

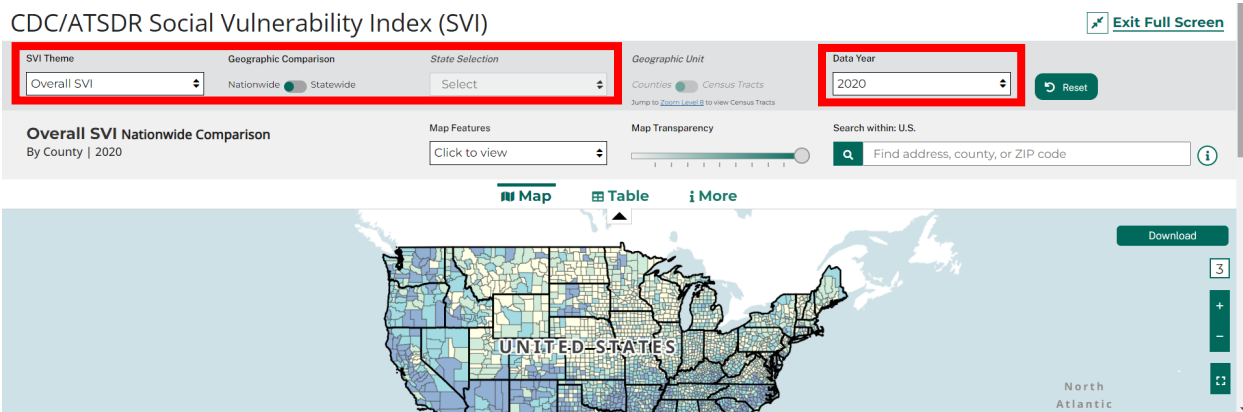
## Social Vulnerability Index - Instructions

Regarding NEORSD's Green Infrastructure Grant Program, follow the steps below to determine your project's Social Vulnerability Index (SVI) score.

### Step 1: Set SVI Theme, Geographic Comparison, State Selection, and Data Year

1. Open the CDC/ATSDR Social Vulnerability Index map tool.
2. Look for the section labeled "**SVI Theme**" and select "Overall SVI" from the options.
3. In the "**Geographic Comparison**" section, choose "Statewide".
4. Find the "**State Selection**" dropdown and pick "Ohio".
5. Locate the "**Data Year**" option and select "2020".

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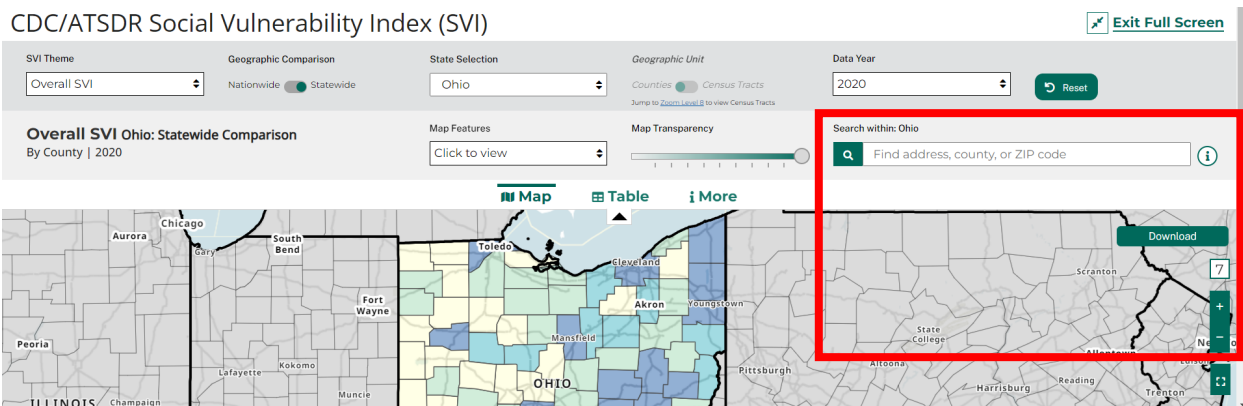


### Step 2: Locate Your Project Area

To find your project location, you have two options:

1. Use the zoom tool on the right side of the screen. Click the "+" to zoom in and the "-" to zoom out.
2. Alternatively, you can directly type the project address in the "**Search within Ohio**" field.

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### Step 3: Set Geographic Unit

1. Once you've found your project area on the map, look for the "**Geographic Unit**" section, then choose "Census Tracts" from the available options.

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SVI Theme: Overall SVI

Geographic Comparison: Nationwide  Statewide

State Selection: Ohio

Geographic Unit: Counties  Census Tracts

Data Year: 2020 [Reset](#)

Overall SVI Ohio: Statewide Comparison  
By Census Tract | 2020

Map Features: Click to view

Map Transparency: [Slider]

Search within: Ohio  
Find address, county, or ZIP code

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### Step 4: Record SVI Score and Create PDF

1. Click on the location of your project site on the map.
2. A box with information will appear. Record the "2020 Statewide Overall SVI Score" provided in this box.
3. Capture a screenshot of this view on your screen.
4. Create a PDF using the screenshot, as this will be uploaded into your Green Infrastructure Grant Program application.

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Census Tract 39035108701,  
Cuyahoga County, Ohio

2020 Statewide Overall SVI Score:  
**0.9892**

Possible scores range from 0 (lowest vulnerability) to 1 (highest vulnerability).  
A score of **0.9892** indicates a **high** level of vulnerability.

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