# **Onondaga County Election Districts**

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# *Identification\_Information:*

#### Citation:

*Citation\_Information:* 

Originator: Syracuse-Onondaga County Planning Agency

Publication\_Date: Unpublished Material

Title: Onondaga County Election Districts

Geospatial\_Data\_Presentation\_Form: vector digital data

#### Description:

Abstract:

The Onondaga County Election District geographic dataset was last updated by the Syracuse-Onondaga County

Planning Agency (SOCPA) in May, 2017. The shapefile consists of polygon features representing election districts in

Onondaga County as determined by the Onondaga County Board of Elections (BOE). This dataset was created by

extracting features from the Onondaga County digital street file for use as election district boundaries. Attributes included

for each election district are town name, election district #, town ward #, city ward #, village ward #, Onondaga County

Legislative District #, NYS Assembly District #, NYS Senate District #, and Syracuse Common Council #.

# Purpose:

Suitable for use in a GIS database for the display, query, and identification of election districts and election related data

in Onondaga County.

*Supplemental\_Information:* 

Zone 4826 (Central New York) of the State Plane Coordinate System (NAD83).

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           Time_Period_Information:
                 Single Date/Time:
                       Calendar_Date: 2017
     Currentness_Reference:
         Status:
           publication date
                 Progress: Complete
                 Maintenance and Update Frequency: As needed
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           Place_Keyword: Town of Manlius
           Place_Keyword: Town of Marcellus
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*Place\_Keyword:* Town of Onondaga

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*Place\_Keyword:* Town of Pompey

Place\_Keyword: Town of Salina

Place\_Keyword: Town of Skaneateles

Place\_Keyword: Town of Spafford

Place\_Keyword: Town of Tully

Place\_Keyword: Town of Van Buren

Place\_Keyword: Village of Baldwinsville

Place\_Keyword: Village of North Syracuse

Place\_Keyword: Village of Liverpool

Place\_Keyword: Village of Elbridge

Place\_Keyword: Village of Jordan

Place\_Keyword: Village of Camillus

Place\_Keyword: Village of Solvay

Place\_Keyword: Village of East Syracuse

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Place\_Keyword: Village of Manlius

*Place\_Keyword:* Village of Skaneateles

Place\_Keyword: Village of Marcellus

Place\_Keyword: Village of Tully

Place\_Keyword: Village of Fabius

Place\_Keyword: Onondaga Nation Territory

*Access\_Constraints:* Data is owned by the Syracuse-Onondaga County Planning Agency (SOCPA) and the Onondaga County Board of Elections (BOE).

Data can be obtained from SOCPA upon request.

Use\_Constraints:

May not be sold or redistributed without prior consent from SOCPA or the BOE. This dataset is not official and is intended

for general planning purposes only.

Point\_of\_Contact:

Contact\_Information:

Contact\_Organization\_Primary:

Contact\_Organization: Syracuse-Onondaga County

Planning Agency

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Address\_Type: mailing and physical address

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State\_or\_Province: NY Postal\_Code: 13202

Country: USA

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Native Data Set Environment:

Microsoft Windows XP Version 5.1 (Build 2600) Service Pack 3; ESRI ArcCatalog 9.3.1.3000

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Data\_Quality\_Information:

Logical\_Consistency\_Report:

Generally topologically clean.

Completeness\_Report:

Shapefile consists of polygon features representing all election districts in Onondaga County as of May, 2017. This

dataset has been reviewed for accuracy by the Onondaga County

Board of Elections (BOE) in hard copy form only. As a

result, it is possible that one or more errors may exist in the attribute data. This file is not expected to be updated in the

near future unless election district boundaries are officially changed. *Positional Accuracy:* 

Horizontal\_Positional\_Accuracy: +/- 40 feet

 $Horizontal\_Positional\_Accuracy\_Report:$ 

The election district boundaries in this shapefile are an extract of features selected from the Onondaga County Street

File. As a result, the positional accuracy of the election district dataset should be similar to that of the street file (about +/- 40 feet).

 $Quantitative\_Horizontal\_Positional\_Accuracy\_Assessment:$ 

Horizontal\_Positional\_Accuracy\_Value: +/- 40 feet Horizontal\_Positional\_Accuracy\_Explanation:

No quantitative tests

Lineage:

Process\_Step:

Process\_Description:

The Onondaga County Election District shapefile was created using hard-copy maps as a guide to manually select

linear features from the Onondaga County Street file for export to a new dataset. In most cases, the boundaries

between election districts on the hard-copy maps matched directly with features from the street file. In the few

instances where a boundary was ambiguous, or the same feature was represented by multiple lines in the street

file, the nearest linear feature to the boundary was selected. If no linear features were adjacent to the hard-copy

boundary, a new line was digitized on-screen and added to the election district dataset. After completion of the

boundary export and creation, the lines were converted to polygons using ArcCatalog.

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*Spatial\_Data\_Organization\_Information:* 

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Direct_Spatial_Reference_Method: Vector
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      SDTS_Terms_Description:
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      Point_and_Vector_Object_Count: 435
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Spatial_Reference_Information:
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            Planar:
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                        Scale_Factor_at_Central_Meridian: 0.999938
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Geodetic\_Model:

Horizontal\_Datum\_Name: North American Datum of 1983

Ellipsoid\_Name: Geodetic Reference System 80

Semi-major\_Axis: 6378137.000000

Denominator\_of\_Flattening\_Ratio: 298.257222

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*Entity\_and\_Attribute\_Information:* 

*Detailed\_Description:* 

Entity\_Type:

Entity\_Type\_Label: ELECTD

Attribute:

Attribute\_Label: FID

Attribute\_Definition: Internal feature number.

Attribute\_Definition\_Source: ESRI

Attribute\_Domain\_Values:

*Unrepresentable\_Domain:* Sequential unique whole numbers that are automatically generated.

Attribute:

Attribute Label: OBJECTID

Attribute\_Definition: Internal feature number.

Attribute\_Definition\_Source: Internal feature number.

Attribute\_Domain\_Values: ESRI

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Attribute:

Attribute\_Label: TOWN

Attribute\_Definition: Town name

Attribute:

Attribute\_Label: ELECT\_DIST

Attribute\_Definition: Election district number

Attribute:

Attribute\_Label: TOWN\_WARD

Attribute\_Definition: Town ward number (if applicable)

Attribute:

Attribute\_Label: CITY\_WARD

Attribute\_Definition: City ward number (if applicable)

Attribute:

Attribute\_Label: COUNTY\_LEG

Attribute\_Definition: Onondaga County Legislative District

number

Attribute:

Attribute\_Label: NYS\_ASSEMB

Attribute\_Definition: New York State Assembly District number

Attribute:

Attribute\_Label: NYS\_SENATE

Attribute\_Definition: New York State Senate District number

Attribute:

Attribute\_Label: CITY\_CC

Attribute\_Definition: City of Syracuse Common Council District number (if applicable)

Attribute:

Attribute\_Label: Shape

Attribute\_Definition: Feature geometry. Attribute\_Definition\_Source: ESRI

Attribute\_Domain\_Values:

*Unrepresentable\_Domain:* Coordinates defining the features.

Attribute:

Attribute\_Label: VILL\_WARD

Attribute\_Definition: Village Ward Number (Solvay)

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Distribution\_Information:

Distributor:

Contact\_Information:

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Distribution\_Liability:

Onondaga County makes no warranty as to the accuracy or completeness of the County's Election District file, and

will not be held responsible for any omissions or inaccuracies.

Digital\_Form:

*Digital\_Transfer\_Information:* 

Transfer\_Size: 1.238

*Ordering\_Instructions:* 

Contact the Syracuse-Onondaga County Planning Agency or the Onondaga County Board of Elections.

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Metadata\_Date: 20170501

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*Metadata\_Standard\_Name:* FGDC Content Standards for Digital Geospatial Metadata

Metadata\_Standard\_Version: FGDC-STD-001-1998

Metadata\_Time\_Convention: local time

Metadata Extensions:

Profile Name: ESRI Metadata Profile

Metadata Extensions:

Online\_Linkage: http://www.esri.com/metadata/esriprof80.

html

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