Pedestrian Crashes and Fatalities

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Overall Picture - Fatalities

- Since 2012, 118 pedestrian fatalities, with 35 in 2015.
  - 48% of pedestrian fatal crashes occur between 8 PM and 2 AM.
  - 50% of pedestrians were under the influence of drugs and/or alcohol.
  - 67% of pedestrians killed were between the ages of 30-64.
  - 72% occurred in New Castle County.

Overall Picture – Fatalities (cont.)

- 79% occurred in dark conditions
  - 54% in dark – unlighted conditions
- Saturday is the highest for pedestrian crashes and Sundays the lowest.
- Tendency to be on multilane, high speed roadways

Pedestrian Action During the Fatal Crash (2012-2015)

Action	Total	%
Dart/Dash	25	23%
Disabled Vehicle Related	0	0%
Entering/Exiting Parked/Standing Vehicle	1	1%
Failure to Obey Traffic Signs, Signals, Or Officer	1	1%
Failure to Yield Right of Way	15	14%
In Roadway Improperly	28	25%
Inattentive (Talking, Eating, Etc.)	0	0%
No Improper Action	5	5%
Not Visible	24	22%
Other	3	3%
Unknown	6	5%
Wrong Way Riding or Walking	3	3%

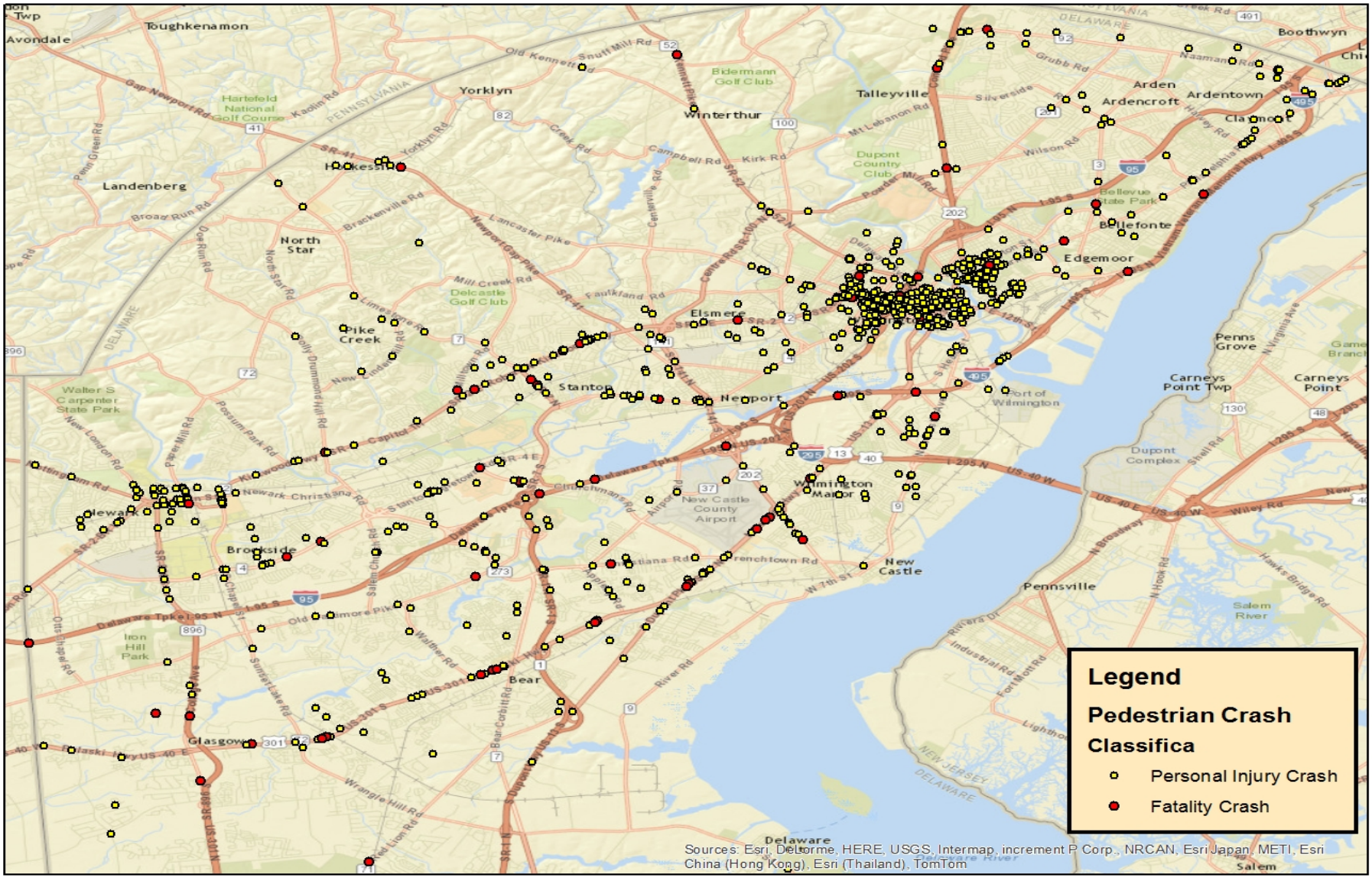
Speed Limit Where Pedestrian Fatal Crash Occurred

Posted Speed Limit		
Speed Limit	**Total**	**% of Crashes**
≤20	3	3%
25	12	11%
30	0	0%
35	11	10%
40	14	13%
45	19	17%
50	30	28%
55	17	16%
65	3	3%

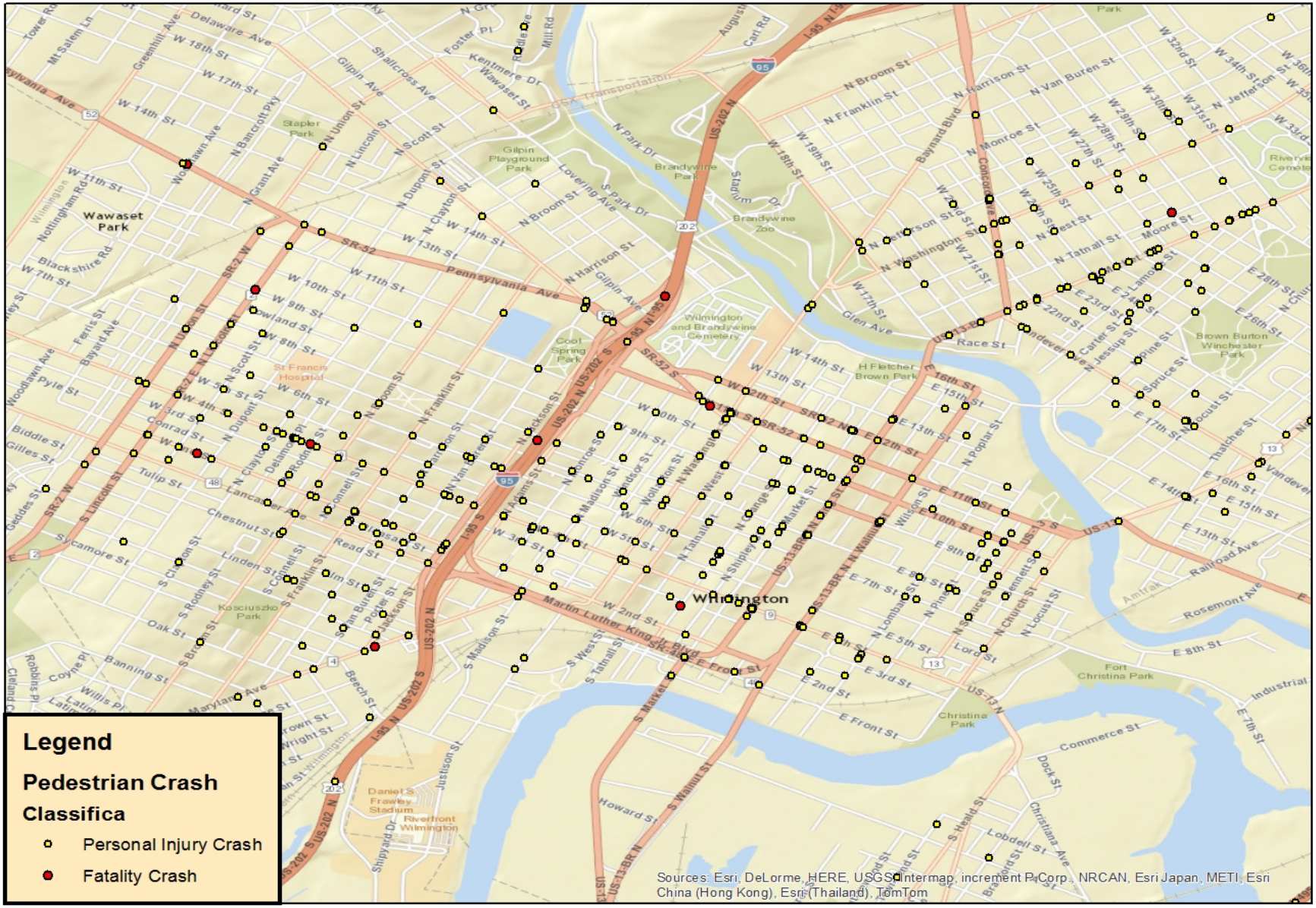
Location Prior To Crash (2012-2015)

Location	Total	%
Intersection - Marked Crosswalk	25	19%
Intersection - Other	2	2%
Median/Crossing Island	9	7%
Midblock - Marked Crosswalk	1	1%
Non-Trafficway Area	2	2%
Other	3	2%
Shoulder/Roadside	12	9%
Sidewalk	7	5%
Travel Lane - Other Location	60	46%
Unknown	10	8%

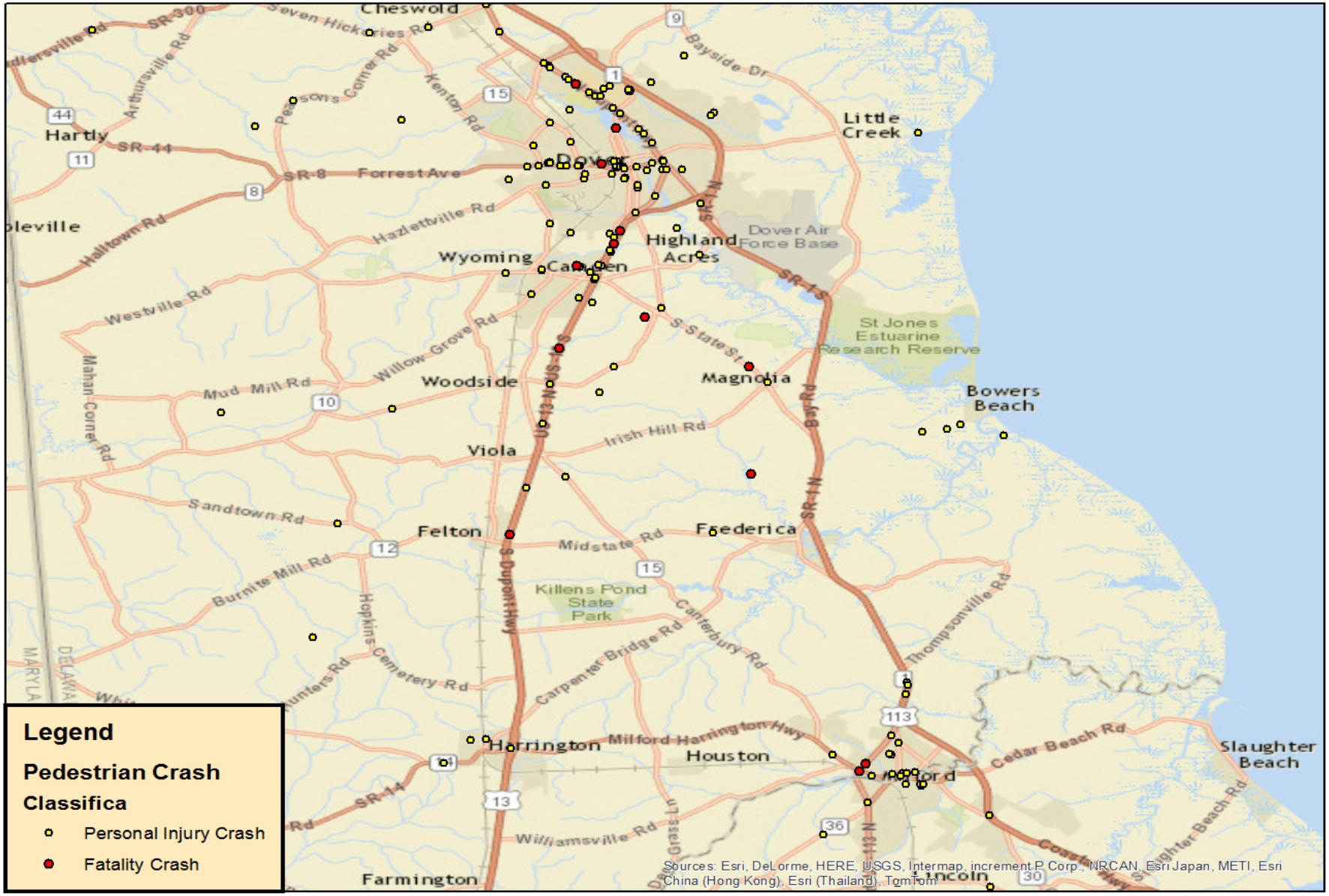
North of Canal Pedestrian Crashes (2012-2015)



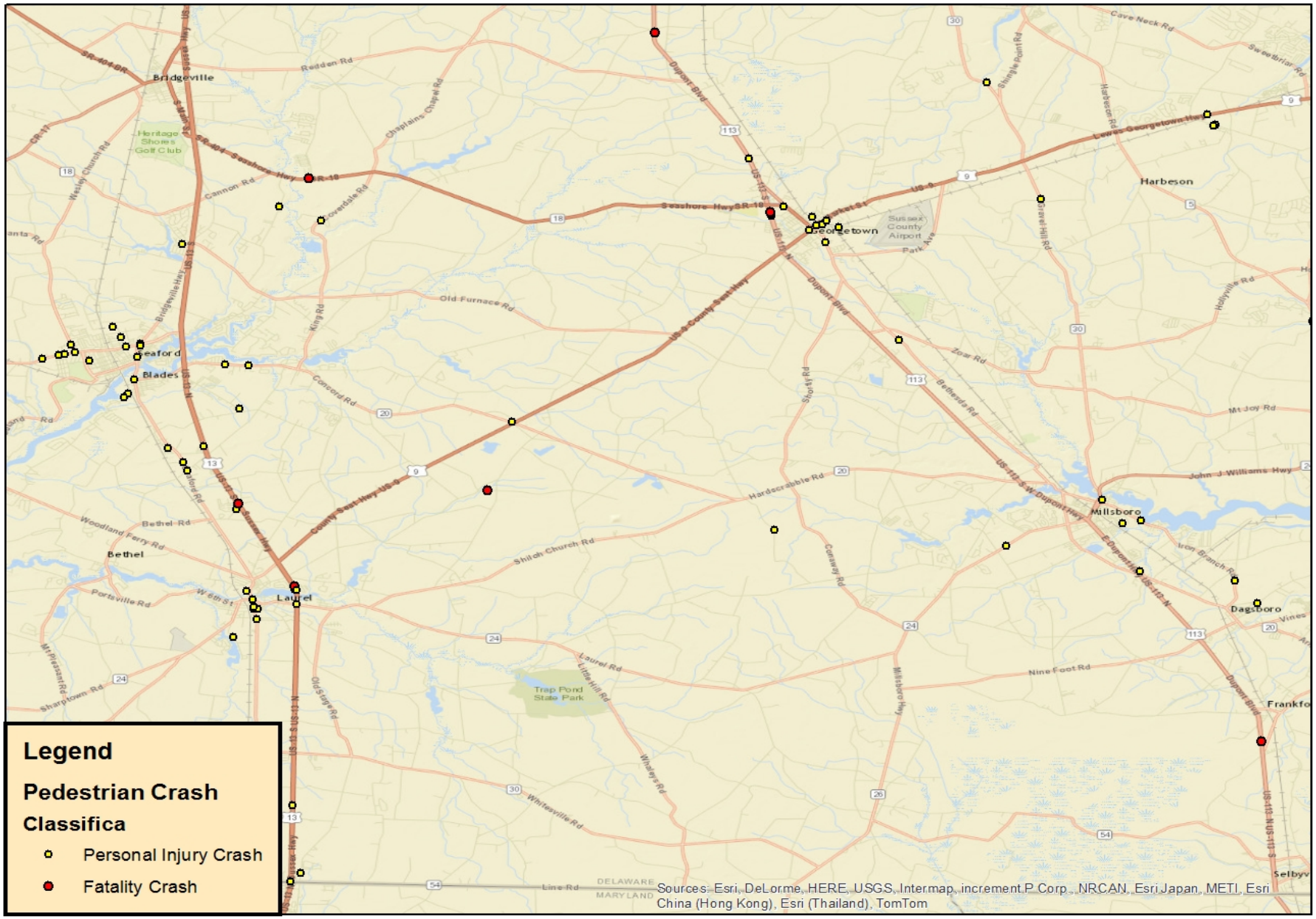
Wilmington Crashes (2012-2015)



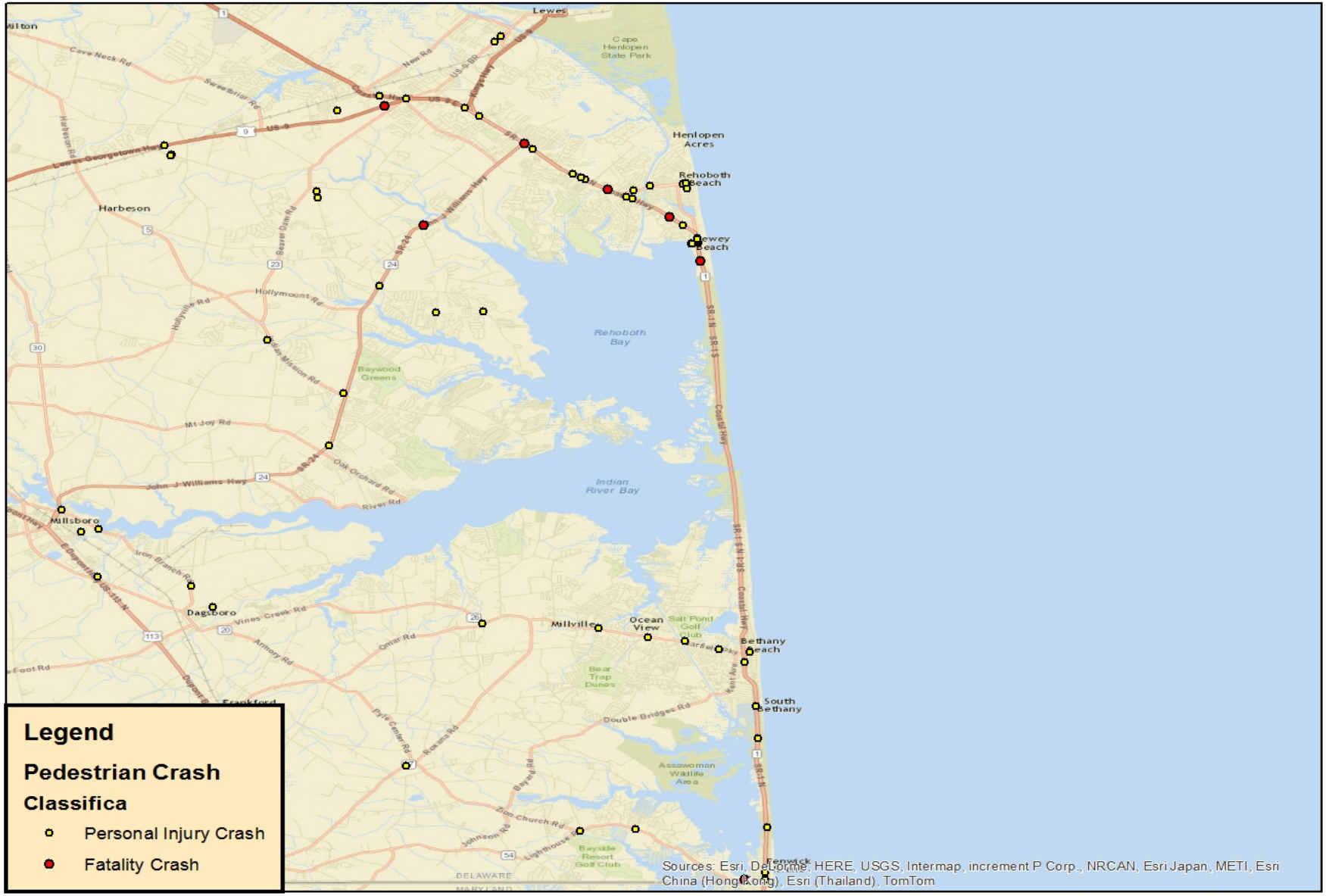
Dover/Camden/Milford (2012-2015)



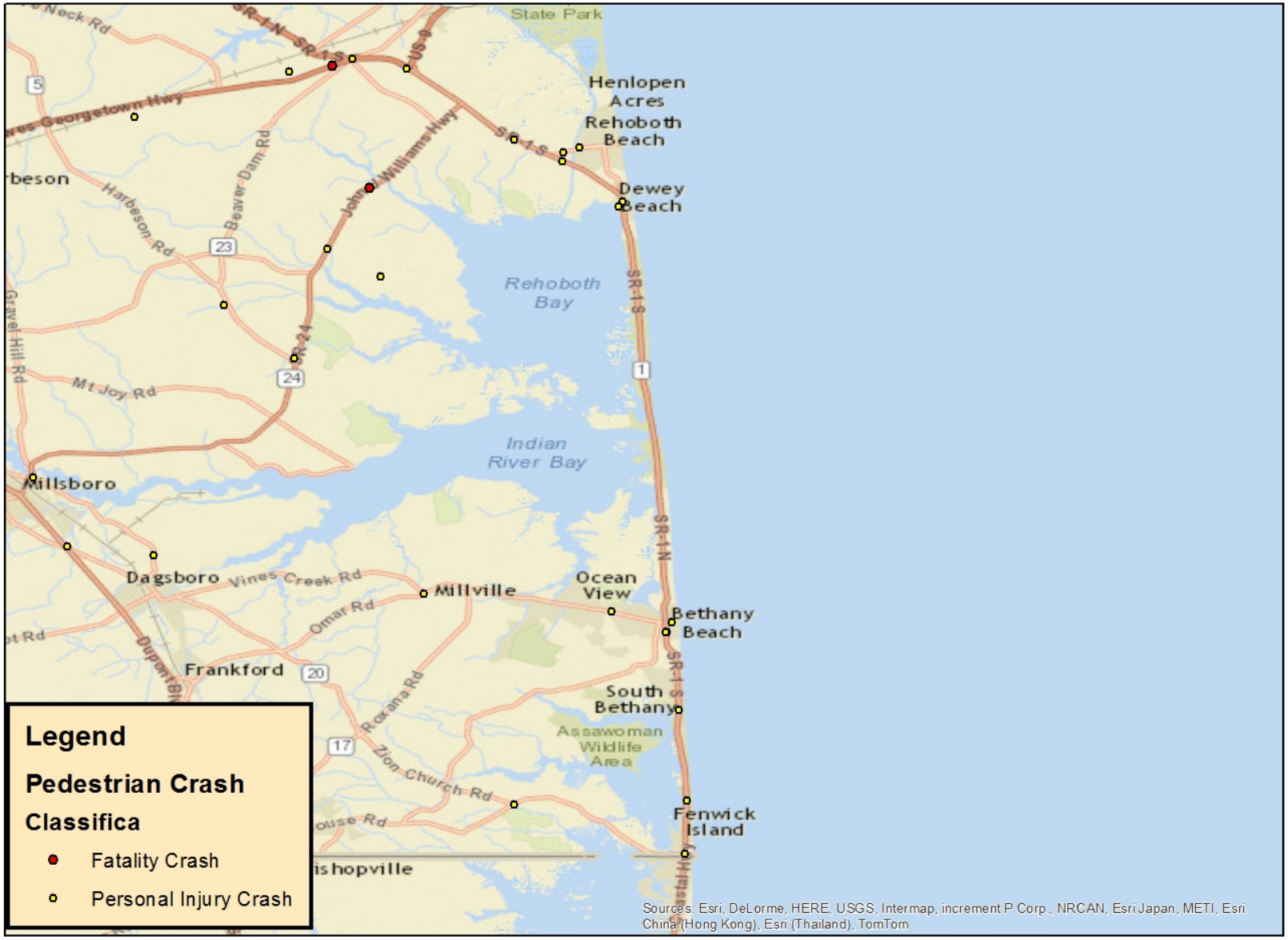
Western Sussex (2012-2015)



Beaches (2012-2015)



Beaches (2014-2015)

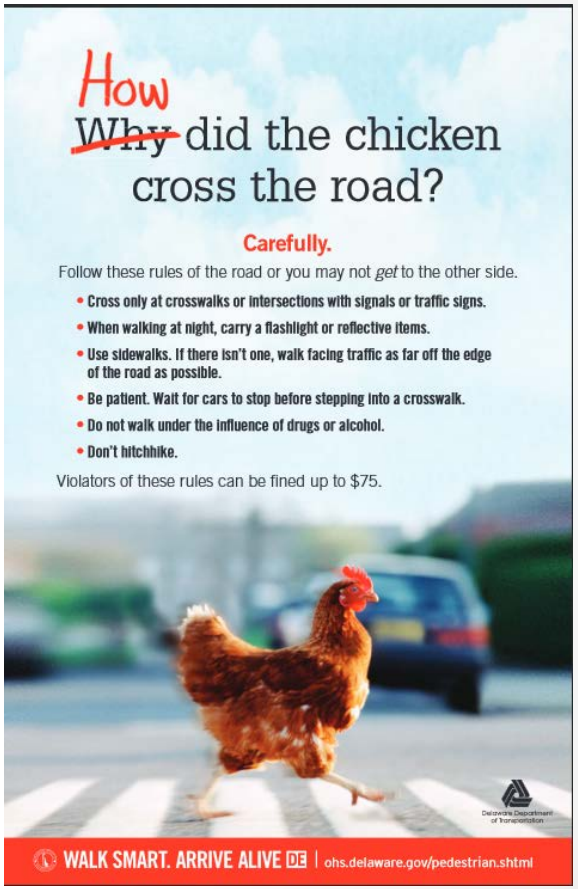


Current Marketing and Enforcements



Happy Crab Campaign – Beach Areas

"How Did the Chicken Cross the Road" – Rest of Delaware



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