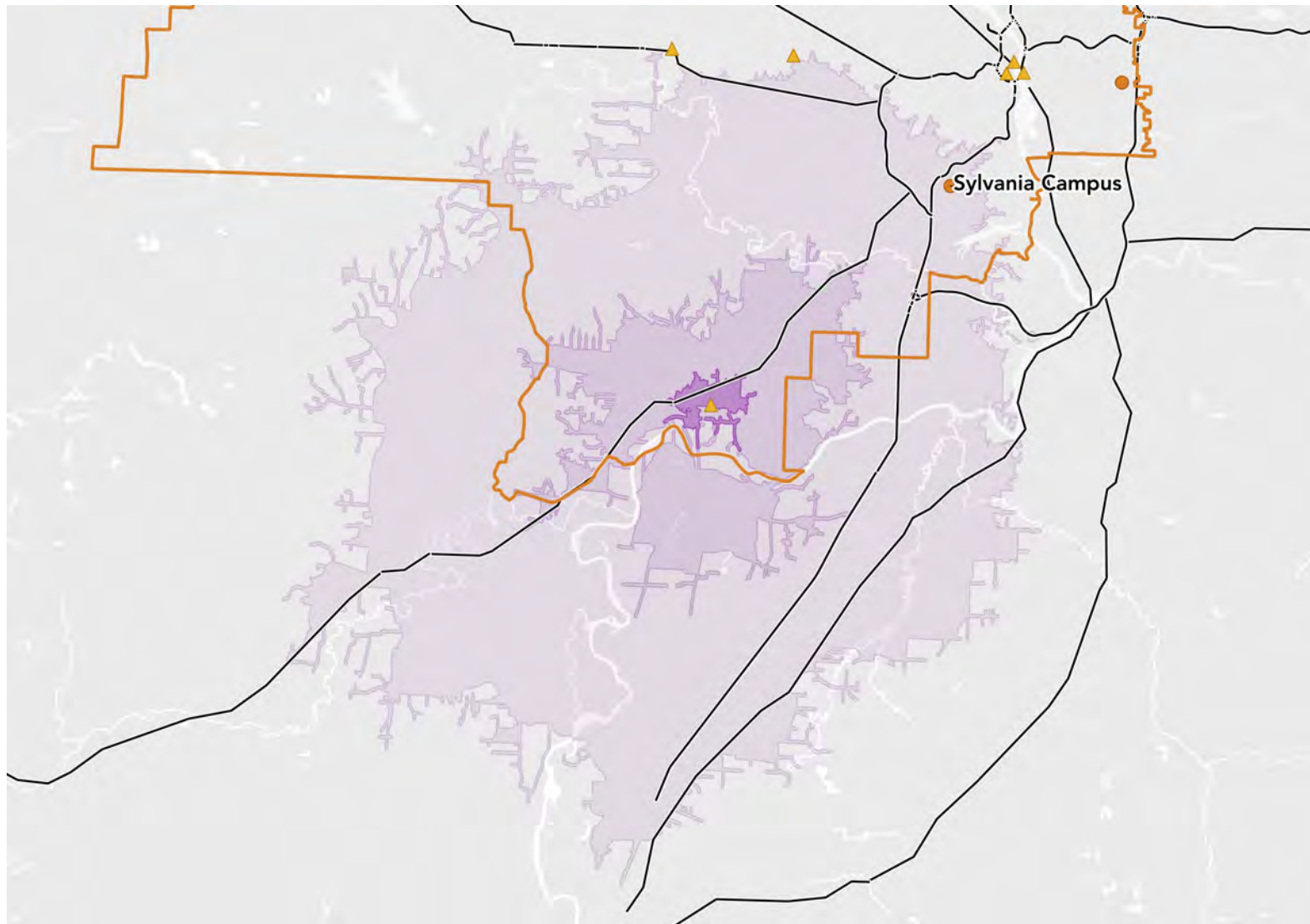


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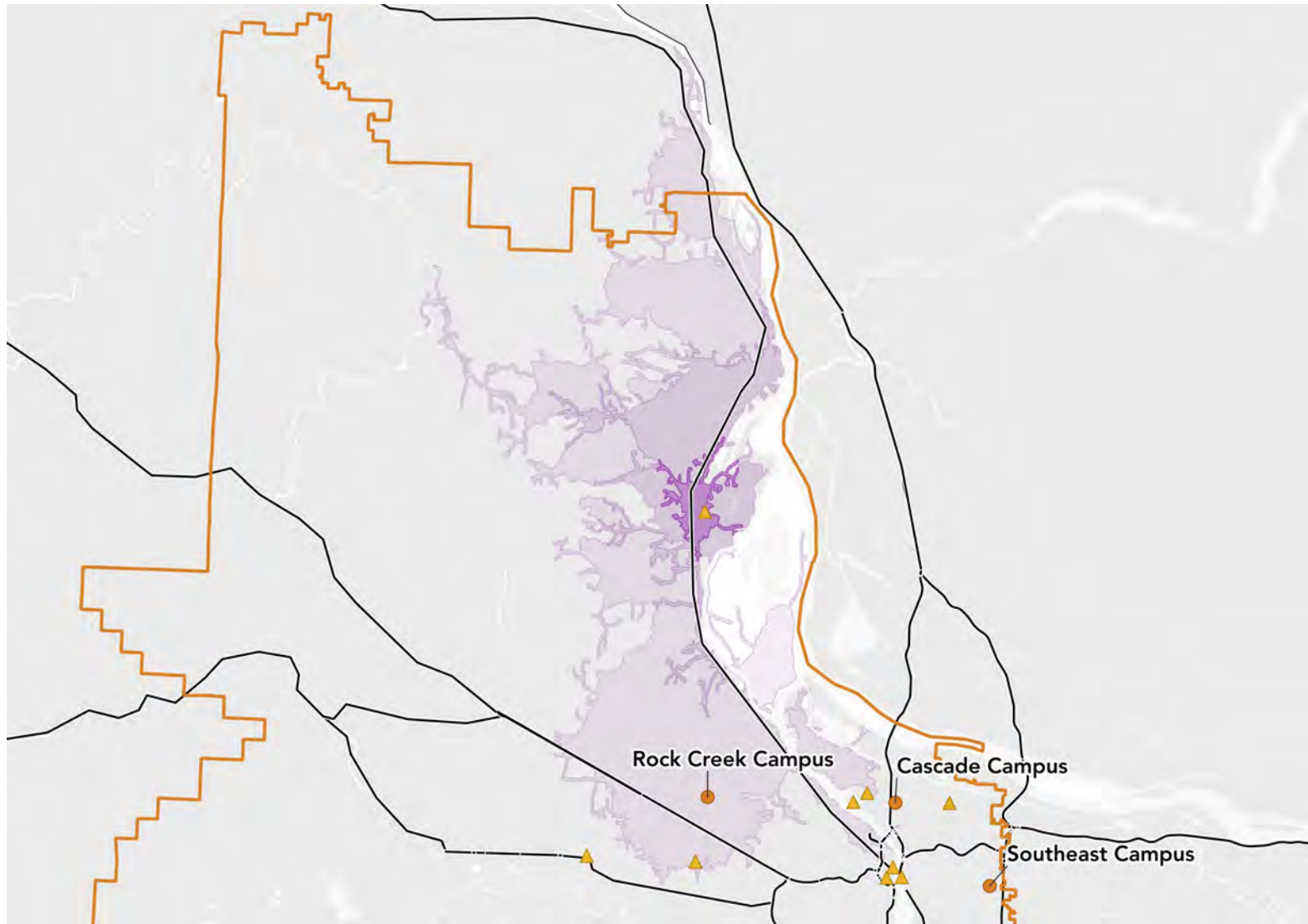
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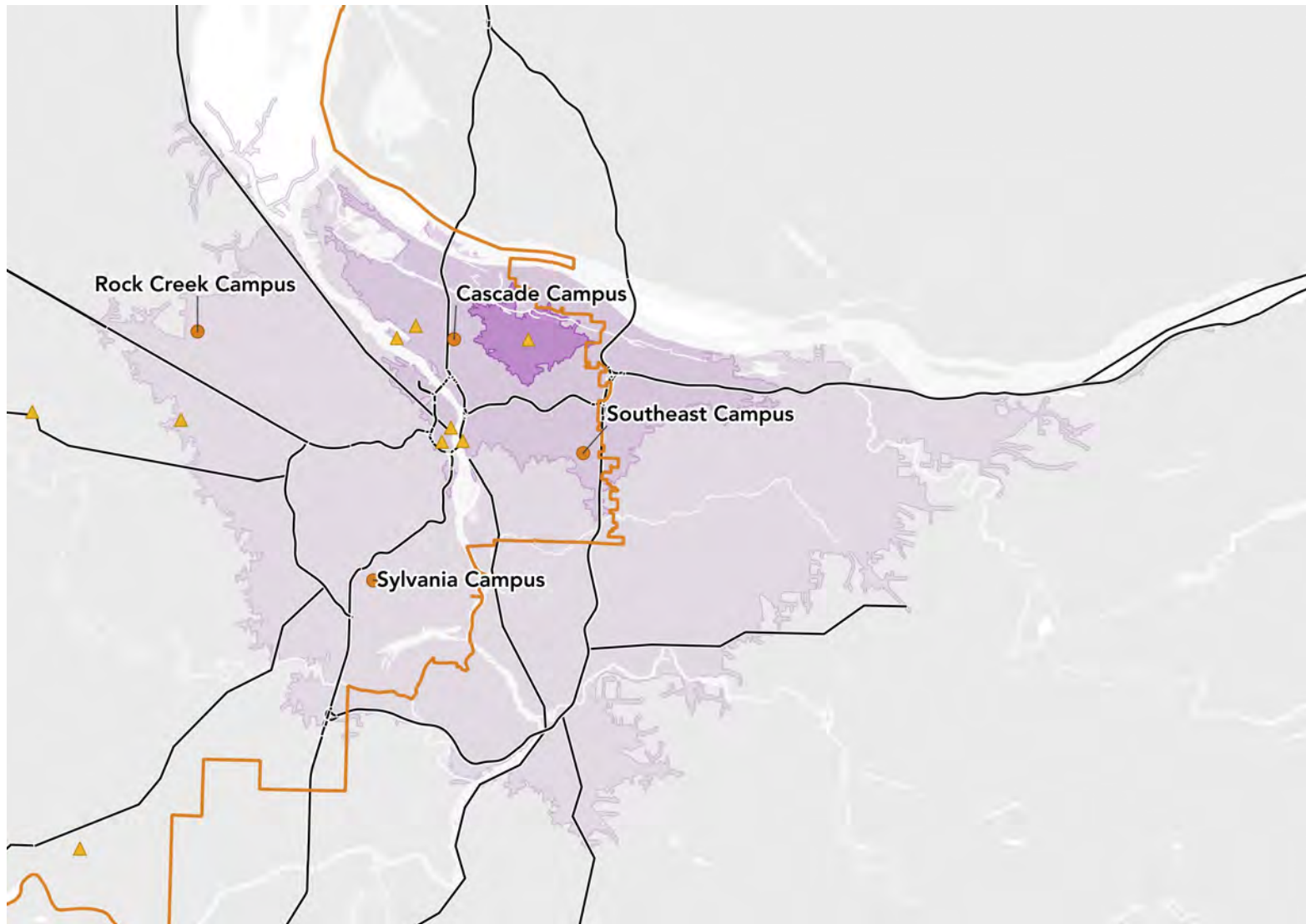
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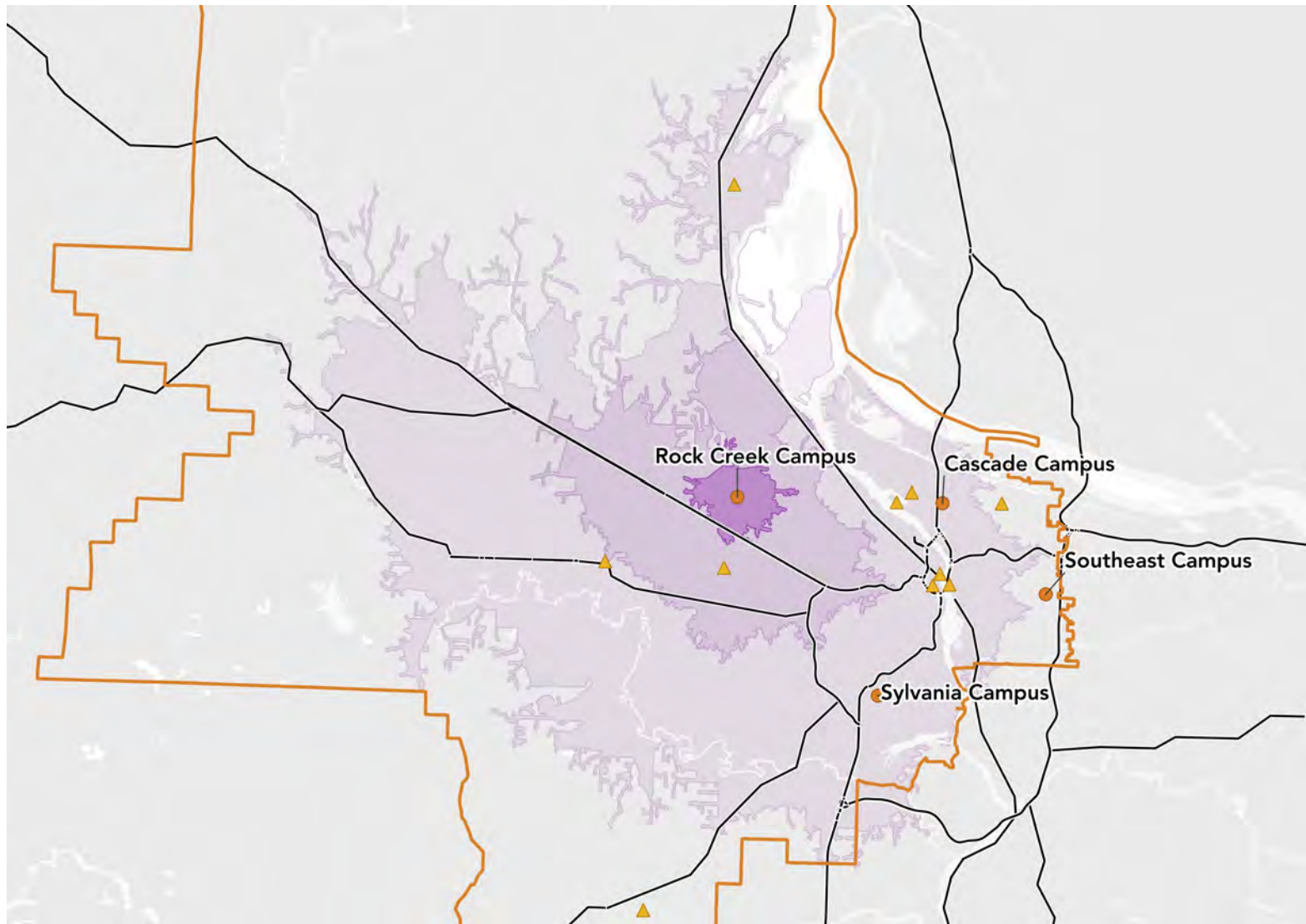
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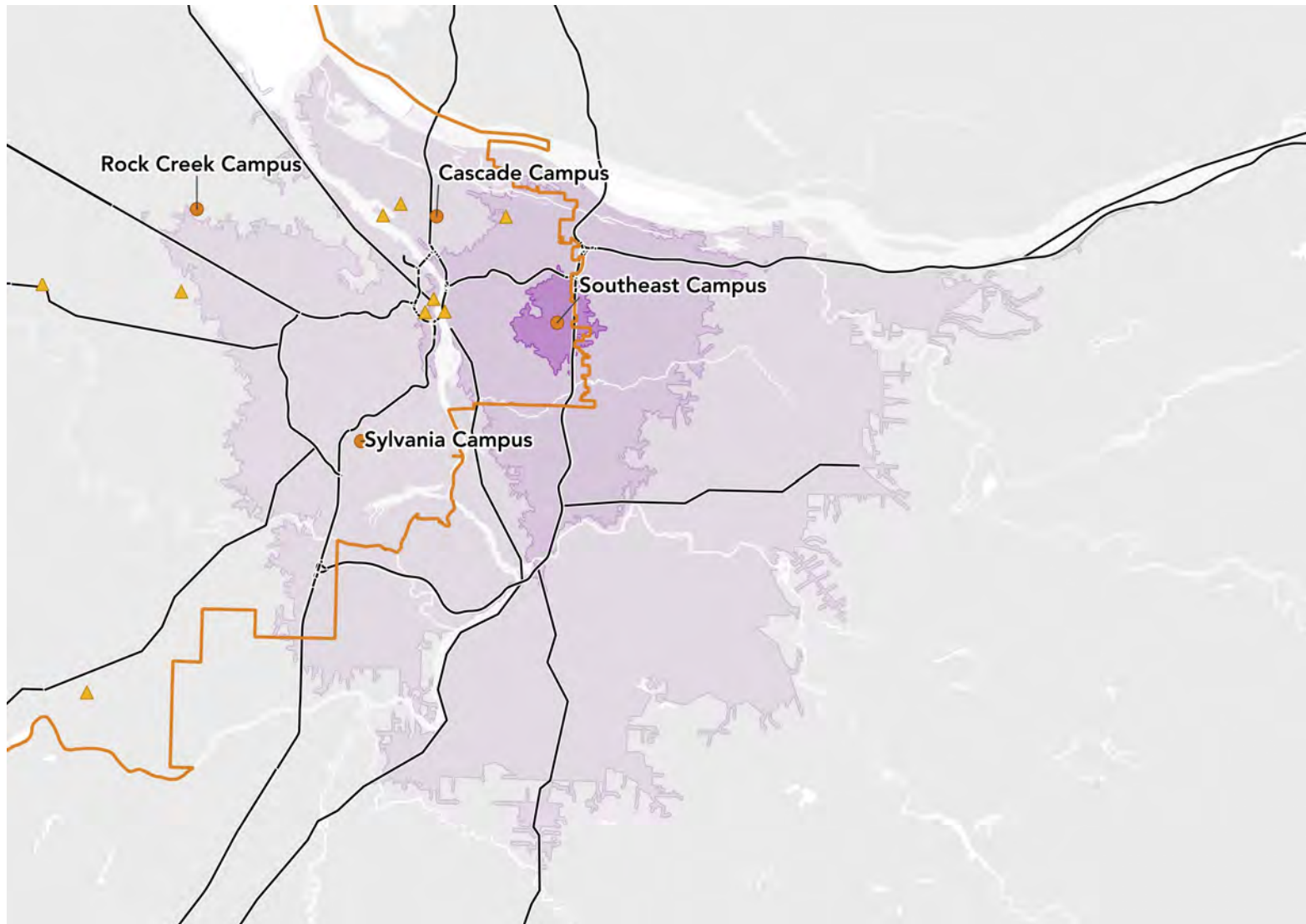


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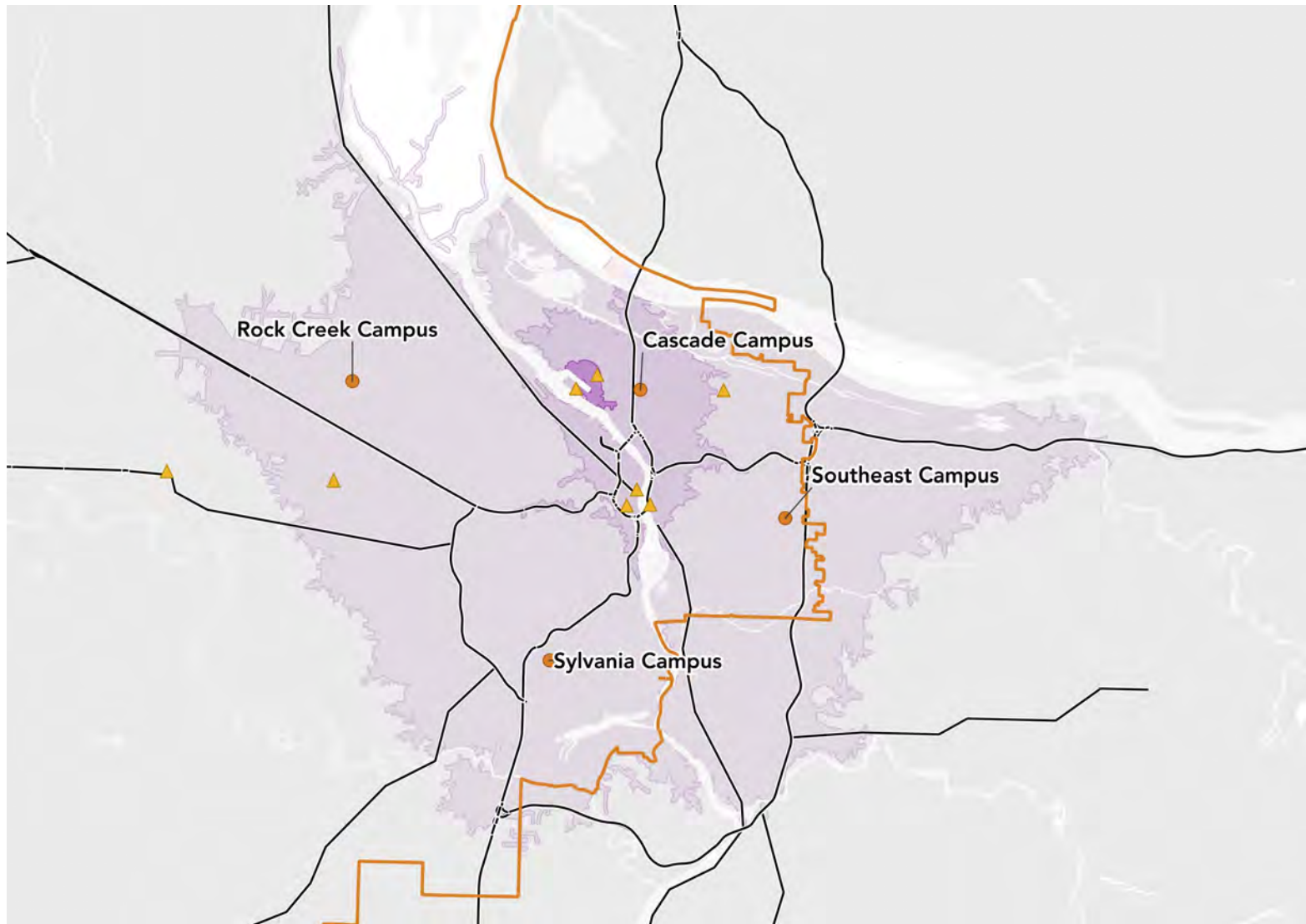
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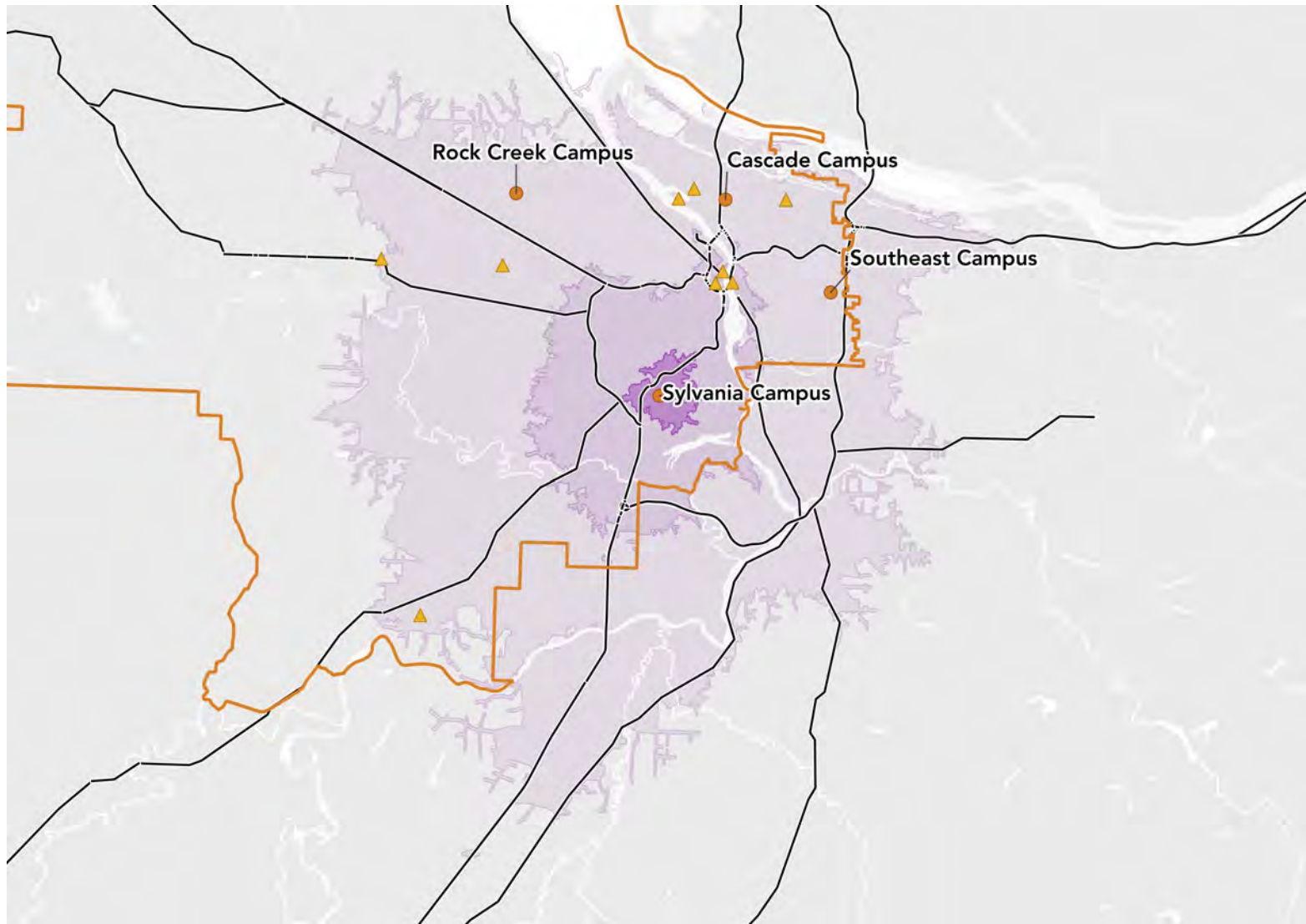
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# Swan Island Trades Center



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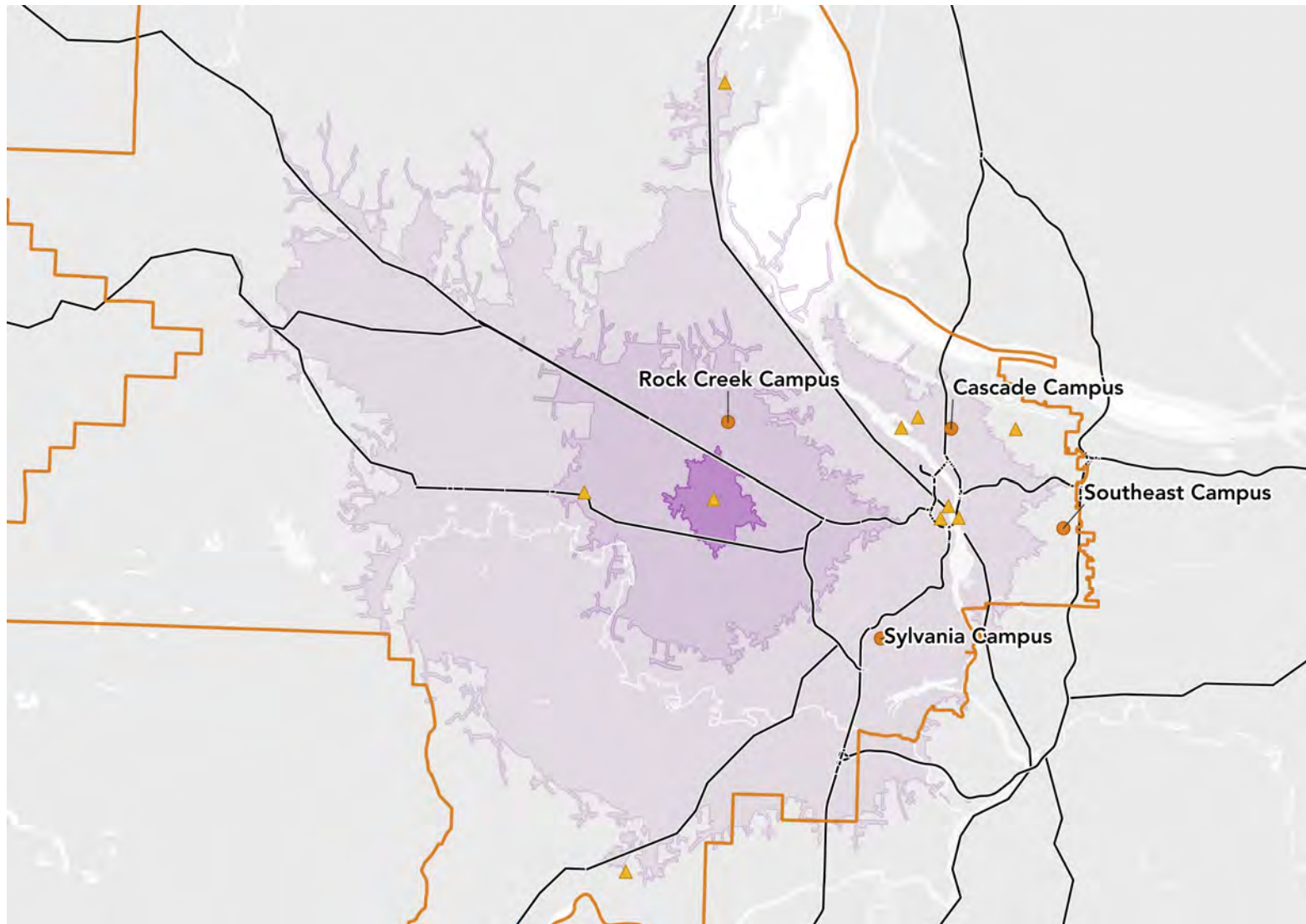
# Sylvania Campus



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# Willow Creek Center



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# PCC Career and Technical Education (CTE) Enrollment Study

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# Background and purpose

- For selected Career and Technical Education (CTE) pathways at Portland Community College (PCC), ECONorthwest conducted a study of enrollment patterns by geography and prepared enrollment projections using PCC-provided student-level data.
- These analyses can help guide planning for future space needs and other College initiatives.

For facilities planning purposes, PCC asked ECONorthwest to identify and focus on the following pathways:

- Healthcare and Emergency Professions
- Construction, Manufacturing Tech, and Transportation (CMTT)
  - Automotive Service
  - Diesel Service
  - Building Construction Technology

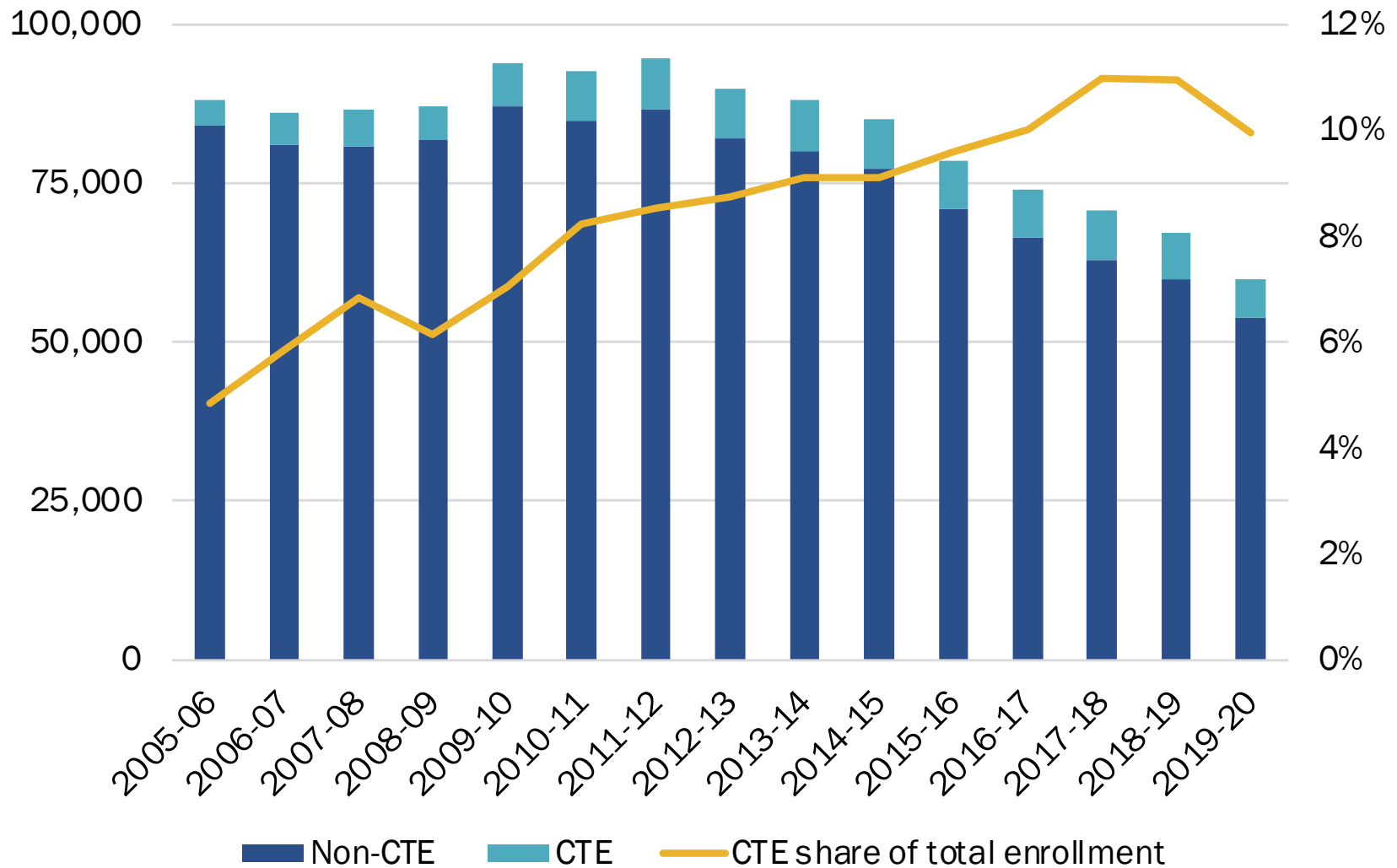
- Enrollment in the selected CTE pathways has risen since the mid-2000s and remained relatively steady until the 2019-20 academic year
- The selected CTE pathways make up about 10 percent of total enrollment, increasing from 5 percent in 2005-06
- The distribution of enrollment across the selected pathways has been stable over time
- Enrollees in the selected CTE pathways, and jobs relevant to these pathways, are distributed across the region
- Pathway-specific enrollment projections and the gap analysis suggest room for PCC programs to grow, through increased enrollment as well as higher completion rates

- PCC provided ECONorthwest with anonymized student- and course-level data for academic years 2005-06 through 2019-20.
- These data included all courses students had taken as well as student demographic characteristics, including the zip code (either 5- or 9-digit, also known as zip+4) of the student's residence.
- Pathways were identified using program information available on PCC's website and were refined to exclude general education and other less relevant courses.
- Enrollees were assigned to pathways based on the pathway to which most of their credits were assigned.
- Enrollment projections are based on credit-hour based FTE, which differs from the clock-hour based FTE that PCC reports to the state.<sup>1</sup>

# Career and Technical Education Enrollment and Completions

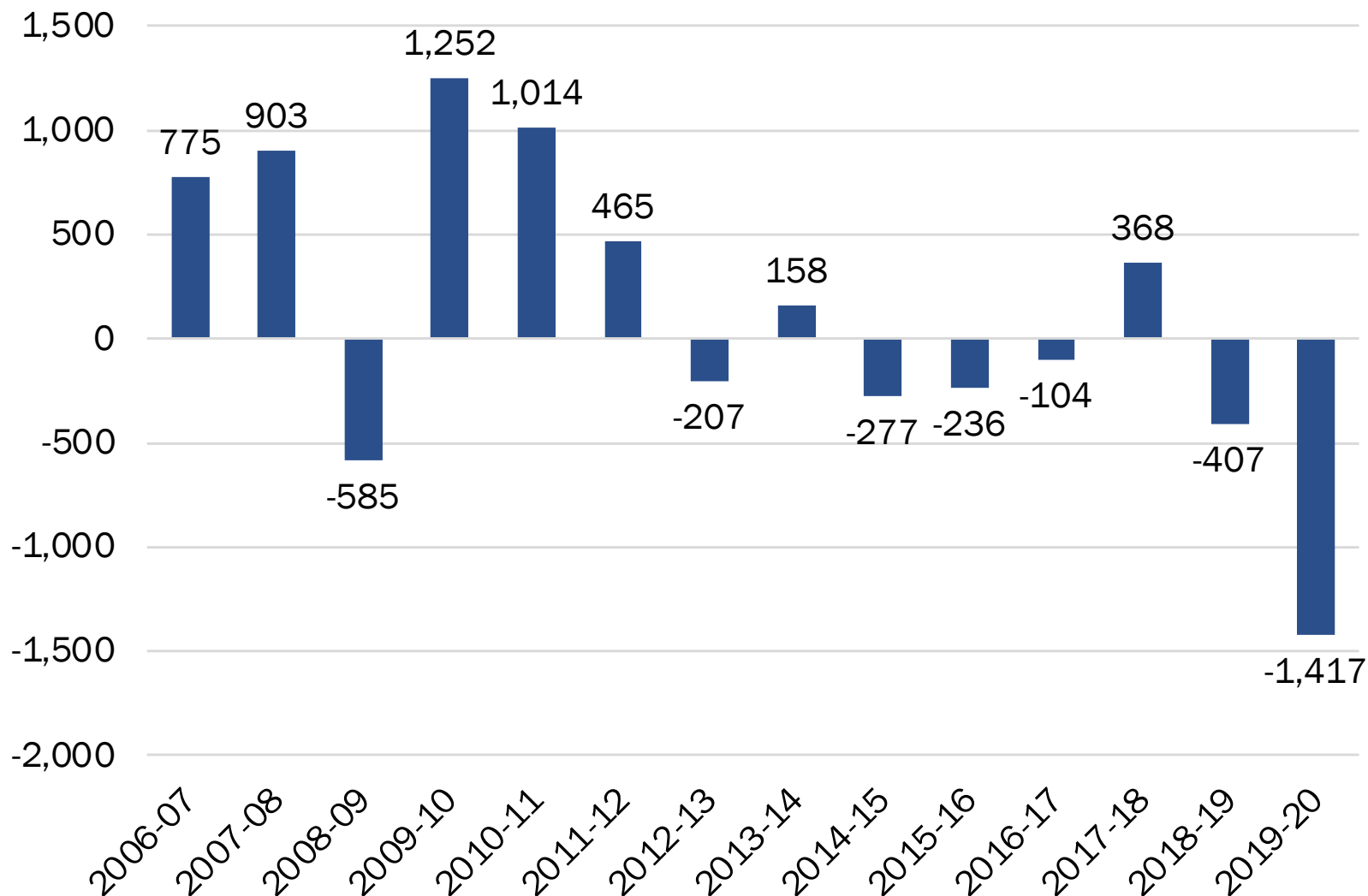


# Selected CTE enrollment compared to total

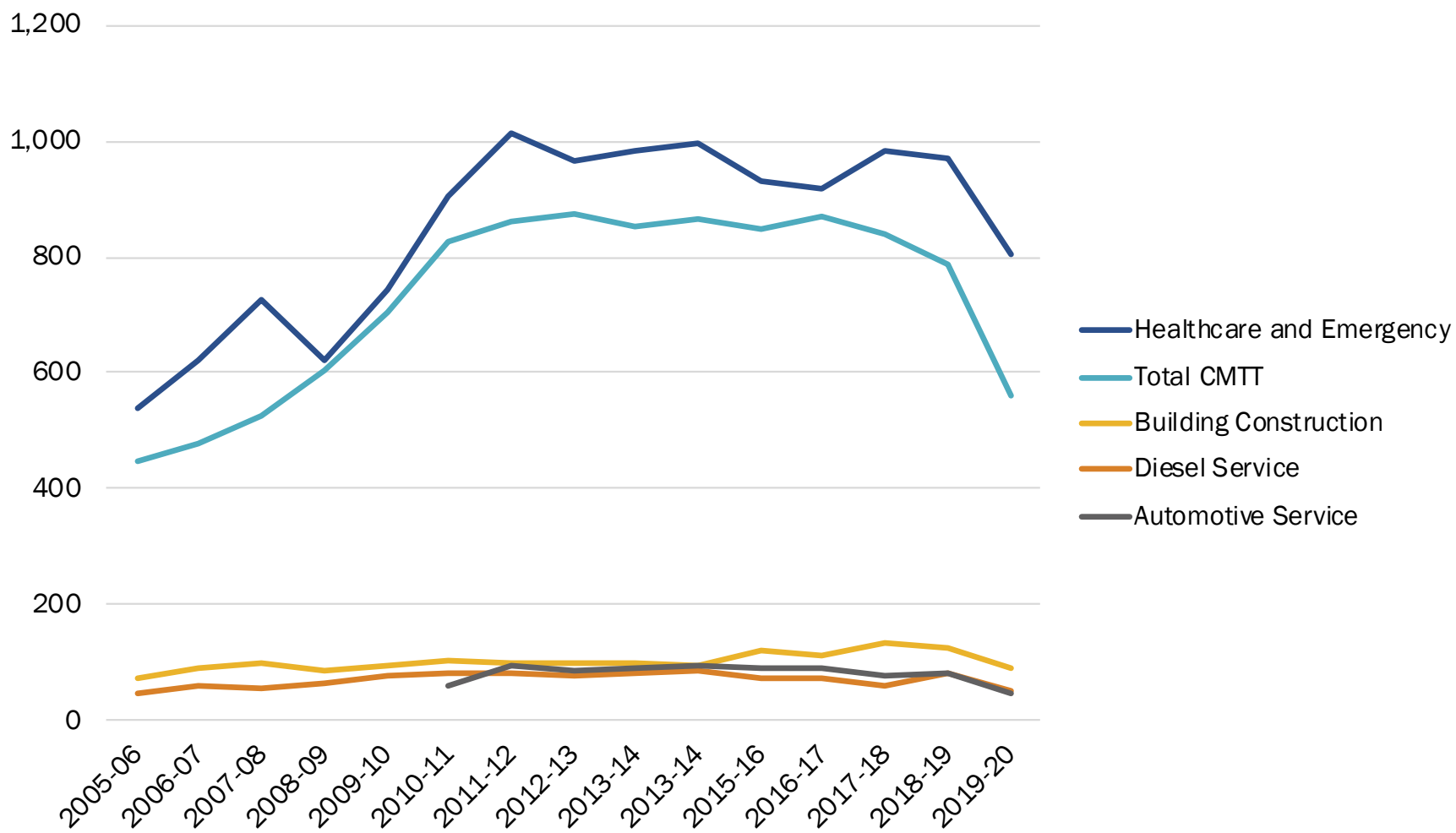


"CTE" encompasses the selected pathways of interest and is not inclusive of all CTE enrollment at PCC.  
Source: ECONorthwest analysis of PCC student-level data.

# Absolute change in selected CTE enrollment



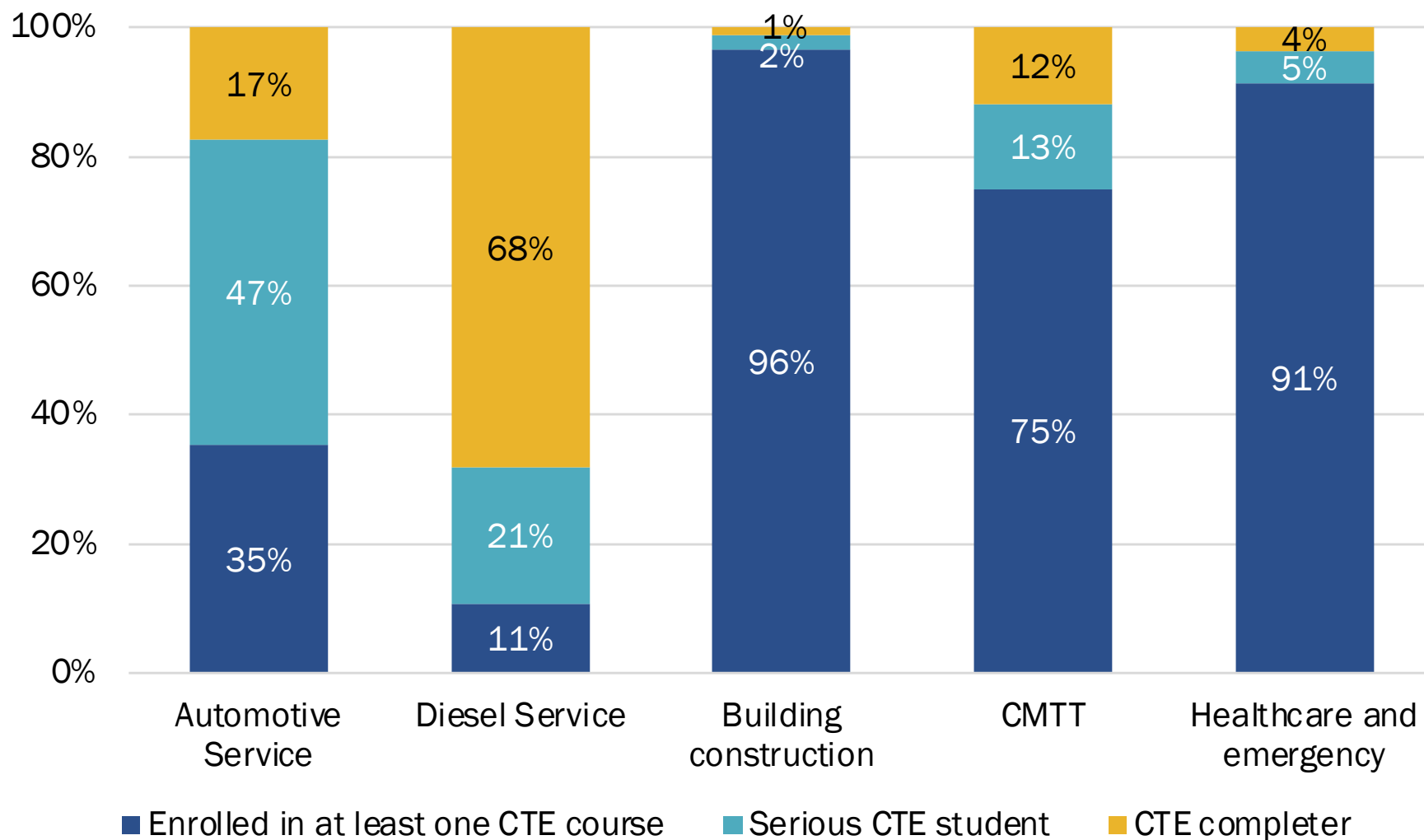
# Selected pathway FTE over time



# CTE enrollment intensity

- We defined three levels of CTE intensity
  1. CTE enrollee – Student enrolled in at least one CTE course within the academic year
  2. Serious CTE enrollee – Student enrolled in at least the median number of credits (pooled for 2013-14 through 2018-19) for certificate completers within each relevant pathway
  3. CTE completer – Student completed in a selected CTE pathway within the academic year

# CTE enrollment intensity by pathway, 2018-19



# Pathway Enrollment Geography and Projections

# Roadmap for each pathway

1. Geography of enrollment
2. Jobs distribution
3. Projections and gaps

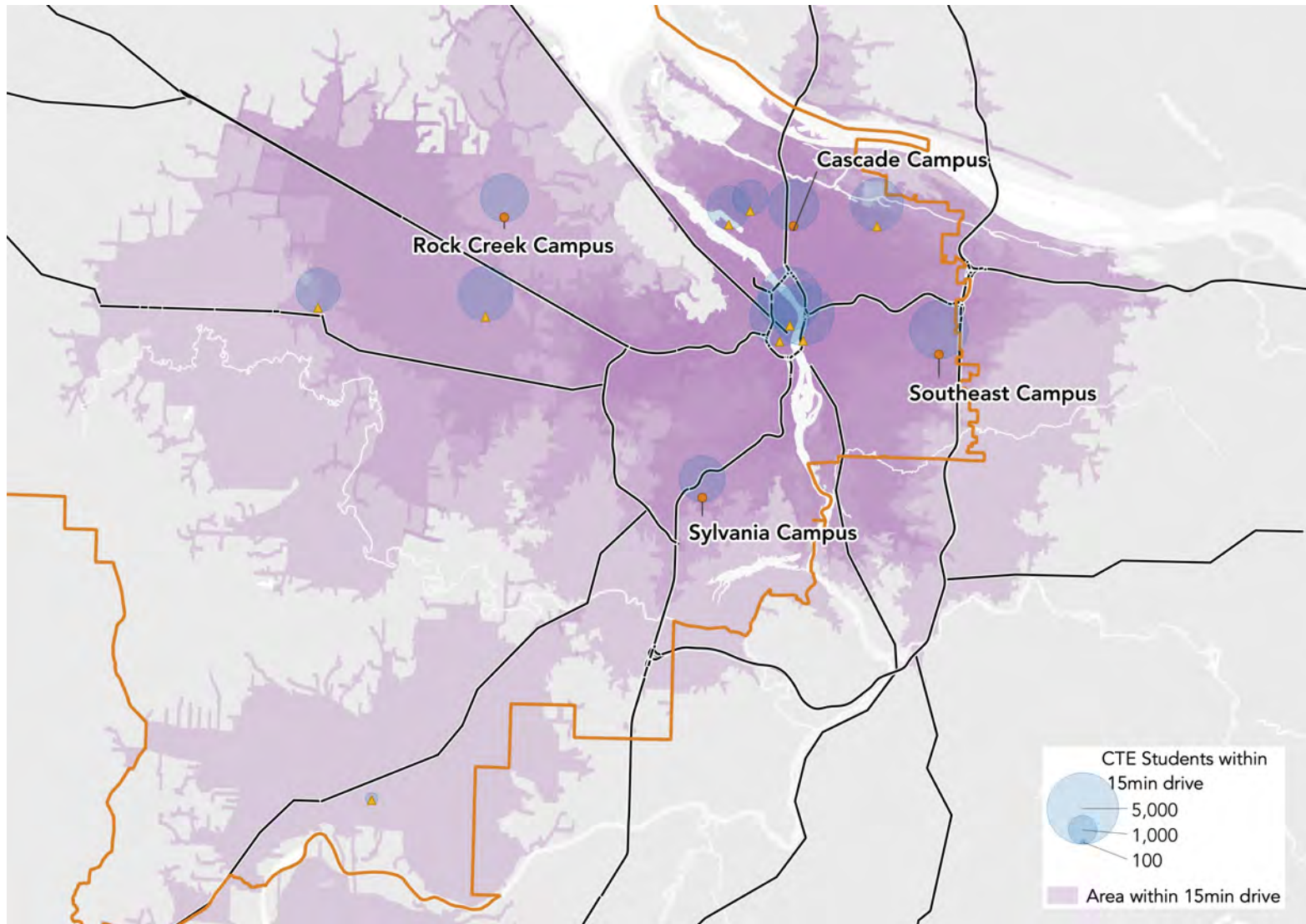
# Note about the enrollment projections

- We produced high and low projections based on historical CTE enrollment and the growth rate derived from our previously completed enrollment projections.
- The high and low projections provide a potential range for how CTE enrollment may perform in the future. Future enrollment will depend on many things, including recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic.
  - **High projections:** High projections were produced using CTE enrollment in 2018-19 as the base and applying growth rates from previously completed enrollment projections.
  - **Low projections:** Low projections were produced using CTE enrollment in 2019-20 as the base and applying growth rates from previously completed enrollment projections.



# Healthcare and Emergency

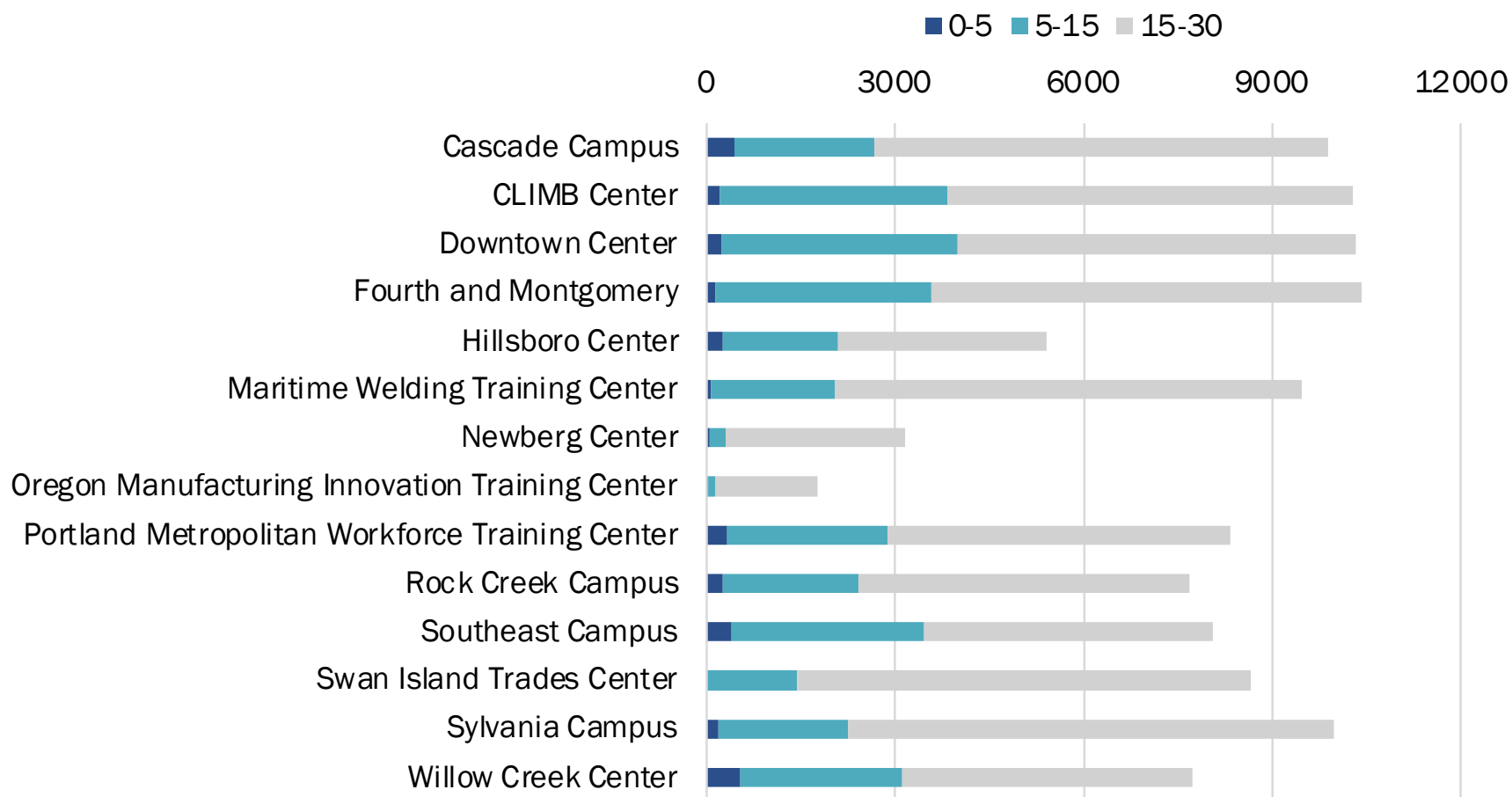
# Healthcare and Emergency enrollees, by drive time



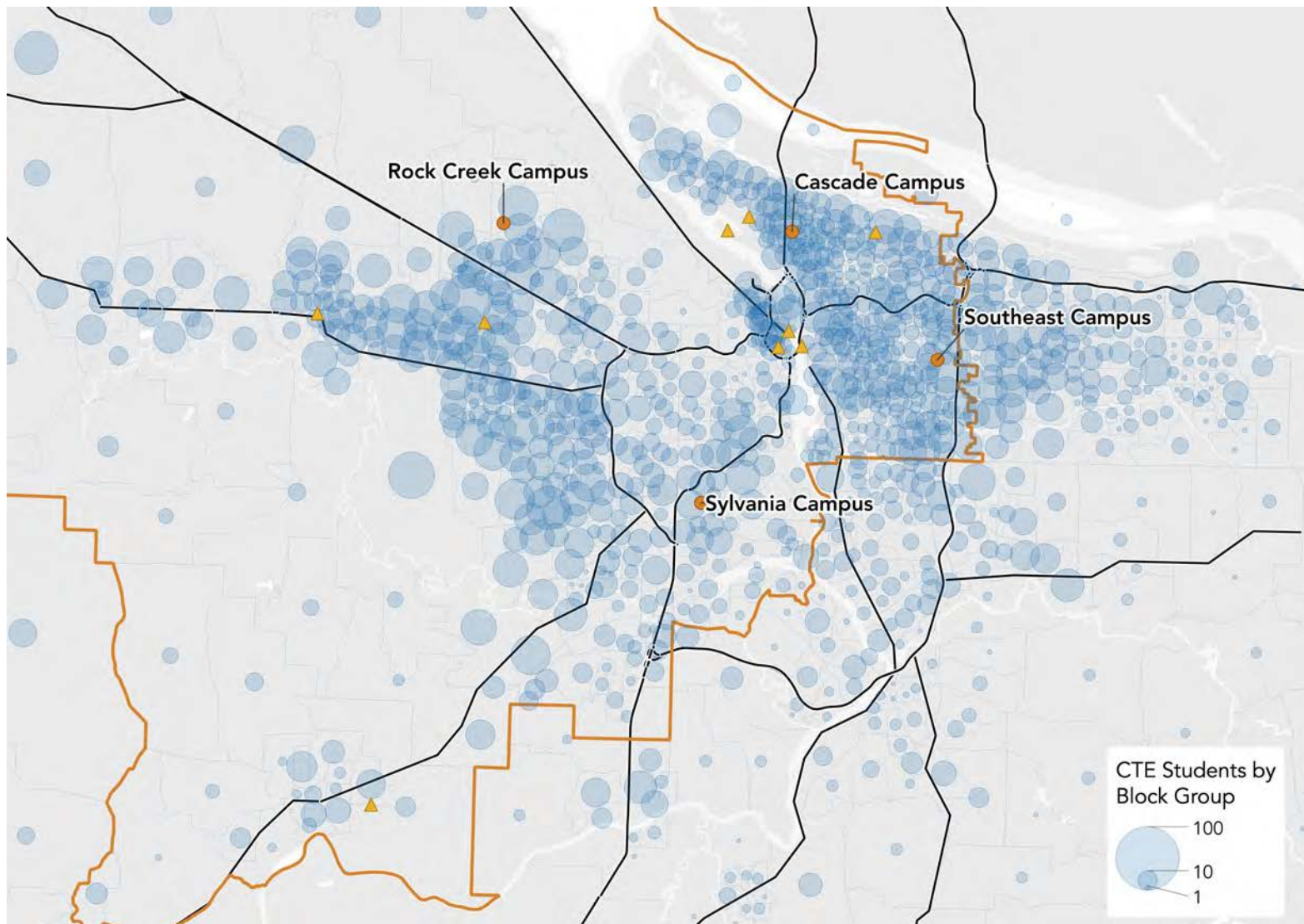
Enrollees in 2016-19 (three academic years). Source: ECONorthwest

# Drive times: Healthcare and Emergency

Drive time to each PCC campus/center (in minutes) for Healthcare enrollees



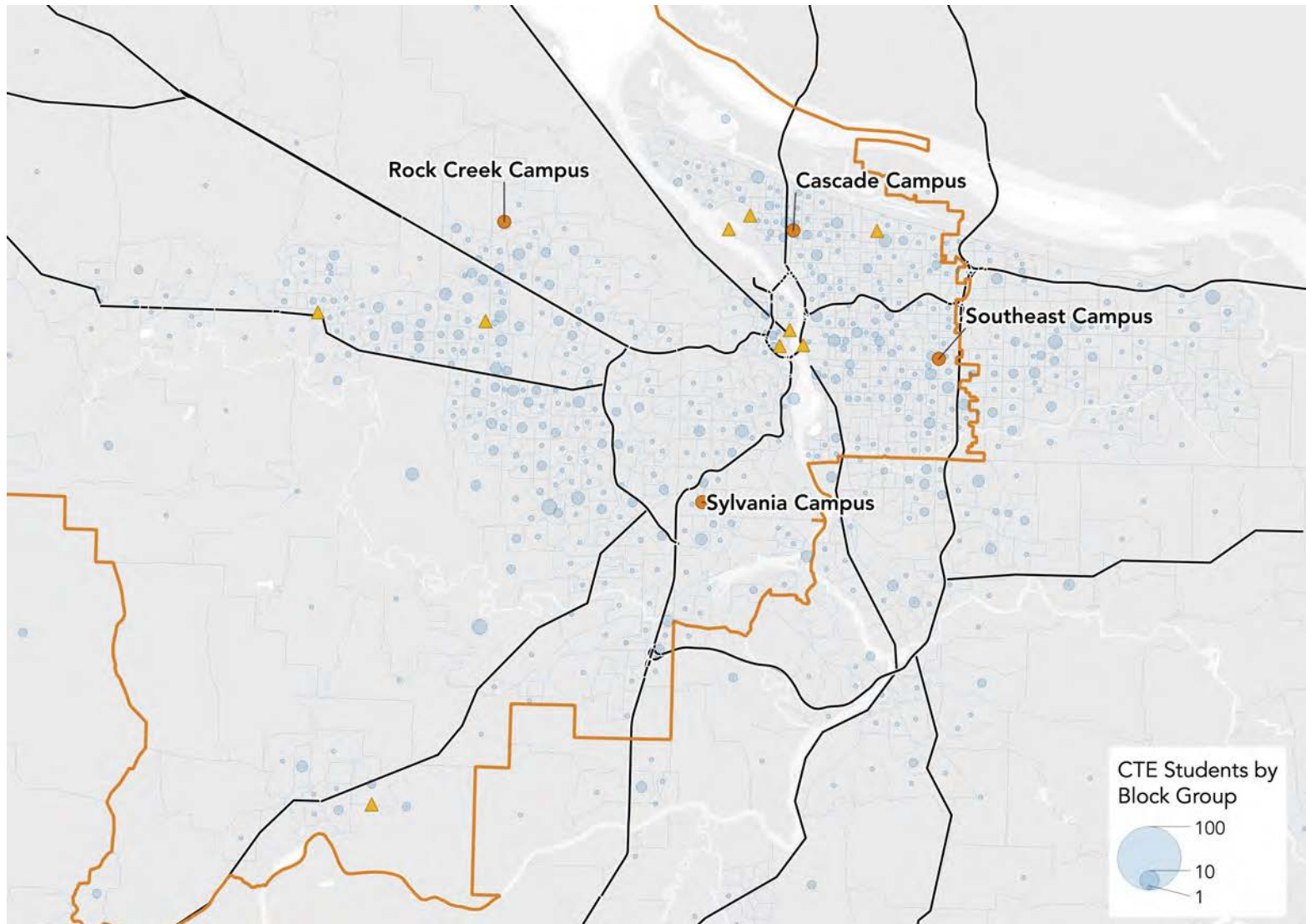
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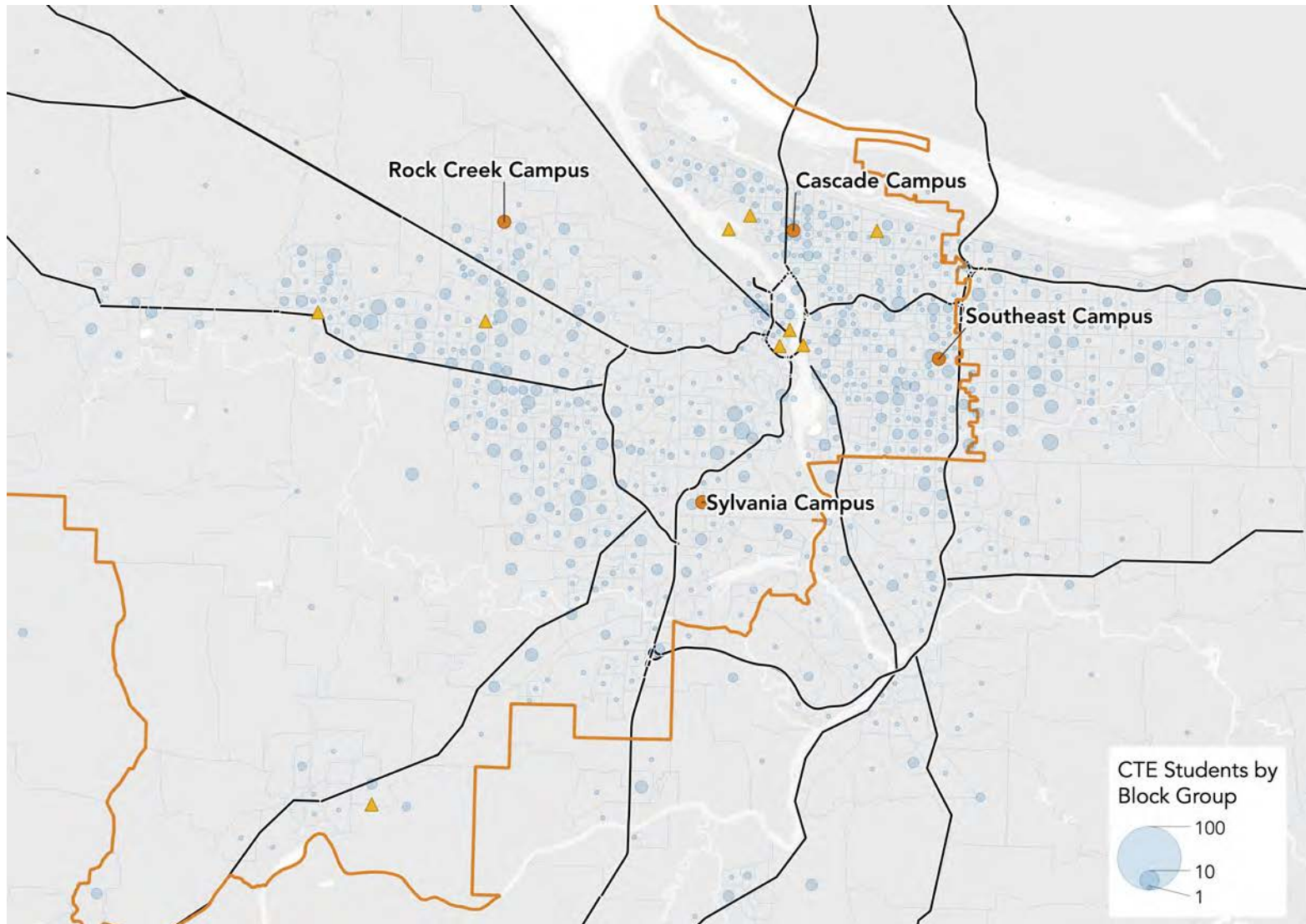


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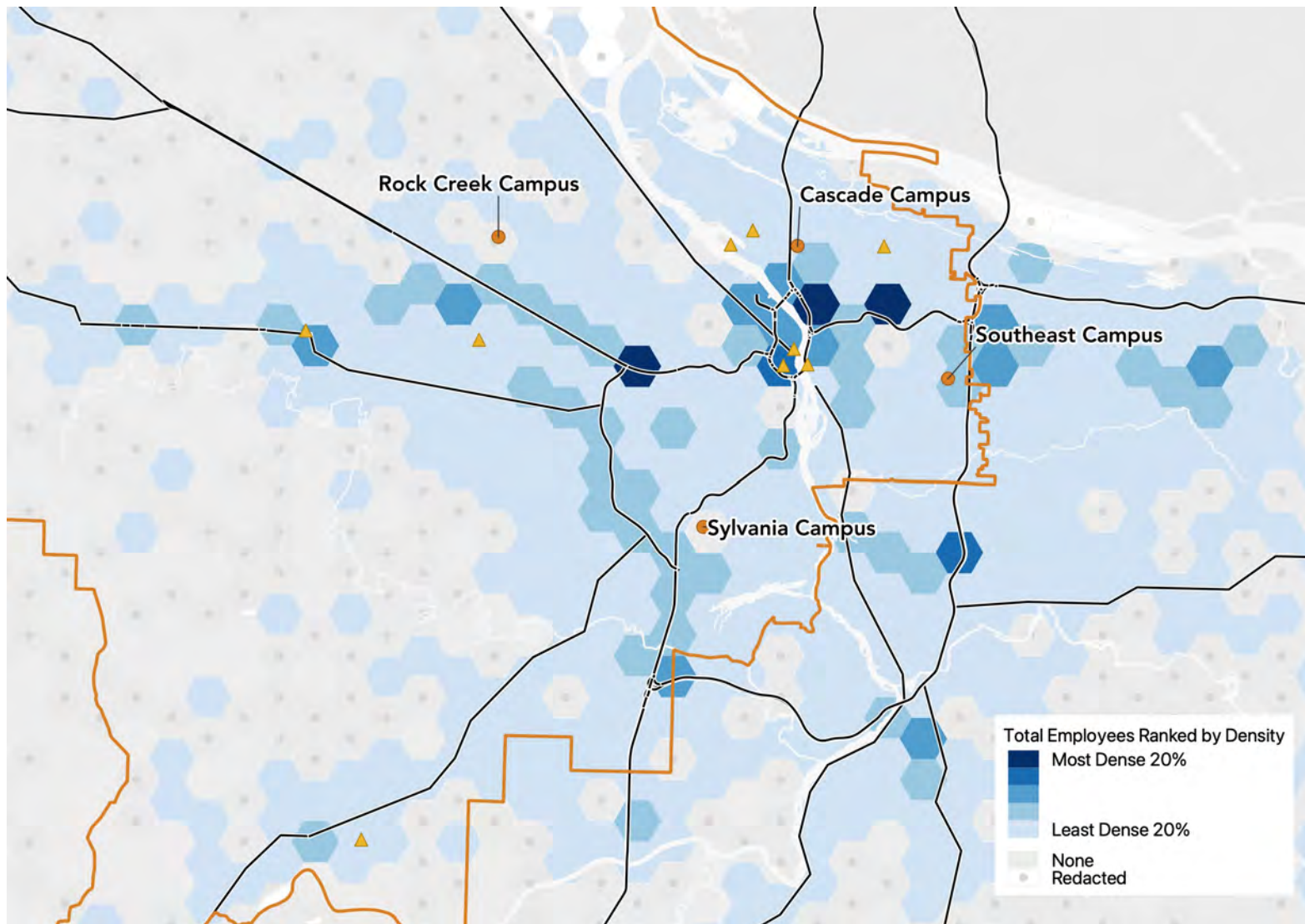
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# Healthcare and Emergency, completers



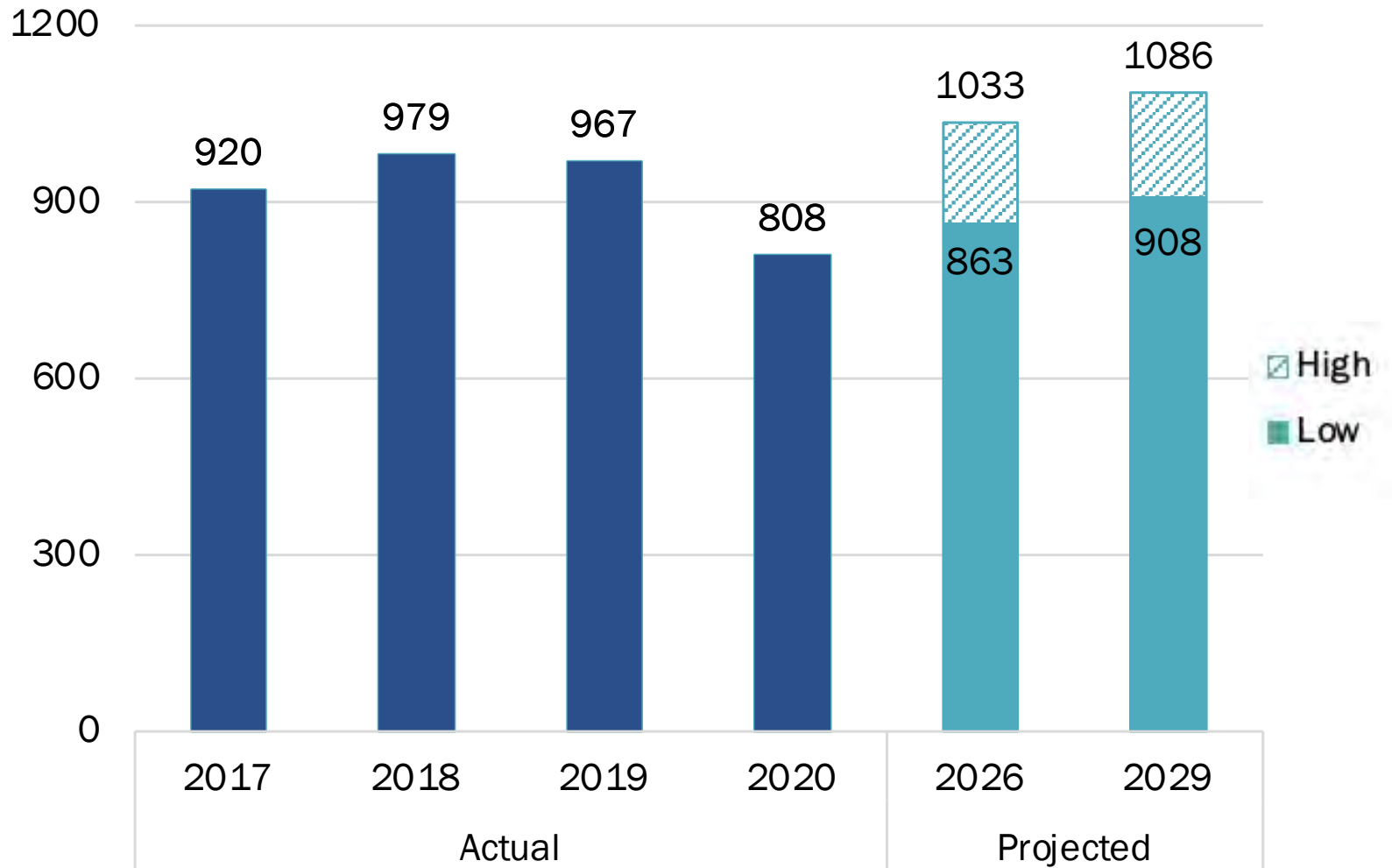
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# Healthcare and Emergency jobs



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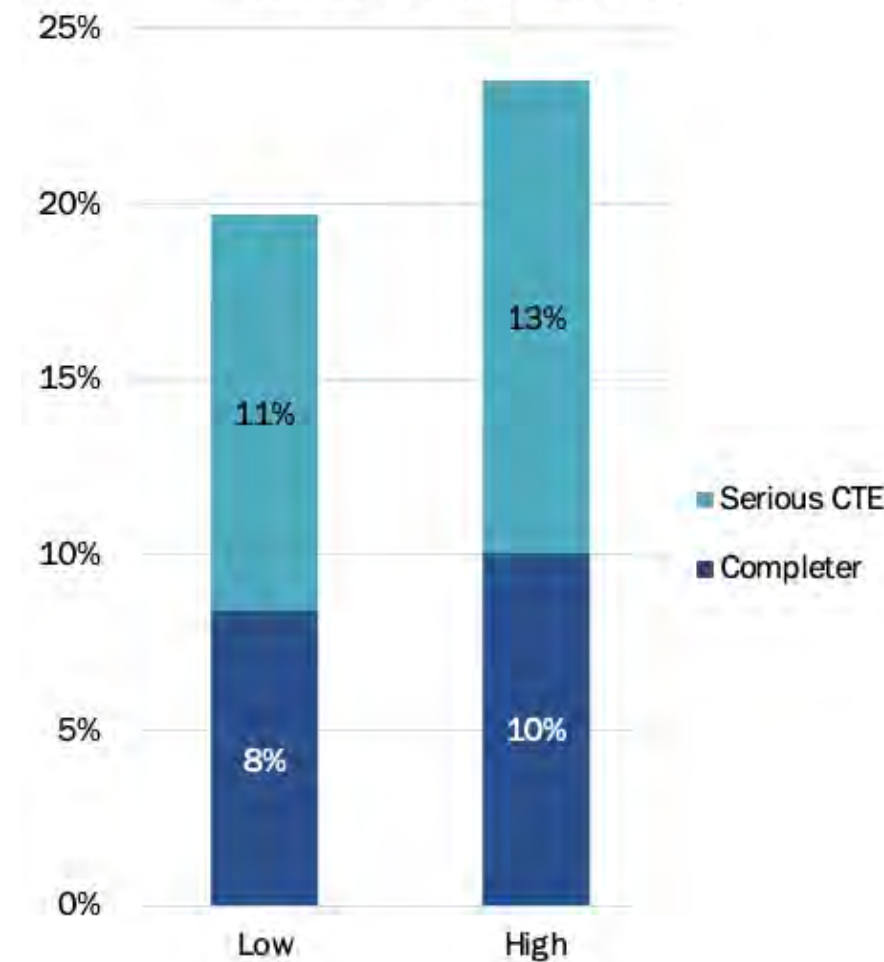
# Projection of enrolled FTE: Healthcare and Emergency





# Gap analysis: Healthcare and Emergency

Serious PCC Healthcare and Emergency enrollees as a share of average annual job openings, 2029



- 4,779 healthcare and emergency job openings projected in Portland in 2029
- Student projections based on person counts rather than FTE

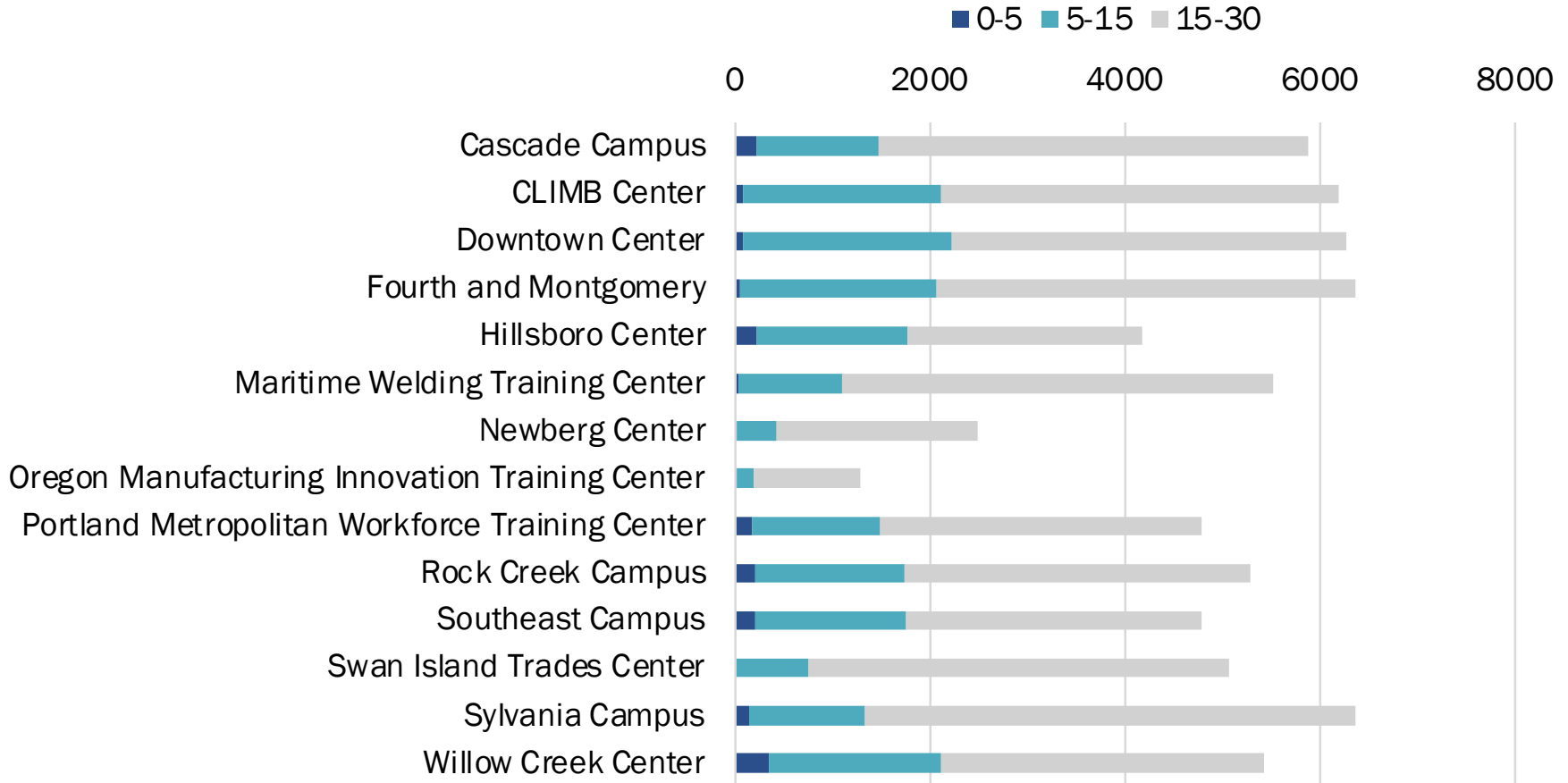
# Healthcare and Emergency takeaways

- We expect Healthcare and Emergency enrollment to be at the high end of our projected enrollment and completion estimates due to high existing demand and turnover related to the COVID-19 pandemic.
- In 2029, we expect about 1,000 enrolled Healthcare and Emergency FTE and around 500 completers.
- At this level, serious PCC enrollees and completers could potentially fill between 10 and 23 percent of Healthcare and Emergency job openings in 2029.
- The largest concentration of Healthcare and Emergency jobs is in the downtown area and along major roads and thoroughfares. About 30 percent of enrollees lived within 15 minutes of the Downtown Center and CLIMB Center, respectively.

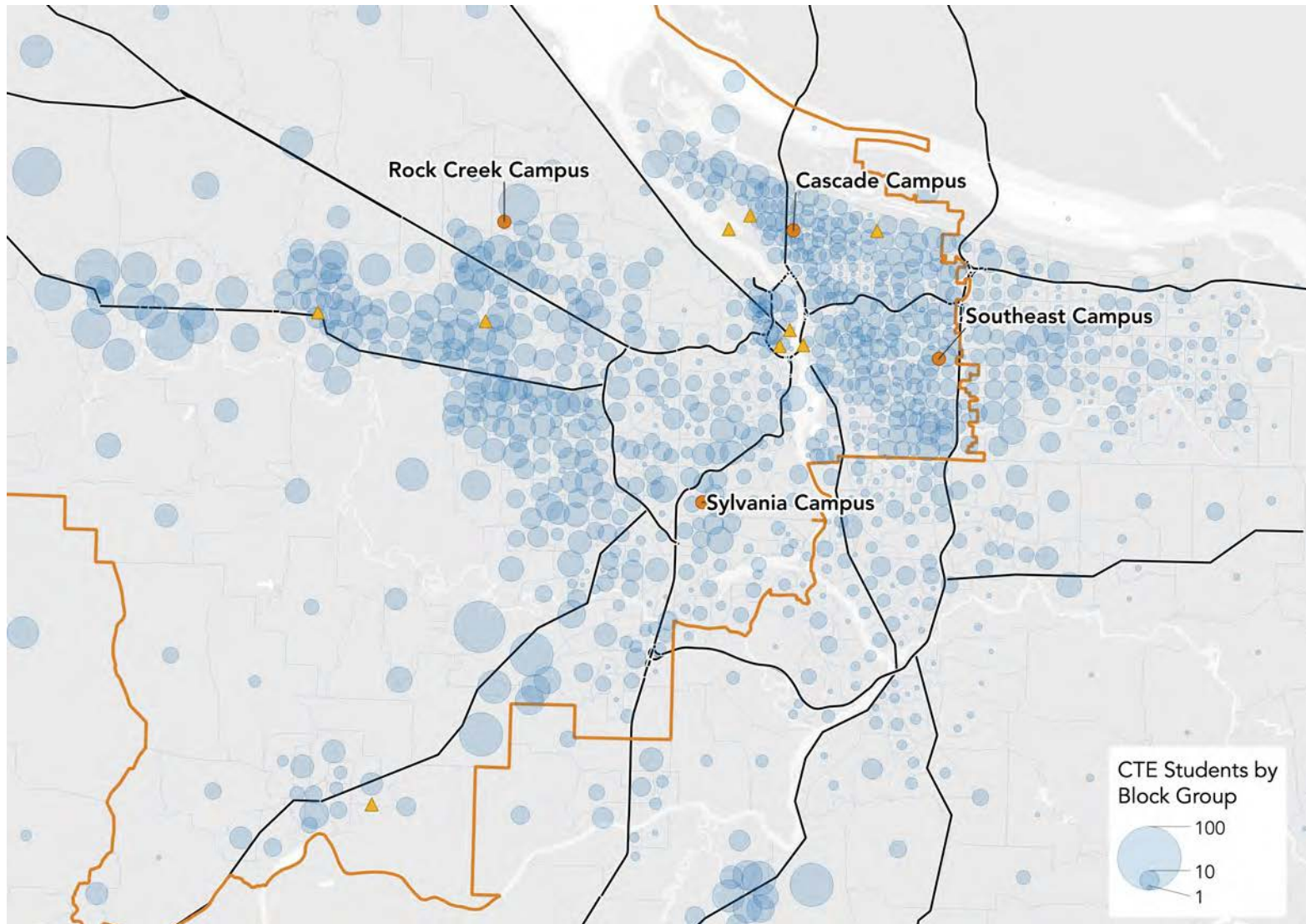
# Construction, Manufacturing Tech, and Transportation (CMTT)

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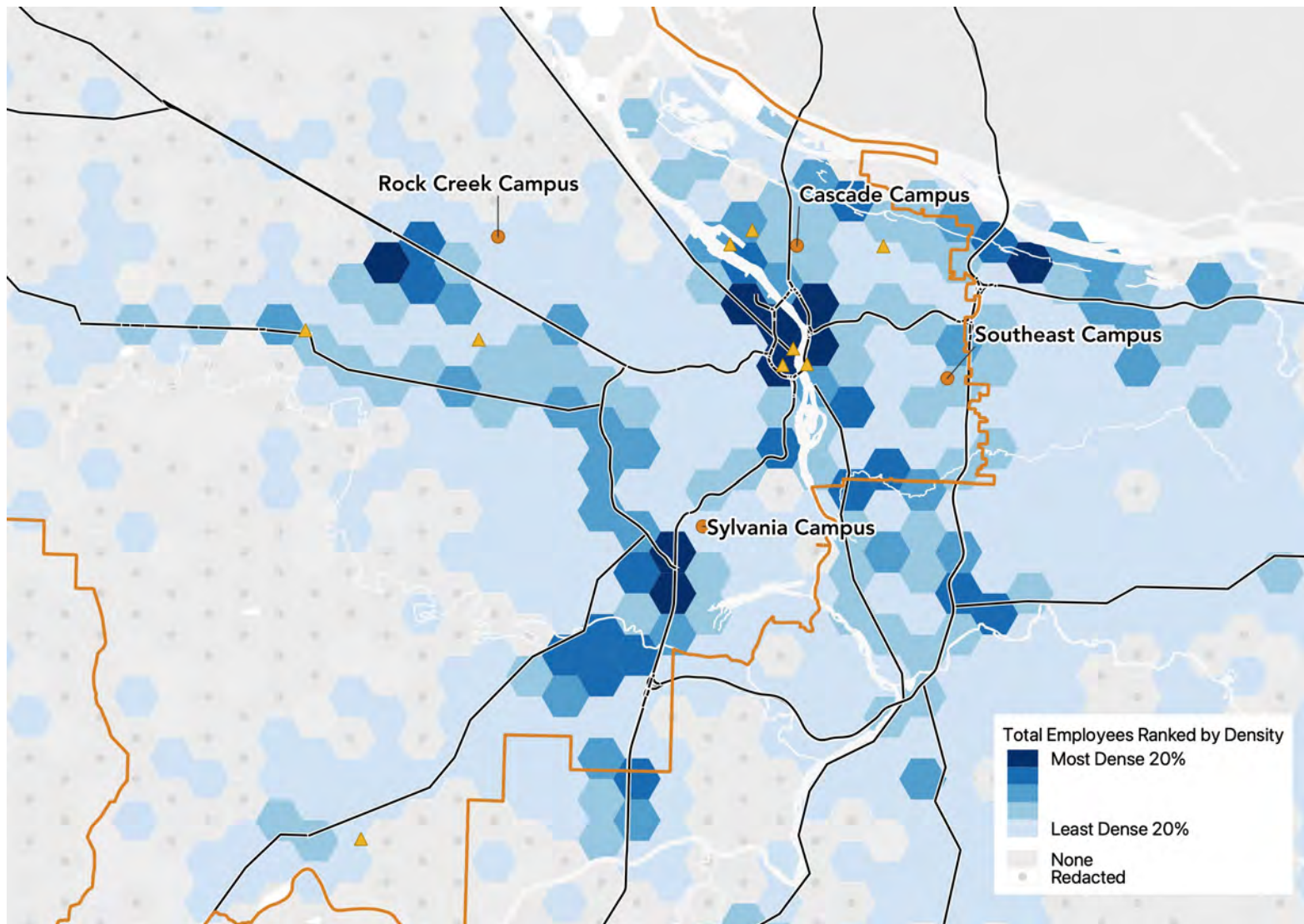
Drive time to each PCC campus/center (in minutes) for CMTT enrollees



# CMTT, all enrollees

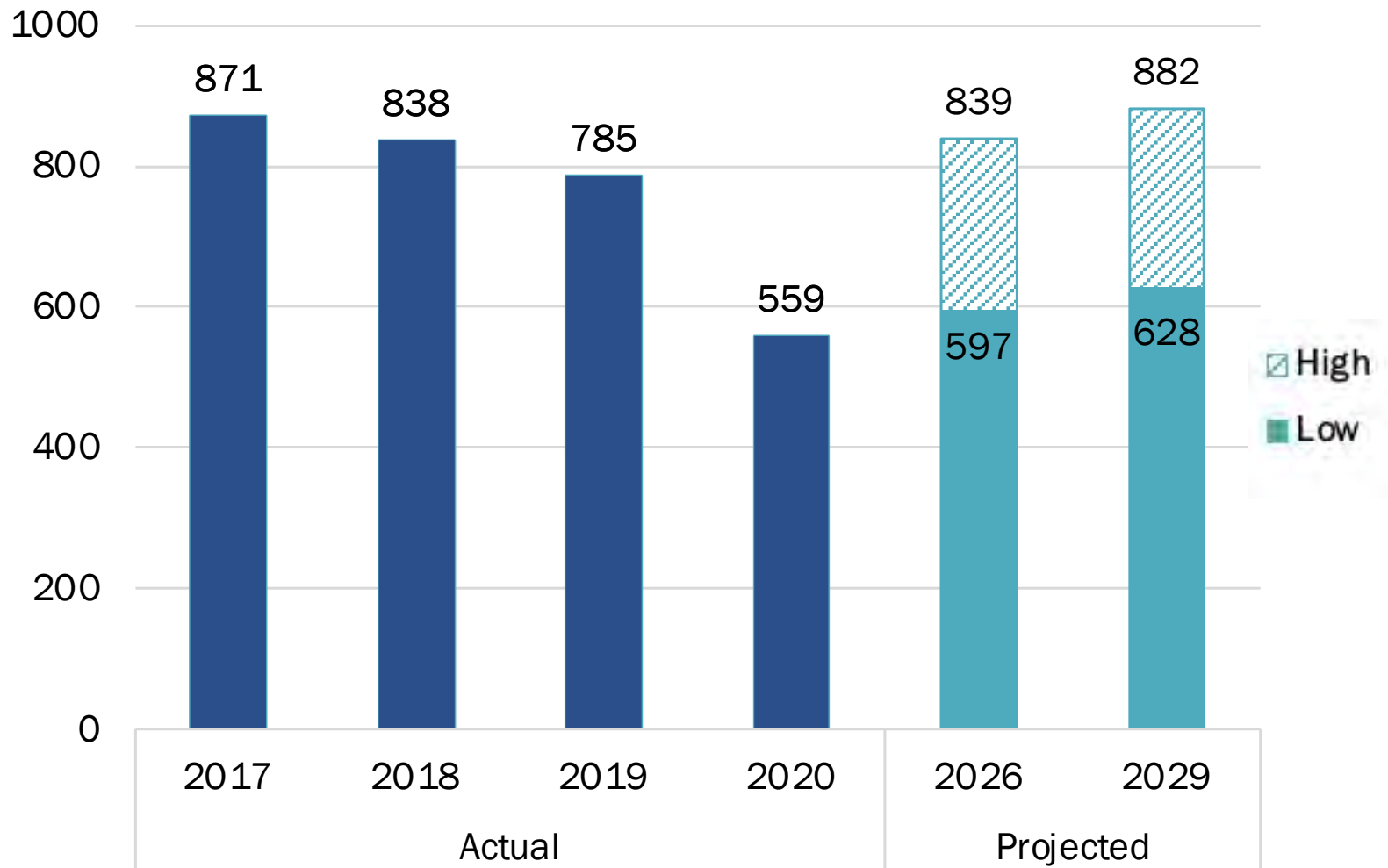


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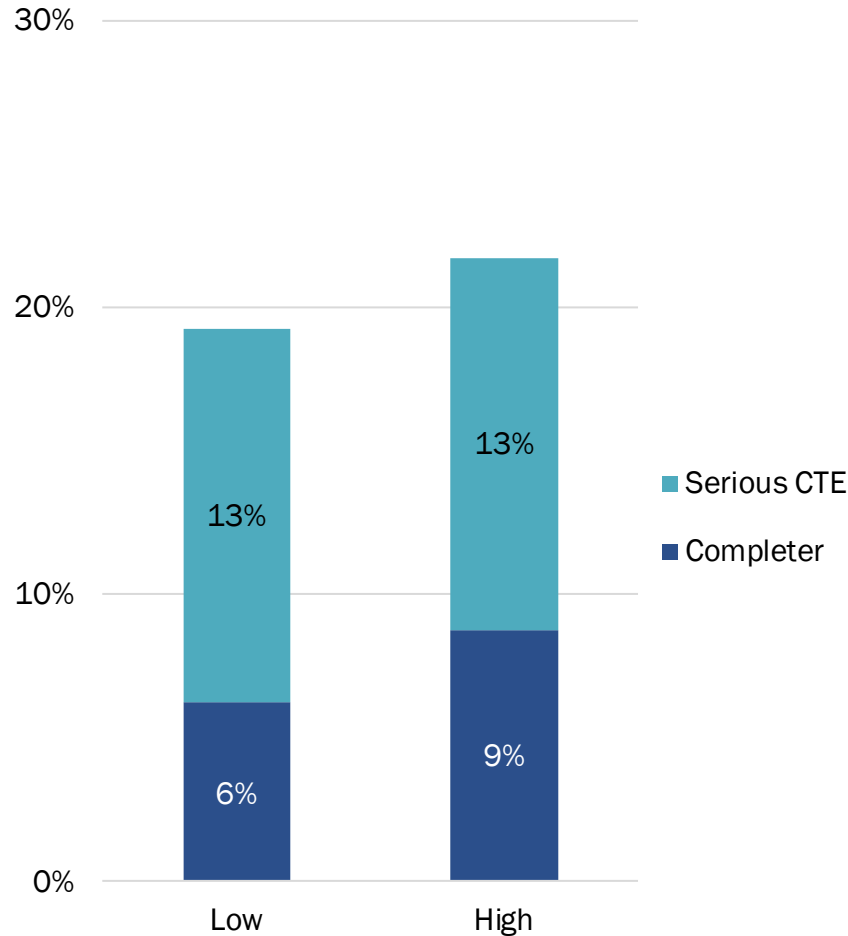
# Projection of enrolled FTE: CMTT





# Gap analysis: CMTT

Serious PCC CMTT enrollees as a share of average annual job openings, 2029



- 3,360 CMTT job openings projected in Portland in 2029
- Student projections based on person counts rather than FTE

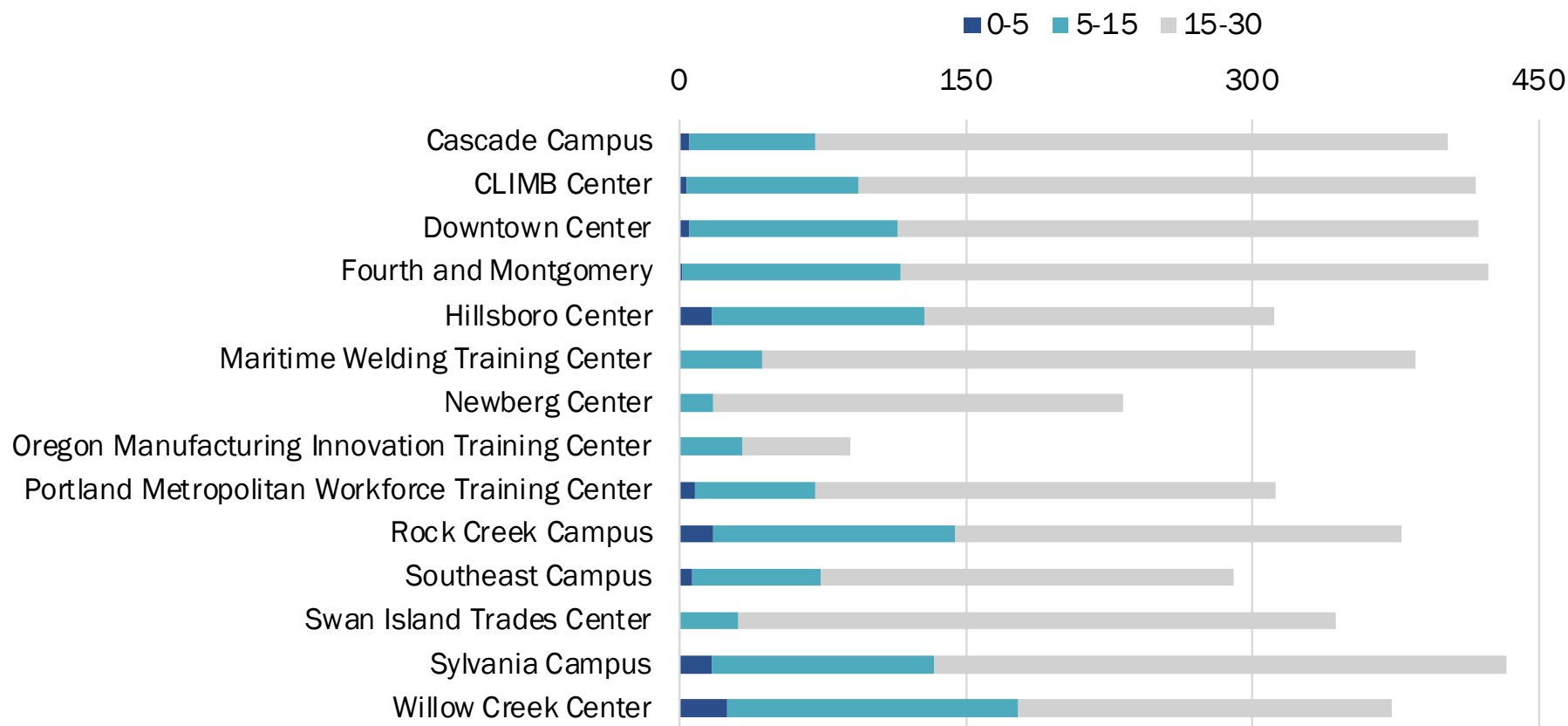


- We expect the CMTT enrollment to be toward the mid to high end of our projected enrollment and completion based on pre-existing trends.
- In 2029, we expect around 900 enrolled CMTT FTE and around 300 completers at the high end.
- At this level, serious PCC enrollees and completers could potentially fill between 9 and 22 percent of CMTT job openings in 2029.
- The largest concentrations of CMTT jobs are in the downtown area, toward North Plains, Tigard, and in north Portland. The Downtown Center has the highest share of enrollees (24 percent) living within 15 minutes.

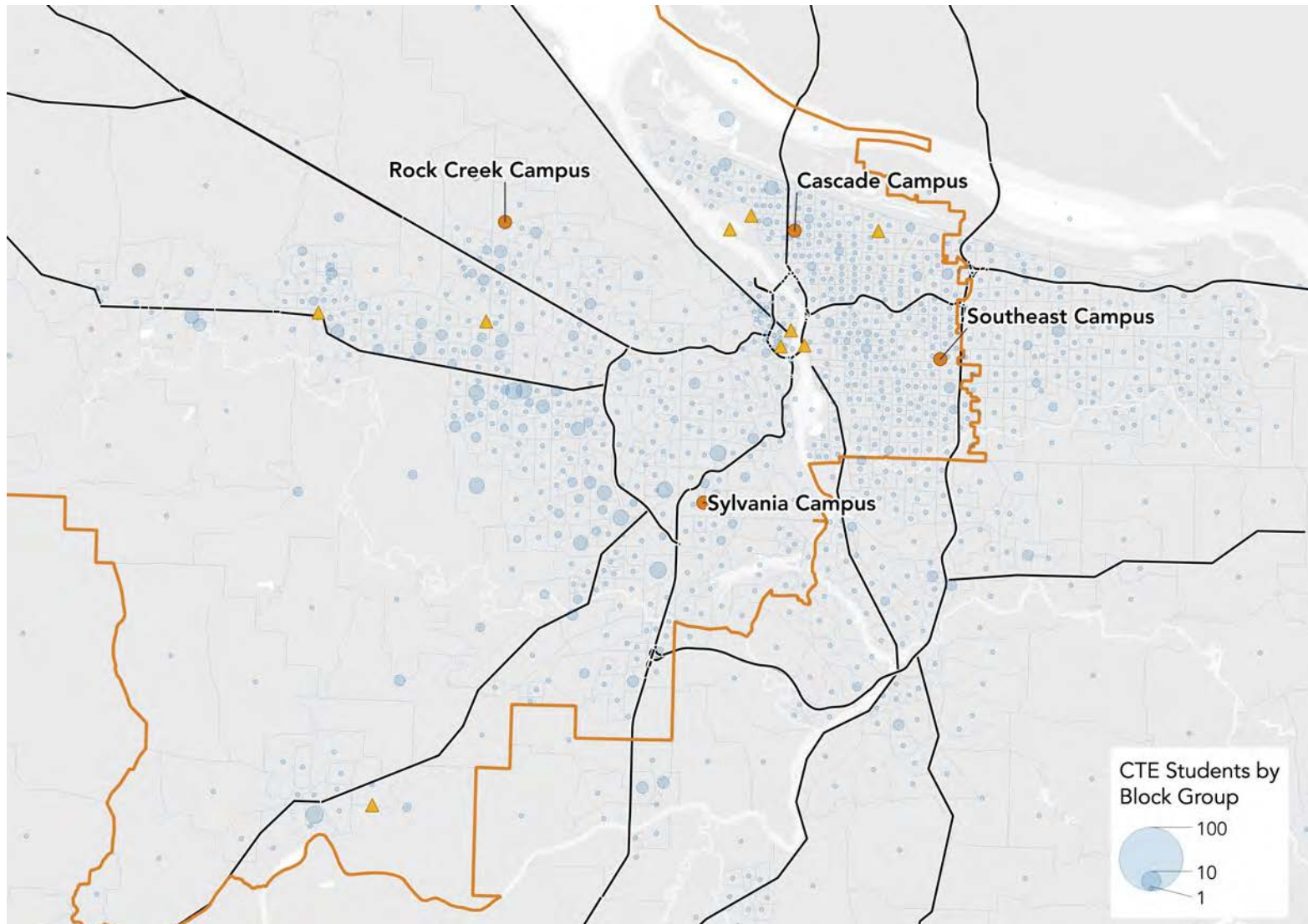
# Automotive Service

# Drive time: Automotive Service

Drive time to each PCC campus/center (in minutes) for Automotive Service enrollees

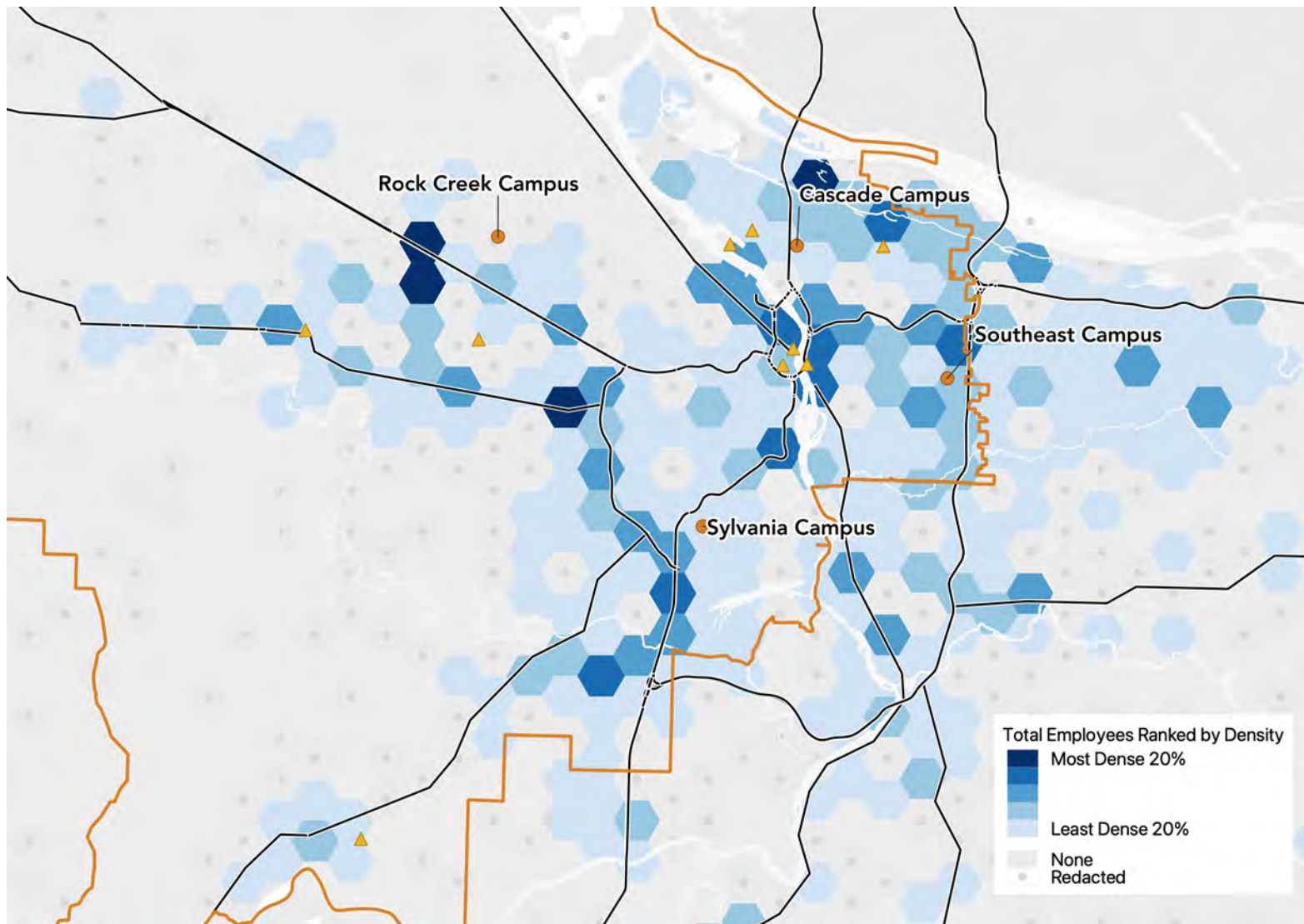


# Automotive Service, all enrollees



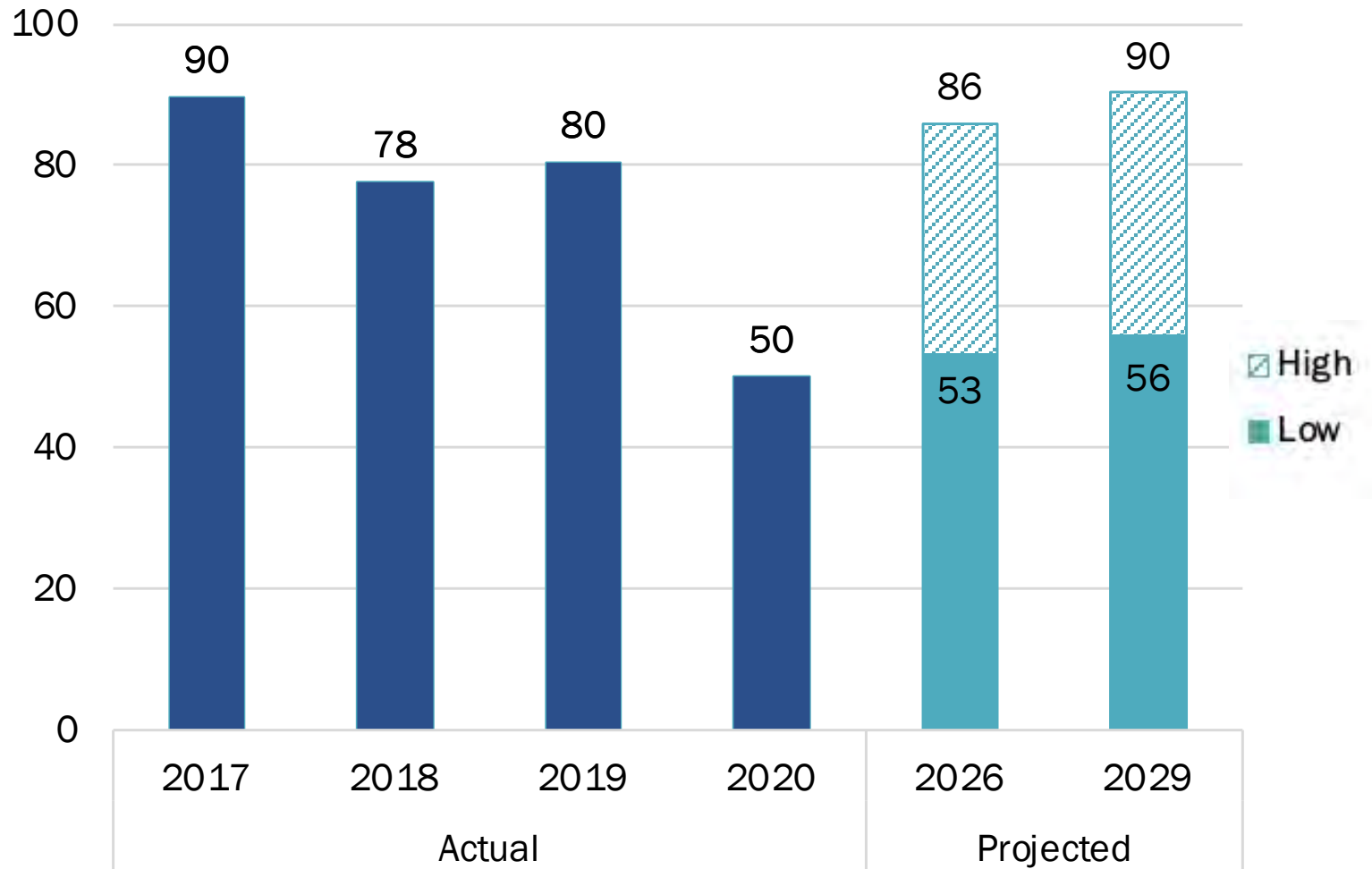
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# Automotive Service jobs



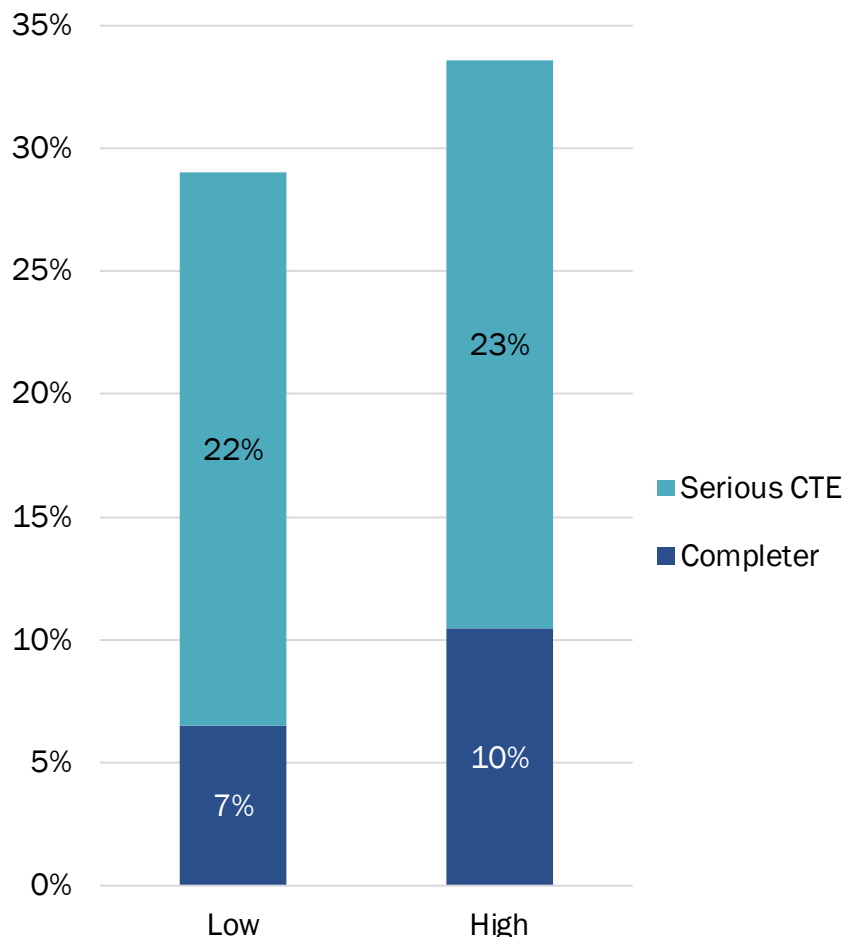
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# Projection of enrolled FTE: Automotive Service



# Gap analysis: Automotive Service

Serious PCC Automotive Service enrollees as a share of average annual job openings, 2029



- 358 Automotive Service job openings projected in Portland in 2029
- Student projections based on person counts rather than FTE

# Automotive Service takeaways

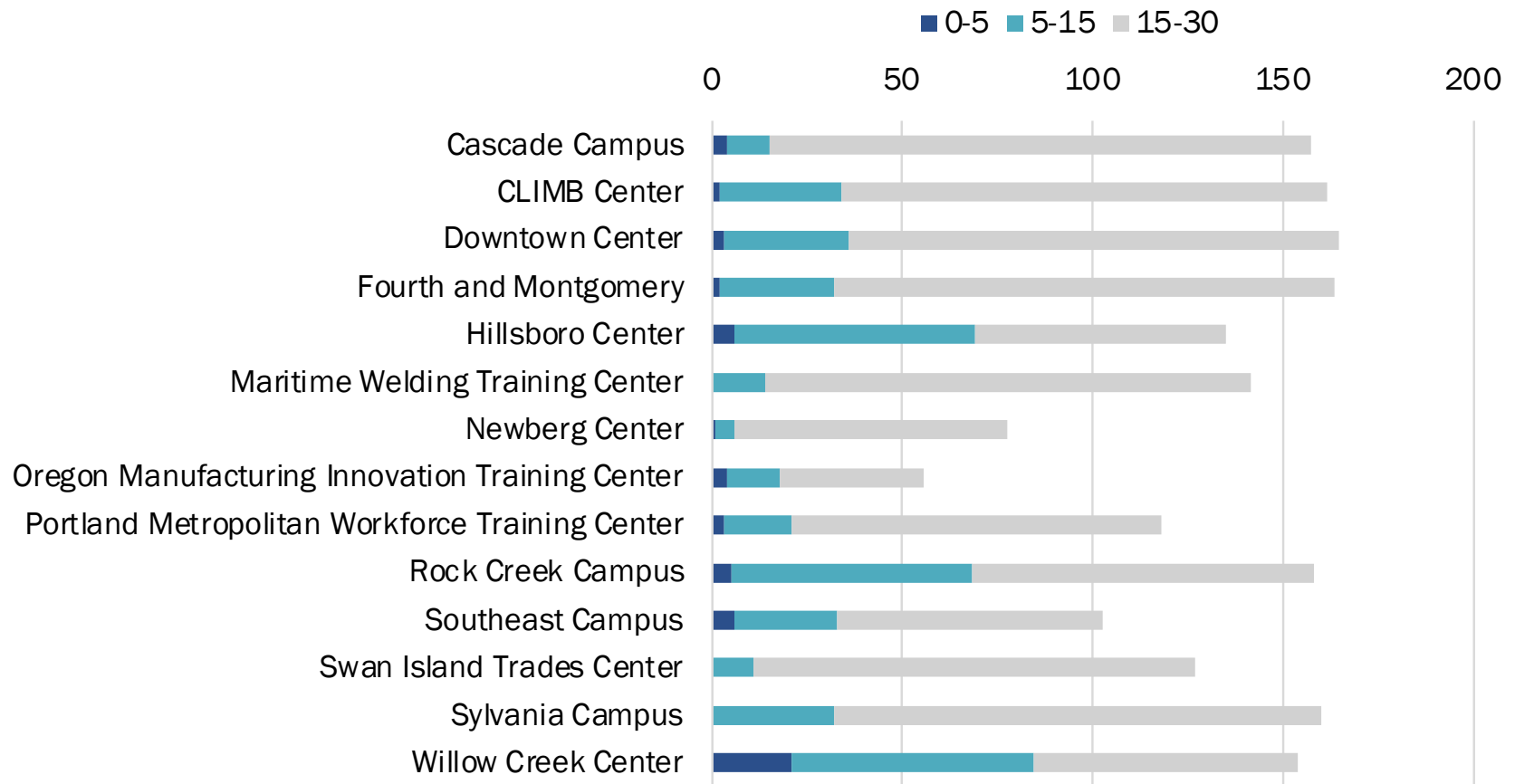
- We expect Auto Service enrollment to be toward the low end of our projected enrollment and completion estimates based on pre-existing trends.
- In 2029, we expect around 56 enrolled Auto Service FTE and around 23 completers.
- At this level, we estimate serious PCC enrollees and completers could fill between 10 and 33 percent of Auto Service job openings in 2029.
- The largest concentrations of Auto Service jobs are on the west side of the river along Highway 217 and west of Rock Creek Campus. There is also a concentration of jobs in north Portland. Approximately the same number of enrollees live near Rock Creek (within 15 minutes) as Sylvania (26 percent and 24 percent, respectively).



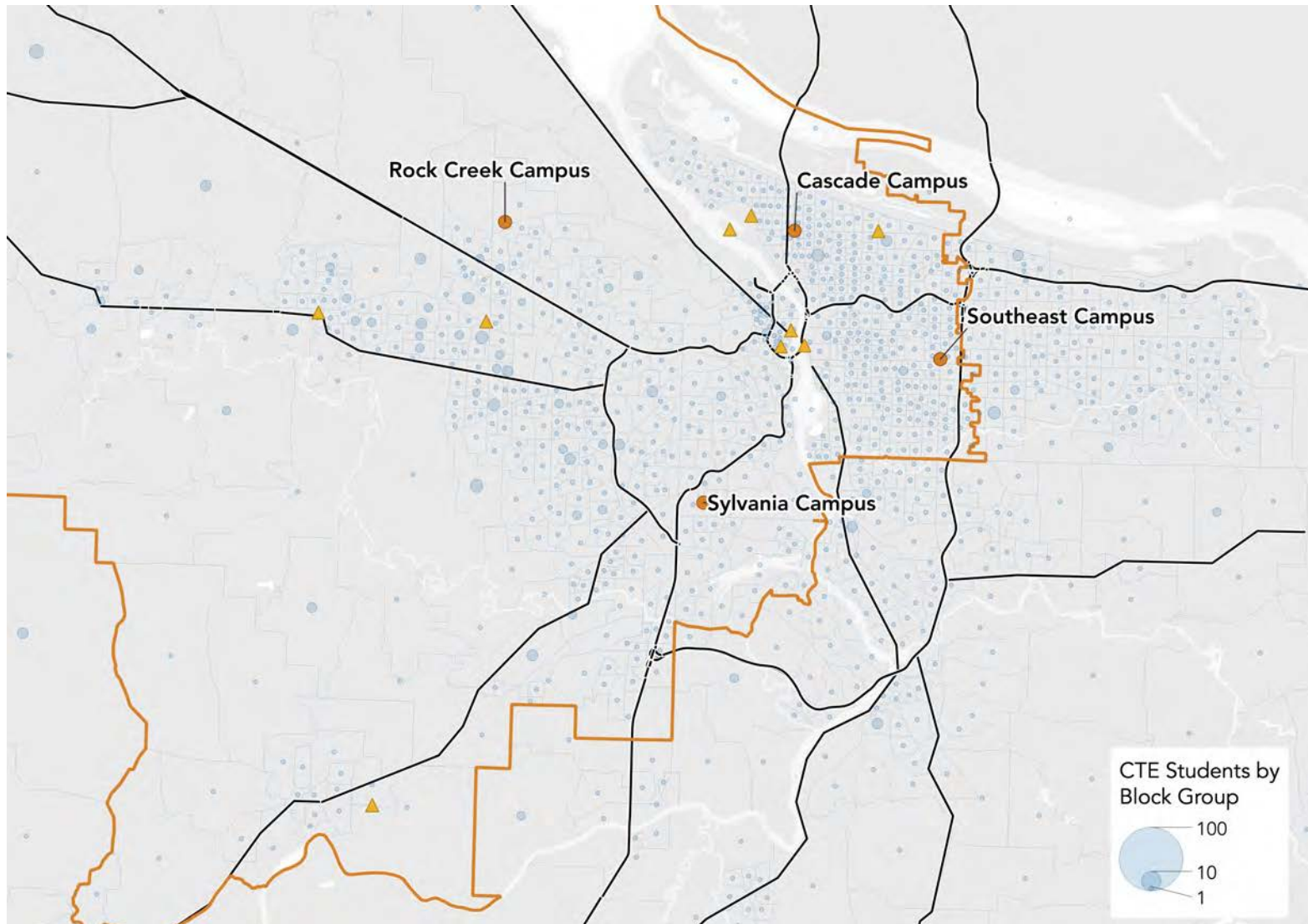
# Diesel Service

# Drive time: Diesel Service

Drive time to each PCC campus/center (in minutes) for Diesel Service enrollees

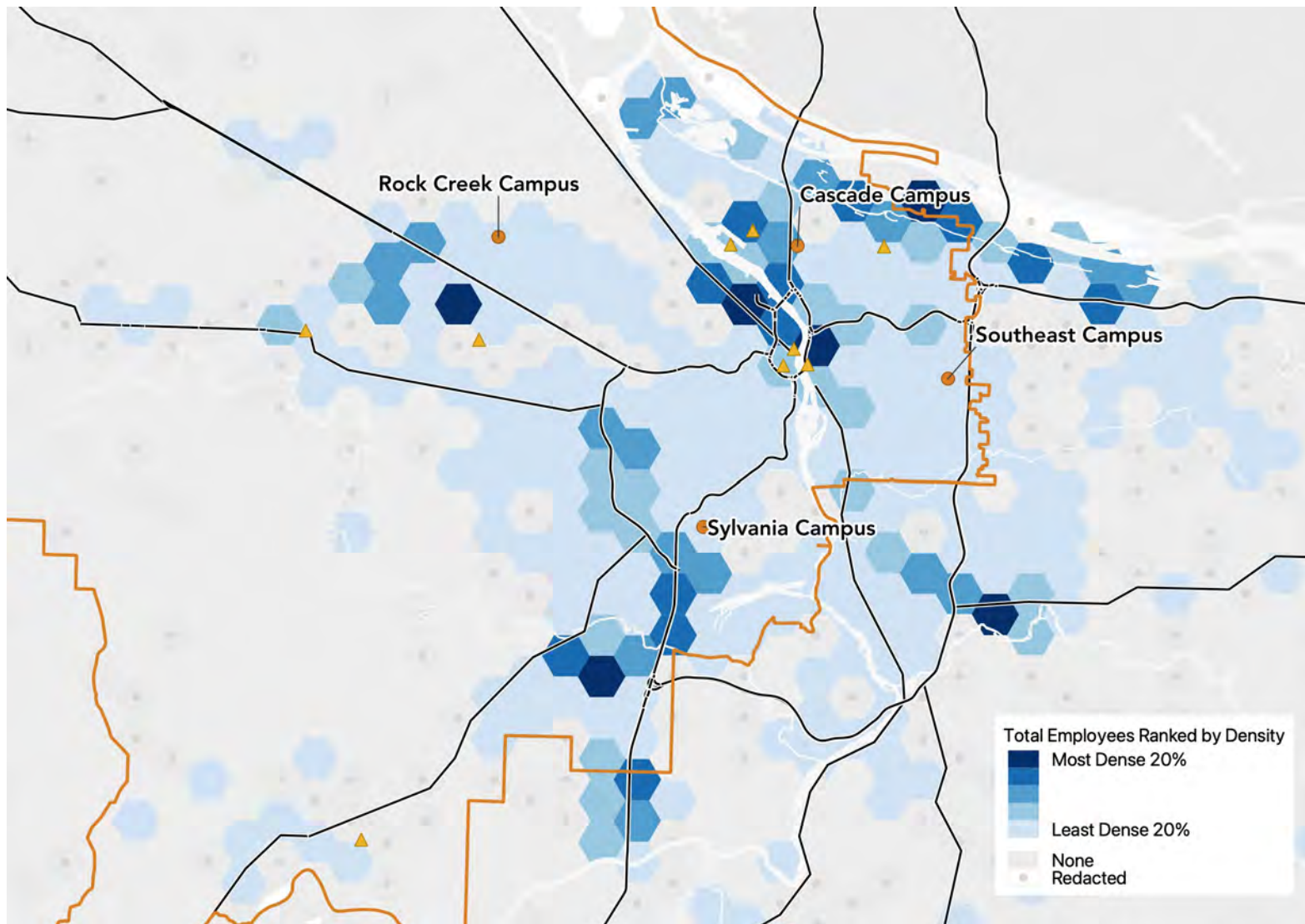


# Diesel Service, all enrollees



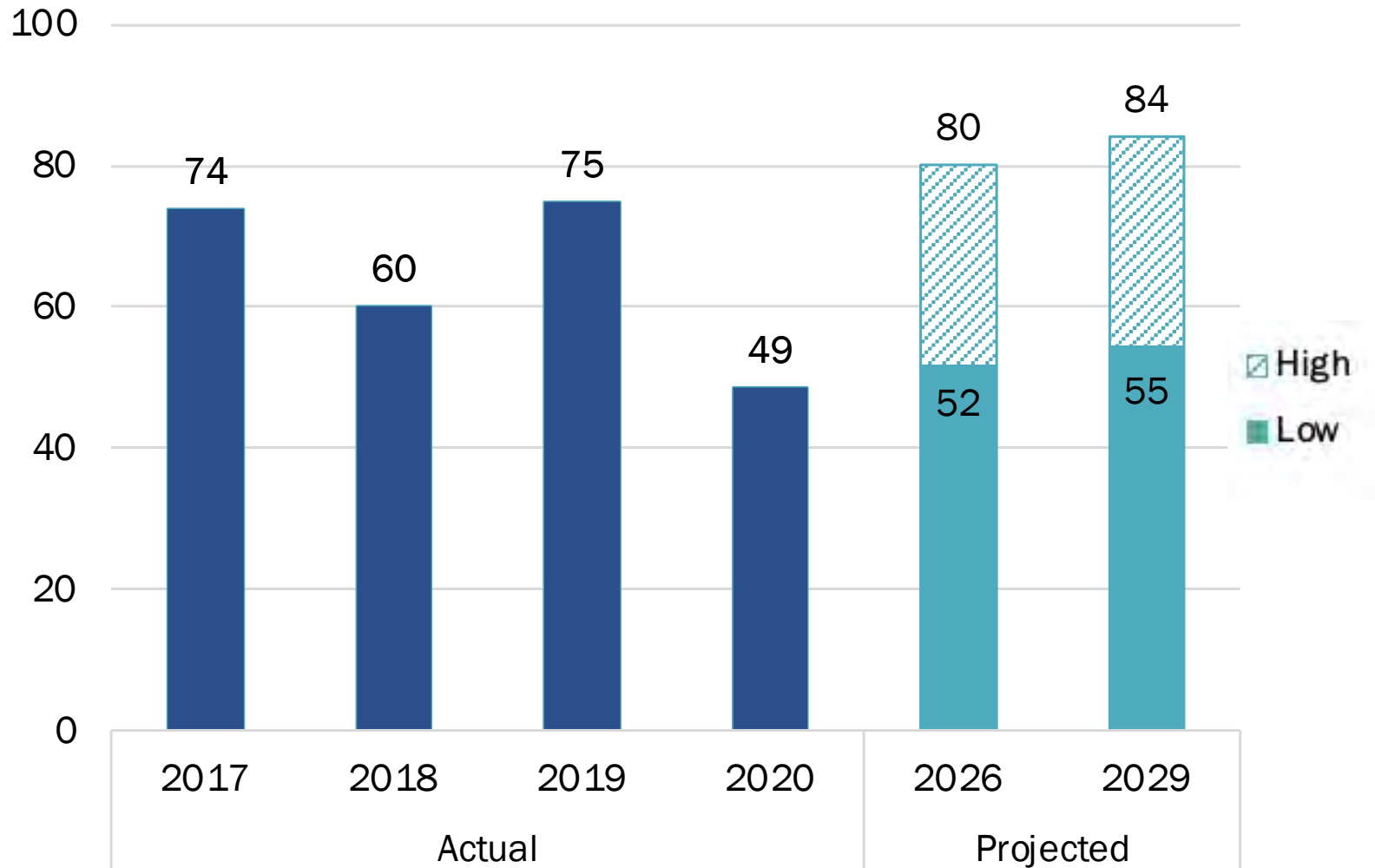
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# Diesel Service jobs



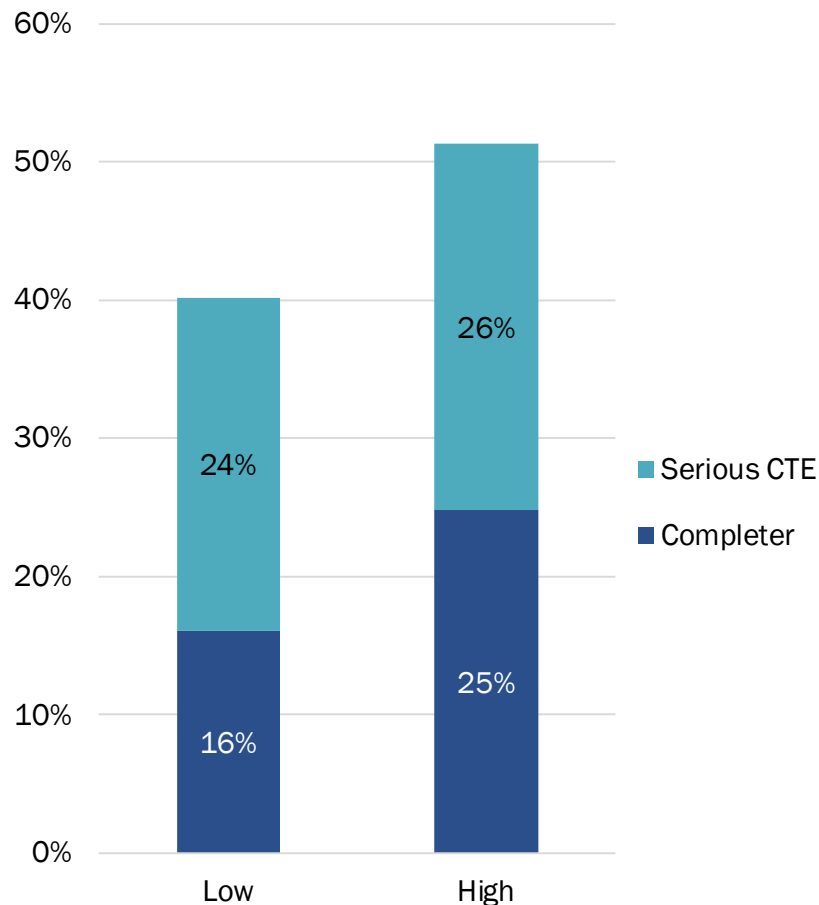
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# Projection of enrolled FTE: Diesel Service



# Gap analysis: Diesel Service

Serious PCC Diesel Service enrollees as a share of average annual job openings, 2029



- 191 Diesel Service job openings projected in Portland in 2029
- Student projections based on person counts rather than FTE

# Diesel Service takeaways

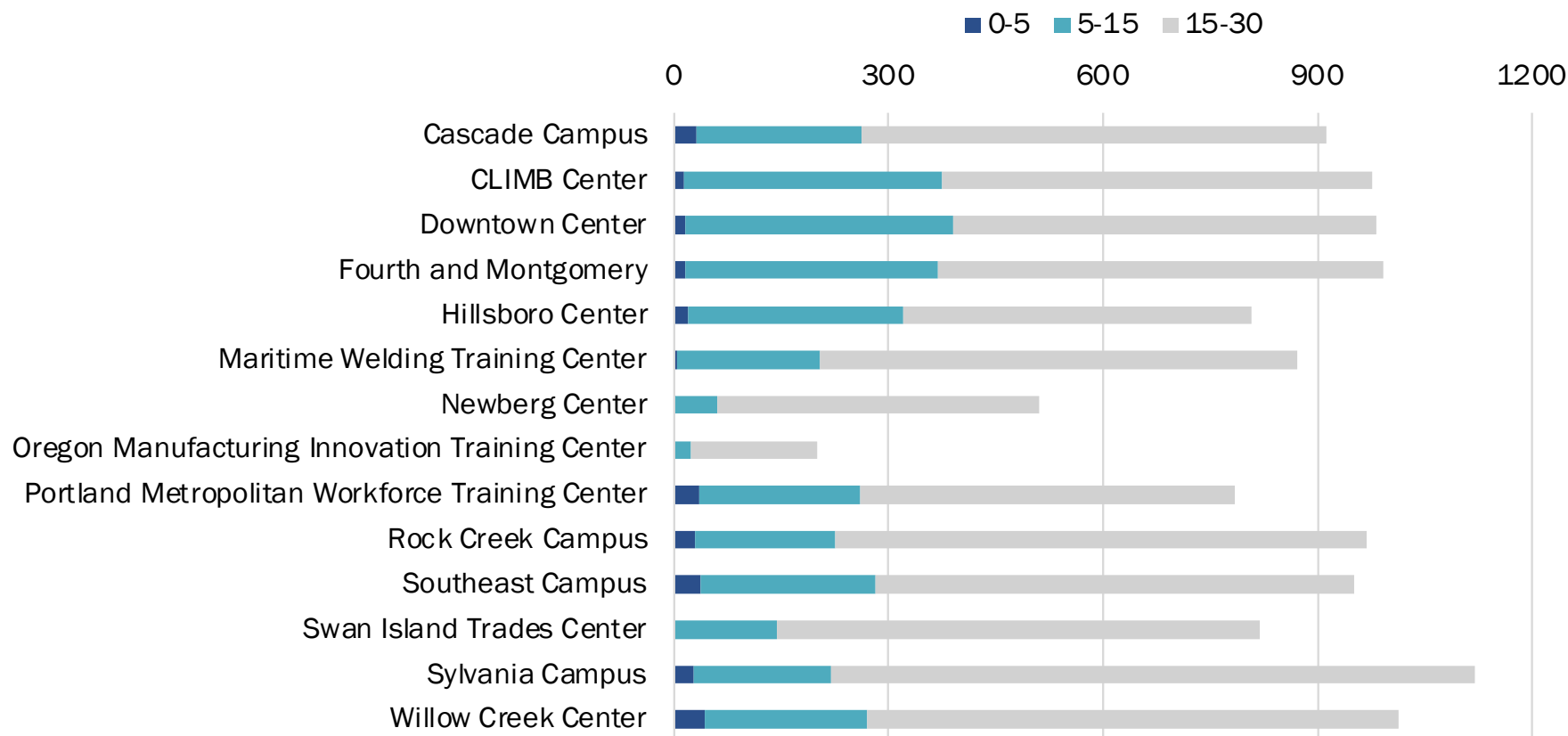
- We expect Diesel Service enrollment to fall midway between our projected high and low enrollment and completion estimates based on pre-existing trends.
- In 2029, we expect around 70 enrolled Diesel Service FTE and around 40 completers.
- At this level, we estimate serious PCC enrollees and completers could fill between 20 and 51 percent of Diesel Service job openings in 2029.
- The largest concentrations of Diesel Service jobs are around North Portland, Clackamas, and Tualatin. About one quarter (26 percent) of enrollees lived within 15 minutes of the Willow Creek Center and 21 percent lived within 15 minutes of the Rock Creek Campus and the Hillsboro Center, respectively.

# Building Construction Technology

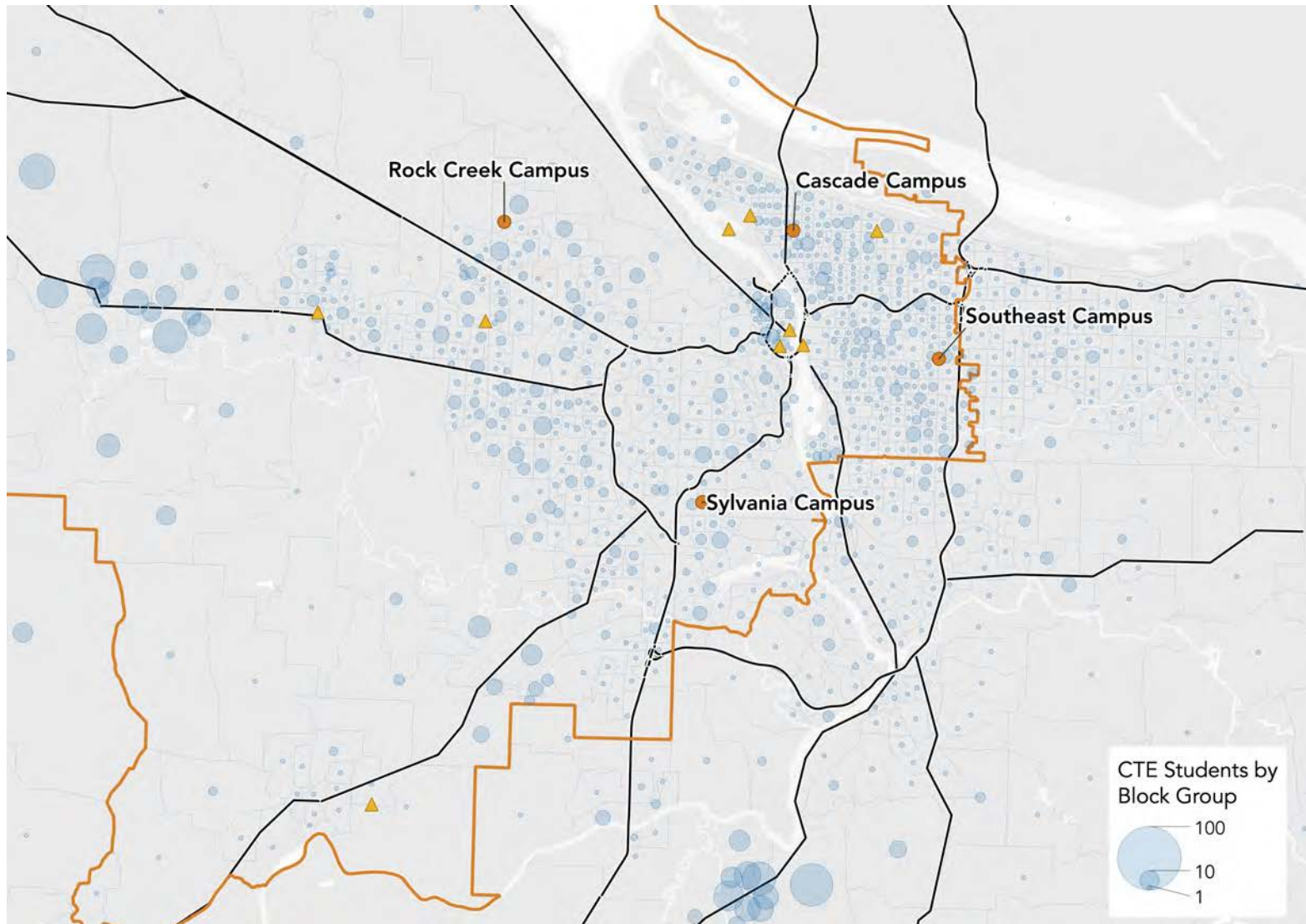


# Drive time: Building Construction

Drive time to each PCC campus/center (in minutes) for Building Construction enrollees

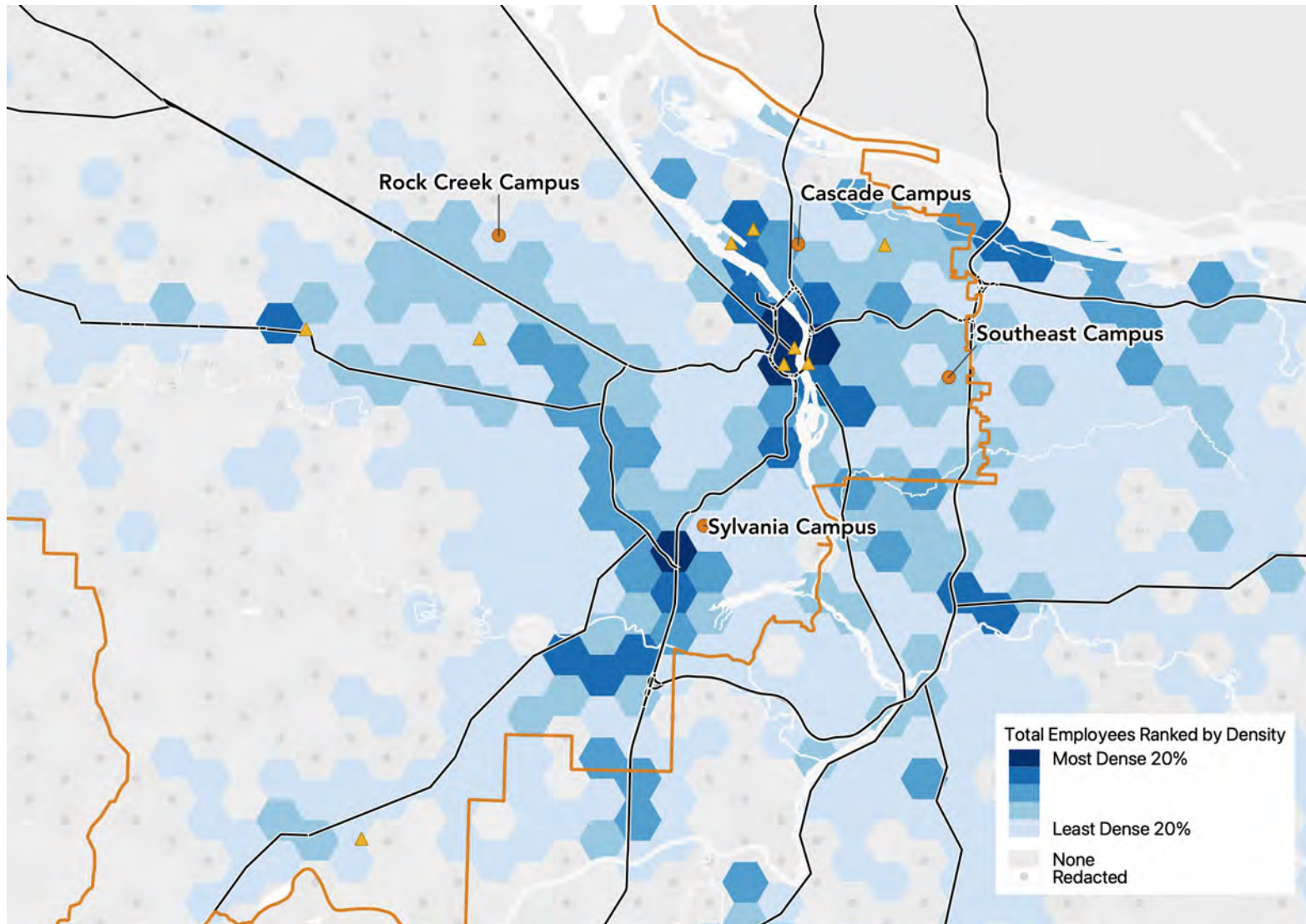


# Building Construction, all enrollees



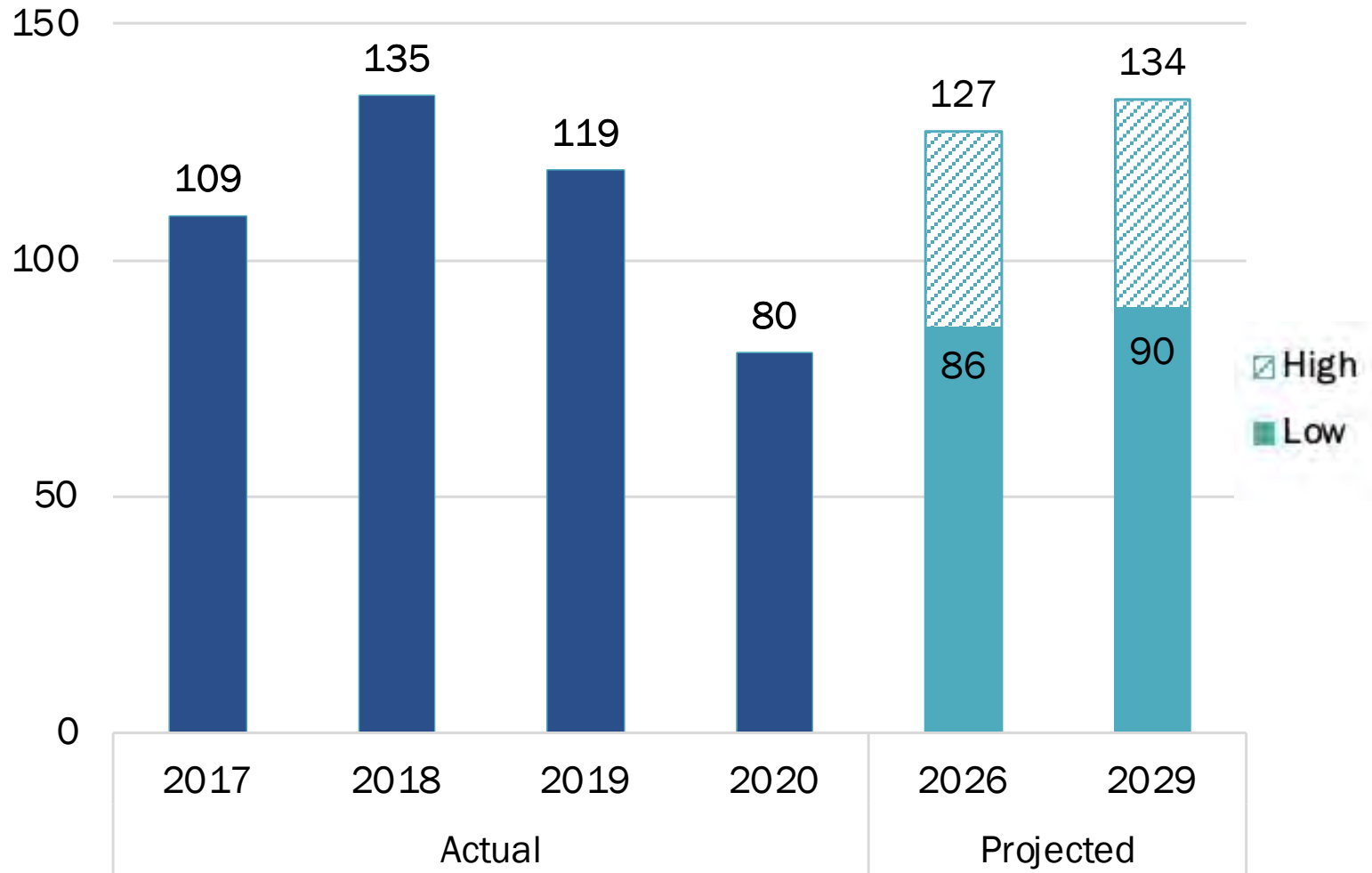
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# Building Construction jobs



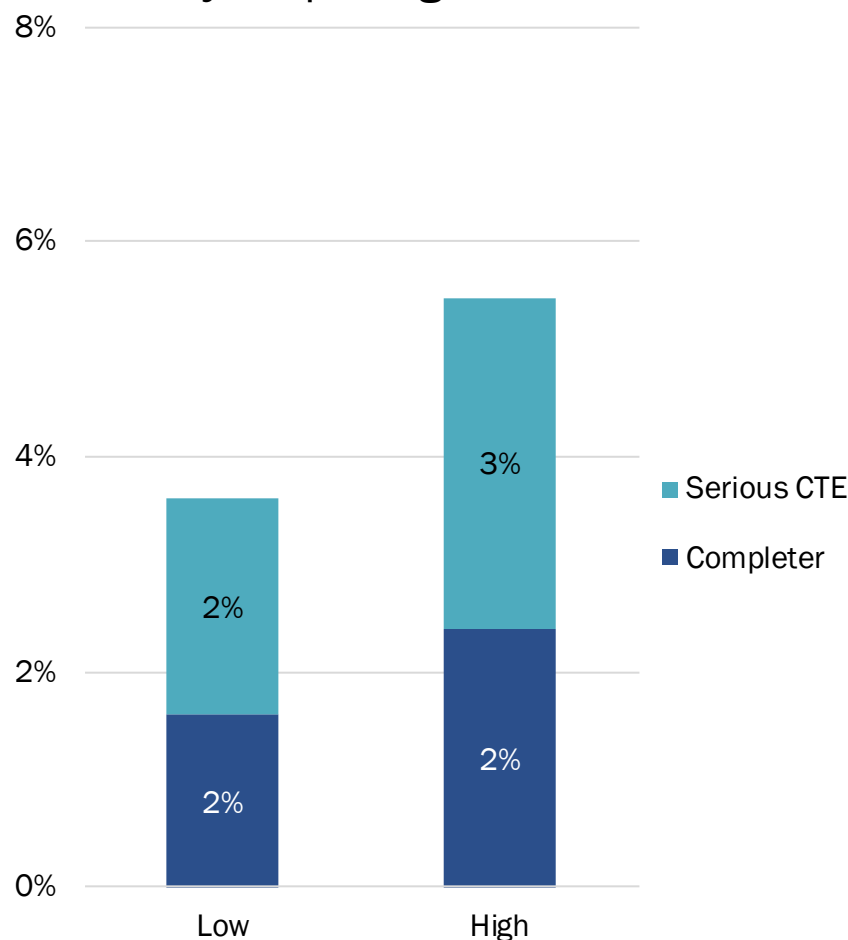
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# Projection of enrolled FTE: Building Construction



# Gap analysis: Building Construction

Serious PCC Building Construction enrollees as a share of average annual job openings, 2029



- 507 Building Construction Technology job openings projected in Portland in 2029
- Student projections based on person counts rather than FTE

# Building Construction takeaways

- Enrollment in the Building Construction pathway has grown in recent years. Whether this growth continues will depend on economic conditions; the recently passed infrastructure bill may support additional enrollment.
- In 2029, we expect between 90 and 134 enrolled Building Construction FTE and between 8 and 12 completers.
- There are few completions relative to enrollment in the Building Construction pathway.
- The largest concentrations of Building Construction jobs are in the downtown area and in Tigard.

# Appendix



# Methodology

# Defining CTE courses

- Programs and their required courses within each relevant pathway were identified manually via a search of PCC's website
- Required courses within CTE pathways were matched to student data using subject and course codes
- The definition of a CTE course was refined further. Remedial, liberal arts, and general studies courses and courses in irrelevant CIP codes were identified and removed

# Defining CTE completions

- CTE completers were identified using CIP codes derived from the list of CTE courses we identified earlier in the analysis
- The CIP code list was hand-vetted and cross-walked with older CIP codes to ensure accuracy

# Assigning students to pathways

## ■ Enrollees

- Students were given a single, mutually-exclusive pathway assignment based on their enrolled credits within a given academic year
- Students enrolled in multiple courses that fell into two or more CTE pathways were assigned to the pathway in which they had taken the most credits

## ■ Completers

- Completers were given a single, mutually-exclusive pathway assignment based on the CIP code of their completion within a given academic year
- For completers with multiple completions in a single year, associate degree completions were prioritized

# Allocating students to zip codes

- Student data were recorded at the end of the last term the student was enrolled in the data set.
- The maps display information about the distribution of students' assumed residences across the PCC district and beyond. We choose 2018-19 and earlier years instead of more-current years to avoid displaying enrollment anomalies related to the COVID-19 pandemic.
- We used the zip code / zip+4 field in the data PCC provided to determine where PCC enrollees were located. Students were assigned to the Census block group that includes the center point of the delivery route.
- Students with missing zip+4 data (about a third of student observations in the 2018-19 academic year) were allocated proportionally across five-digit zip codes.
- This method allowed us to capture 98.4% of completers and 99.5% of enrollees in 2018-19.
- Students who were missing zip codes entirely or who lived outside of Oregon were not mapped.
  - 6.1% percent of selected CTE enrollees and 9.0% of completers in 2018-19 were outside the state or missing geographic data. Of these, 90% of enrollees and 91% of completers were Washington residents.

# Drive-time and employment maps

- Drive times calculated using ArcGIS Online. Block groups were assigned to a distance band based on where they had the most overlap. Block groups with less than 25 percent overlap with any distance band were not included.
- The industry job maps are based on QCEW data from 2019 for 5 counties: Multnomah, Clackamas, Washington, Columbia, and Yamhill. Based on the business's NAICS code, a percentage of the total average annual employment was determined to be CTE-relevant for each pathway. This employment was aggregated to 2km hexbins (2km height/width). Hexbins with data that did not meet disclosure requirements are redacted from the maps. To meet disclosure requirements, a hexbin had to have no fewer than 3 firms and one firm could not represent 80 percent of the reported employment. Hexbins were ranked by number of jobs (i.e., ranked by density with constant area) and split into quintiles from most to least dense.

# Projections and gap analysis

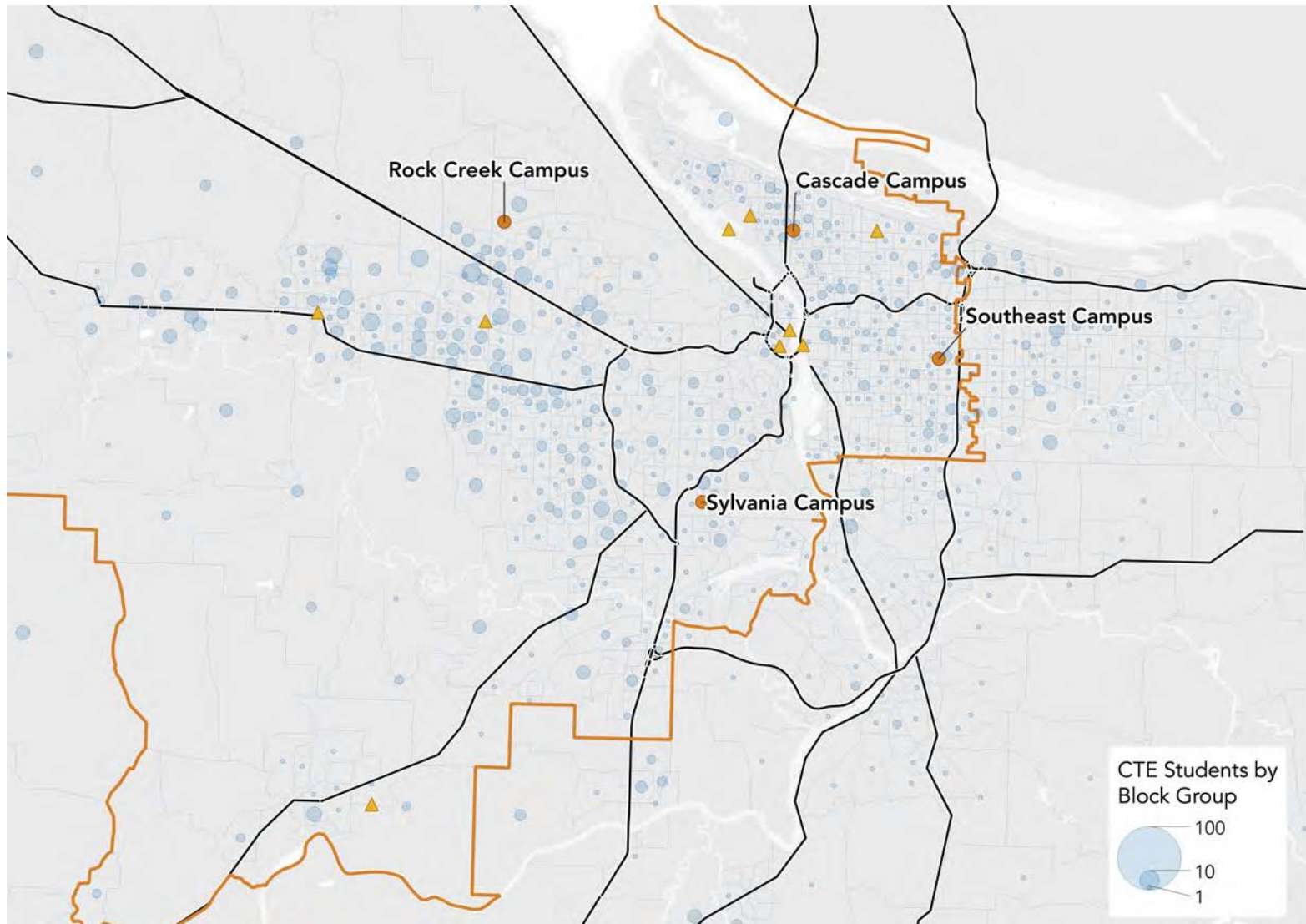
- We applied growth rates from our previously completed enrollment projections in Spring 2021 to estimate FTE enrollment for the selected PCC pathways. We produced high and low projections to provide a potential range for how CTE enrollment may perform in the future. Future enrollment will depend on many things, including recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic.
- **High projections:** High projections were produced using CTE enrollment in 2018-19 as the base and applying growth rates from previously completed enrollment projections.
- **Low projections:** Low projections were produced using CTE enrollment in 2019-20 as the base and applying growth rates from previously completed enrollment projections.
- To project completions, we applied a completion to FTE ratio (pooling completions from the 2014-15 to 2018-19 academic years) for each pathway. Due to an anomaly in the PCC completion data, we averaged 2008-09 through 2012-13 completions for the Diesel pathway. We applied these completion to FTE ratios to the high and low FTE projections to estimate a potential range of completions for the 2022-23 through 2029-30 academic years.



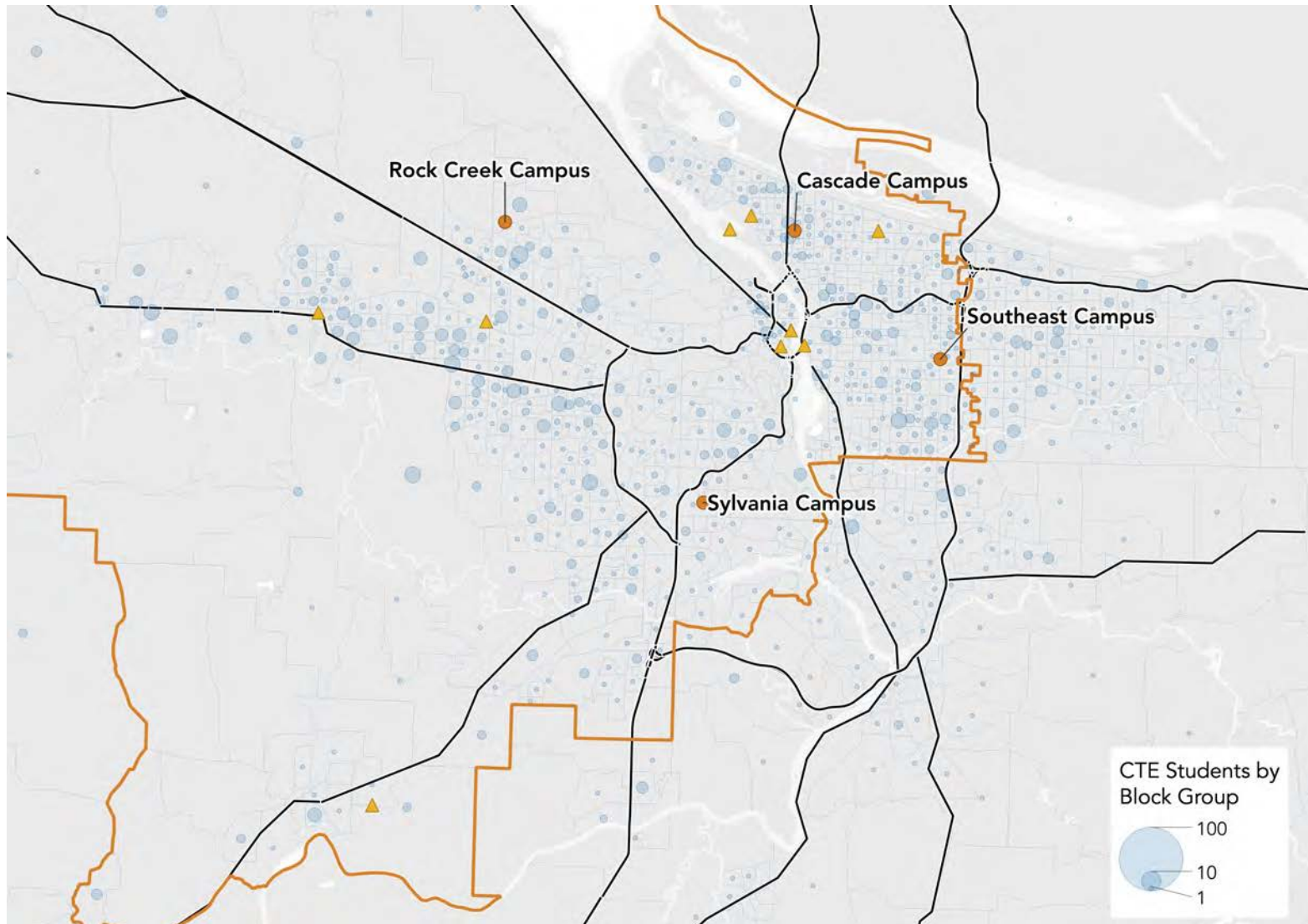
- The gap analysis is based on enrollment projections by pathway and projected job openings (2020-2030) in the tri-county region for occupations relevant to each pathway. CIP codes for PCC pathway coursework are crosswalked to SOC codes to identify relevant occupations.

# Additional enrollee maps

# CMTT, serious enrollees

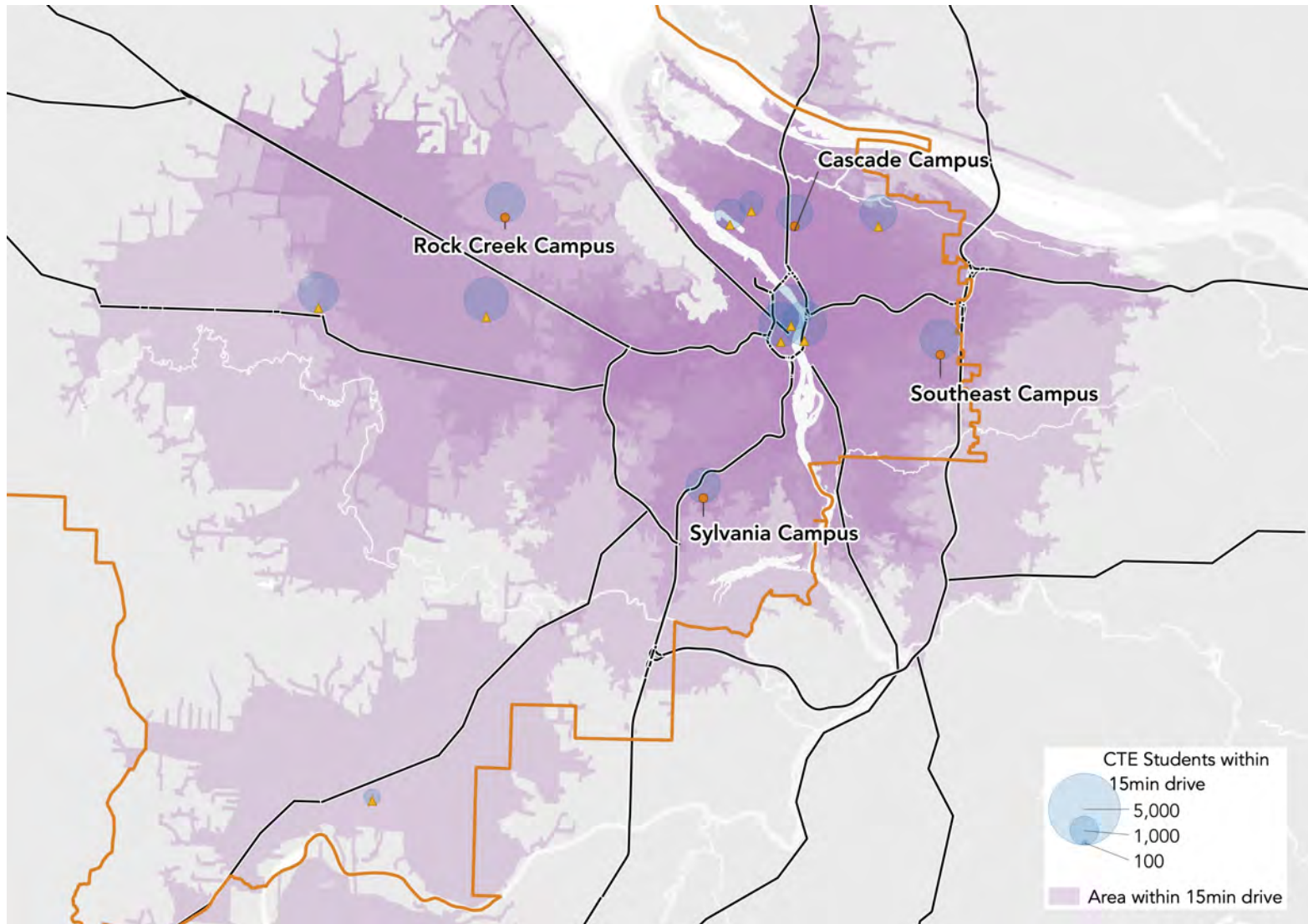


# CMTT, completers



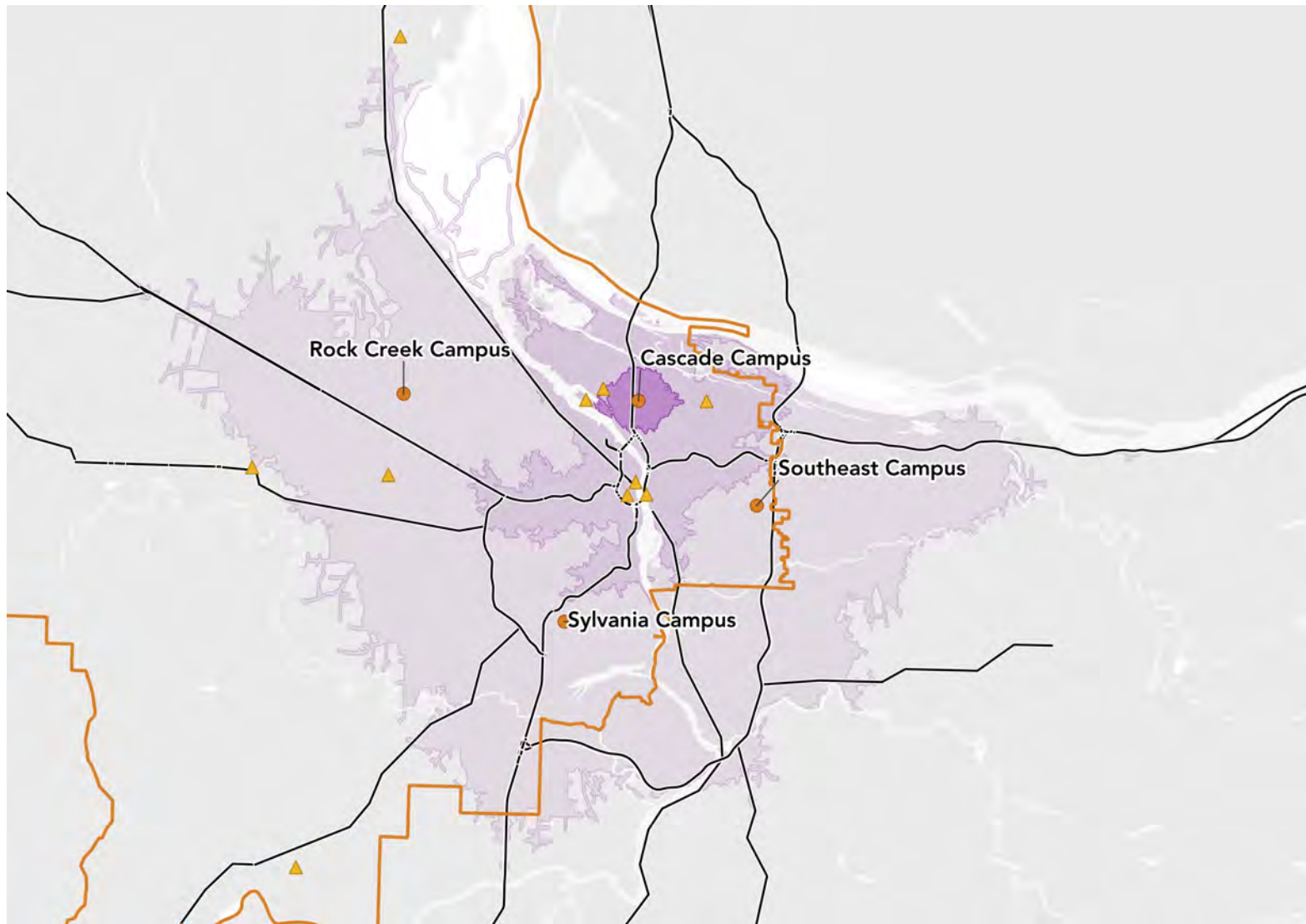
# Drive-time reference maps

# CMTT enrollees, by drive time

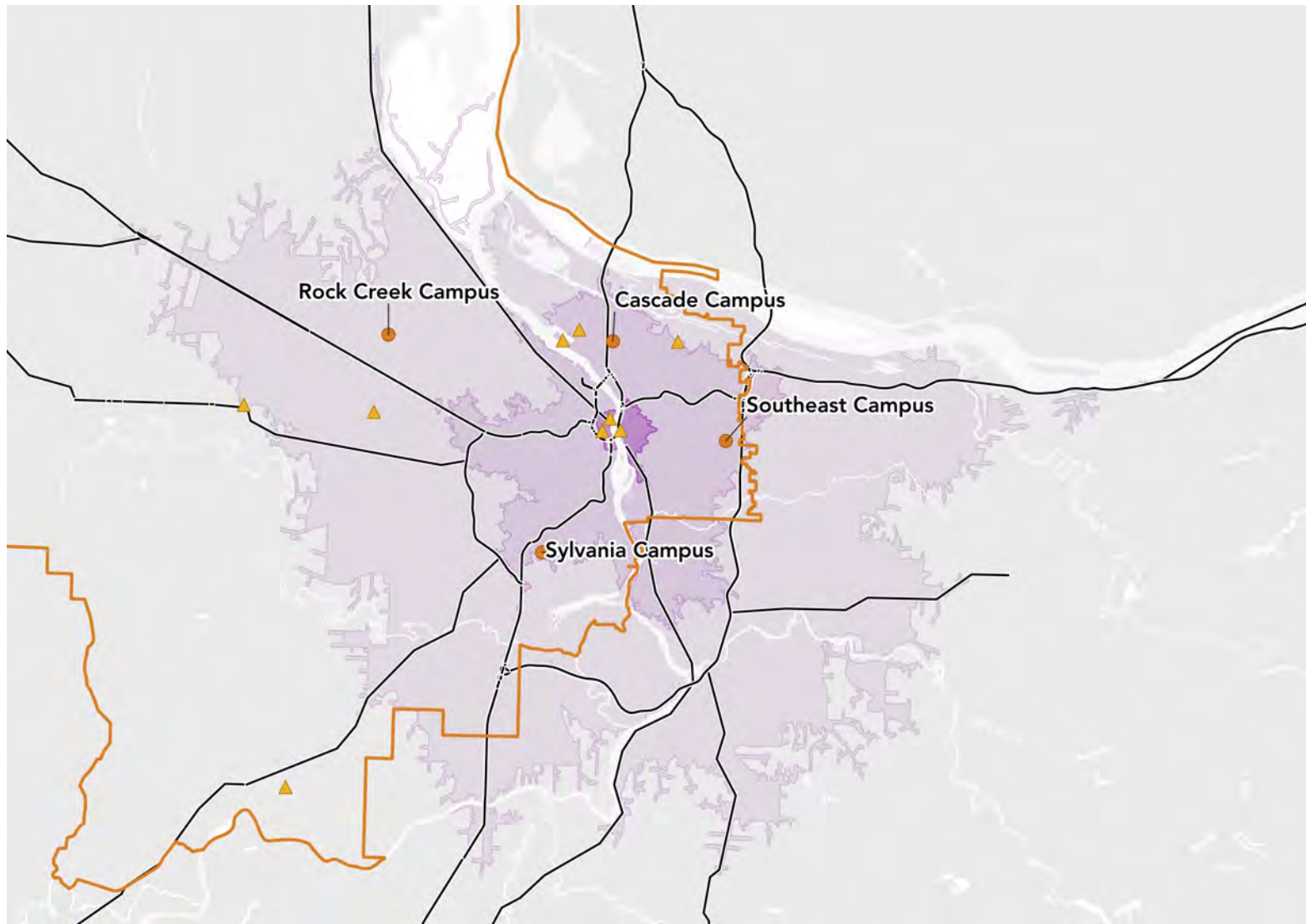




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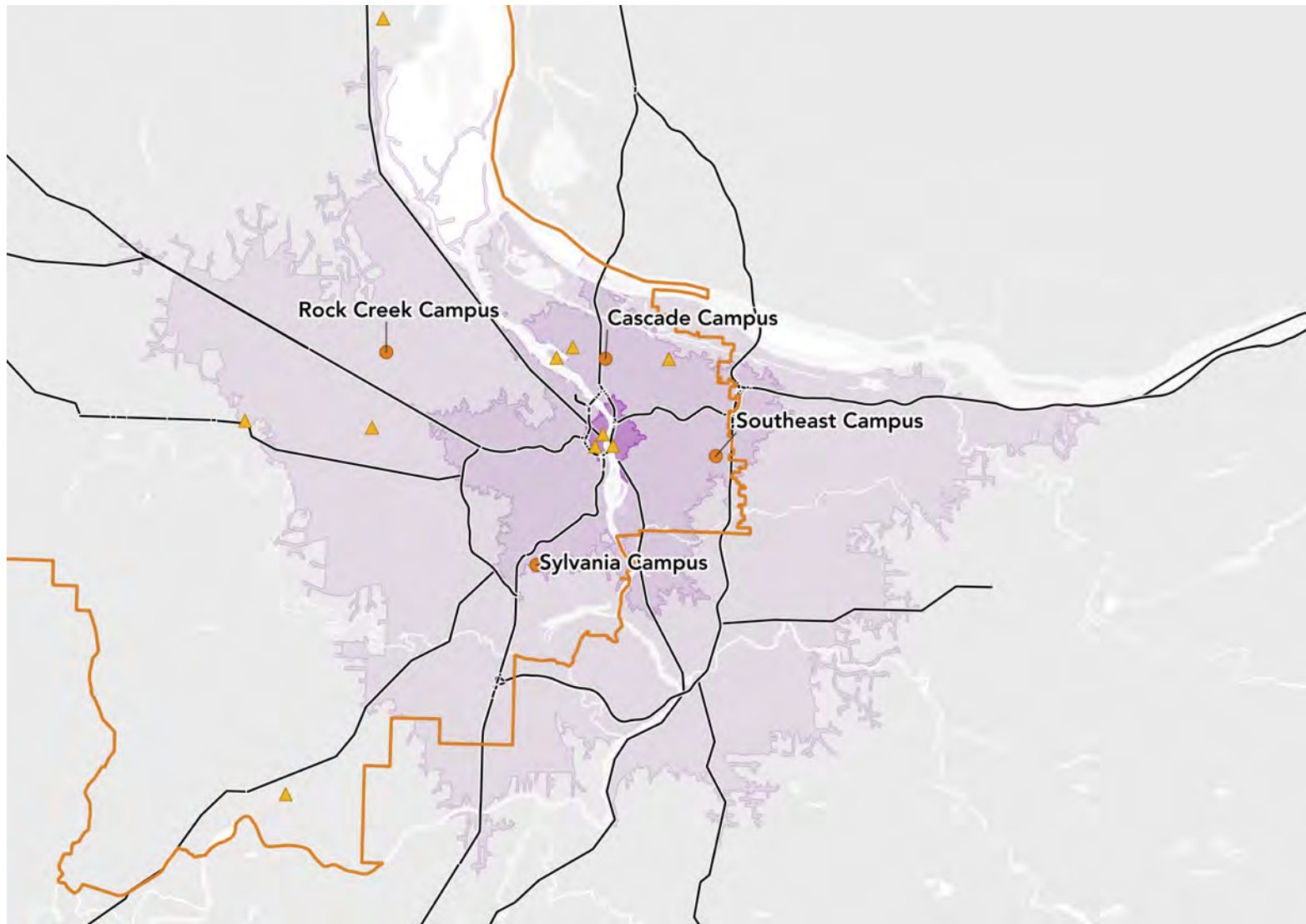
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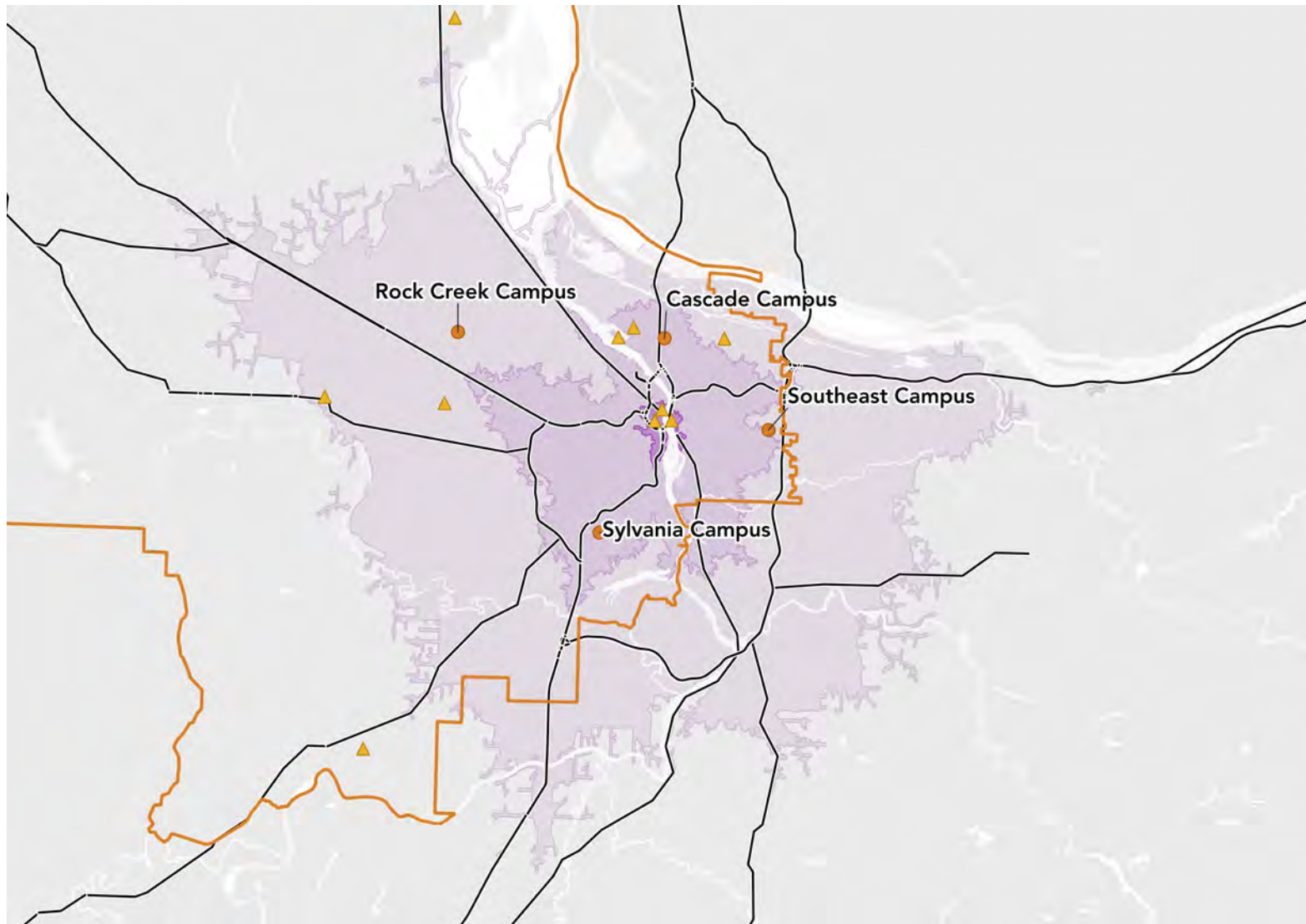


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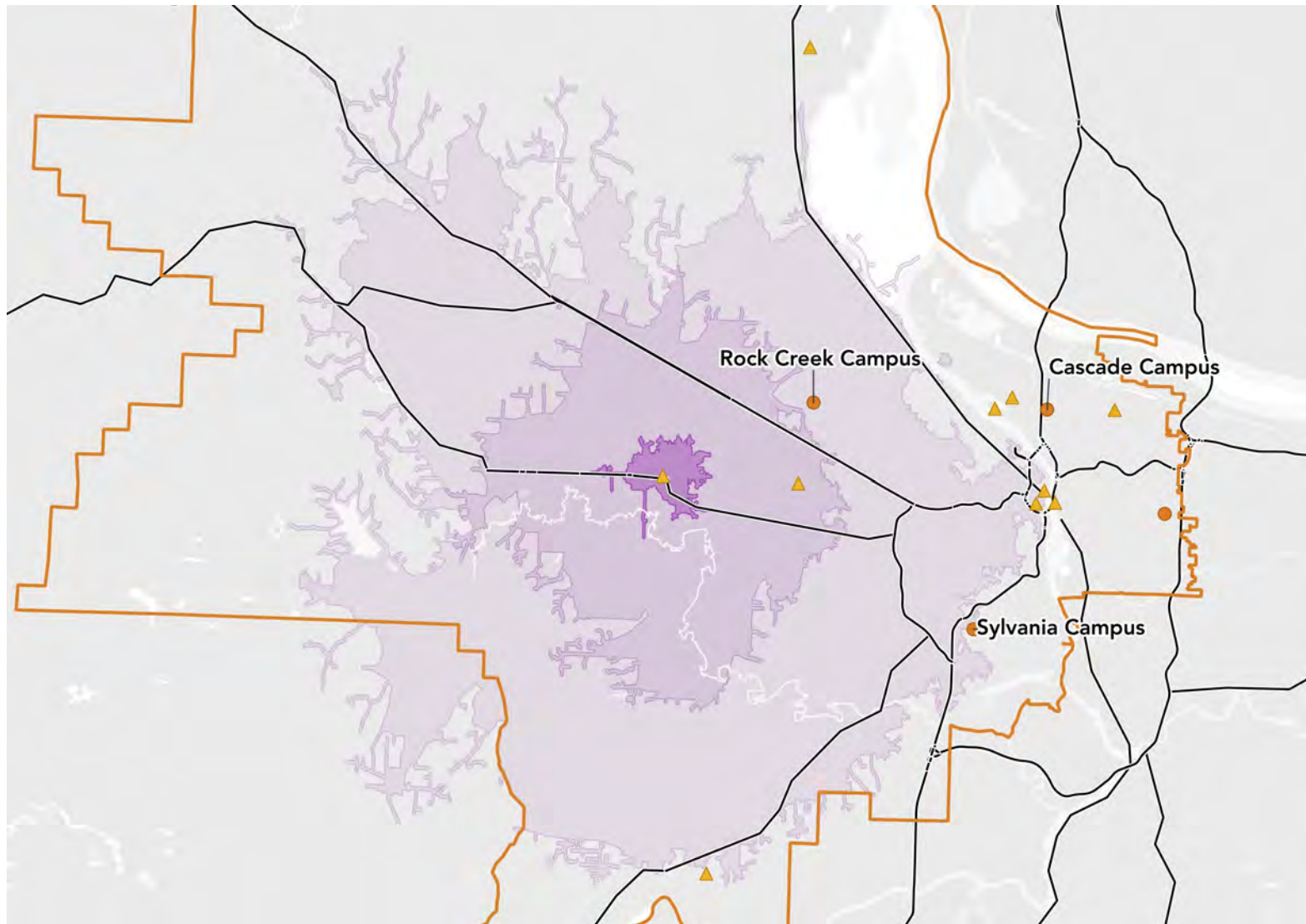
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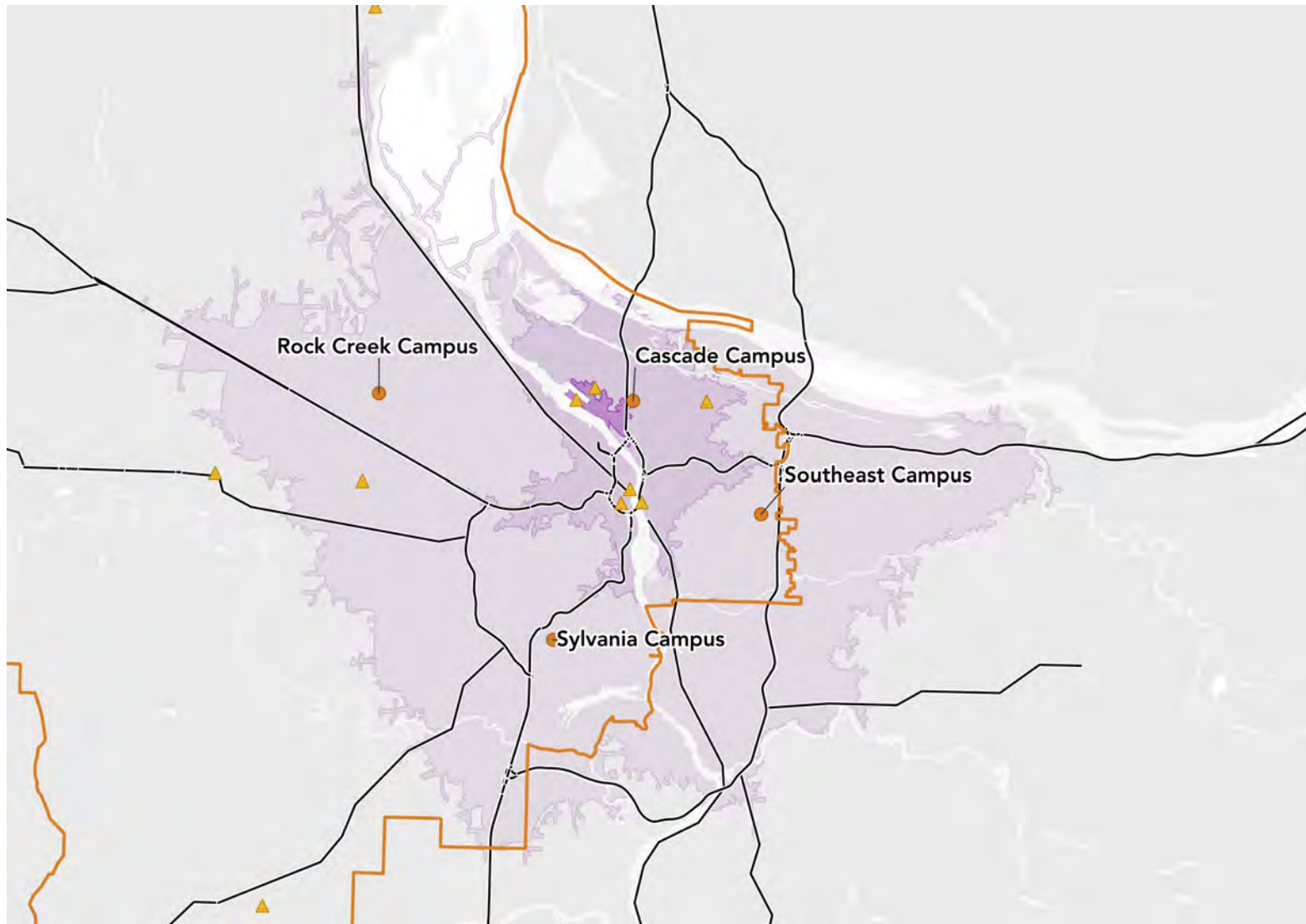
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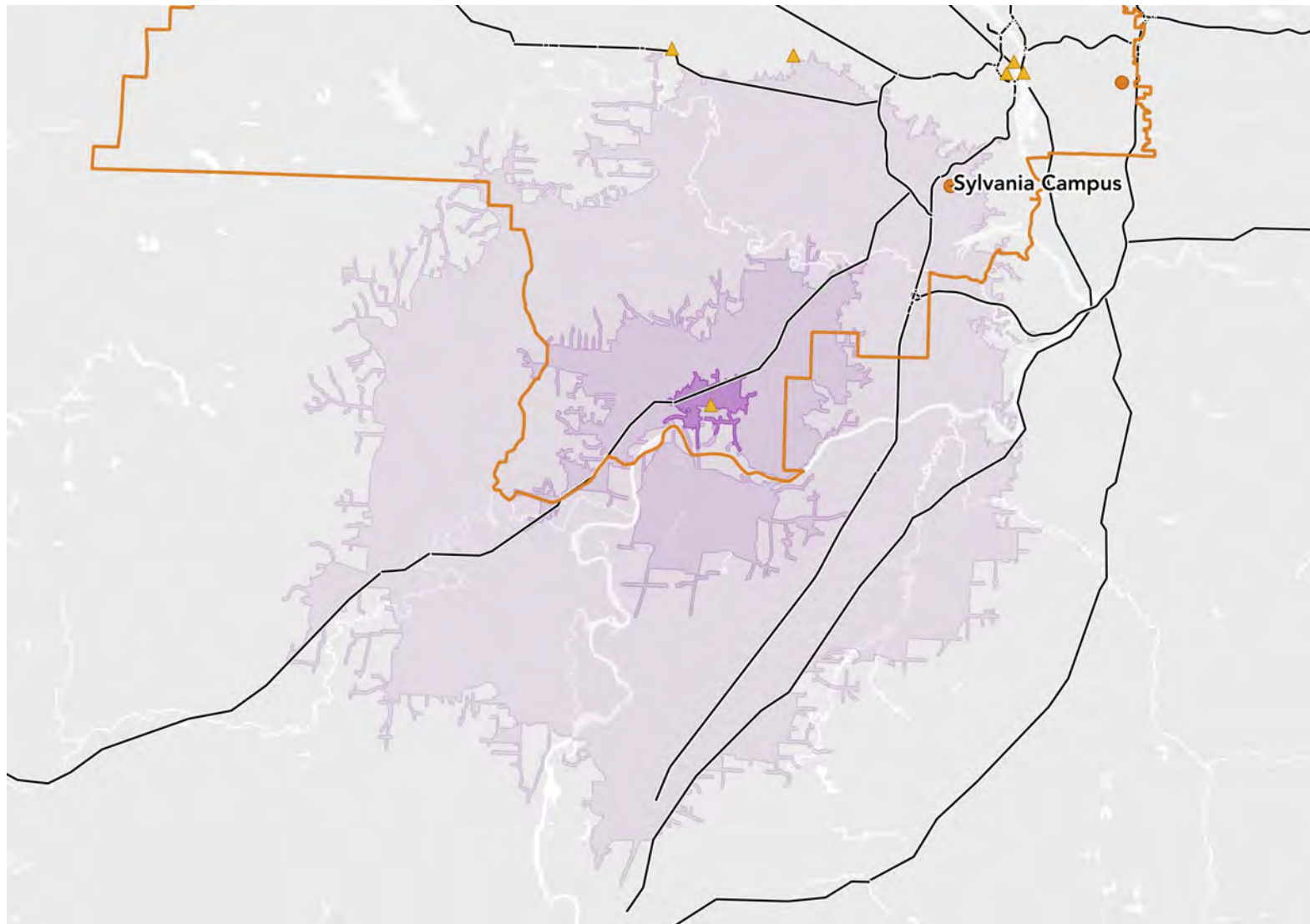
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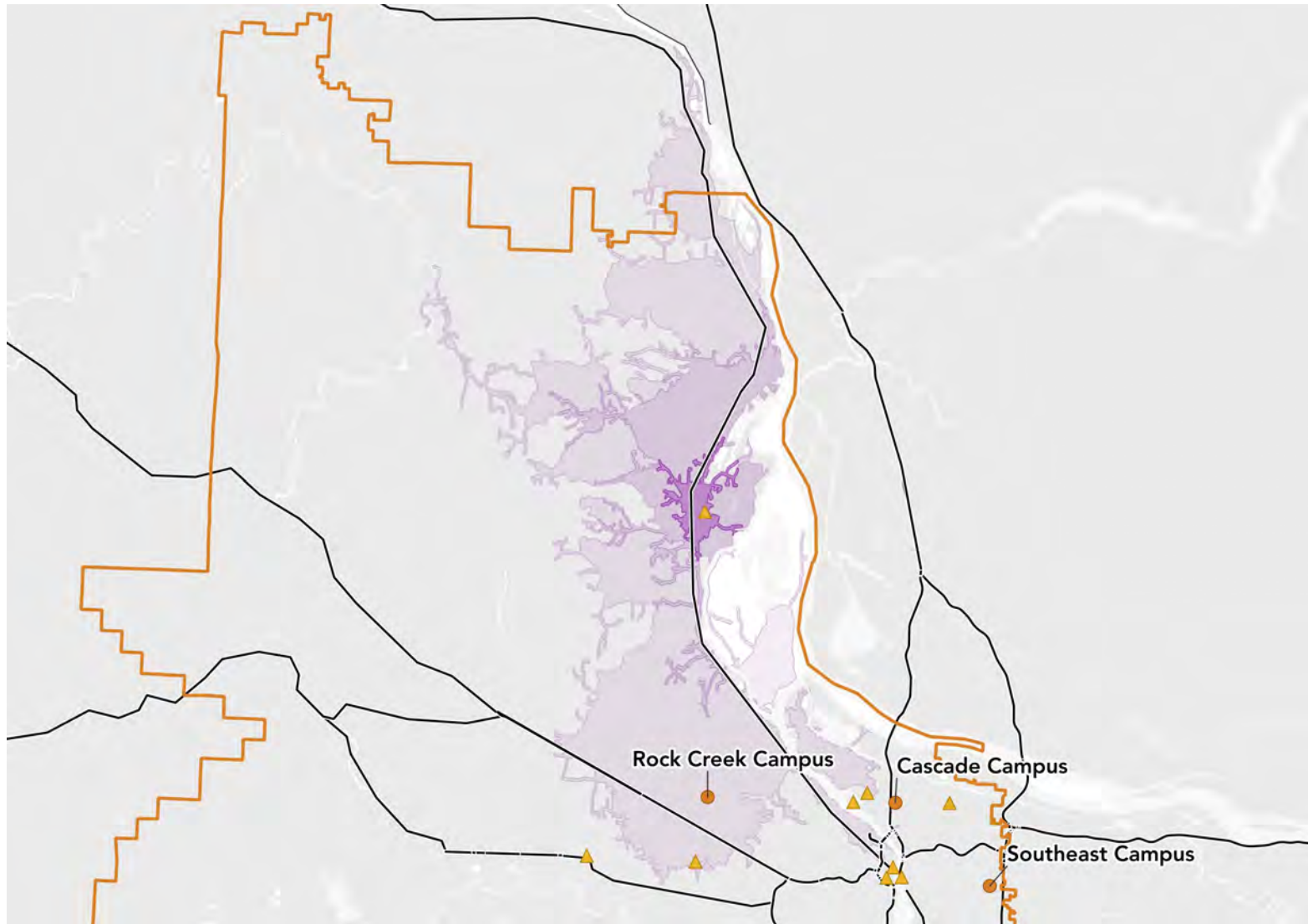


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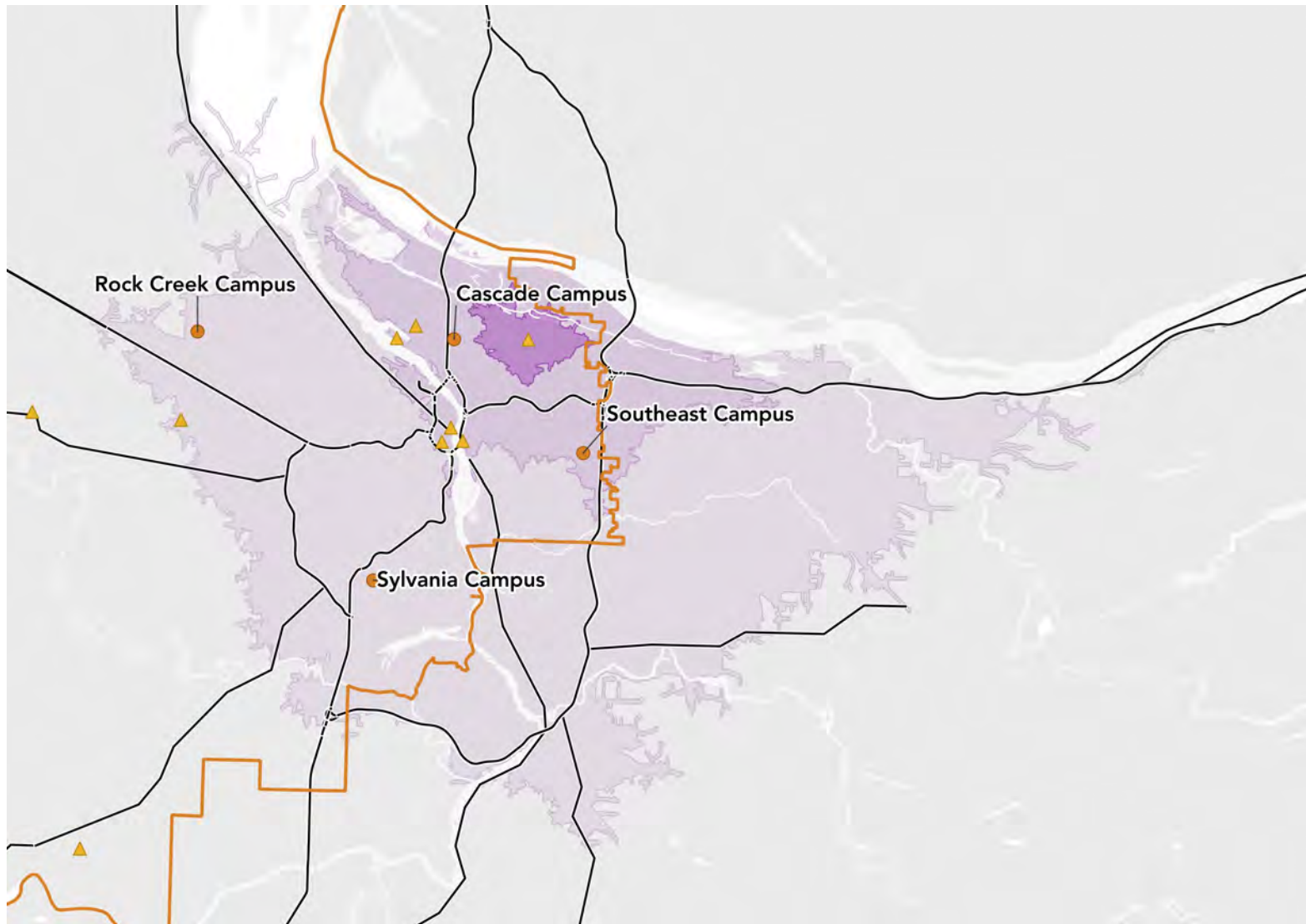
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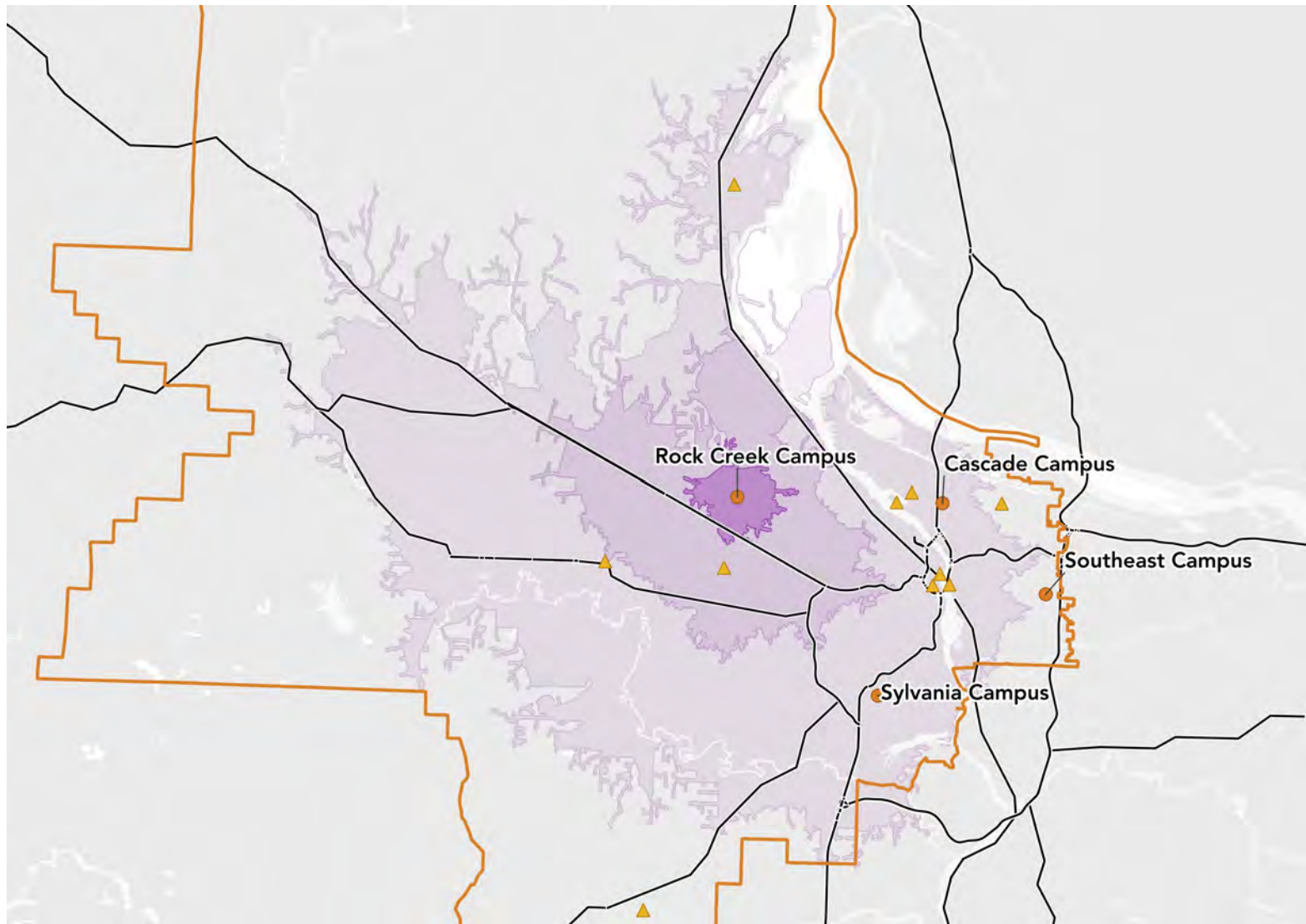
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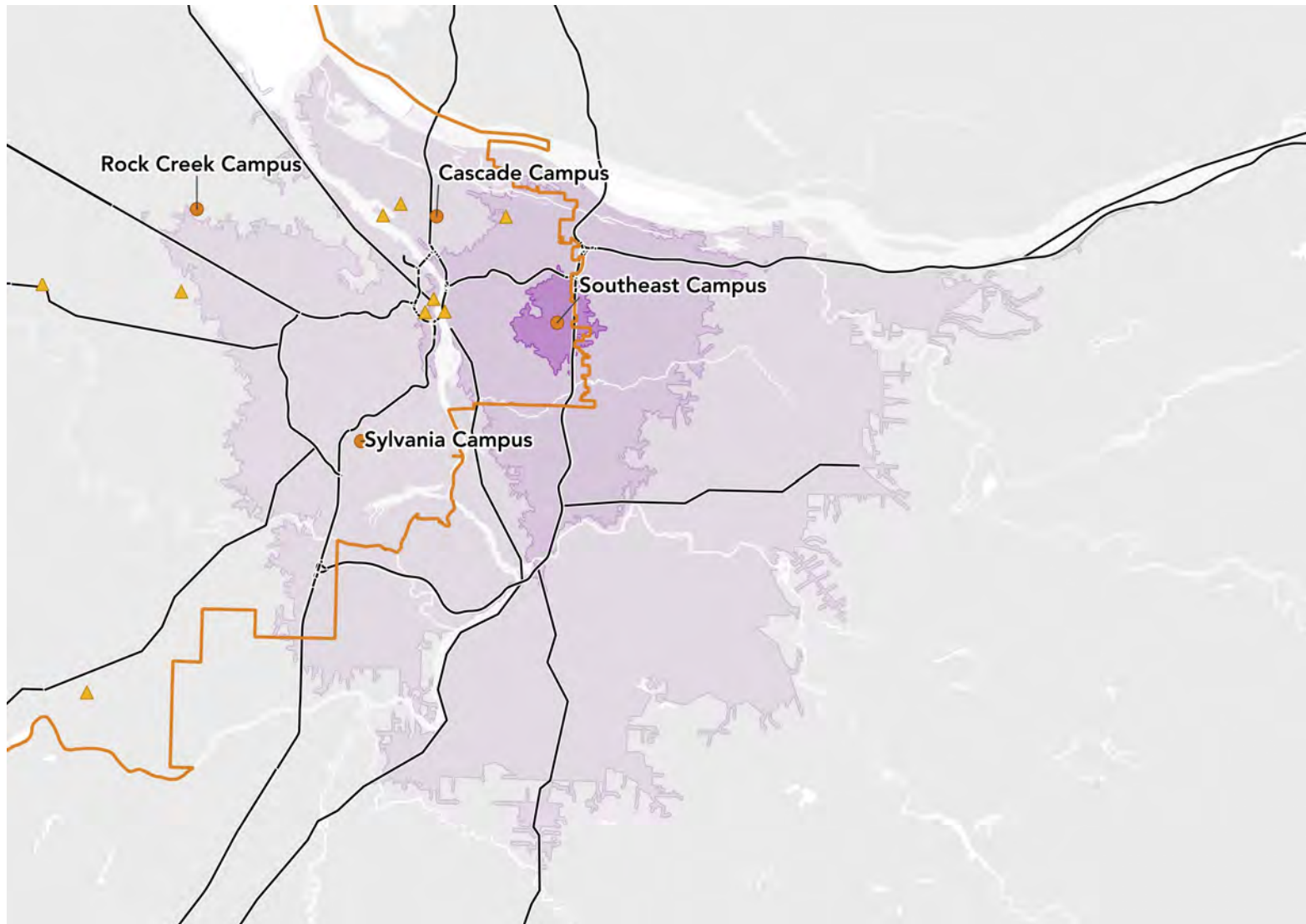


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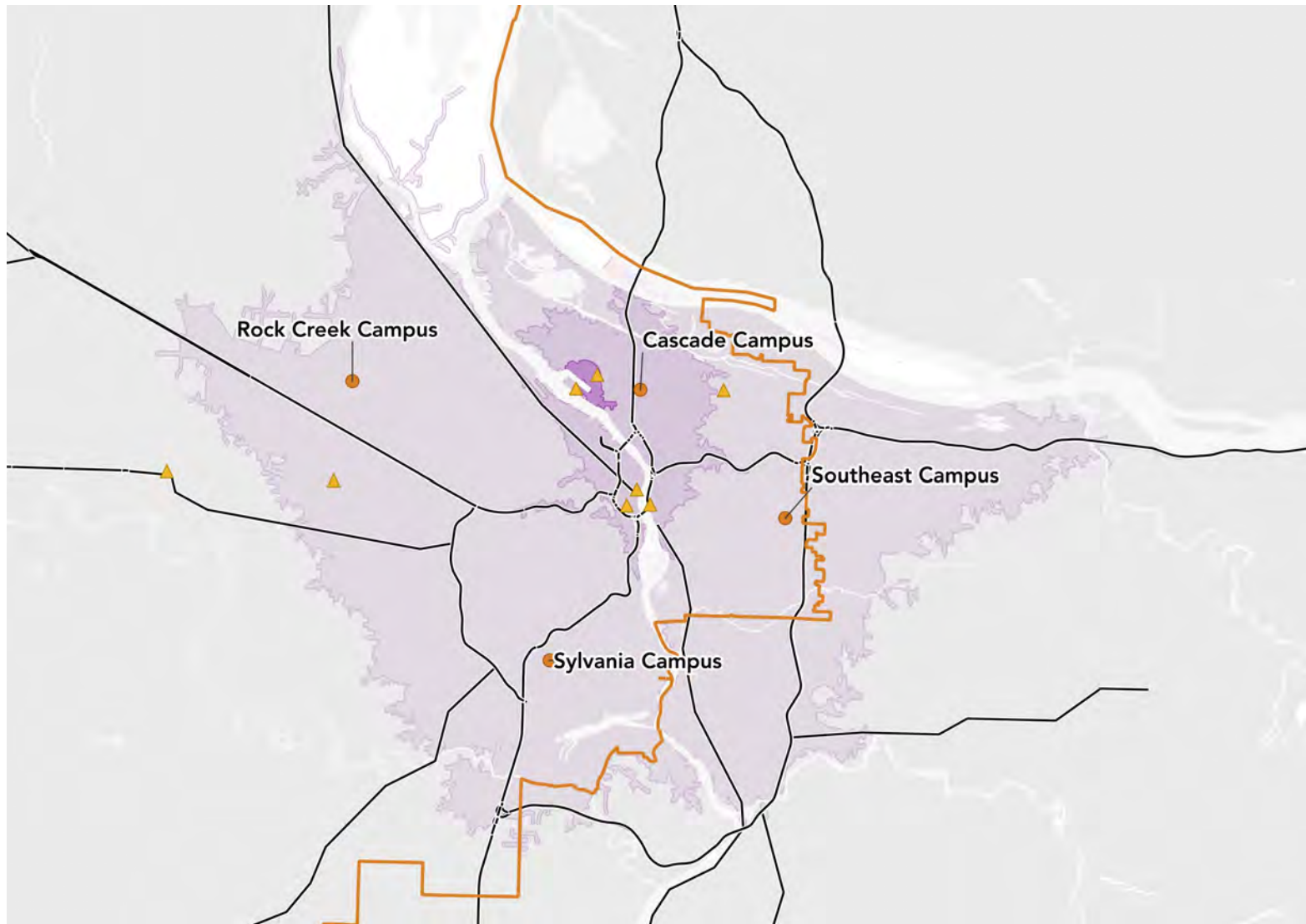
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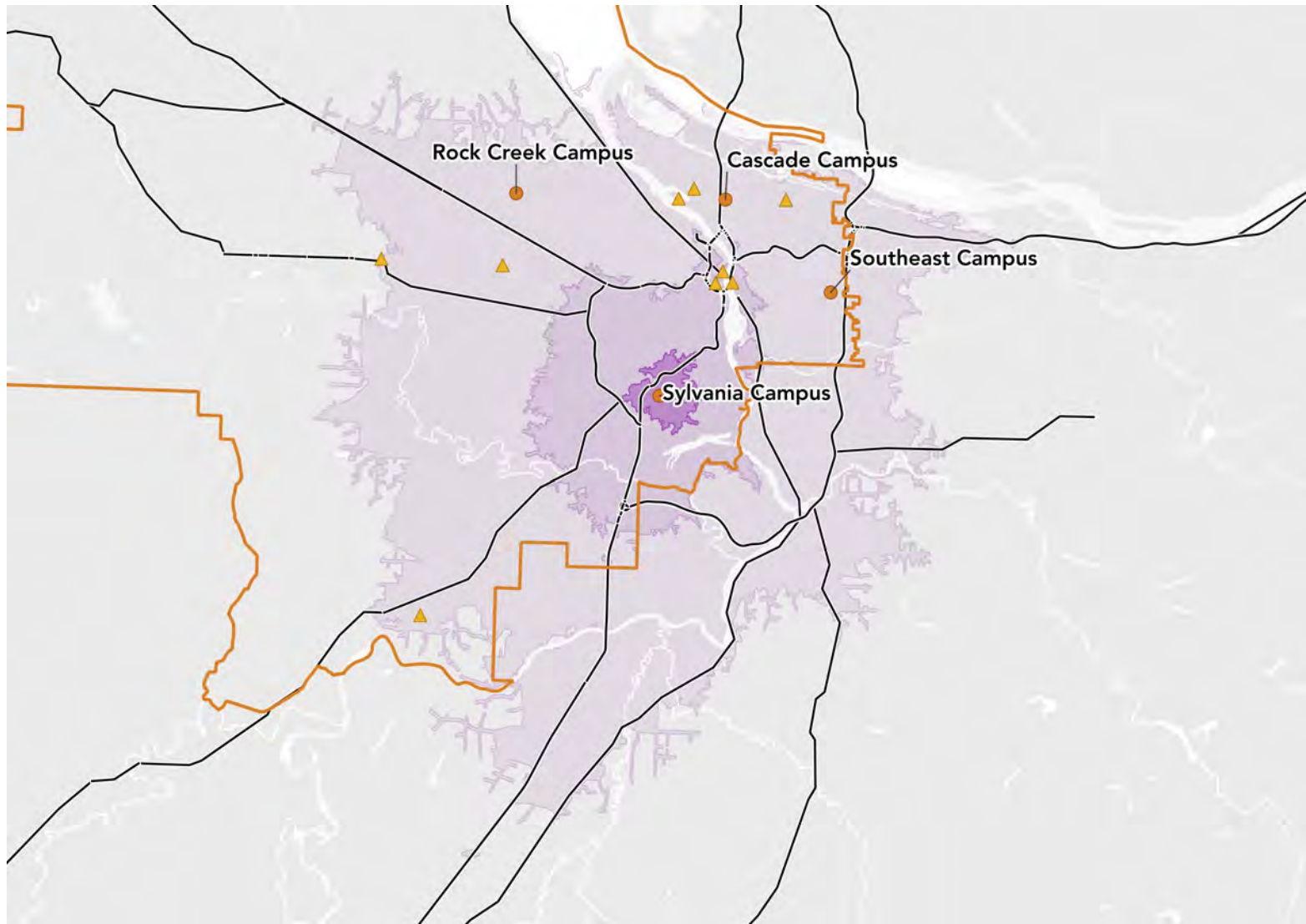
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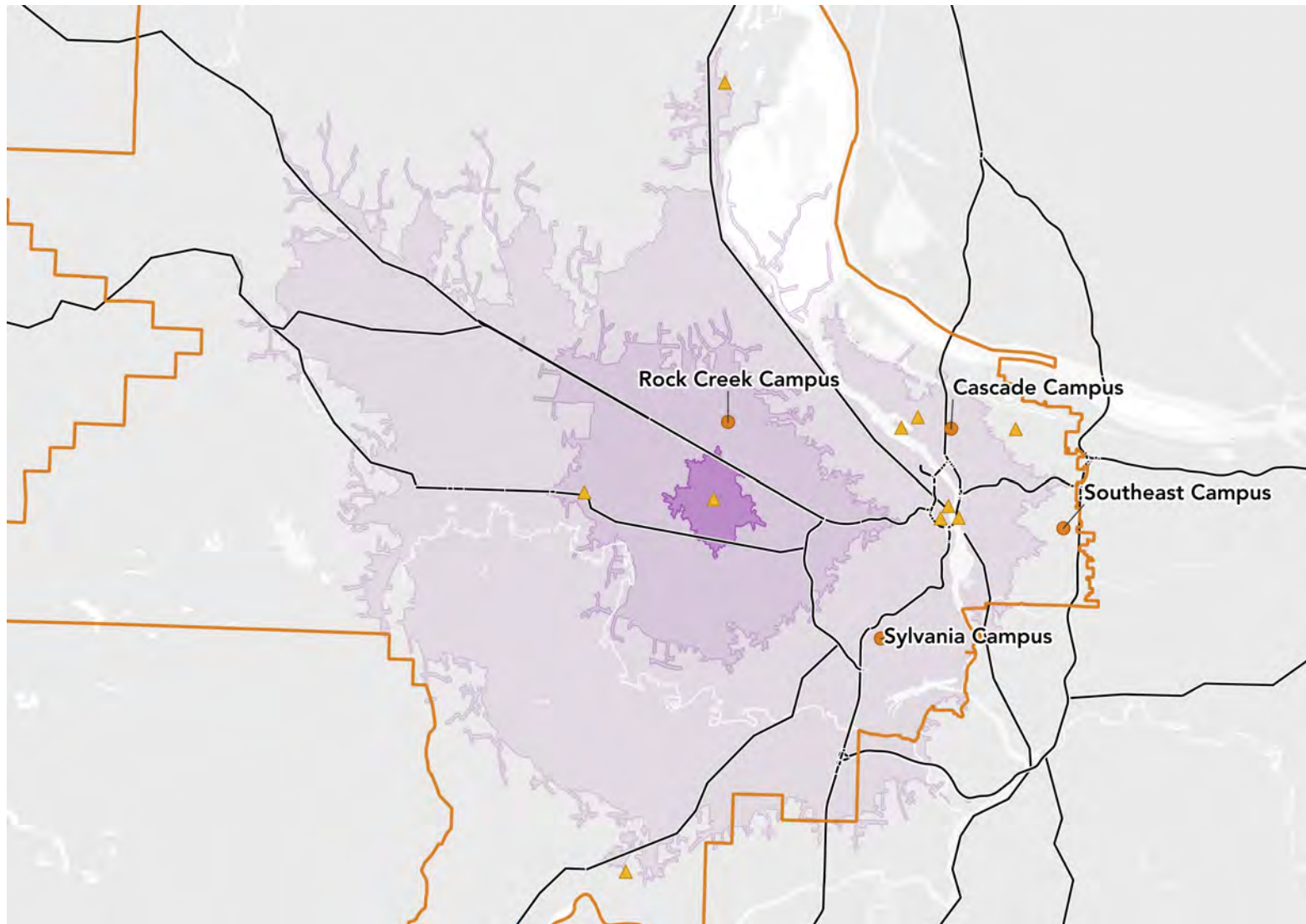
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