



NEWTON'S CHANGING HISTORIC FABRIC

This is a 2016 update of the 2011 map with the same title in the Newton Community Preservation Committee's *Community Atlas*.

Both maps show that most of Newton's buildings are old enough to be considered historic. But remodeling & demolition – both of which require demolition permits – are slowly replacing older, smaller, more affordable homes with larger, less affordable ones. Is this a problem?

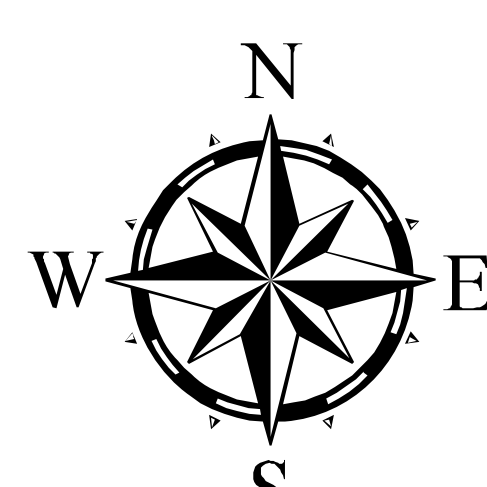
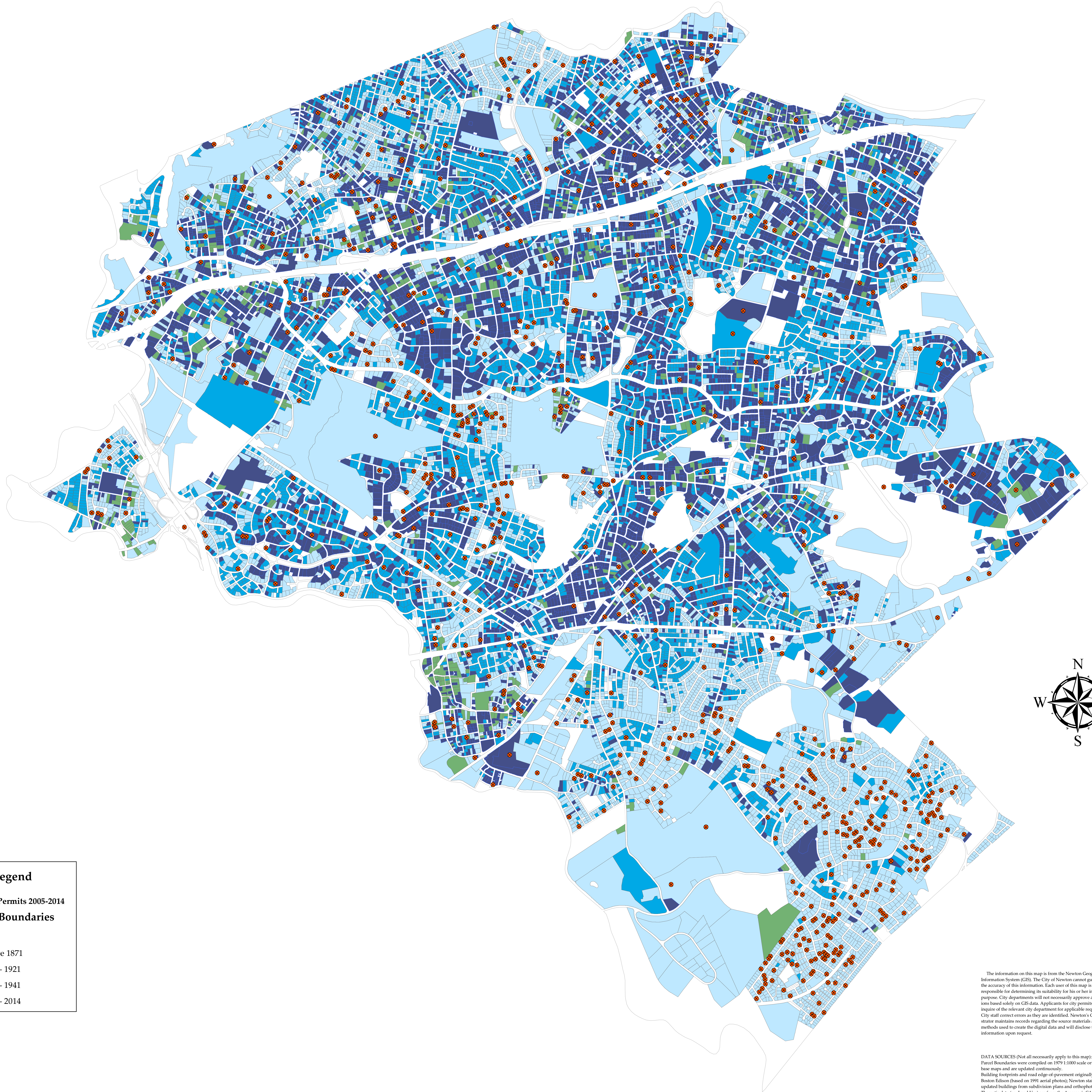
NOTES The City data mapped here do not distinguish partial from full demolitions, and reflect the age of new buildings, not the age of buildings they replaced.

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Demo Permits and Year of Construction

City of Newton, Massachusetts



Legend

- Demo Permits 2005-2014

Property Boundaries

Year Built

- Before 1871
- 1872 - 1921
- 1922 - 1941
- 1942 - 2014

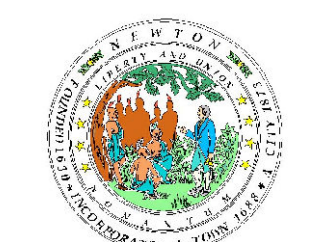
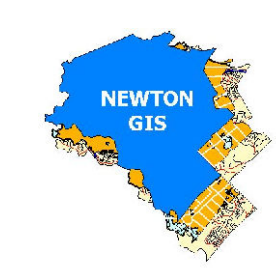
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DATA SOURCES (Not all necessarily apply to this map):
Parcel Boundaries were compiled on 1979 1:1000 scale orthophoto base maps and are updated continuously.
Building footprints and road edge-of-pavement originally from Boston Edison (based on 1991 aerial photos); Newton staff have updated buildings from subdivision plans and orthophotography.
Thematic data (eg. Land Use) are from the Assessor's CAMA data base.



Map Scale: 1 inch = 1000 Feet

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