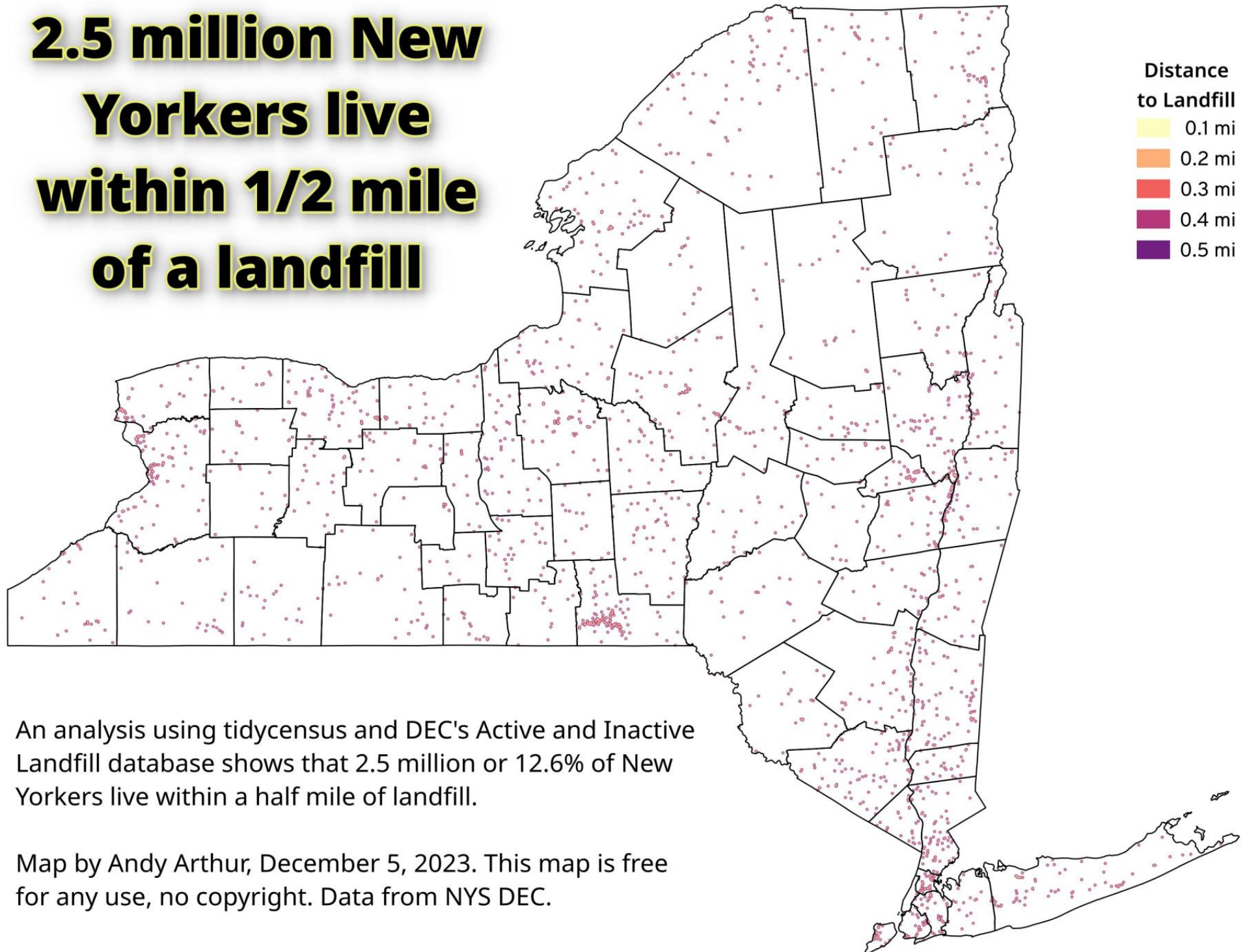


# 2.5 million New Yorkers live within 1/2 mile of a landfill



An analysis using tidycensus and DEC's Active and Inactive Landfill database shows that 2.5 million or 12.6% of New Yorkers live within a half mile of landfill.

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