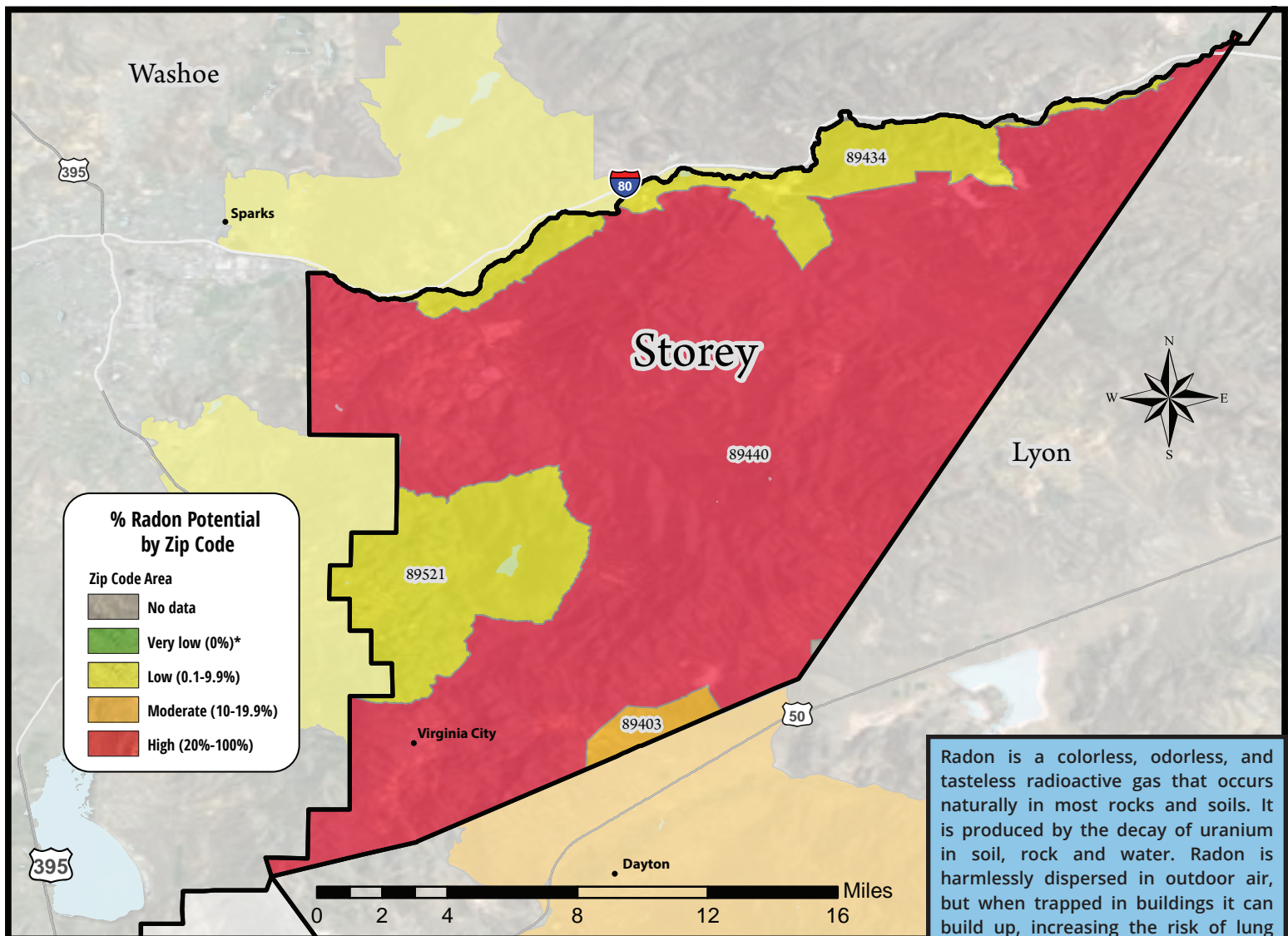


# Storey County

## Radon Potential by Zip Code



Radon is a colorless, odorless, and tasteless radioactive gas that occurs naturally in most rocks and soils. It is produced by the decay of uranium in soil, rock and water. Radon is harmlessly dispersed in outdoor air, but when trapped in buildings it can build up, increasing the risk of lung cancer.

The EPA Action Level: The U.S. EPA recommends that you take action to reduce radon levels that are 4.0 pCi/l or higher.

The EPA and the U.S. Surgeon General recommends all homes be tested for radon.

Storey County Zip Codes	89440 Virginia City	County Totals
<b>Total Number of Tests</b>		
Valid Tests	44	44
Less than 4 pCi/l	32	32
4 pCi/l and greater	12	12
% Radon Potential	27.3%	27.3%
<b>Range of Radon Levels in pCi/l</b>		
≥ 0 < 4	32	32
≥ 4 < 10	12	12
≥ 10 < 20	-	-
≥ 20 < 50	-	-
≥ 50 < 100	-	-
≥ 100	-	-
<b>Radon Levels by pCi/l</b>		
Average	2.94	2.94
Highest	9.3	

Map includes zip codes from neighboring counties	89403 Dayton (Lyon)	89434 Sparks (Washoe)	89521 Reno (Washoe)
<b>Total Number of Tests</b>			
Valid Tests	300	380	645
Less than 4 pCi/l	264	370	585
4 pCi/l and greater	36	10	60
% Radon Potential	12.0%	2.6%	9.3%
<b>Range of Radon Levels in pCi/l</b>			
≥ 0 < 4	264	370	585
≥ 4 < 10	32	10	54
≥ 10 < 20	4	-	5
≥ 20 < 50	-	-	1
≥ 50 < 100	-	-	-
≥ 100	-	-	-
<b>Radon Levels by pCi/l</b>			
Average	2.44	1.49	2.01
Highest	19.4	8.2	20.5

\*\*Note: Results are based on independently tested home data from program-provided kits, radon professionals and radon labs, from 1989 to June 30, 2018. When known, post-mitigation results are not included and usable results are valid tests, one per home, using the highest radon level on the lowest tested level of the home.

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