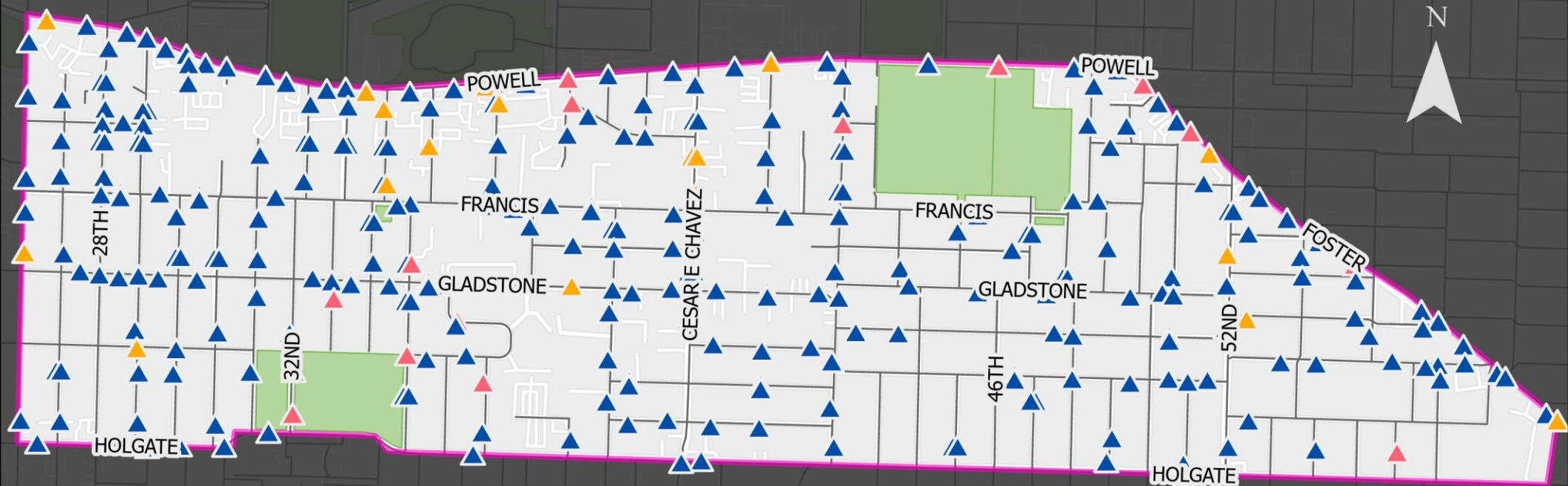


Portland Police Bureau - Offenses by 'Crime Against' Category (2019): Creston-Kenilworth Neighborhood



Offenses

Against:

- Person
- Property
- Society

Parks

0 0.25 0.5 0.75 1 Miles

Cartographer: Spencer Keller

Date: 4/26/2022

Data: ORCA, Streets - RLIS - 2020; Offense data - PPB - 2019
Projection: NAD 1983 StatePlane Oregon North FIPS 3601 (Intl Feet)

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Crime Mapping

Assignment 4 – Revised map

For this assignment I chose to look at offenses in the Creston-Kenilworth neighborhood. I chose this neighborhood because it is where I live, but also because it's got an elongated shape which makes it a little tricky to fit on a page! Some immediate observations are that the bulk of offenses are against property and seem to occur evenly distributed through the neighborhood, likely in the more residential areas. Crimes against people tend towards major roads like Powell and Foster, these are higher traffic areas. Crimes against society seem to occur within a few blocks of parks and are often clustered near other crimes against society. I'm left wondering what a crime against society is, and what the most prevalent type of property damage is. A little digging revealed that crimes against society are things like .. drugs, weapons, and prostitution, while it seems the most common property damage is vandalism. I probably won't focus on this neighborhood for my crime brief, if anything because I'm not thrilled with the way it fits in layouts. A chart that might add some depth to this map would be the rate of property crimes over time.