

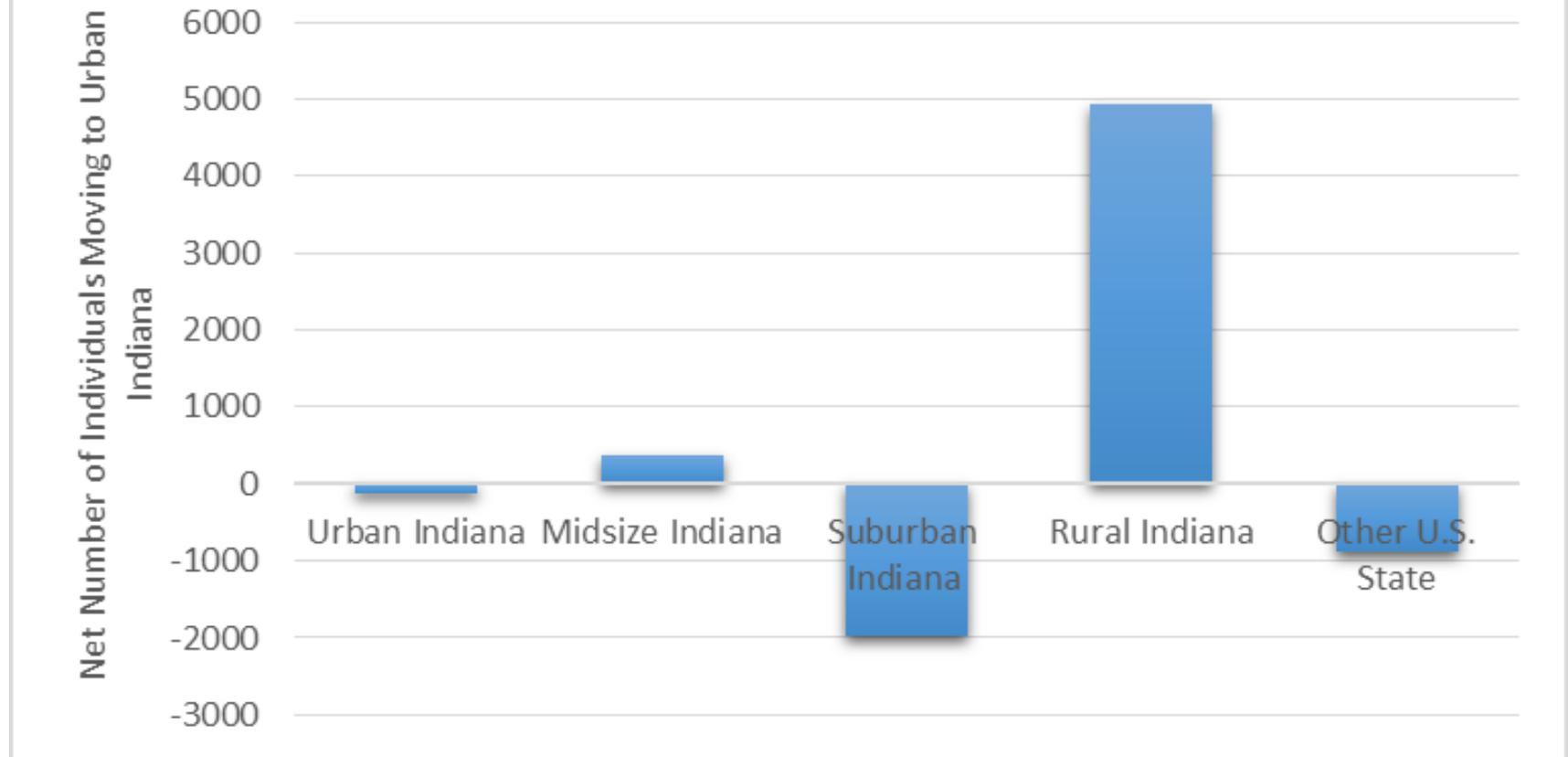
Why are we here?



...to not get here



INDIANA'S URBAN NET DOMESTIC MIGRATION, 2008-2012*



Source: IU Public Policy Institute, 2016

Rich v. Poor

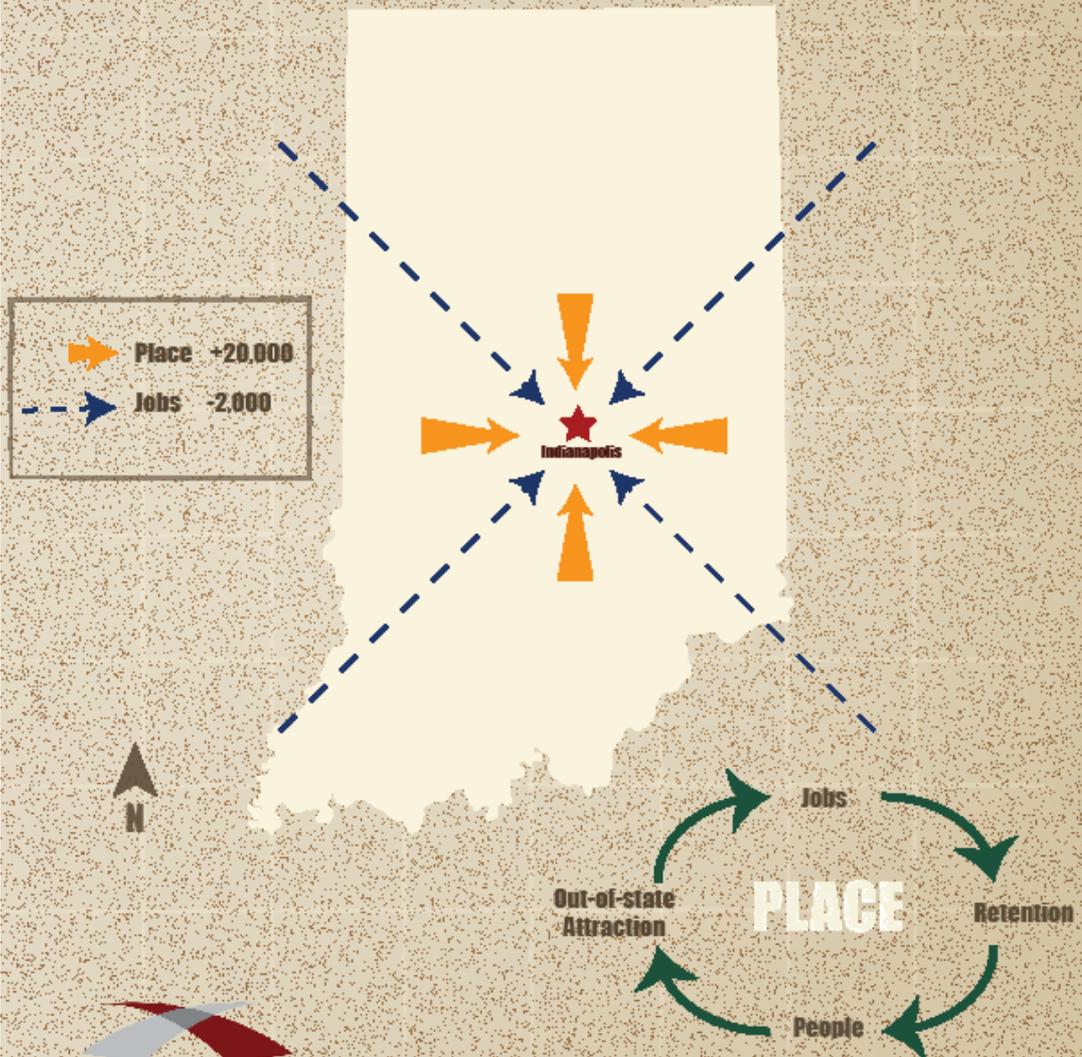


Urban v. Rural

Brainstorm

- What are some things determined by population size?
- What amenities are the “must haves”?
- Why do you think some rural communities are struggling?
- When you move – what are the key things you look for? What are the key things your significant other looks for?

WHY PEOPLE MOVE TO THE INDY REGION



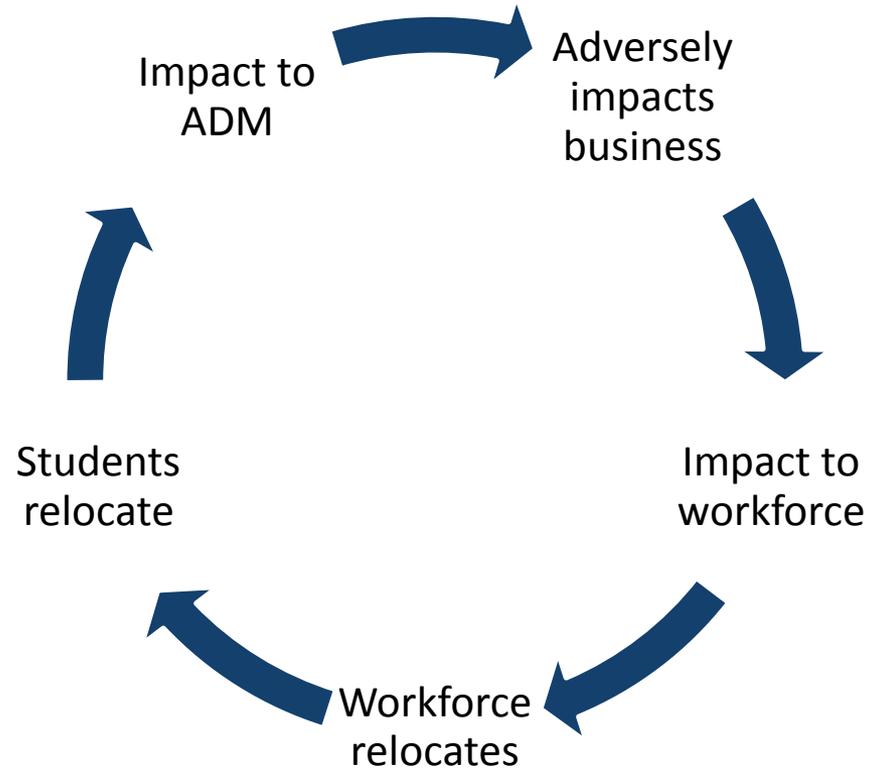
People Commuting to Batesville

- 22% of Respondents had lived in Batesville at one time.
- Top 8 Reasons they moved out of Batesville
 - Not enough entertainment 36 %
 - Change/different kind of housing 31 %
 - Not enough dining options 31 %
 - Not enough shopping 26 %
 - Closer to family 24 %
 - Spouses/Partner's job 21 %
 - Better downtown 21 %
 - Not enough recreation amenities 19 %

People Commuting to Batesville

- In order to move to Batesville what must change?
 - Top 6 Responses
 - Personal/Family Situation 50%
 - Restaurant and Bar Options 42%
 - Shopping 38%
 - Housing 27%
 - Entertainment and Cultural Options 27%
 - Thriving Downtown 22%

Potential Implications of Quality of Life



Why you are here...

- The future of rural communities is codependent
 - Work
 - People
 - Supporting organizations
 - Something to do
 - Access to healthcare
 - Good schools

Status Quo is not an option