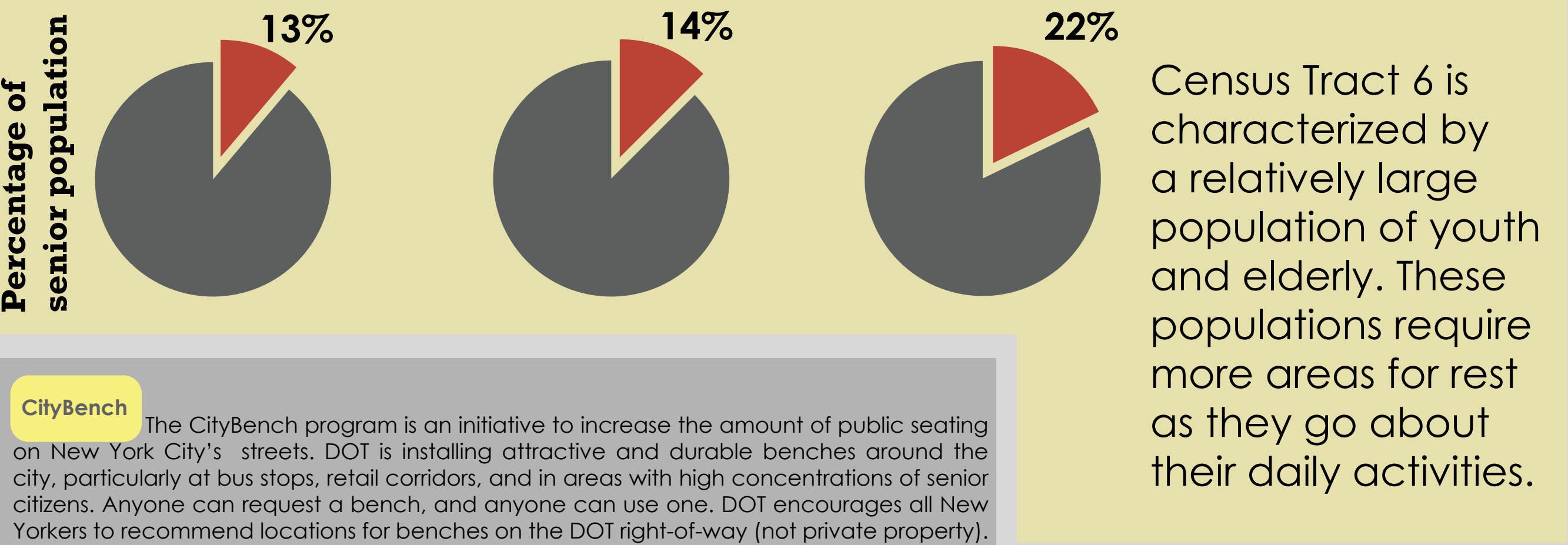
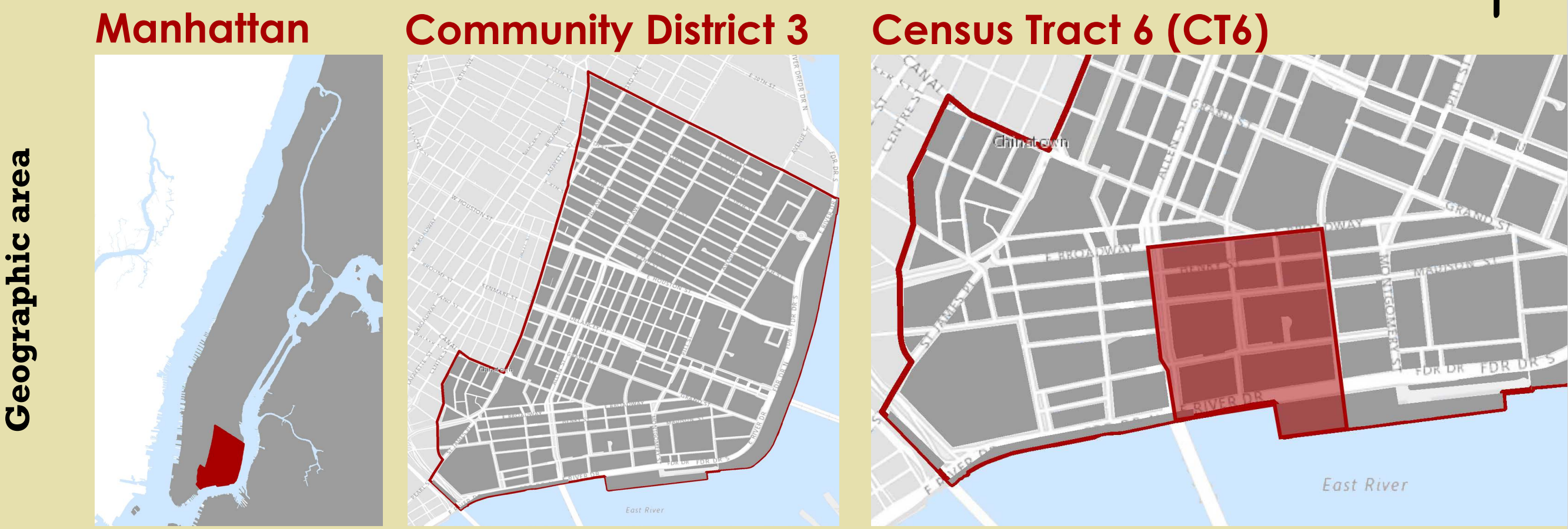
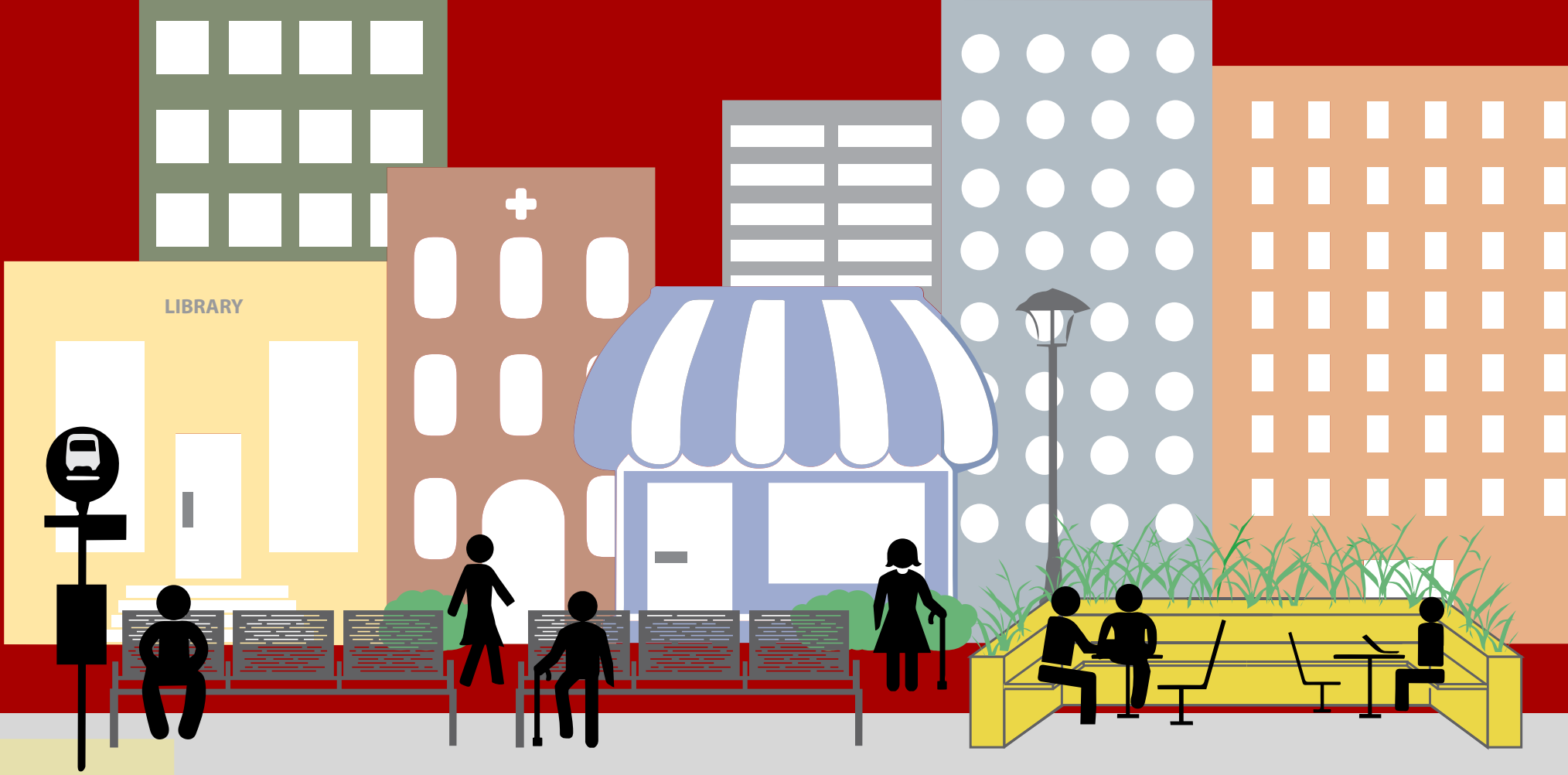
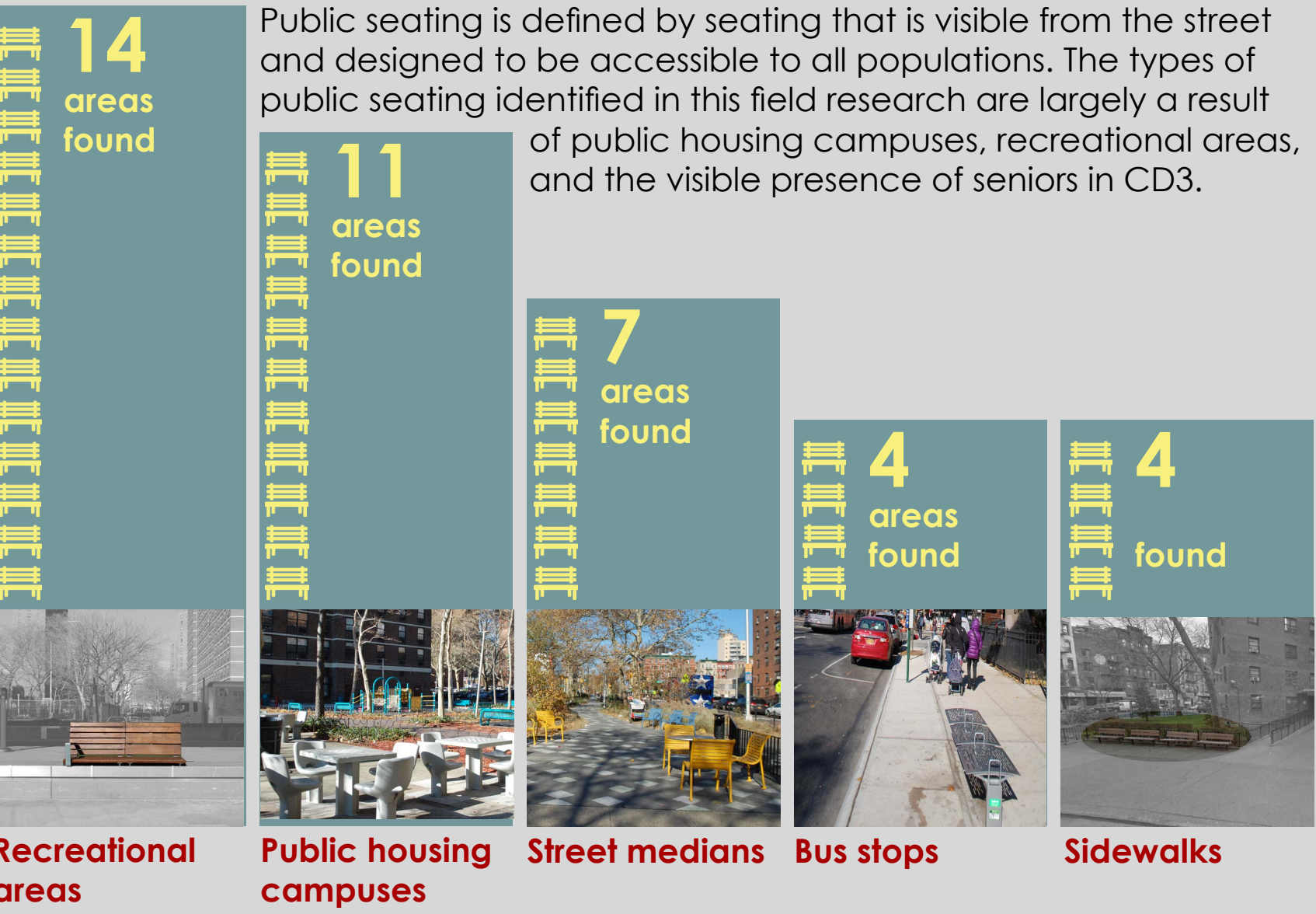


Public Seating in New York City

How Census Tract 6 can advocate for more public seating



Existing areas with public seating in CT6



CityBench

The CityBench program is an initiative to increase the amount of public seating on New York City's streets. DOT is installing attractive and durable benches around the city, particularly at bus stops, retail corridors, and in areas with high concentrations of senior citizens. Anyone can request a bench, and anyone can use one. DOT encourages all New Yorkers to recommend locations for benches on the DOT right-of-way (not private property). In order to support walking and transit, priority bench locations include: Bus stops without shelters, sidewalks near transit facilities (e.g. subway stations), Senior centers, Hospitals and community health centers, commercial zones and shopping districts, and Municipal facilities (e.g., public libraries, schools).

Street Seats

The Street Seats program enables seasonal public open spaces, generally including seating and tables, at locations where sidewalk seating is not available. During warm-weather months, when the demand to spend time outdoors increases, Street Seats may temporarily replace a few parking spots in a neighborhood to create an attractive setting for eating, reading, working, meeting a friend, or taking a rest. Any type of business or institution (such as a museum or community organization) that owns or operates the frontage at the ground floor of a building may be eligible to install a Street Seat.

Street Seats and CityBench descriptions taken from NYC DOT website

Opportunities in CT6 for More Public Seating



Which public seating program fits your street? Your street has:	City Bench	Street Seats
East Broadway	✓	✓
Henry St.	✓	
Madison St.	✓	✓
Cherry St.	✓	
South St.	✓	
Pike St.	✓	✓
Rutgers St.	✓	✓
Jefferson St.	✓	✓
Clinton St.	✓	

Get More Public Seating!

