

Notebook 4

Project: "Intra-Regional Migration and Transportation in New York Metro Area"

Due to the large data our team is working with, there are a total of four notebooks submitted for this midterm (two from each team member)

I also outlined the notebook into the Table of Content

Research Questions

- Q1: On the county level, did housing costs change between 2014 and 2018? If so, what county experience increase in housing price? And what county experience decrease in housing price?
 - Expected Exploration:
 - We expect to explore and analyze the housing value data in New York Metro Region on the county level in 2014 and 2018.
 - We expect to compare the housing value between the two years on the county level to find out changes in housing value.
 - We hope to capture the geographic shift of housing value if there was any change.
 - We expect to create maps and charts to visually represent our findings of housing value comparison in 2014 and 2018.
- Q2: On the county level, did housing affordability change bewteen 2014 and 2018? If so, what county experience increase in housing afforability? And what county experience decrease in housing affordability?
 - Expected Exploration:
 - We expect to capture changes of housing affordability in the New York Metro Area on the county level between 2014 and 2018 by exploring and analyzing the housing affordability data.
 - We expect to create maps and charts to visually represent our findings of housing affordability comparison in 2014 and 2018.
- Purpose of this notebook: I conducted data exploration and analysis of the New York Metro Area housing affordability and value data in 2014 and 2018. I used the ACS 5-year data from 2010 to 2014, and from 2014 to 2018. I created bar graphs with `plotly.express` to compare housing values and affordability in counties across NYMA between 2014 and 2018.

Data sources

1. 2010-2014 5-Years ACS: <https://www.census.gov/acs/www/data/data-tables-and-tools/data-profiles/2014/>
[\(https://www.census.gov/acs/www/data/data-tables-and-tools/data-profiles/2014/\)](https://www.census.gov/acs/www/data/data-tables-and-tools/data-profiles/2014/)

2. 2014-2018 5-Years ACS: <https://www.census.gov/acs/www/data/data-tables-and-tools/data-profiles/2018/>
[\(https://www.census.gov/acs/www/data/data-tables-and-tools/data-profiles/2018/\)](https://www.census.gov/acs/www/data/data-tables-and-tools/data-profiles/2018/)

Importing libraries

```
In [1]: 1 #import Libraries  
2 import pandas as pd  
3 import geopandas as gpd  
4 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt  
5 import plotly.express as px
```

Data Exploration of Housing Affordability in 2014 and 2018

Data exploration of 2014 housing affordability data

```
In [2]: 1 #use .read_csv command to import 2014 ACS survey housing affordability data  
2 hao2014 = pd.read_csv('hao2014.csv')
```

```
In [3]: 1 #Look at the frist 5 rows of the dataset  
2 hao2014.head()
```

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```
In [4]: 1 #drop the first row (row 0)  
2 hao2014 = hao2014.drop([0])
```

```
In [5]: 1 #check datatypes and columns  
2 hao2014.dtypes
```

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```
In [6]: 1 #convert FIPS from object to integer so that I can merge the 2014 housing affordability dataframe with counti  
2 hao2014['FIPS'] = hao2014['FIPS'].astype(str).astype(int)  
3 hao2014.dtypes
```

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Data exploration of 2018 housing affordability data

```
In [7]: 1 #import 2018 ACS survey housing affordability data  
2 hao2018 = pd.read_csv('hao2018.csv')
```

```
In [8]: 1 #Looking at the first 5 rows of the dataframe  
2 hao2018.head()
```

...

```
In [9]: 1 #drop the first row (row 0)  
2 hao2018 = hao2018.drop([0])
```

```
In [10]: 1 #check datatypes  
2 hao2018.dtypes
```

...

```
In [11]: 1 #convert FIPS from object to integer so that I can merge the 2018 housing affordability dataframe with counti  
2 hao2018['FIPS'] = hao2018['FIPS'].astype(str).astype(int)  
3 hao2018.dtypes
```

...

```
In [12]: 1 list(hao2018)
```

...

In [13]:

```
1 hao2018.columns=[ 'GEO_ID',
2   'NAME',
3   'FIPS',
4   'DP04_0080E',
5   'DP04_0081E',
6   'DP04_0081PE',
7   'DP04_0082E',
8   'DP04_0082PE',
9   'DP04_0083E',
10  'DP04_0083PE',
11  'DP04_0084E',
12  'DP04_0084PE',
13  'DP04_0085E',
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15  'DP04_0086E',
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32  'DP04_0098PE',
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35  'DP04_0100E',
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37  'DP04_0098E.1',
38  'DP04_0098PE.1',
39  'DP04_0099E.1',
40  'DP04_0099PE.1',
41  'DP04_0100E.1',
42  'DP04_0100PE.1',
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43 | 'DP04_0102E',
44 | 'DP04_0103E',
45 | 'DP04_0103PE',
46 | 'DP04_0104E',
47 | 'DP04_0104PE',
48 | 'DP04_0105E',
49 | 'DP04_0105PE',
50 | 'DP04_0106E',
51 | 'DP04_0106PE',
52 | 'DP04_0107E',
53 | 'DP04_0107PE',
54 | 'DP04_0108E_y',
55 | 'DP04_0108PE_y',
56 | 'DP04_0109E_y',
57 | 'DP04_0110E_y',
58 | 'DP04_0110PE_y',
59 | 'DP04_0111E_y',
60 | 'DP04_0111PE_y',
61 | 'DP04_0112E_y',
62 | 'DP04_0112PE_y',
63 | 'DP04_0113E_y',
64 | 'DP04_0113PE_y',
65 | 'DP04_0114E_y',
66 | 'DP04_0114PE_y',
67 | 'DP04_0115E_y',
68 | 'DP04_0115PE_y',
69 | 'DP04_0116E_y',
70 | 'DP04_0117E_y',
71 | 'DP04_0120E_y',
72 | 'DP04_0120PE_y',
73 | 'DP04_0121E',
74 | 'DP04_0121PE',
75 | 'DP04_0122E',
76 | 'DP04_0122PE',
77 | 'DP04_0123E',
78 | 'DP04_0123PE',
79 | 'DP04_0124E',
80 | 'DP04_0124PE',
81 | 'DP04_0125E',
82 | 'DP04_0126E',
83 | 'DP04_0127E',
84 | 'DP04_0127PE',
85 | 'DP04_0128E',
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86 'DP04_0128PE',
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90 'DP04_0130PE',
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96 'DP04_0133PE',
97 'DP04_0134E',
98 'DP04_0135E',
99 'Unnamed: 98',
100 'DP04_0137E',
101 'DP04_0137PE',
102 'DP04_0138E',
103 'DP04_0138PE',
104 'DP04_0139E',
105 'DP04_0139PE',
106 'DP04_0140E',
107 'DP04_0140PE',
108 'DP04_0141E',
109 'DP04_0141PE',
110 'DP04_0142E',
111 'DP04_0142PE',
112 'DP04_0143E']
```

Data analysis of the housing affordability data in 2014 and 2018

In [14]:

```
1 #import county boundary data set
2 tracts=gpd.read_file('NYMRCB/counties.shp')
3 tracts.head()
```

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In [15]:

```
1 #check if the format of statefp column is same
2 tracts.statefp.unique
```

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```
In [16]: 1 #check if the format of countyfp column is same  
2 tracts.countyfp.unique
```

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```
In [17]: 1 #I noticed there are two rows with "-" between numbers, drop them to combine statefp and countyfp  
2 tracts = tracts.drop(7)  
3 tracts = tracts.drop(32)
```

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In [62]: 1 #make a new column "FIPS" by combining statefp and countyfp  
2 tracts["FIPS"] = tracts["statefp"] + tracts["countyfp"]  
3 #transform FIPS into an integer to merge with hao2014 and hao2018  
4 tracts["FIPS"] = tracts["FIPS"].astype(str).astype(int)  
5 tracts.head
```

...

```
In [19]: 1 #merge tracts with hao2018 on FIPS plot it on the map  
2 tracts2014=tracts.merge(hao2014,on="FIPS")  
3 pd.set_option('display.max_columns', None)  
4 tracts2014.head()
```

...

```
In [20]: 1 #merge the county boundary dataframe with 2018 housing affordability dataframe on FIPS  
2 tracts2018=tracts.merge(hao2018,on="FIPS")  
3 pd.set_option('display.max_columns', None)  
4 tracts2018.head()
```

...

```
In [21]: 1 #convert the data type of columns in 2014 housing affordability dataframe from object to integers for mapping
2 tracts2014["DP04_0109E"] =tracts2014["DP04_0109E"].astype(str).astype(int)
3 tracts2014["DP04_0109PE"] =tracts2014["DP04_0109PE"].astype(float).astype(int)
4 tracts2014["DP04_0110E"] =tracts2014["DP04_0110E"].astype(str).astype(int)
5 tracts2014["DP04_0110PE"] =tracts2014["DP04_0110PE"].astype(float).astype(int)
6 tracts2014["DP04_0111E"] =tracts2014["DP04_0111E"].astype(float).astype(int)
7 tracts2014["DP04_0111PE"] =tracts2014["DP04_0111PE"].astype(float).astype(int)
8 tracts2014["DP04_0112E"] =tracts2014["DP04_0112E"].astype(float).astype(int)
9 tracts2014["DP04_0112PE"] =tracts2014["DP04_0112PE"].astype(float).astype(int)
10 tracts2014["DP04_0113E"] =tracts2014["DP04_0113E"].astype(float).astype(int)
11 tracts2014["DP04_0113PE"] =tracts2014["DP04_0113PE"].astype(float).astype(int)
12 tracts2014["DP04_0114E"] =tracts2014["DP04_0114E"].astype(float).astype(int)
```

```
In [22]: 1 #convert the data type of columns in 2018 housing affordability dataframe from object to integers for mapping
2 tracts2018["DP04_0111E_y"] =tracts2018["DP04_0111E_y"].astype(str).astype(int)
3 tracts2018["DP04_0111PE_y"] =tracts2018["DP04_0111PE_y"].astype(float).astype(int)
4 tracts2018["DP04_0112E_y"] =tracts2018["DP04_0112E_y"].astype(str).astype(int)
5 tracts2018["DP04_0112PE_y"] =tracts2018["DP04_0112PE_y"].astype(float).astype(int)
6 tracts2018["DP04_0113E_y"] =tracts2018["DP04_0113E_y"].astype(float).astype(int)
7 tracts2018["DP04_0113PE_y"] =tracts2018["DP04_0113PE_y"].astype(float).astype(int)
8 tracts2018["DP04_0114E_y"] =tracts2018["DP04_0114E_y"].astype(float).astype(int)
9 tracts2018["DP04_0114PE_y"] =tracts2018["DP04_0114PE_y"].astype(float).astype(int)
10 tracts2018["DP04_0115E_y"] =tracts2018["DP04_0115E_y"].astype(float).astype(int)
11 tracts2018["DP04_0115PE_y"] =tracts2018["DP04_0115PE_y"].astype(float).astype(int)
12 tracts2018["DP04_0116E_y"] =tracts2018["DP04_0116E_y"].astype(float).astype(int)
```

Mapping 2014 and 2018 housing affordability in NYMA

In [23]:

```
1 #plot 2014 SMOCAPI across counties in the NYMA region on the map
2 fig, axs = plt.subplots(nrows=3, ncols=2, figsize=(15, 12)) #3 rows and 2 columns
3 (ax1, ax2), (ax3, ax4), (ax5, ax6) = axs
4
5 tracts2014.plot(
6     figsize=(15,12),
7     cmap='Blues',
8     ax=ax1,
9     column='DP04_0109PE',
10    legend = True,
11    edgecolor="Black",
12    alpha=0.6
13 )
14 ax1.set_title("SMOCAPI less than 20%")
15
16 tracts2014.plot(
17     figsize=(15, 12),
18     ax=ax2,
19     cmap='Blues',
20     column='DP04_0110PE',
21     legend = True,
22     edgecolor="Black",
23     alpha=0.6
24 )
25 ax2.set_title("SMOCAPI between 20% to 24.9%")
26
27 tracts2014.plot(
28     figsize=(15, 12),
29     cmap='Blues',
30     column='DP04_0111PE',
31     legend = True,
32     ax=ax3,
33     edgecolor="Black",
34     alpha=0.6
35 )
36 ax3.set_title("SMOCAPI between 25% to 29.99%")
37
38 tracts2014.plot(
39     figsize=(15, 12),
40     cmap='Blues',
41     column='DP04_0112PE',
42     legend = True,
```

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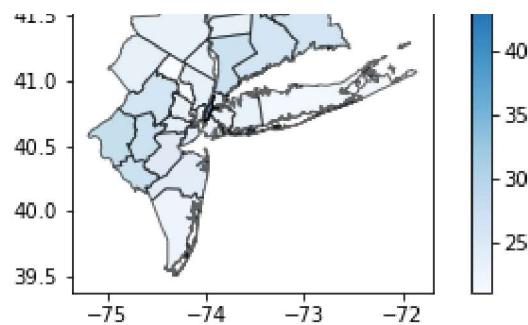
43     ax=ax4,
44     edgecolor="Black",
45     alpha=0.6
46 )
47 ax4.set_title("SMOCPI between 30% to 34.99%")
48
49 tracts2014.plot(
50     figsize=(15, 12),
51     cmap='Blues',
52     column='DP04_0113PE',
53     legend = True,
54     ax=ax5,
55     edgecolor="Black",
56     alpha=0.6
57 )
58 ax5.set_title("SMOCPI greater than 35%")
59
60 tracts2014.plot(
61     figsize=(15, 12),
62     cmap='Blues',
63     column='DP04_0114E',
64     legend = True,
65     ax=ax6,
66     edgecolor="Black",
67     alpha=0.6
68 )
69 ax6.set_title("SMOCPI not computed")
70
71
72 fig.suptitle('2014: Selected Monthly Owner Costs as A Percentage of Household Income-housing units with mor-

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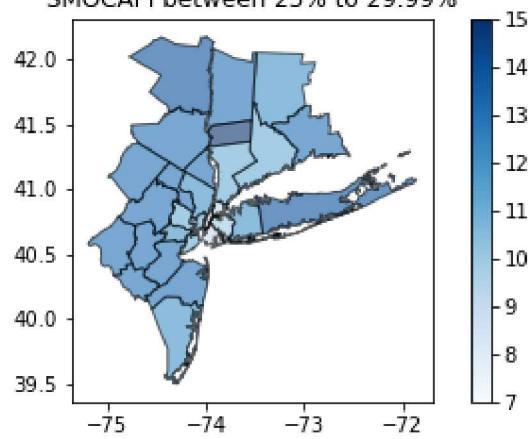
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2014: Selected Monthly Owner Costs as A Percentage of Household Income-housing units with mortgage

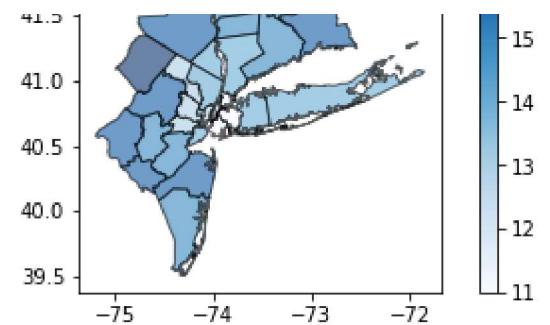
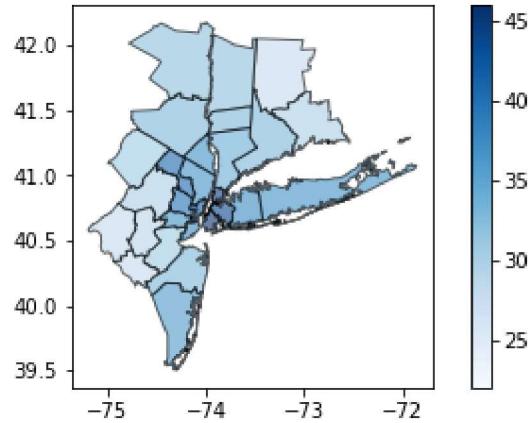




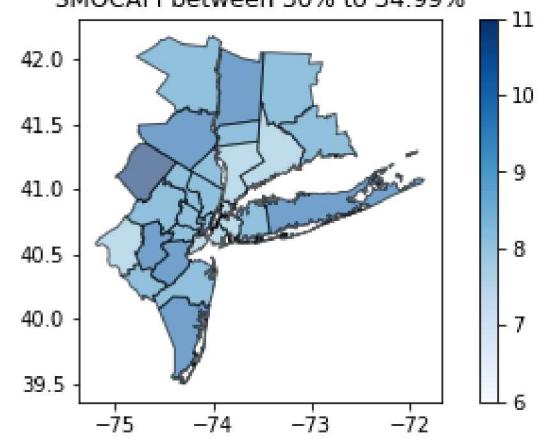
SMOCAPI between 25% to 29.99%



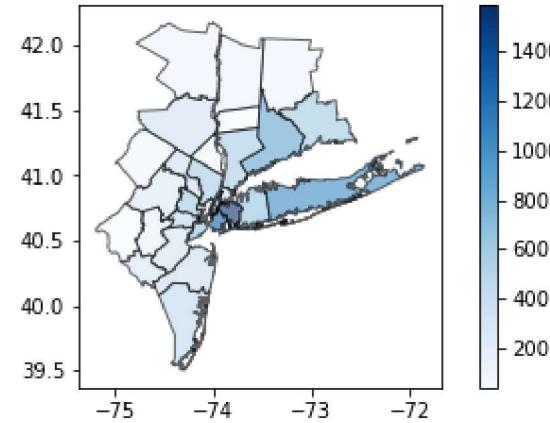
SMOCAPI greater than 35%



SMOCAPI between 30% to 34.99%



SMOCAPI not computed



In [24]:

```
1 #plot 2018 SMOCAPI across counties in the NYMA region on the map
2
3 fig, axs = plt.subplots(nrows=3, ncols=2, figsize=(15, 12))
4 (ax1, ax2), (ax3, ax4), (ax5, ax6) = axs
5
6
7 tracts2018.plot(
8     figsize=(15, 12),
9     cmap='Blues',
10    column='DP04_0111PE_y',
11    legend = True,
12    edgecolor="Black",
13    alpha=0.6,
14    ax=ax1,
15 )
16 ax1.set_title("SMOCAPI less than 20%")
17
18 tracts2018.plot(
19     figsize=(15, 12),
20     cmap='Blues',
21    column='DP04_0112PE_y',
22    legend = True,
23    edgecolor="Black",
24    alpha=0.6,
25    ax=ax2,
26 )
27 ax2.set_title("SMOCAPI between 20% to 24.9%")
28
29 tracts2018.plot(
30     figsize=(15, 12),
31     cmap='Blues',
32    column='DP04_0113PE_y',
33    legend = True,
34    edgecolor="Black",
35    alpha=0.6,
36    ax=ax3,
37 )
38 ax3.set_title("SMOCAPI between 25% to 29.9%")
39
40 tracts2018.plot(
41     figsize=(15, 12),
42     cmap='Blues',
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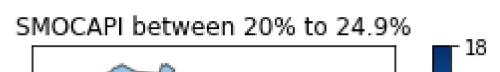
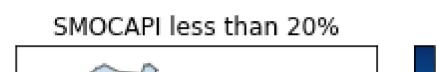
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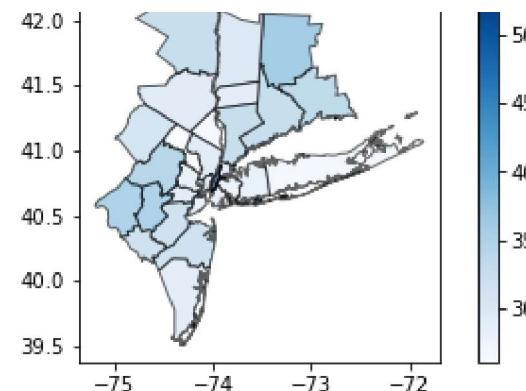
43     column='DP04_0114PE_y',
44     legend = True,
45     ax=ax4,
46     edgecolor="Black",
47     alpha=0.6
48 )
49 ax4.set_title("SMOCAPi between 30% to 34.9%")
50
51 tracts2018.plot(
52     figsize=(15, 12),
53     cmap='Blues',
54     column='DP04_0115PE_y',
55     legend = True,
56     ax=ax5,
57     edgecolor="Black",
58     alpha=0.6
59 )
60 ax5.set_title("SMOCAPi greater than 35%")
61
62 tracts2018.plot(
63     figsize=(15, 12),
64     cmap='Blues',
65     column='DP04_0116E_y',
66     legend = True,
67     ax=ax6,
68     edgecolor="Black",
69     alpha=0.6
70 )
71 ax6.set_title("SMOCAPi not computed")
72
73
74 fig.suptitle('2018: Selected Monthly Owner Costs as A Percentage of Household Income-housing units with mortgag

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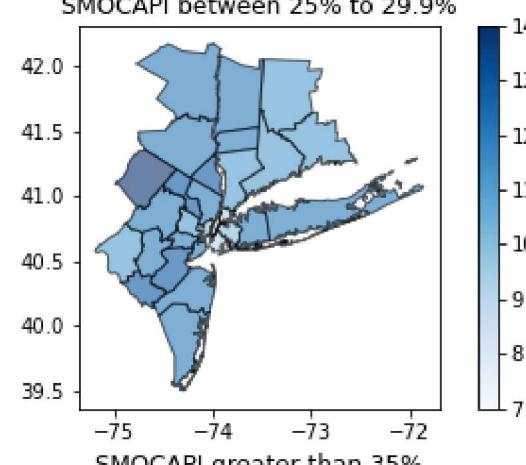
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2018: Selected Monthly Owner Costs as A Percentage of Household Income-housing units with mortgage

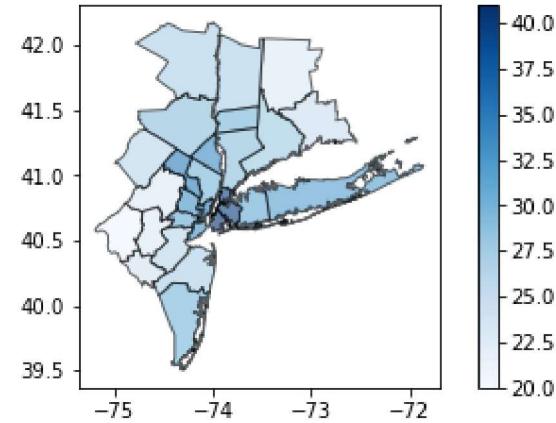




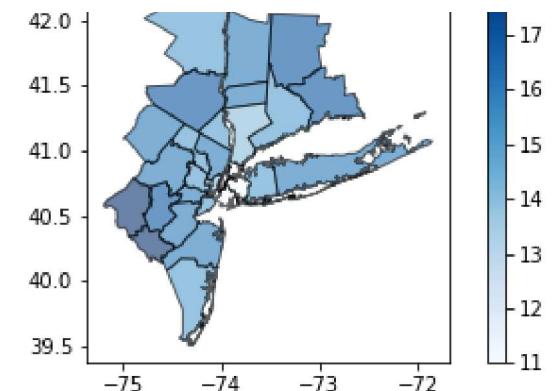
SMOCAPI between 25% to 29.9%



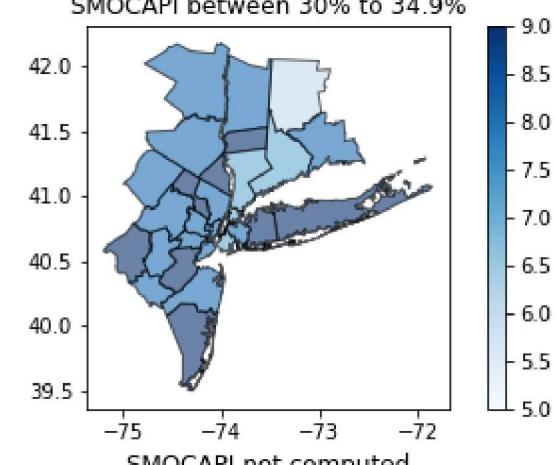
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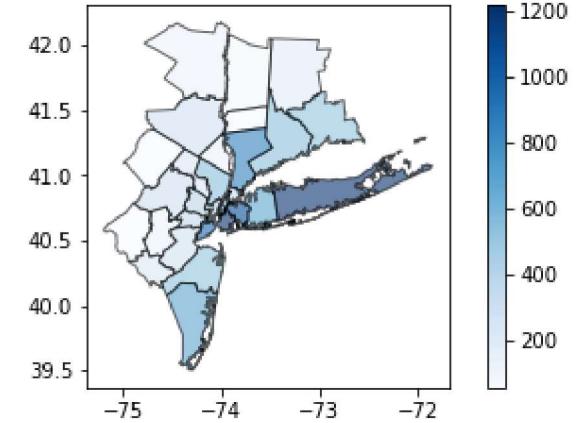
SMOCAPI between 30% to 34.9%



SMOCAPI not computed



SMOCAPI greater than 7.5



SMOCAPI between 20% to 24.9%

Comparing housing affordability in 2014 and 2018 with Plotly.Express

In [25]:

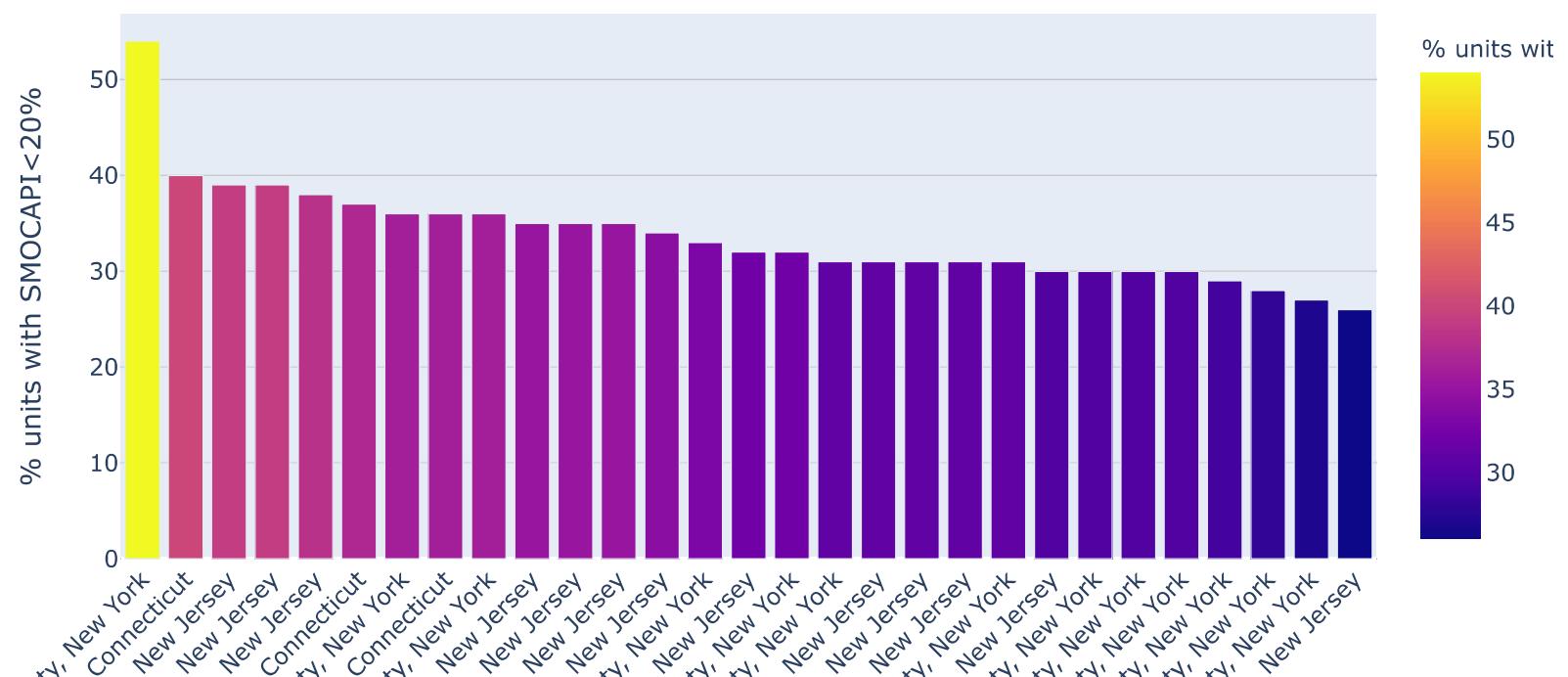
```
1 #US Census Bureau defined housing units with less than 20% SMOCAPi as affordable.  
2 #create a new dataframe "SMOCAPi2018 by sorting the 2018housing units with less than 20% SMOCAPi  
3 SMOCAPi2018=tracts2018.sort_values(by=[ 'DP04_0111PE_y' ], ascending=False)  
4 SMOCAPi2018
```

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In [26]:

```
1 #plot it
2 fig2=px.bar(
3     SMOCAPI2018,
4     x='name',
5     y='DP04_0111PE_y',
6     color='DP04_0111PE_y',
7     labels={"DP04_0111PE_y": "Percent of housing units with SMOCAPI<20%", "#change Labels of x and y axis, ai
8         "name": "Counties",
9         "DP04_0111PE_y": "% units with SMOCAPI<20%"
10        }
11    )
12 fig2.update_layout(xaxis_tickangle=-45,title={
13     'text': "Counties with highest percentage of housing units with SMOCAPI <20% in 2018", #add title
14     'y':1,#change position of the title
15     'x':0.5,
16     'xanchor': 'center',
17     'yanchor': 'top'}
18 )
```

Counties with highest percentage of housing units with SMOCAPI <20% in 2018

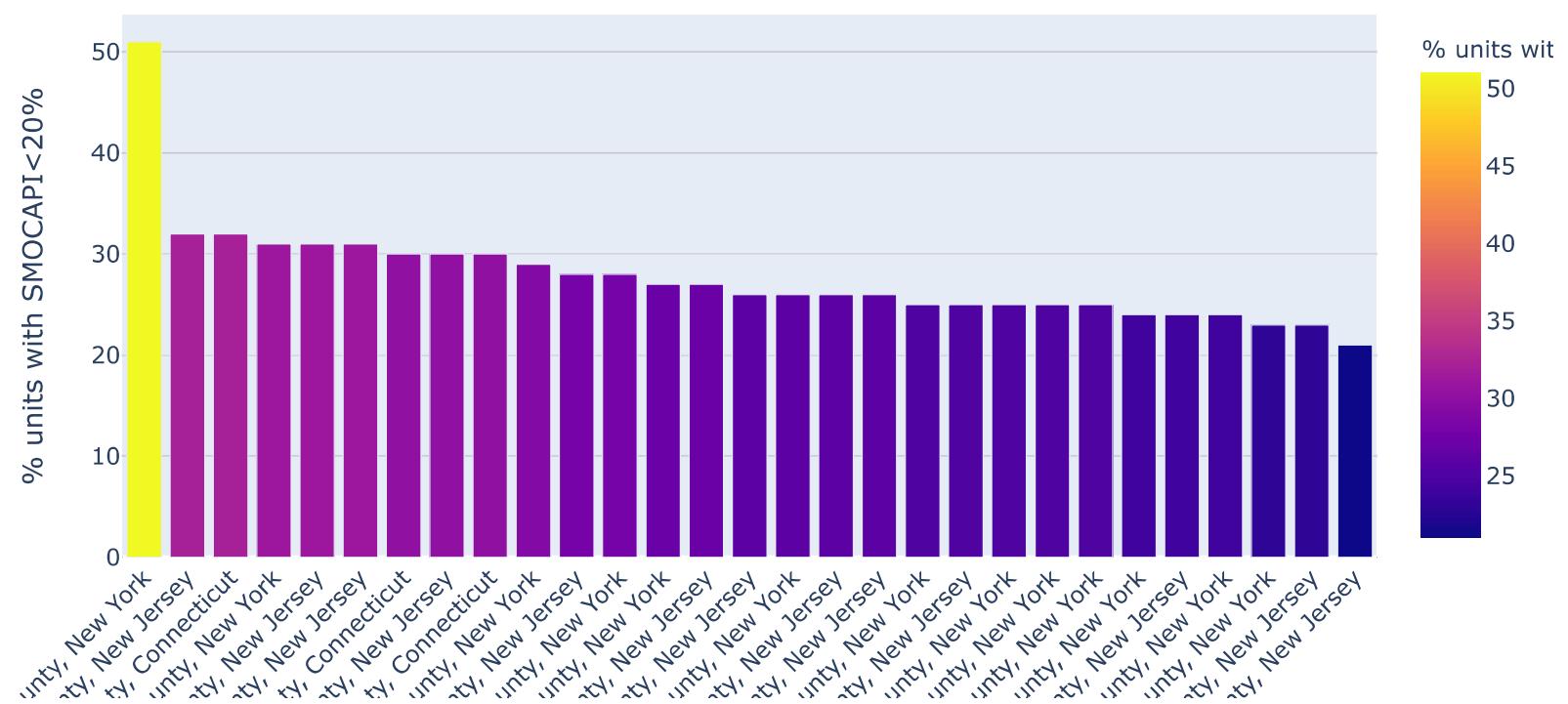


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In [27]: 1 #create a new dataframe "SMOCAP12014" by sorting the 2014 housing units with less than 20% SMOCAPI  
2 SMOCAP12014=tracts2014.sort_values(by=['DP04_0109PE'], ascending=False)  
3 SMOCAP12014
```

In [28]:

```
1 #plot it
2 fig2=px.bar(
3     SMOCAPI2014,
4     x='name',
5     y='DP04_0109PE',
6     color='DP04_0109PE',
7     labels={"DP04_0109PE": "Percent of housing units with SMOCAPI<20%", #change Labels of x and y axis, and
8             "name": "Counties",
9             "DP04_0109PE": "% units with SMOCAPI<20%"}
10            }
11 )
12 fig2.update_layout(xaxis_tickangle=-45,title={
13     'text': "Counties with highest percentage of housing units with SMOCAPI <20% in 2014", #add title
14     'y':1,#change position of the title
15     'x':0.5,
16     'xanchor': 'center',
17     'yanchor': 'top'},
18 )
```

Counties with highest percentage of housing units with SMOCAPI <20% in 2014



New York Co
Erdon Coun
Hfield Count
Chester Cour
Merter Cour
Hfield Count
Morris Cour
Laven Count
Ulster Cour
Lessex Cour
Wtches Co
South Cour
Hmond Co
Issex Cour
Union Cour
Bergen Cour
Bronx Co
Essex Cour
Nassau Co
Ackland Co
Orange Co
Kings Co
Ocean Cour
Queens Co
Suffolk Co
Hdson Cour
Assaic Cour

In [29]:

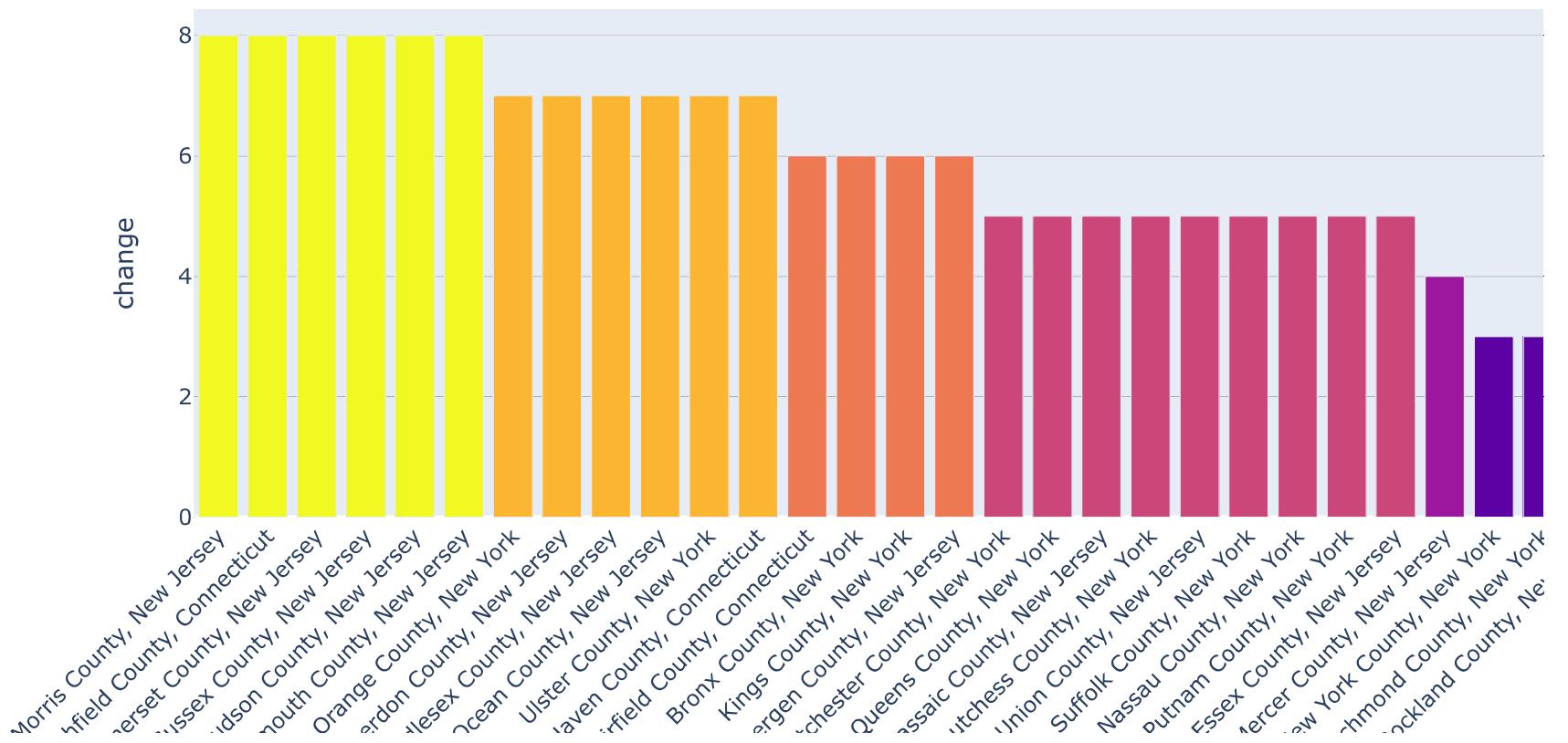
```
1 #I want to measure the change between 2014 and 2018 housing units with SMOCAP<20% across counties in NYMA
2 tracts2018["change"] = SMOCAPI2018['DP04_0111PE_y'] - SMOCAPI2014['DP04_0109PE'] #create new category "change"
3 tracts2018
4 tracts2018=tracts2018.sort_values(by=['change'], ascending=False)
5 tracts2018
```

...

In [30]:

```
1 # Plot the change between the number of housing units with SMOCAPI<20% in 2014 and 2018
2 fig3=px.bar(
3     tracts2018,
4     x='name',
5     y='change',
6     color='change'
7 )
8 fig3.update_layout(xaxis_tickangle=-45,title={
9     'text': "Percent change of housing units with SMOCAPI <20% between 2014 and 2018", #add title
10    'y':1,#change position of the title
11    'x':0.5,
12    'xanchor': 'center',
13    'yanchor': 'top'},
14 )
```

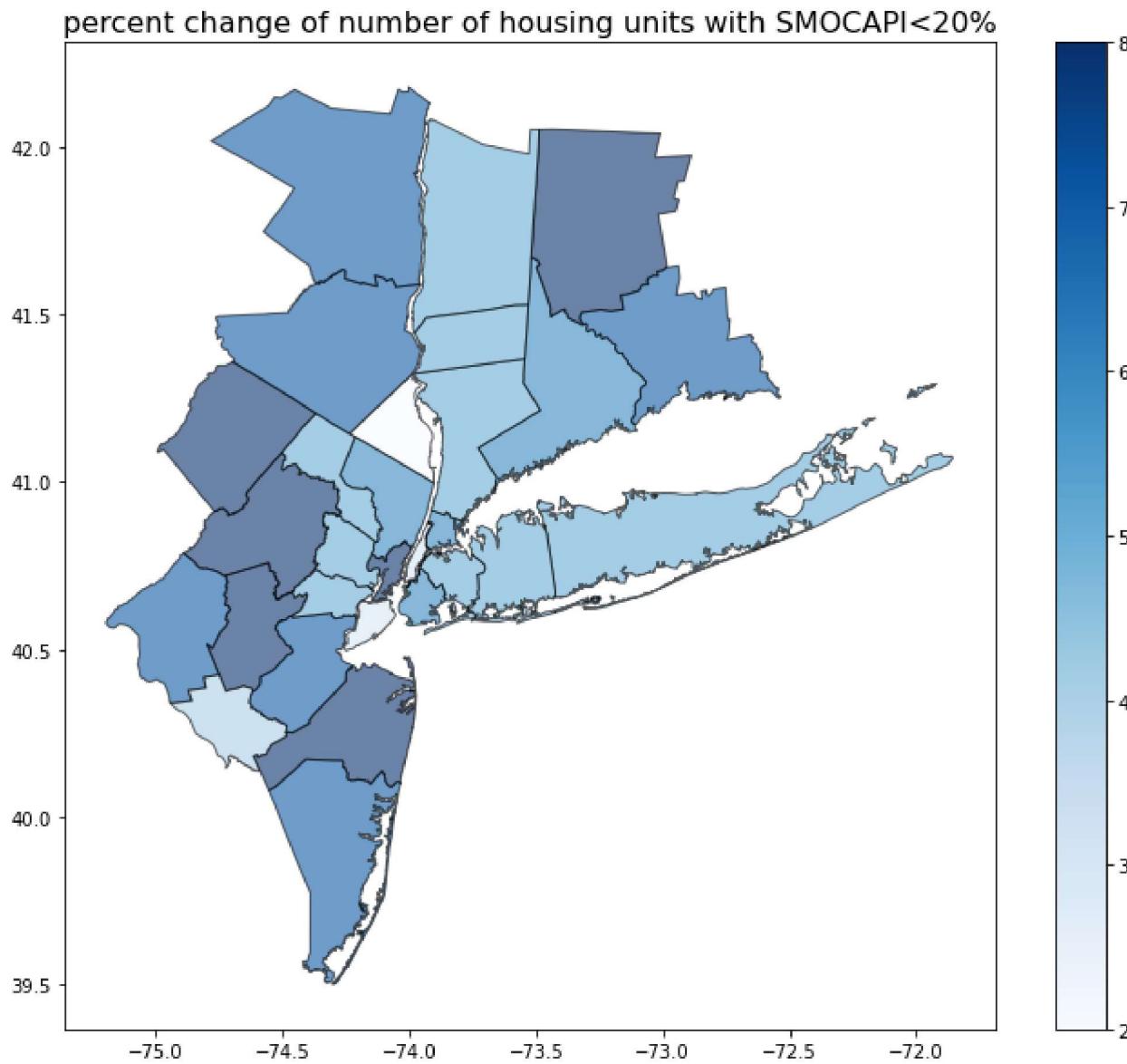
Percent change of housing units with SMOCAPI <20% between 2014 and 2018



In [31]:

```
1 #plot it on the map
2 fig3=tracts2018.plot(figsize=(12,10),
3   cmap='Blues',
4   column='change',
5   legend = True,
6   edgecolor="Black",
7   alpha=0.6)
8
9 plt.title('percent change of number of housing units with SMOCAP<20%', fontsize=16)
```

Out[31]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'percent change of number of housing units with SMOCAP<20%')



Conclusion

From the data exploration and analysis of housing affordability of owner occupied housing units with mortgage in NYMA, there is an overall increase in housing affordability in NYMA counties, ranging from two to eight percent. The highest increase is in counties further away from New York County (NYC), but also in Hudson County, which is located across from New York Conty.

Next step of the affordability analysis will be focused on the relationship between migration, housing affordability, and transit density on the county level.

Data exploration and analysis of housing value in 2014 and 2018

Data exploration

```
In [32]: 1 #importing 2014 and 2018 housing value data from ACS survey
          2 value2014 = pd.read_csv('Book1.csv')
```

```
In [33]: 1 #Looking at first 5 rows of the dataframe
          2 value2014.head()
```

Out[33]:

	Value	Name	count1	year1	count2	year2	FIPS	change
0	Less than \$50k	Fairfield County, Connecticut	4664	2014	4667	2018	901	0.000643
1	Less than \$50k	Litchfield County, Connecticut	1248	2014	1214	2018	905	-0.027244
2	Less than \$50k	New Haven County, Connecticut	5668	2014	4853	2018	909	-0.143790
3	Less than \$50k	Bergen County, New Jersey	4207	2014	3109	2018	34003	-0.260994
4	Less than \$50k	Essex County, New Jersey	2951	2014	3318	2018	34013	0.124365

```
In [34]: 1 #Check data types
          2 value2014.dtypes
```

Out[34]:

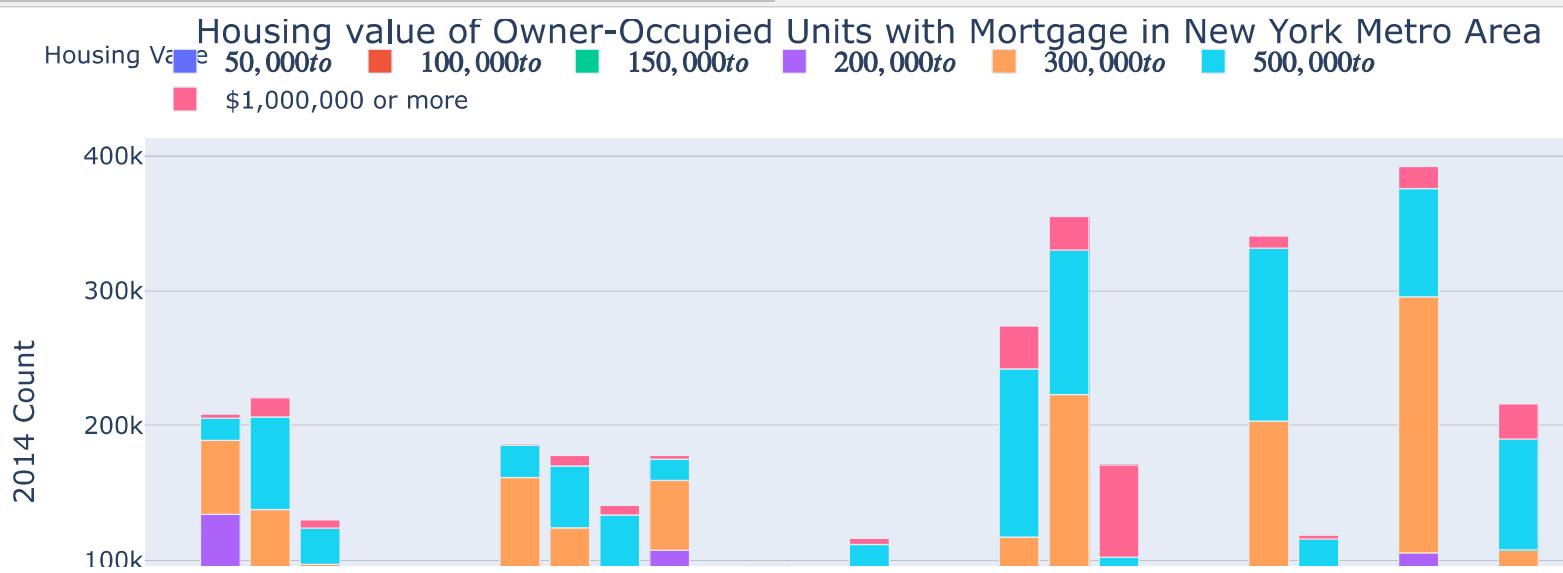
```
Value      object
Name       object
count1     int64
year1      int64
count2     int64
year2      int64
FIPS       int64
change     float64
dtype: object
```

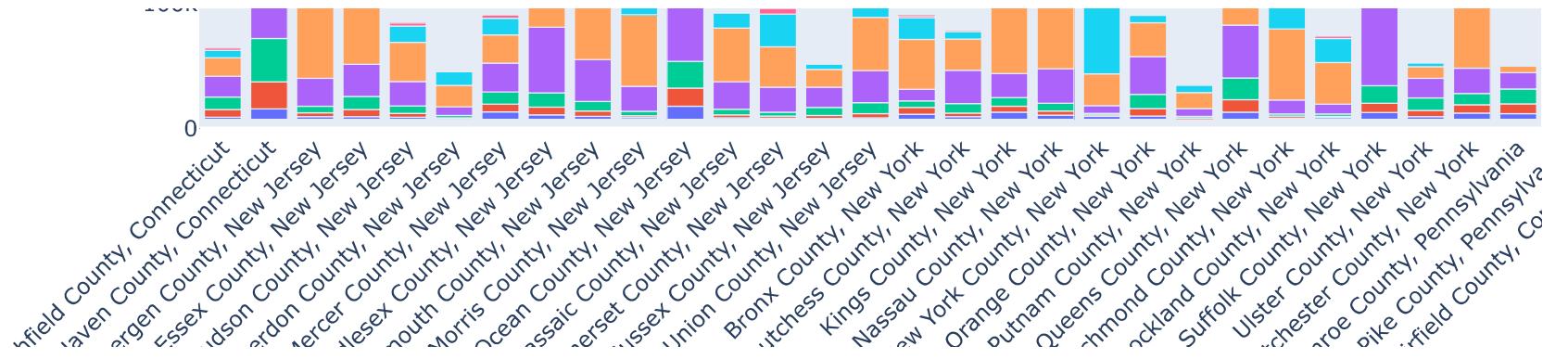
```
In [35]: 1 list(value2014)
```

```
Out[35]: ['Value', 'Name', 'count1', 'year1', 'count2', 'year2', 'FIPS', 'change']
```

In [36]:

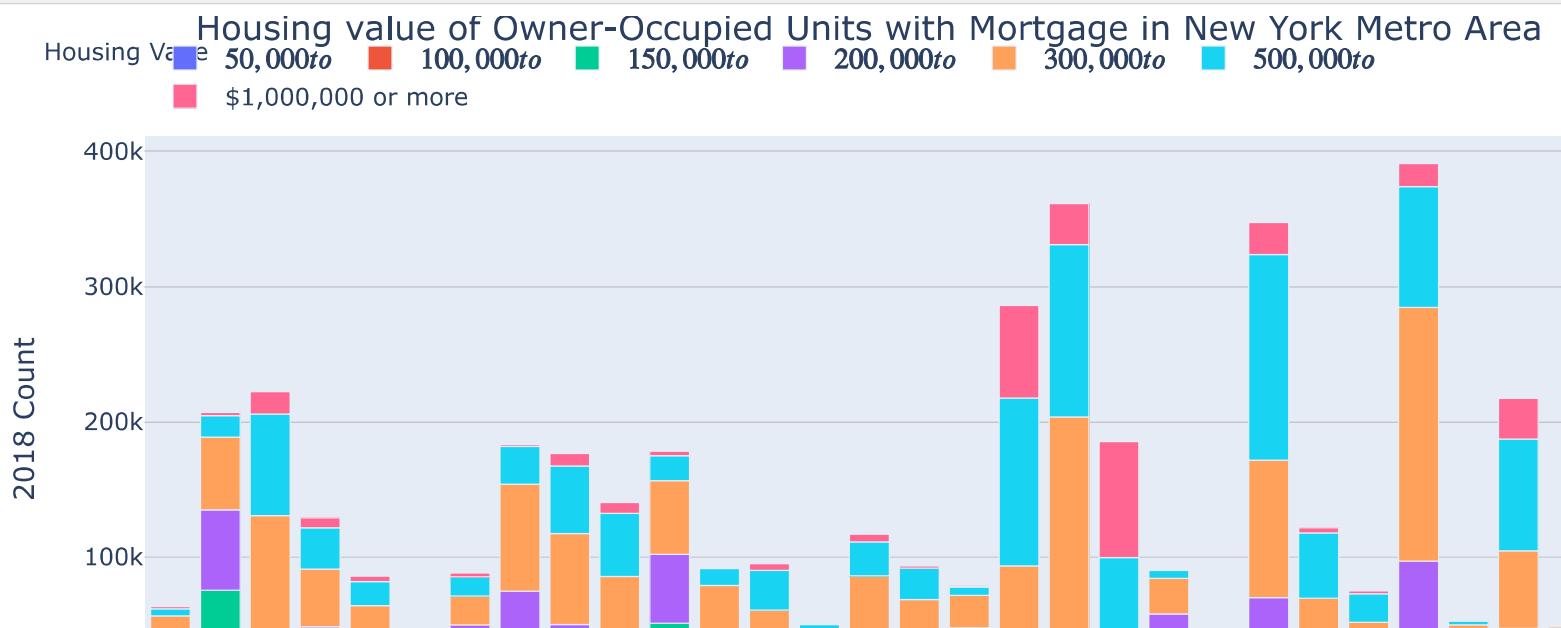
```
1 #Use plotly.express to create stacked bar chart of housing values in 2014 across counties in NYMA
2 Count = value2014.query("Value == ['Less than $50,000','$50,000 to $99,999','$100,000 to $149,999','$150,000
3 fig=px.bar(Count,
4     x='Name',
5     y='count1',
6     color='Value',
7     labels={"count1": "2014 Count", #change Labels of x and y axis, and Legend
8             "Name": "Counties",
9             "Value": "Housing Value"
10            })
11
12 fig.update_layout(xaxis_tickangle=-45,
13     title={
14         'text': "Housing value of Owner-Occupied Units with Mortgage in New York Metro Area",
15         'y':1,#change position of the title
16         'x':0.5,
17         'xanchor': 'center',
18         'yanchor': 'top'},
19     legend=dict(
20         orientation="h", #change the orientation of legend to horizontal
21         yanchor="bottom",#change the position of the legend
22         y=1.02,
23         xanchor="right",
24         x=.8))
25 fig
```

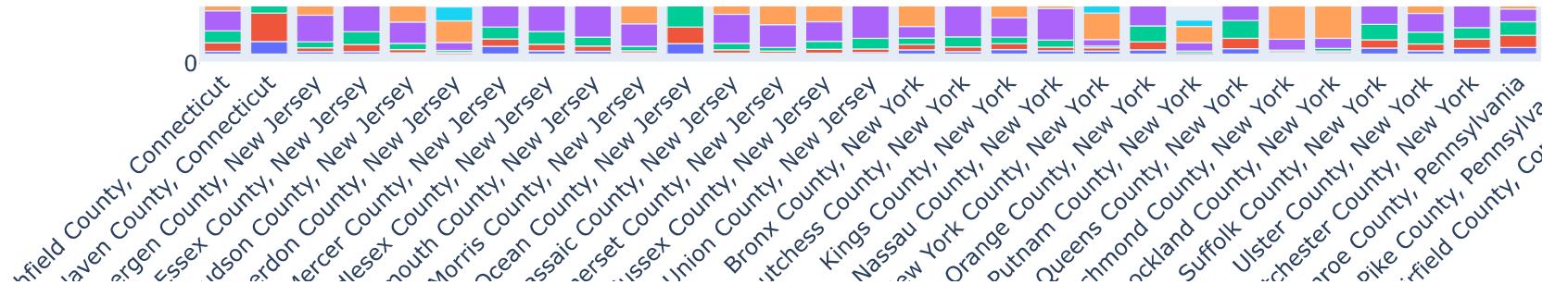




In [37]:

```
1 #Use plotly.express to create stacked bar chart of housing values in 2018 across counties in NYMA
2 Count = value2014.query("Value == ['Less than $50,000','$50,000 to $99,999','$100,000 to $149,999','$150,000
3 fig=px.bar(Count,
4     x='Name',
5     y='count2',
6     color='Value',
7     labels={"count2": "2018 Count", #change Labels of x and y axis, and Legend
8             "Name": "Counties",
9             "Value": "Housing Value"
10            })
11 fig.update_layout(xaxis_tickangle=-45,
12     title={
13         'text': "Housing value of Owner-Occupied Units with Mortgage in New York Metro Area", #add title
14         'y':1,#change position of the title
15         'x':0.5,
16         'xanchor': 'center',
17         'yanchor': 'top'},
18     legend=dict(
19         orientation="h", #change the orientation of legend to horizontal
20         yanchor="bottom", #change the position of the legend
21         y=1.02,
22         xanchor="right",
23         x=.8))
```





Data analysis

```
In [38]: 1 #I want to measure the change between 2014 and 2018 housing values across value categories and counties in I  
2 value2014["change"] = 1 - value2014["count1"] / value2014['count2'] #create new category "change" and calculate  
3 value2014
```

Out[38]:

	Value	Name	count1	year1	count2	year2	FIPS	change
0	Less than \$50k	Fairfield County, Connecticut	4664	2014	4667	2018	901	0.000643
1	Less than \$50k	Litchfield County, Connecticut	1248	2014	1214	2018	905	-0.028007
2	Less than \$50k	New Haven County, Connecticut	5668	2014	4853	2018	909	-0.167937
3	Less than \$50k	Bergen County, New Jersey	4207	2014	3109	2018	34003	-0.353168
4	Less than \$50k	Essex County, New Jersey	2951	2014	3318	2018	34013	0.110609
...
243	\$1,000,000 or more	Suffolk County, New York	16345	2014	17122	2018	36103	0.045380
244	\$1,000,000 or more	Ulster County, New York	654	2014	644	2018	36111	-0.015528
245	\$1,000,000 or more	Westchester County, New York	26146	2014	30215	2018	36119	0.134668
246	\$1,000,000 or more	Monroe County, Pennsylvania	234	2014	288	2018	42089	0.187500
247	\$1,000,000 or more	Pike County, Pennsylvania	127	2014	154	2018	42103	0.175325

248 rows × 8 columns

```
In [39]: 1 #Group the data by counties and sort the change from high to Low.  
2 value2014.groupby("Name").change.describe().sort_values(by=["max"], ascending=False)
```

...

```
In [40]: 1 #create a new dataframe "top5change" to look at the top 5 counties across value categories that experienced  
2 top10change=value2014.sort_values(by=['change'], ascending=False).head(10)  
3 top10change
```

...

In [41]:

```
1 #create new dataframe topchange to see all the changes between 2014 and 2018 housing units count in each county
2 topchange=value2014.sort_values(by=['change'], ascending=False)
3 topchange
```

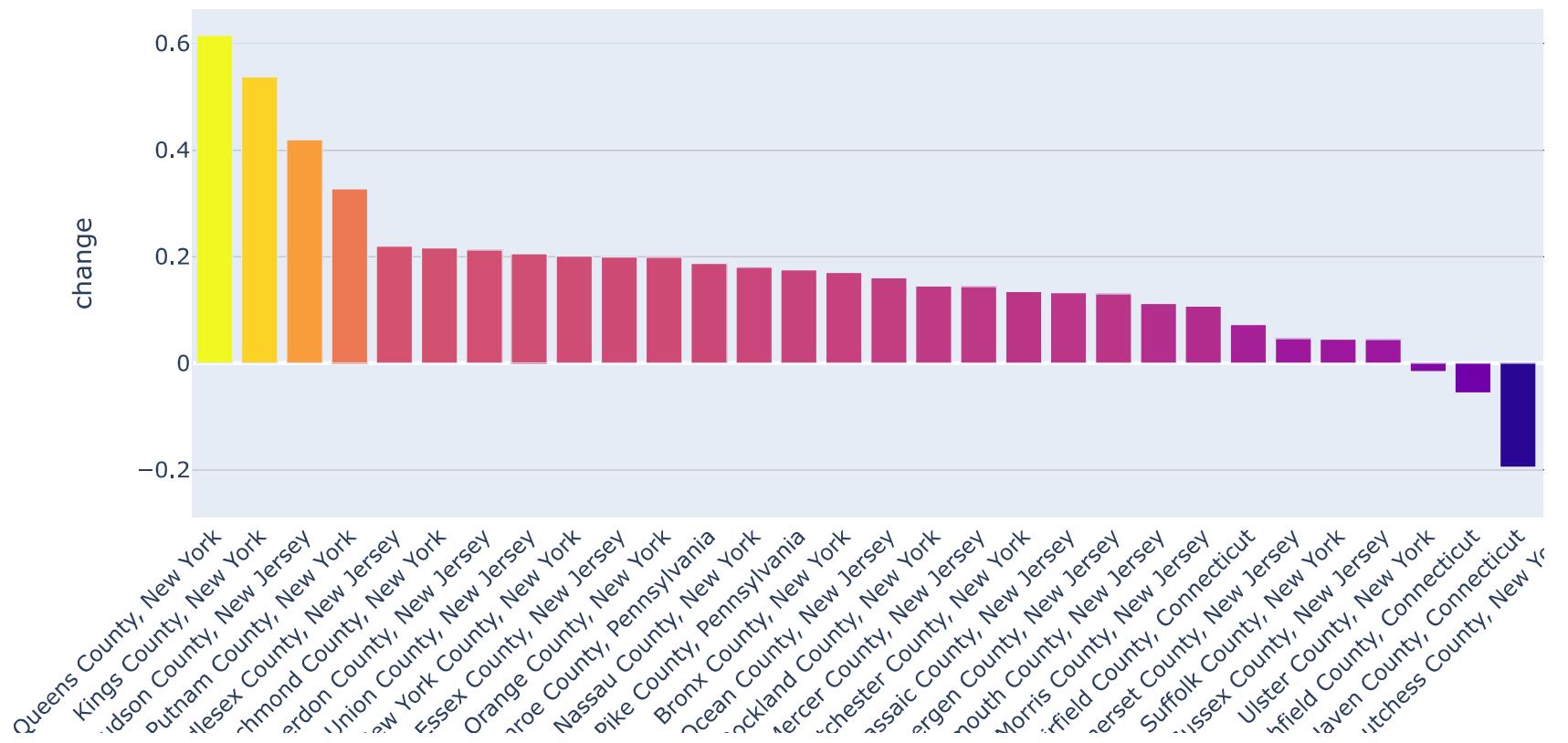
...

Present the housing price change on the county level

In [42]:

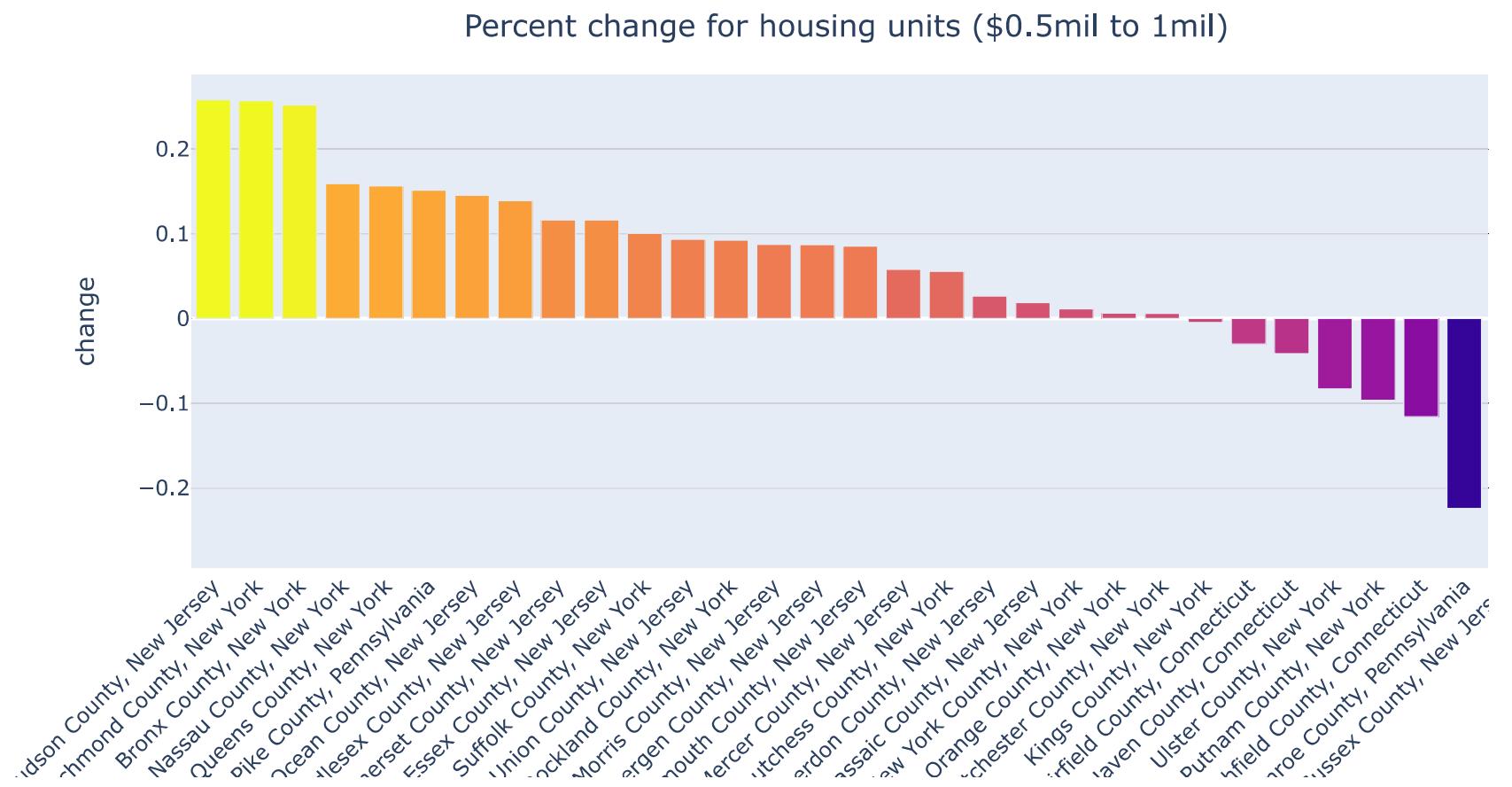
```
1 #I want to see the change of housing units in the value category "$1,000,000 or more"
2 temp = topchange.query("Value == ['$1,000,000 or more']")
3 fig5 = px.bar(temp,
4                 x='Name',
5                 y='change',
6                 color='change',
7                 labels={'Name':'County'})
8 fig5.update_layout(xaxis_tickangle=-45,title={
9                     'text': "Percent change for housing units (>$1mil)", #add title
10                    'y':0.95,#change position of the title
11                    'x':0.5,
12                    'xanchor': 'center',
13                    'yanchor': 'top'})
14 fig5
```

Percent change for housing units (>\$1mil)



In [43]:

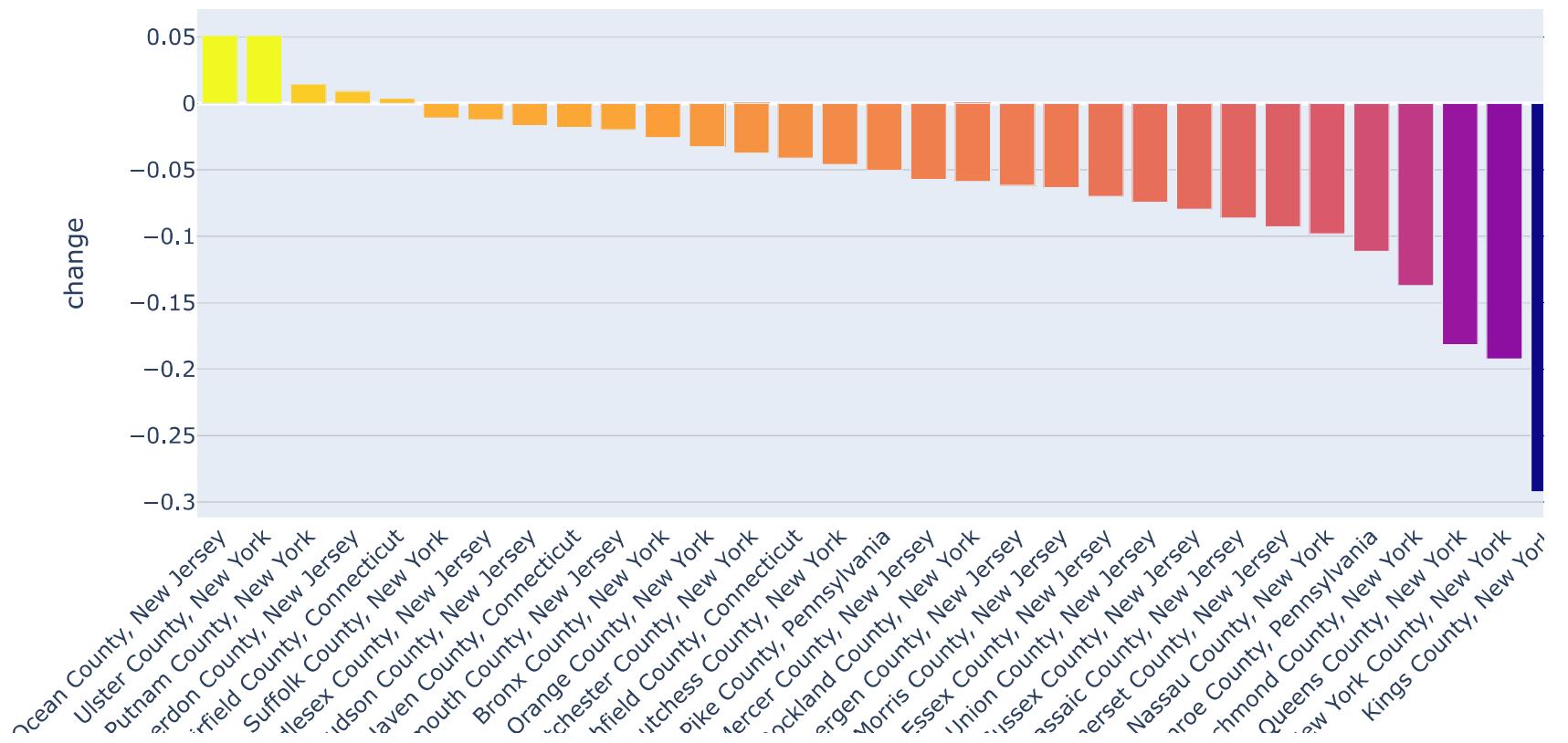
```
1 #I want to see the change of housing units in the value category "$500,000 to $999,999"
2 temp2 = topchange.query("Value == ['$500,000 to $999,999']")
3 fig6 = px.bar(temp2,
4     x='Name',
5     y='change',
6     color='change',
7     labels={'Name': 'County'})
8 fig6.update_layout(xaxis_tickangle=-45,title={
9     'text': "Percent change for housing units ($0.5mil to 1mil)", #add title
10    'y':0.95,#change position of the title
11    'x':0.5,
12    'xanchor': 'center',
13    'yanchor': 'top'})
14 fig6
```



In [44]:

```
1 #I want to see the change of housing units in the value category "$300,000 to $499,999"
2 temp3 = topchange.query("Value == ['$300,000 to $499,999']")
3 fig7 = px.bar(temp3,
4     x='Name',
5     y='change',
6     color='change',
7     labels={'Name':'County'})
8 fig7.update_layout(xaxis_tickangle=-45,title={
9     'text': "Percent change for housing units ($0.3mil to 0.5mil)", #add title
10    'y':0.95,#change position of the title
11    'x':0.5,
12    'xanchor': 'center',
13    'yanchor': 'top'})
14 fig7
```

Percent change for housing units (\$0.3mil to 0.5mil)



In [45]:

```
1 #create interactive bar graphs for the top 10 counties and distinguish the value categories
2 fig2=px.bar(
3     top10change,
4     x='Name',
5     y='change',
6     color='Value',
7     labels={"change": "percent change between 2014 and 2018", #change Labels of x and y axis, and Legend
8             "Name": "Counties",
9             "Value": "Housing Value"
10            }
11 )
12 fig2.update_layout(xaxis_tickangle=-45,title={
13     'text': "top 10 counties experienced most changes in number of houses in all value categories", #add title
14     'y':1,#change position of the title
15     'x':0.5,
16     'xanchor': 'center',
17     'yanchor': 'top'},
18     legend=dict(
19         orientation="h",
20         yanchor="bottom",
21         y=1.02,
22         xanchor="right",
23         x=1
24 ))
```

top 10 counties experienced most changes in number of houses in all value categories





In [46]:

```
1 #Look at the counties with decline in housing units within each value category
2 bottomchange=value2014.sort_values(by=['change'], ascending=False).tail(10)
3 bottomchange
```

...

In [47]:

```
1 #create interactive bar graphs for the bottom 10 counties and distinguish the value categories
2 fig2=px.bar(
3     bottomchange,
4     x='Name',
5     y='change',
6     color='Value',
7     labels={"change": "percent change between 2014 and 2018", #change Labels of x and y axis, and Legend
8             "Name": "Counties",
9             "Value": "Housing Value"
10            }
11 )
12 fig2.update_layout(xaxis_tickangle=-45,title={
13     'text': "Bottom 10 counties experienced most changes in number of houses in all value categories",
14     'y':1,#change position of the title
15     'x':0.5,
16     'xanchor': 'center',
17     'yanchor': 'top'},
18     legend=dict(
19         orientation="h",
20         yanchor="bottom",
21         y=1.02,
22         xanchor="right",
23         x=1
24 ))
```

Bottom 10 counties experienced most changes in number of houses in all value categories





Map the changes of housing price in NYMA between 2014 and 2018

```
In [48]: 1 #import county boundary data set
          2 tracts=gpd.read_file('NYMRcb/county.shp')
          3 tracts.head()
```

...

```
In [49]: 1 #Looking at datatypes
          2 tracts.dtypes
```

...

```
In [50]: 1 #I knew I need to drop row 7 and 32 from the previous analysis because they contain different geographic regions
          2 tracts = tracts.drop(7)
```

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```
In [51]: 1 tracts = tracts.drop([32])
```

```
In [52]: 1 # create new column "FIPS" by combining the "statefp" column anhd "countyfp" column
          2 tracts["FIPS"] = tracts["statefp"]+tracts["countyfp"]
```

```
In [53]: 1 #convert FIPS from object to integer to merge this dataframe with housing affordability dataframe later
          2 tracts["FIPS"] = tracts["FIPS"].astype(str).astype(int)
```

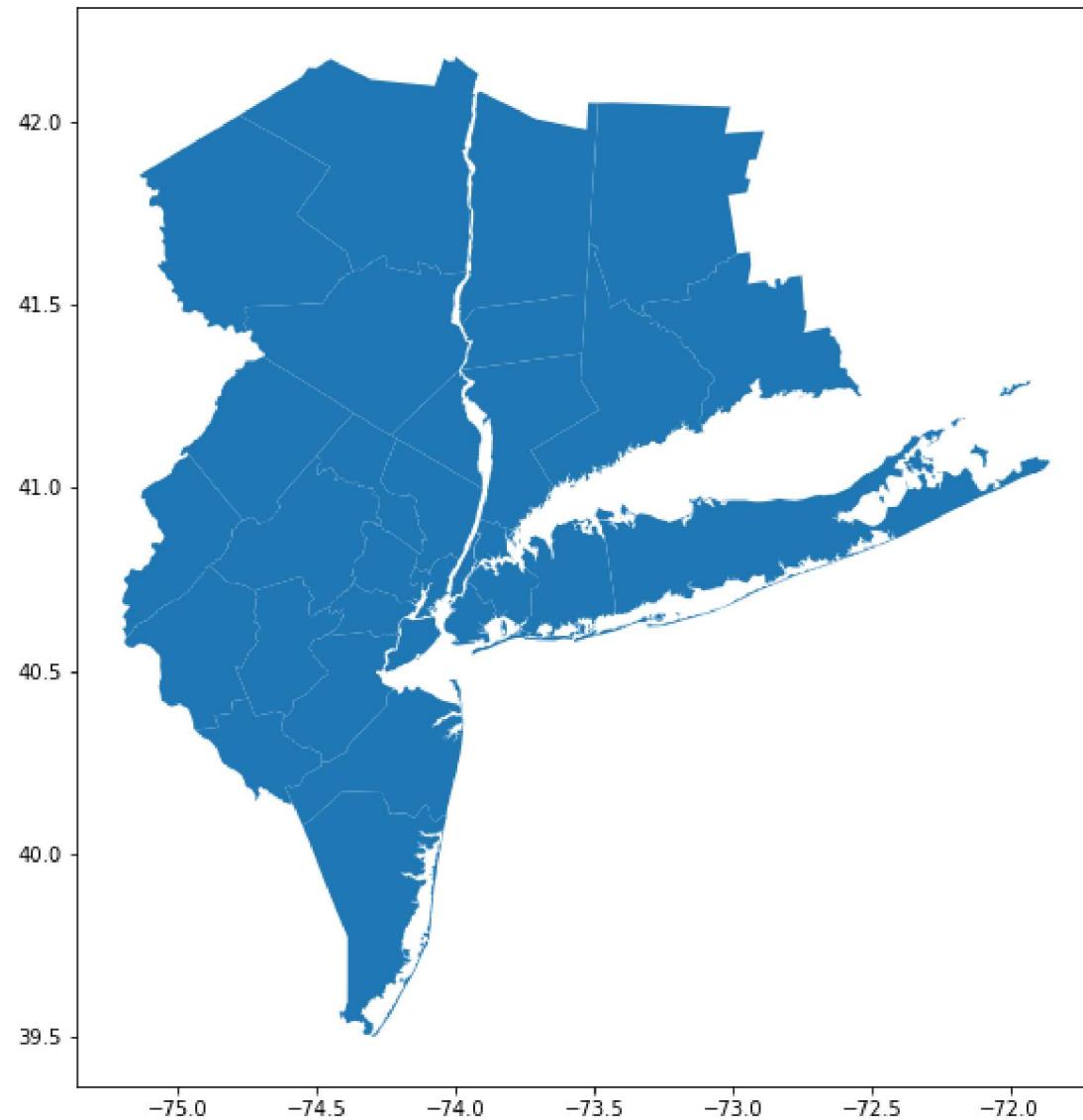
In [54]: 1 | tracts.head()

...

In [55]:

```
1 #plot the county boundary  
2 tracts.plot(figsize=(12,10))
```

Out[55]: <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x7f0f4e8df5b0>



In [56]:

```
1 #map changing of housing units in the value category of more than $1,000,000 by merging the dataframe with c
2 cbtop1m=tracts.merge(temp,on="FIPS")
3 cbtop1m.head()
```

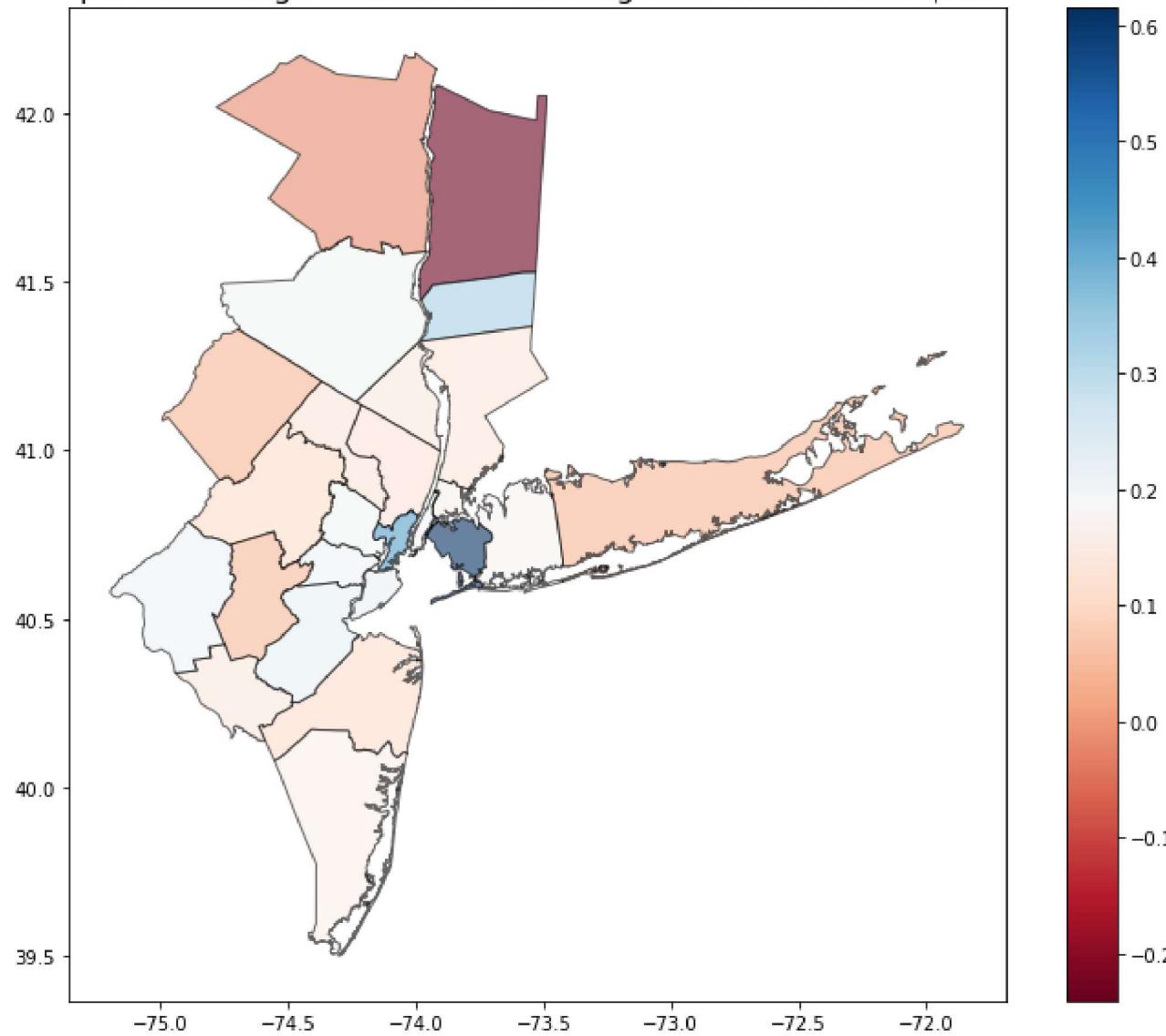
...

In [57]:

```
1 #plot it
2 figtop1m=cbtop1m.plot(figsize=(12,10),
3     cmap='RdBu',
4     column='change',
5     legend = True,
6     edgecolor='Black',
7     alpha=0.6)
8
9 plt.title('percent change of number of housing units that are over $1m', fontsize=16)
```

Out[57]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'percent change of number of housing units that are over \$1m')

percent change of number of housing units that are over \$1m



In [58]:

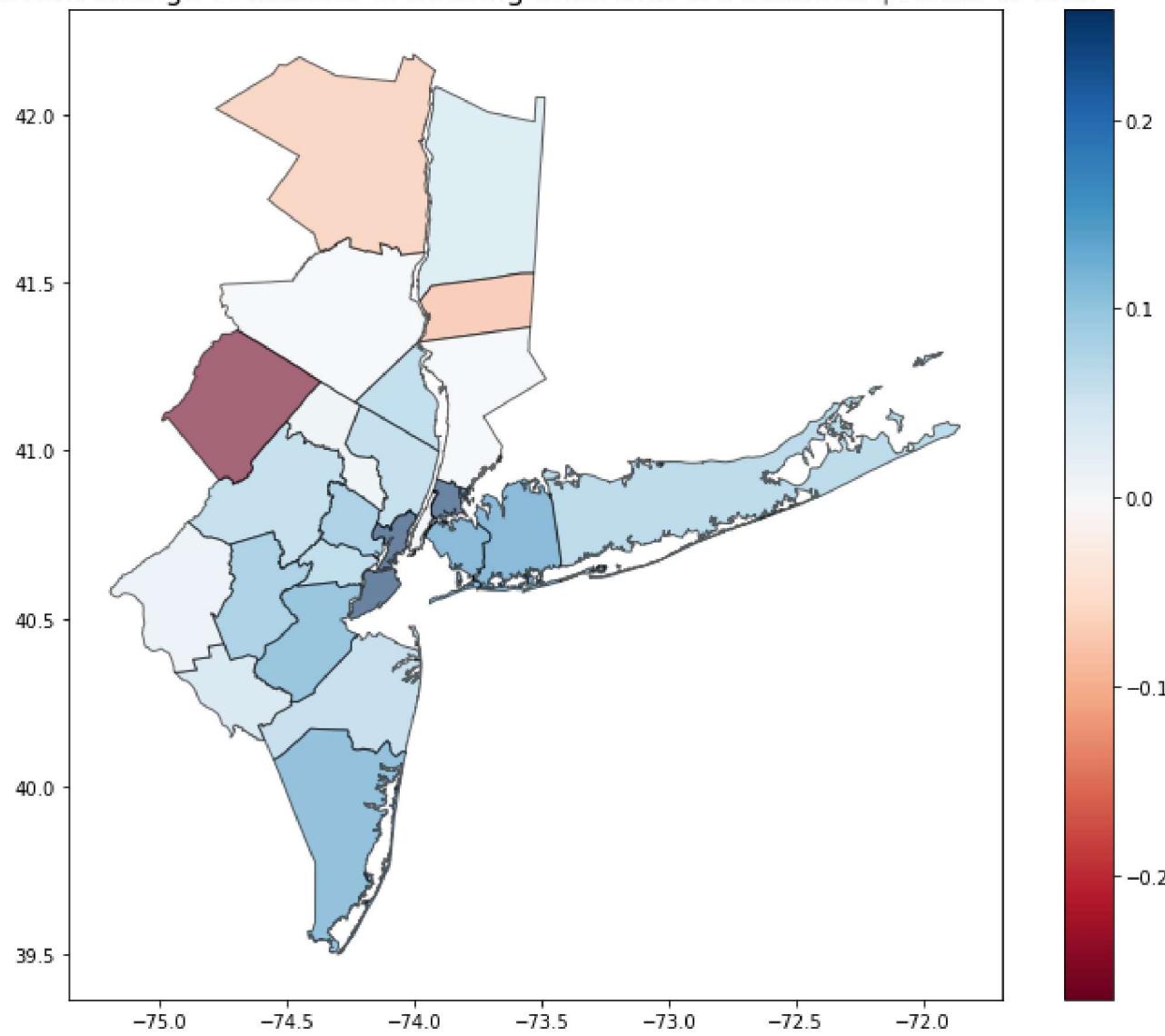
```
1 #map changing of housing units in the value category between $500,000 to $999,999 by merging the dataframe with tract boundaries
2 cbtophalf=tracts.merge(temp2,on="FIPS")
3 cbtop1m.head()
```

...

```
In [59]: 1 figtophalf=cbtophalf.plot(figsize=(12,10),  
2     cmap='RdBu',  
3     column='change',  
4     legend = True,  
5     edgecolor='Black',  
6     alpha=0.6)  
7  
8 plt.title('percent change of number of housing units that are between $0.5mil to 1mil', fontsize=16)
```

```
Out[59]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'percent change of number of housing units that are between $0.5mil to 1mil')
```

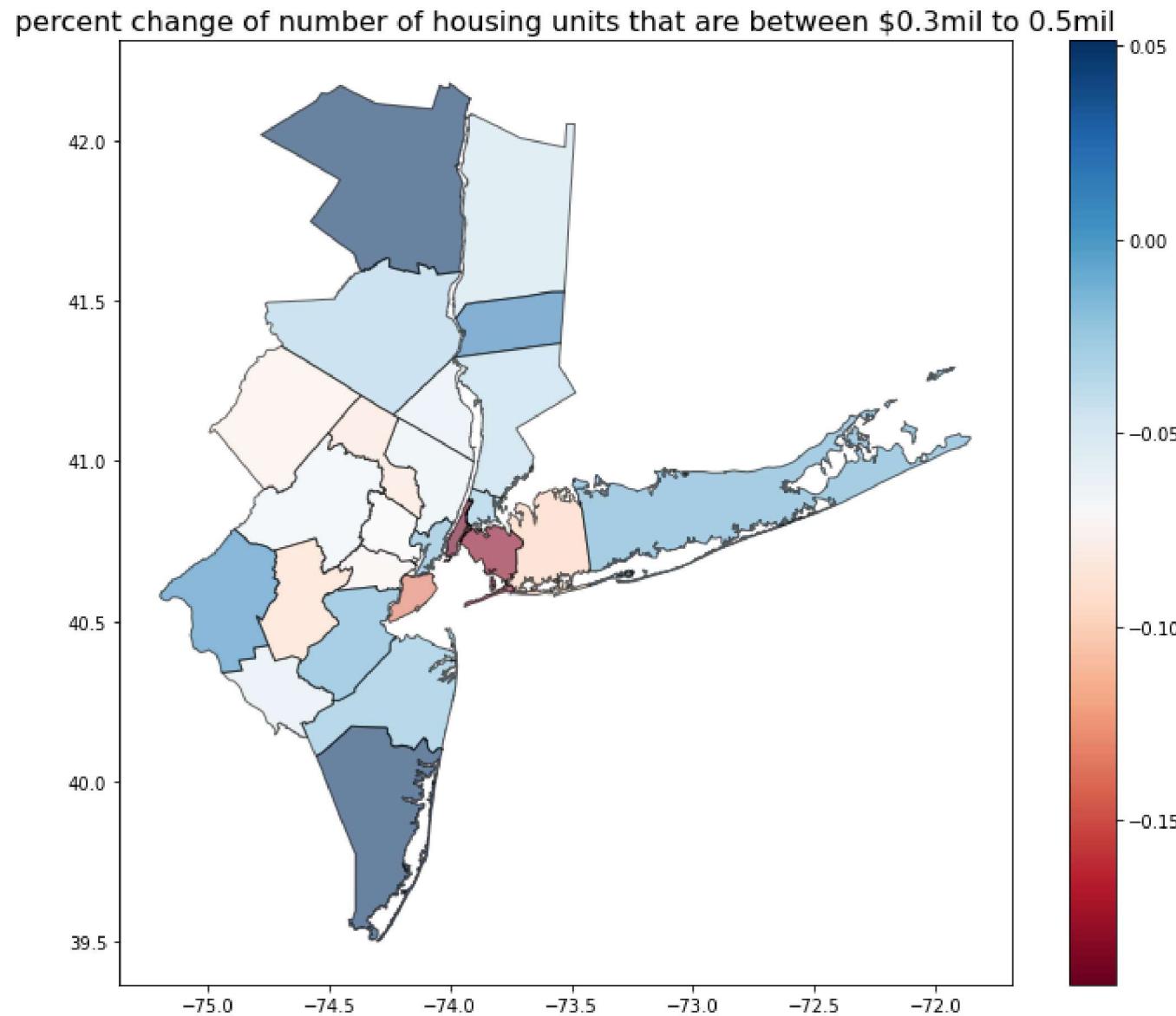
percent change of number of housing units that are between \$0.5mil to 1mil



```
In [60]: 1 cktop3to5=tracts.merge(temp3,on="FIPS")
2 cktop3to5.head()
```

```
In [61]: 1 figtophalf=cbtop3to5.plot(figsize=(12,10),  
2     cmap='RdBu',  
3     column='change',  
4     legend = True,  
5     edgecolor='Black',  
6     alpha=0.6)  
7  
8 plt.title('percent change of number of housing units that are between $0.3mil to 0.5mil', fontsize=16)
```

```
Out[61]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'percent change of number of housing units that are between $0.3mil to 0.5mil')
```



Conclusion about housing price

From the data exploration and analysis of housing value in 2014 and 2018, all counties experienced some changes in housing price. For counties close to New York County (NYC), there is an increase in housing units with higher price (higher than 500,000), and decrease in housing units with lower price (below 500,000).

Specifically, counties near New York County (NYC) experienced the highest increase in housing units in the more than \$1 million value category. Queens county increased more than 60%, Kings county increased 53.7%, Hudson County(across from NYC) increased 41.9%, and the further away Putnam County increased 32.7%.

Similar geographic pattern of increase holds true for the value category between 500, 000 to 999,999. In Hudson County, which is located across from New York County (NYC), housing units between 500, 000 to 999,999 increased 25.8%, Richmond County, which is located mainly in Staten Island (below NYC), units increased 25.7%, and in Bronx, which is above NYC, housing units increased 25.2%. In counties further away from New York County, there is also a significant but smaller increase in housing units in the 500, 000 to 999,999 value category.

For lower value categories, the housing units near New York County experienced an overall decline in number of units, ranging from minor to significant decrease. Kings County (Brooklyn) experienced 29.2% decrease in housing units within this value category, New York county itself experience 19.2% decrease, Queens County experience 18.2% decrease, and Richmond County experience 13.7% decrease. However, there are some counties nearby that experience a minor decrease as well. For counties further away from NYC, some experienced a minor decrease and some experienced a minor increase of housing units in this value category.

Conclusion on housing affordability and housing value in NYMA between 2014 and 2018

In this data exploration and analysis notebook, I conducted basic data exploration of housing affordability datasets, housing value datasets and county boundary datasets. I analyzed and mapped housing affordability and housing value in 2014 and 2018 across 31 counties in New York Metro Area. In the future weeks during this quarter, I will conduct more analysis on the impact of migration on housing price and affordability in NYMA.