

Characteristics of Various Urban and Rural Areas

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- ✓ tend to be older areas, with homes closer together and taller buildings
- ✓ very little access to public transportation
- ✓ good access to services
- ✓ a transition zone between the city and the country
- ✓ low population density
- ✓ good public transportation
- ✓ varying population density (depends on the land uses)
- ✓ medium land costs
- ✓ services are located in the urban areas and rural dwellers need to travel
- ✓ higher population density
- ✓ land costs may vary depending on the planned future of development
- ✓ tend to be newer areas with larger homes, spread further apart
- ✓ may have a mix land uses, such as garden nurseries, farms, gas stations
- ✓ medium population density
- ✓ services are located closer to the core, people have to drive to access them
- ✓ access to public transportation, but not a frequent service
- ✓ higher land costs
- ✓ much of the land use is resource based (farms, forests, gravel pits)
- ✓ lower land costs
- ✓ may have some access to public transportation, often does not
- ✓ \good access to services
- ✓ may have some industrial, large commercial land uses

Urban—>Rural Map

