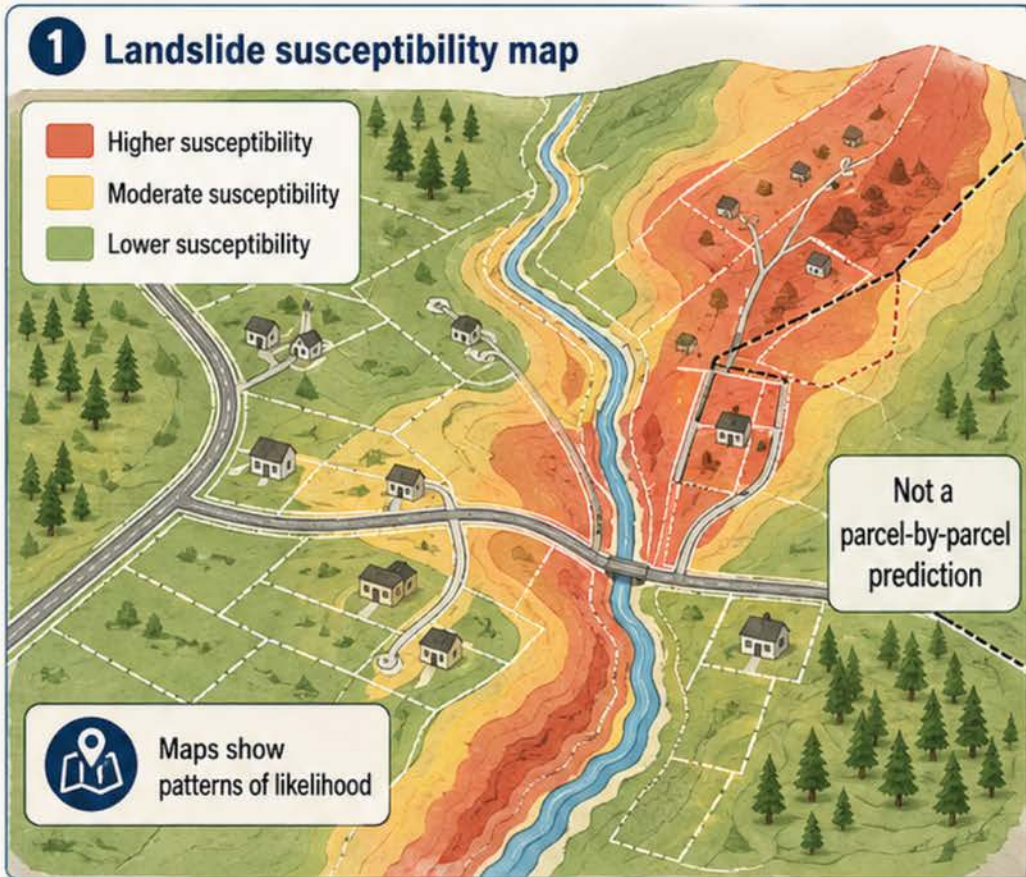
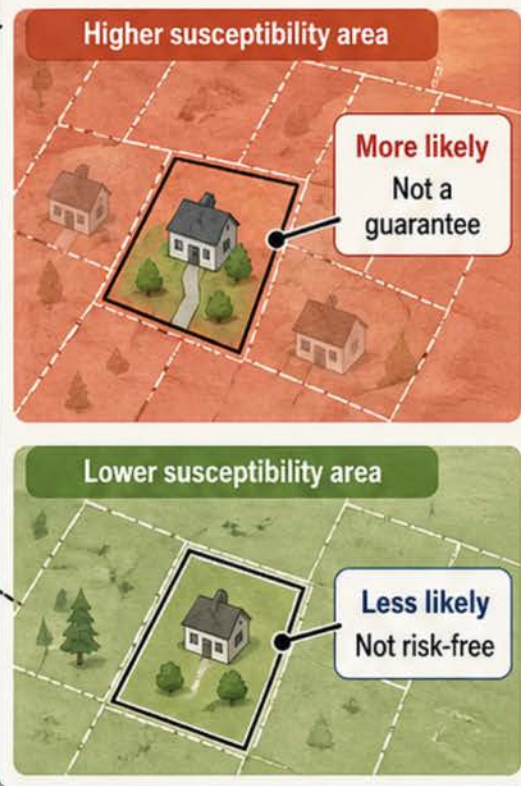


Why Landslide Maps Show Susceptibility, Not Certainty

1 Landslide susceptibility map



2 Zoom in: parcel examples



3 Conditions such as slope, geology, and water affect susceptibility



4 Susceptibility



More likely / less likely

Helps guide planning, screening, and communication

VS.

Certainty / exact prediction



Maps do not predict exactly when or where a landslide will occur

Site-specific review may still be needed



Susceptibility is not certainty.

Policy takeaway: Susceptibility maps are tools for screening and planning, not exact forecasts. They help guide planning, screening, communication, and where more site-specific investigation is needed.

