Codebook for Replication File: "Local Interest Group Participation in the Housing Entitlement Process"

Dataset: *data_sf.shp*

1. **cbsa_name** CBSA name

2. **dist_band** Distance band from the CBSA center to the city used for identifying the correct zoning tax

3. **GEOID** Census GEOID

4. **GISJOIN** Census indicator for GIS file joins (Manson et al. 2022)

5. **STATEFP** State FIPS code

6. **PLACEFP** Place FIPS code

7. **NAME** Place name

8. **place_name** Place name and census level identifier

9. **ideo_city** City name from ideology database (Warshaw and Tausanovitch 2022)

10. **mrp_ideology** Ideology score (Warshaw and Tausanovitch 2022). Lower values correspond with politically right-wing/conservative positions, higher values with left-wing/liberal positions. This is an inversion from the original data such that values positively correlate with a city's Democratic vote share.

11. **demshare_pres** Democratic voteshare for 2016 presidential election (Warshaw and Tausanovitch 2022)

12. **state_name** State name

13. **mentions_council** Number of mentions of construction unions within city council meeting minutes

14. **mentions_planning** Number of mentions of construction unions within planning commission meeting minutes

15. **count_council** Number of city council meeting minutes available for city

16. **count_planning** Number of planning commission meeting minutes avilable for city

17. **binary_council** Occurrence of any construction union mentions in city council (0, 1)

18. **binary_planning** Occurrence of any construction union mentions in planning commission meetings (0, 1)

19. **binary_all** Occurrence of any construction union mentions in either city council or planning commission meetings (0, 1)

20. **count_all** Number of either city council or planning commission meeting minutes

21. **mentions_all** Number of mentions of construction unions within either city council or planning commission meeting minutes

22. **prop_all** Proportion of either city council or planning commission meetings with a construction union mention

23. **prop_council** Proportion of city council meetings with a construction union mention

24. **prop_planning** Proportion of planning commission meetings with a construction union mention

25. **ztax_sf** Zoning tax by square foot, CBSA average (Gyourko and Krimmel 2021)

26. **ztax_qa** Zoning tax by quarter acre, CBSA average (Gyourko and Krimmel 2021)

27. **ztax_qa_0015** Zoning tax by quarter acre for cities from 0 to 15 miles from CBSA center

28. **ztax_qa_1530** Zoning tax by quarter acre for cities from 15 to 30 miles from CBSA center

29. **ztax_qa_30xx** Zoning tax by quarter acre for cities beyond 30 miles from CBSA center

30. **latitude**

31. **longitude**

32. **dist_cent** Distance from city to CBSA center (miles)

33. **dist_band_ztax** Relevant zoning tax based on distance from CBSA center

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