



# Communities of Color and Solid Waste Management in New York City



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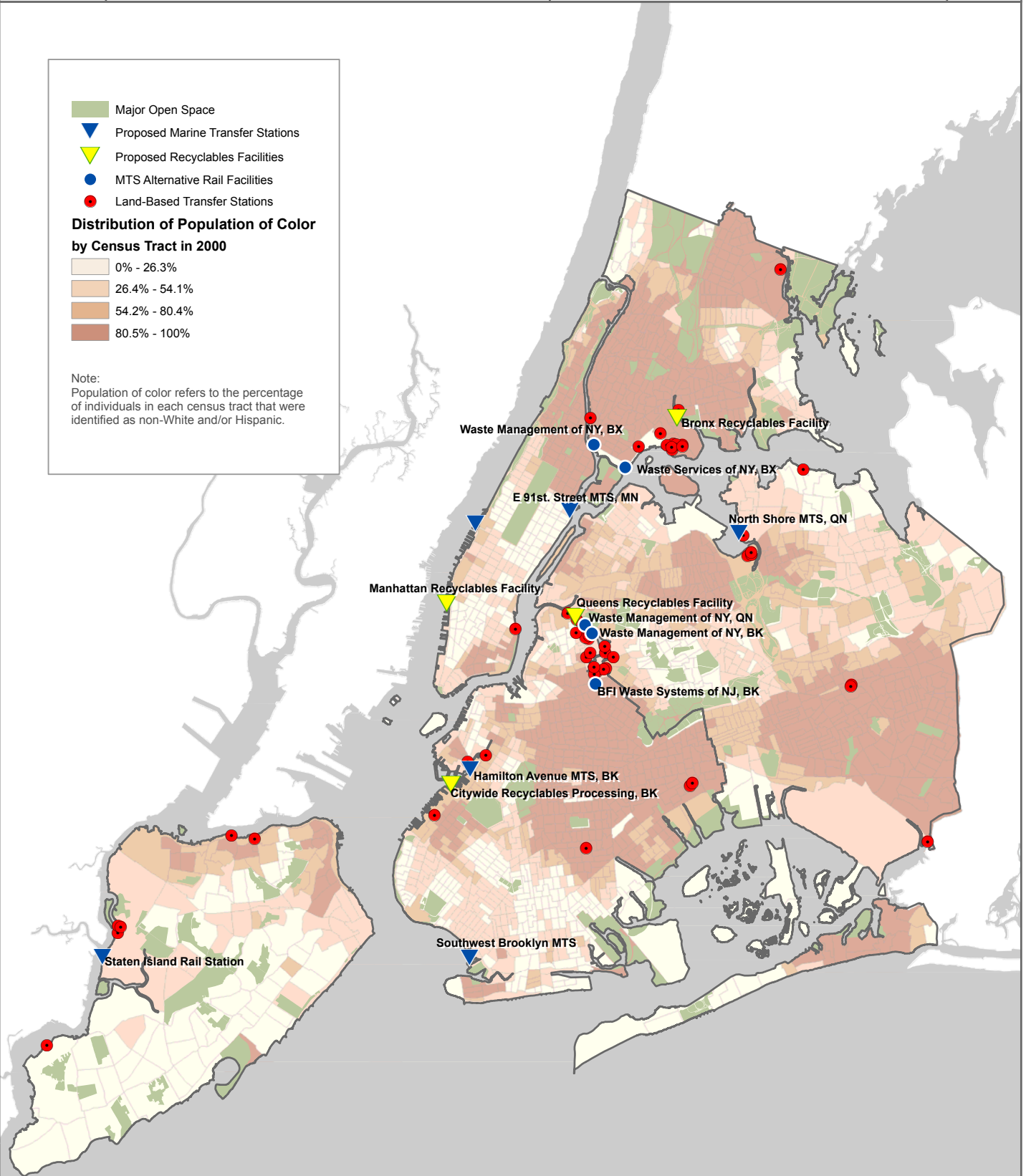
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- Major Open Space
- Proposed Marine Transfer Stations
- Proposed Recyclables Facilities
- MTS Alternative Rail Facilities
- Land-Based Transfer Stations

### Distribution of Population of Color by Census Tract in 2000

- 0% - 26.3%
- 26.4% - 54.1%
- 54.2% - 80.4%
- 80.5% - 100%

Note:  
Population of color refers to the percentage of individuals in each census tract that were identified as non-White and/or Hispanic.



Sources:  
Land/water features and political boundaries from the NYC Department of Information Technology and Telecommunications (DOITT), BYTES of the BIG APPLE, 2006; demographic data from the NYC Department of City Planning (Census 2000); solid waste management data from New York Lawyers for the Public Interest (NYLPI), 2007.