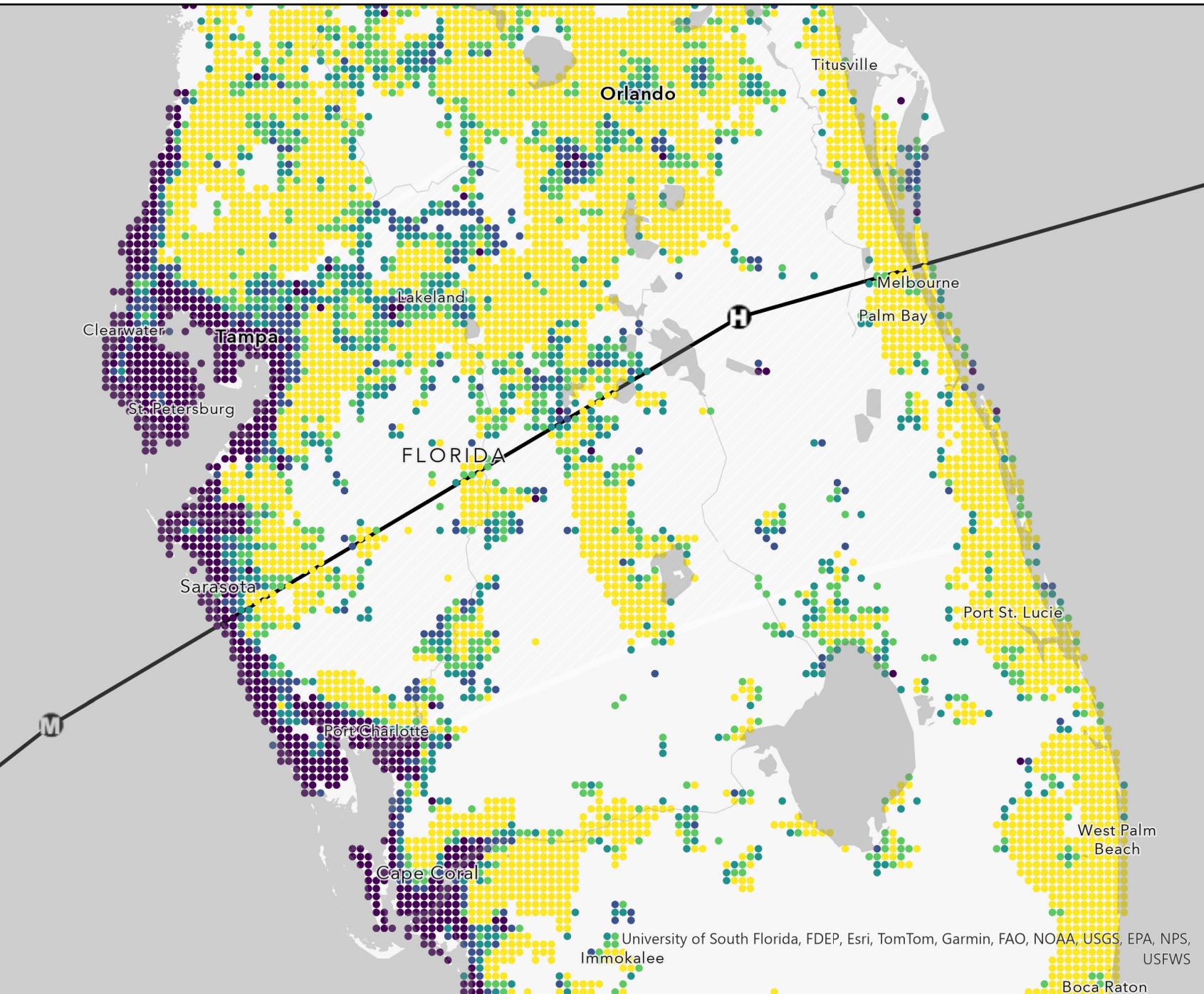


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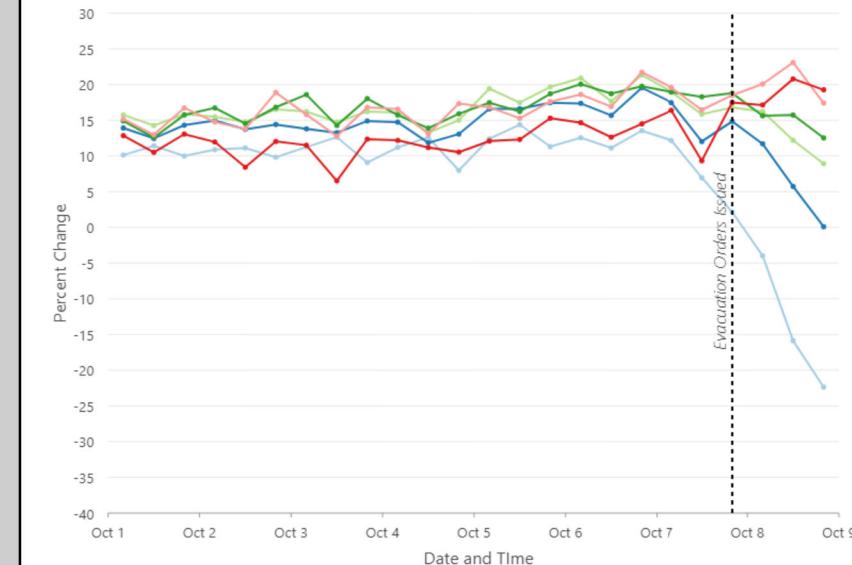
Population Movement by Evacuation Zone for Counties with Mandatory Evacuation Orders

October 9, 2024



As of Wednesday October 9th, Hurricane Milton continued to approach western Florida as an extremely intense Category 4 storm. Emergency managers warned that storm surge could exceed 15 feet in parts of coastal Florida. Evacuations from mandatory evacuation zones accelerated through Tuesday evening, with significant variation depending on the Zone. Based on population data from Data for Good at Meta, areas located in Zone A were roughly 25% below the pre-storm baseline. Areas B and C were evacuating more slowly.

Percent Change in Population by Evac Zone in Counties with Mandatory Evacuation Orders



## Legend

Facebook Population  
z\_score

- 4.000000 - -1.880460
- 1.880459 - 0.259607
- 0.259608 - 1.560452
- 1.560453 - 2.844708
- 2.844709 - 4.000000

Forecast Position

- Tropical Low
- Tropical Depression
- Tropical Storm
- Hurricane
- Major Hurricane

Forecast Error Cone

- 3 Day Cone
- 5 Day Cone