

### Public Safety: Data builds wisdom

Data Day

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## Mayor's Office on Criminal Justice

#### VISION

to provide residents of Baltimore City a safer, healthier and stronger community. We operate from a belief that efforts to reduce crime and delinquency, eradicate gang involvement, diminish the drug trade, and address the collateral consequence of system involvement will work only if they are coordinated through city government in collaboration with state and federal officials, faith and community-based partners and impacted persons.



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#### RESPONSIBILITIES

- Coordinating criminal justice strategies within Baltimore City agencies
- Forming partnerships with state and federal agencies, community groups, non-profits, and others to address crime and criminal justice issues
- Assisting residents who are in need of support due to their delinquency or criminal background
- Administering funds and programs that engage stakeholders in enforcement and community crime prevention activities



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#### **OUR EFFORTS**

- Community Initiatives
- Violent Crime Reduction Enhancement Initiative
- Survivor Services
- Juvenile Justice



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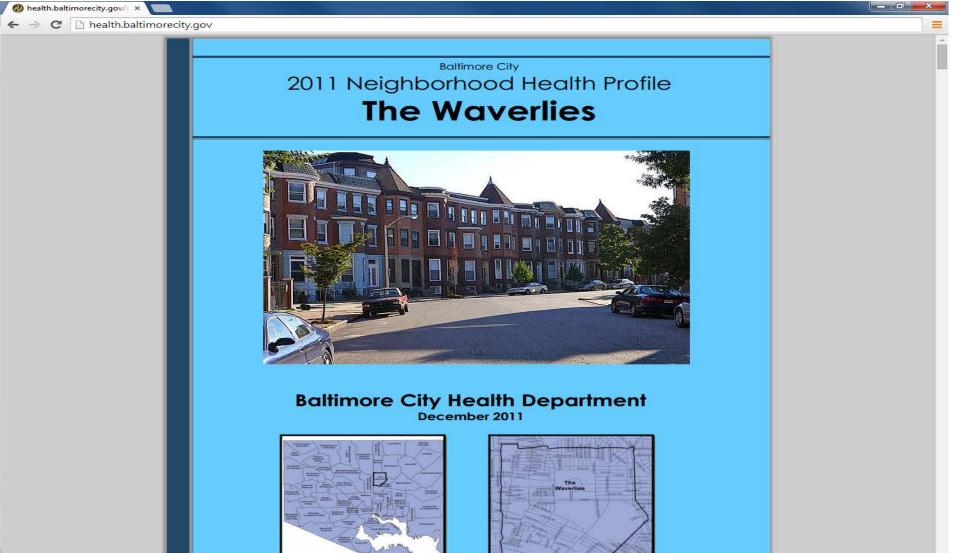


# Today's session: BPD Officer Marsh





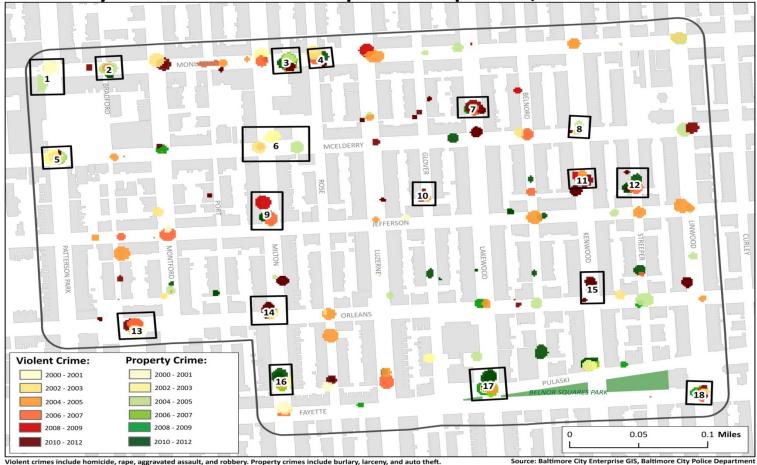
# Today's session: BCHD Jonathan Gross





# Today's session: MPRC Ernest Smith

McElderry Park Part 1 Crime Hotspot Overlap Areas, 2000-2012



Map created by BNIA-JFI, 2013



# Data: Building Wisdom

"We can make an effort, as Martin Luther King did, to understand and to comprehend, and replace that violence, that stain of bloodshed that has spread across our land, with an effort to understand, compassion and love.... What we need in the United States is not division; what we need in the United States is not hatred; what we need in the United States is not violence and lawlessness, but is love and wisdom, and compassion toward one another, and a feeling of justice toward those who still suffer within our country." - Robert F. Kennedy