

FONTAINE AVENUE STREETScape IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT

April 18, 2019
 Public Open House Feedback



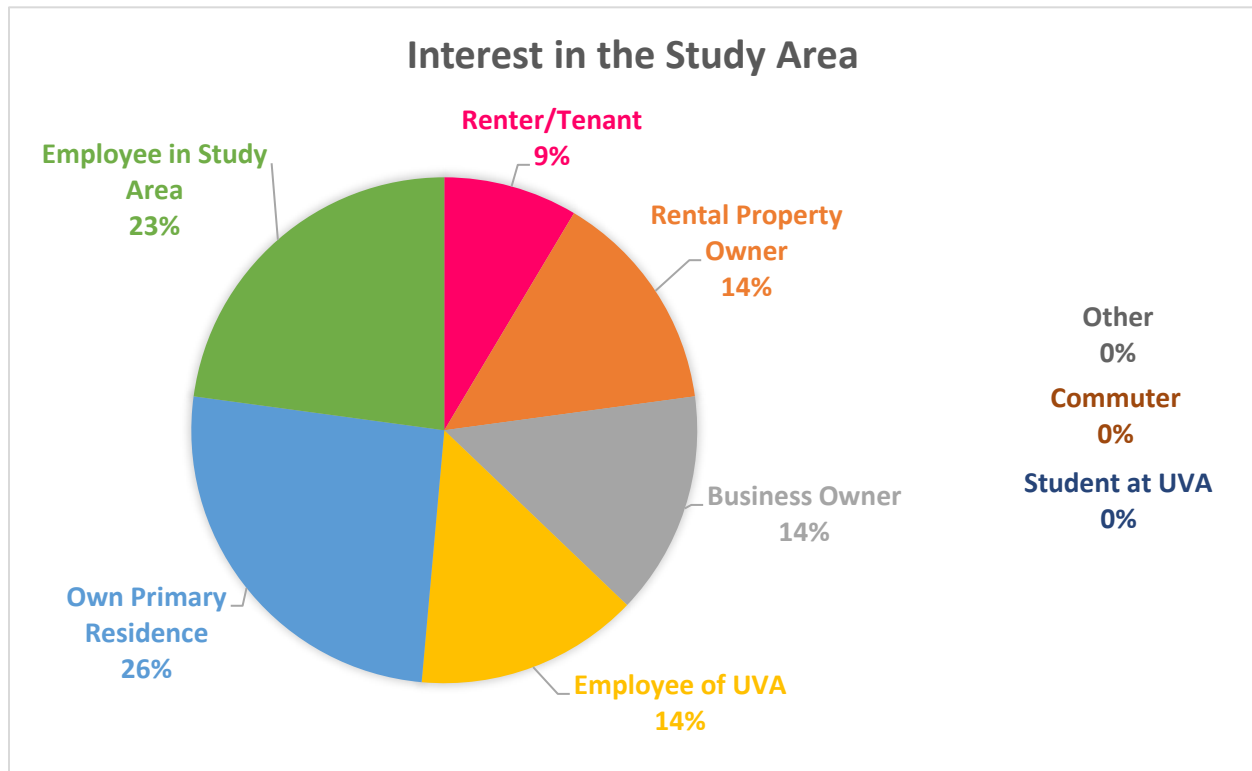
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Introduction

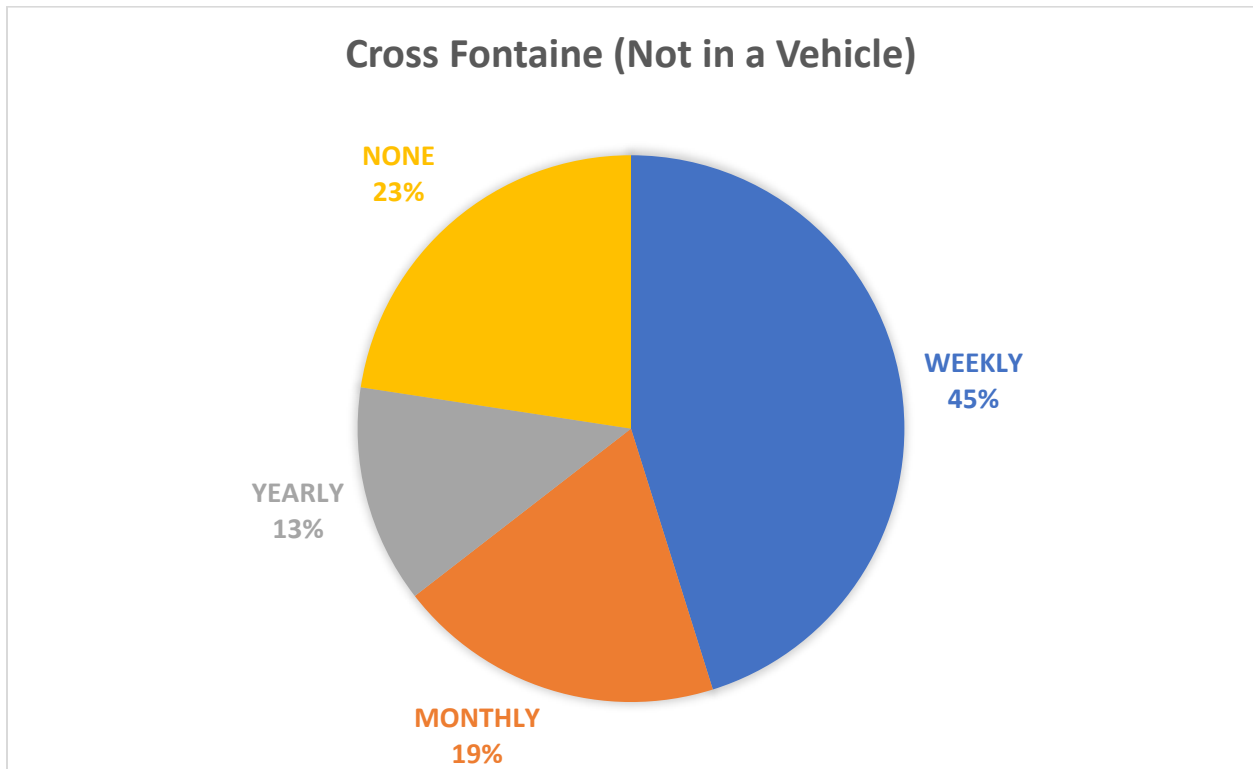
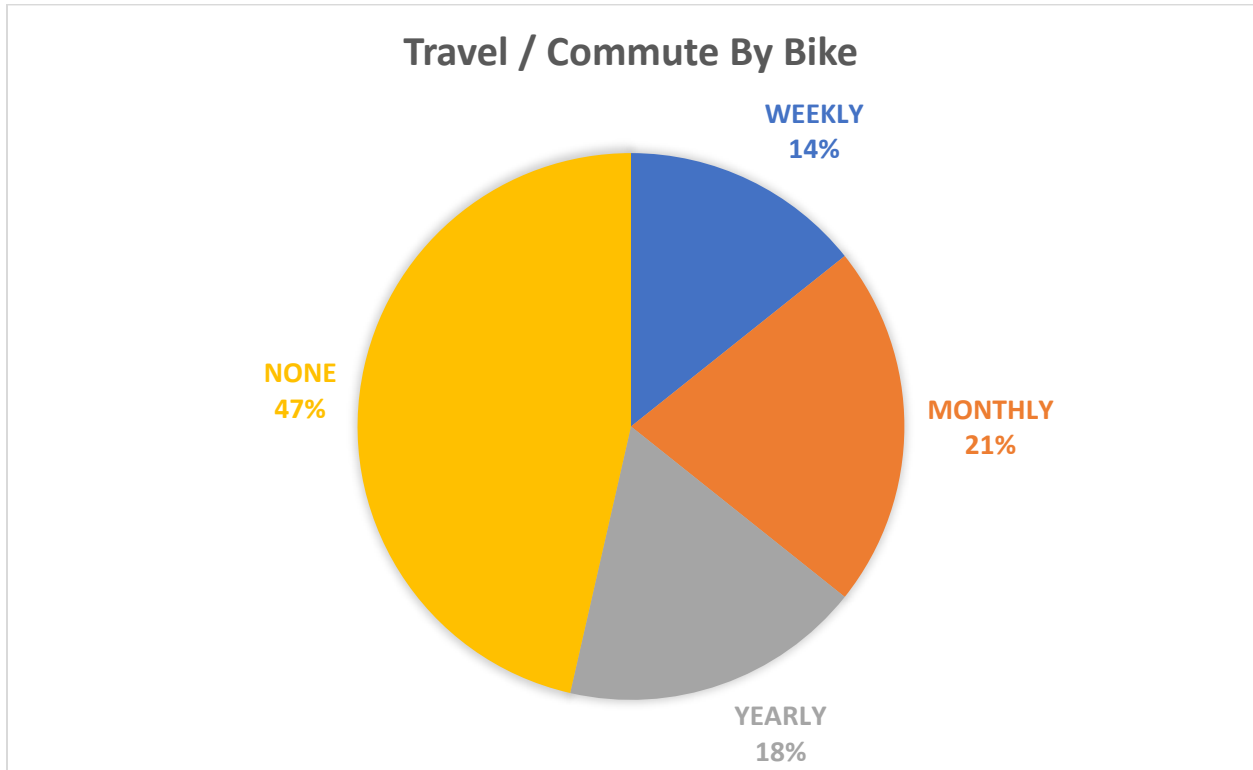
The following sections are the comment responses solicited by the Fontaine Avenue Streetscape Improvements Project Public Open House held on April 18th from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Responses were collected at the meeting, as well as via an online form found on the project website and an option to mail in the forms. The deadline to submit responses was May 3, 2019.

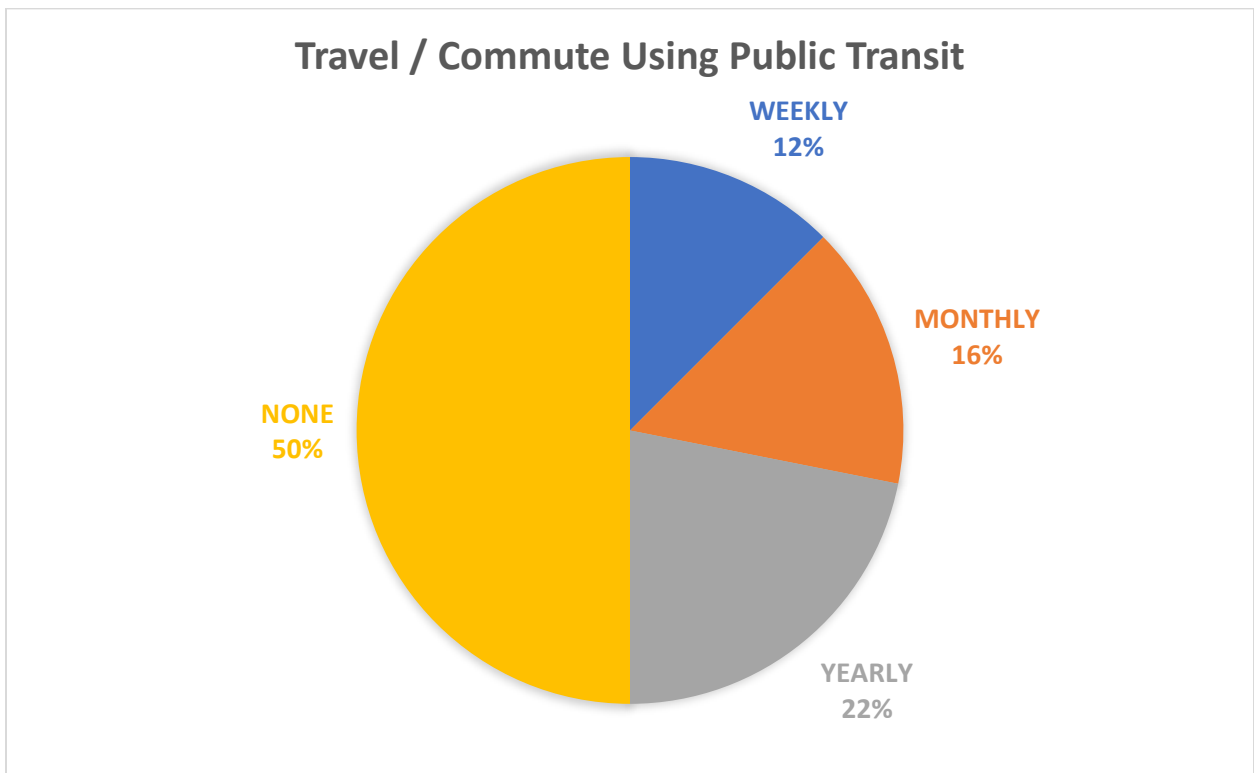
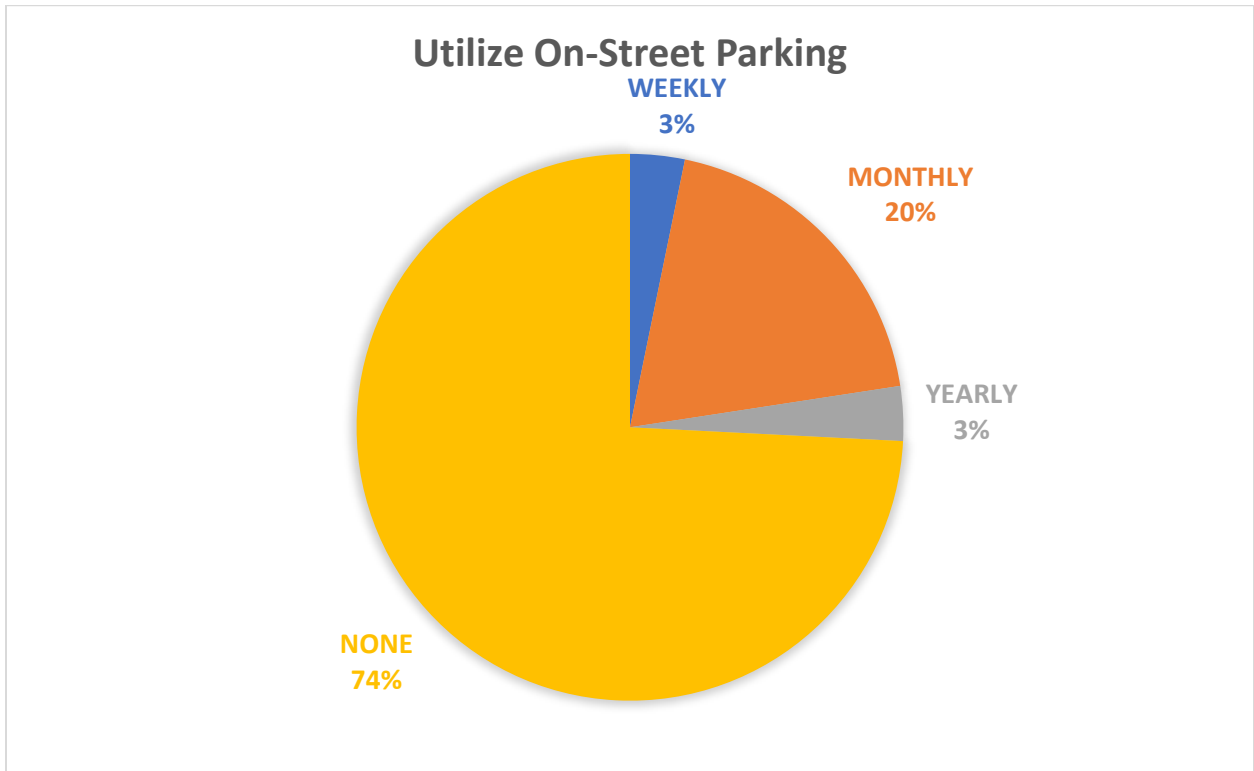
A total of 43 public attendees were at the meeting, including 5 from the project Steering Committee. This was greater than the 33 at the first meeting, of which there were also 5 Steering Committee members. To promote the higher attendance, additional public outreach was completed including the use of the message board at the Fire Station, placing flyers at local businesses, and installing bus posters on the UVA transit system.

Comment Form: Interest in Area

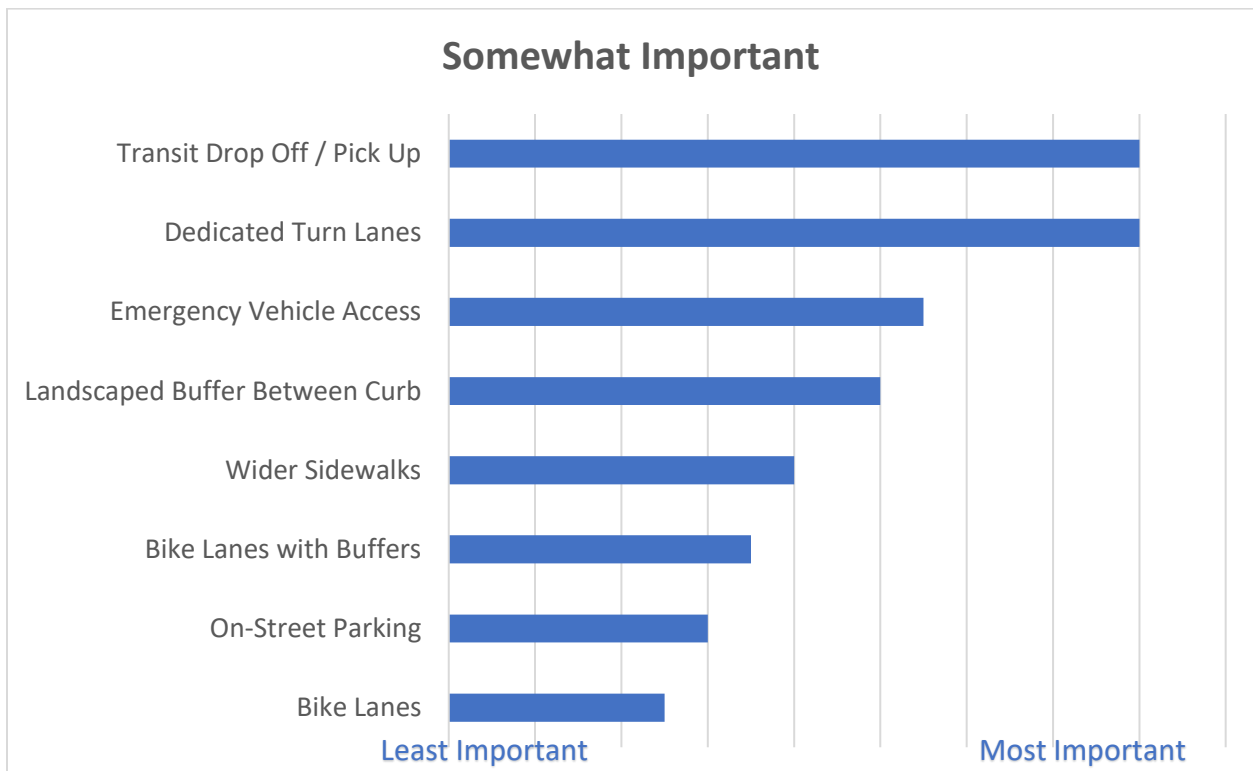
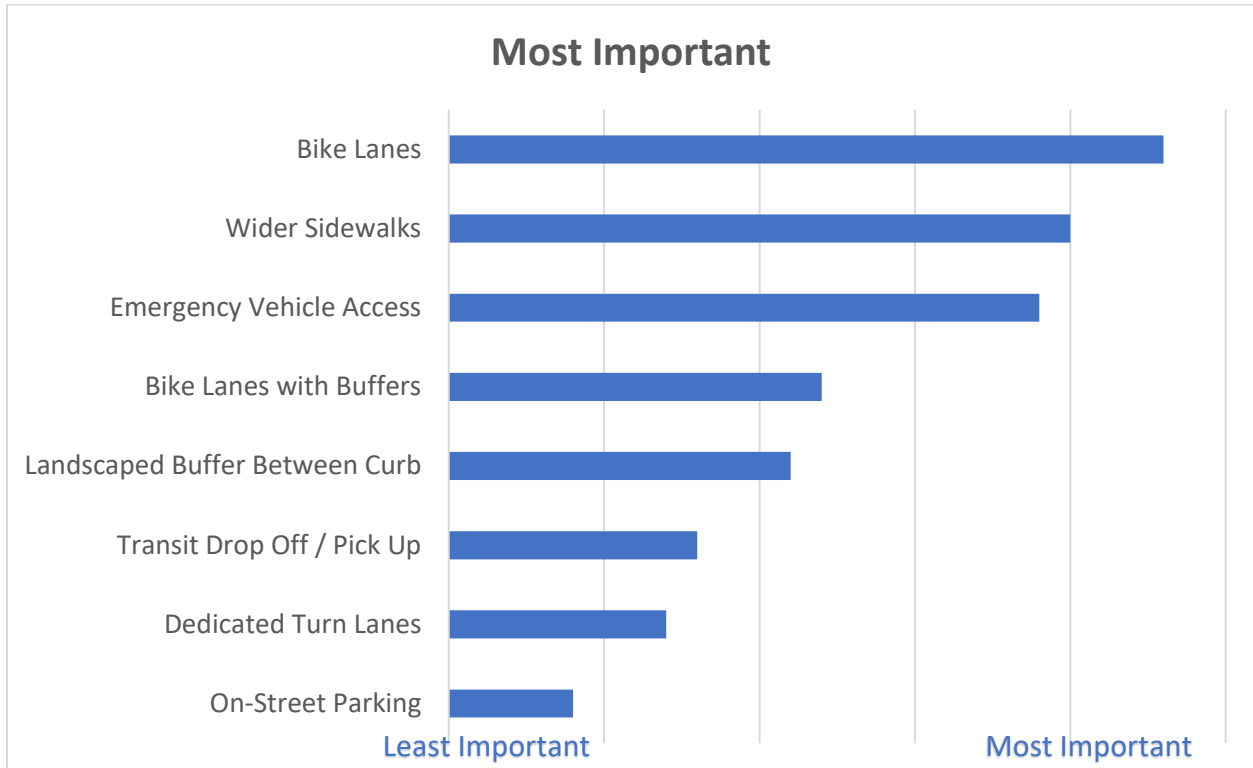


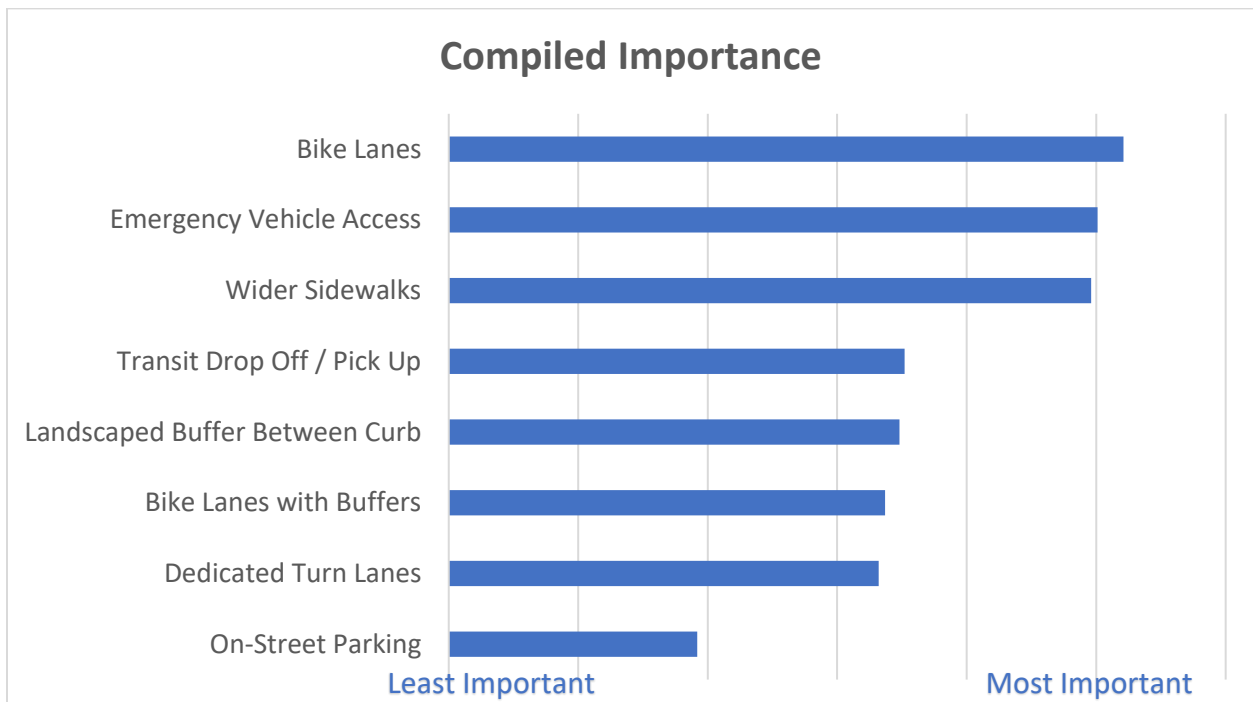
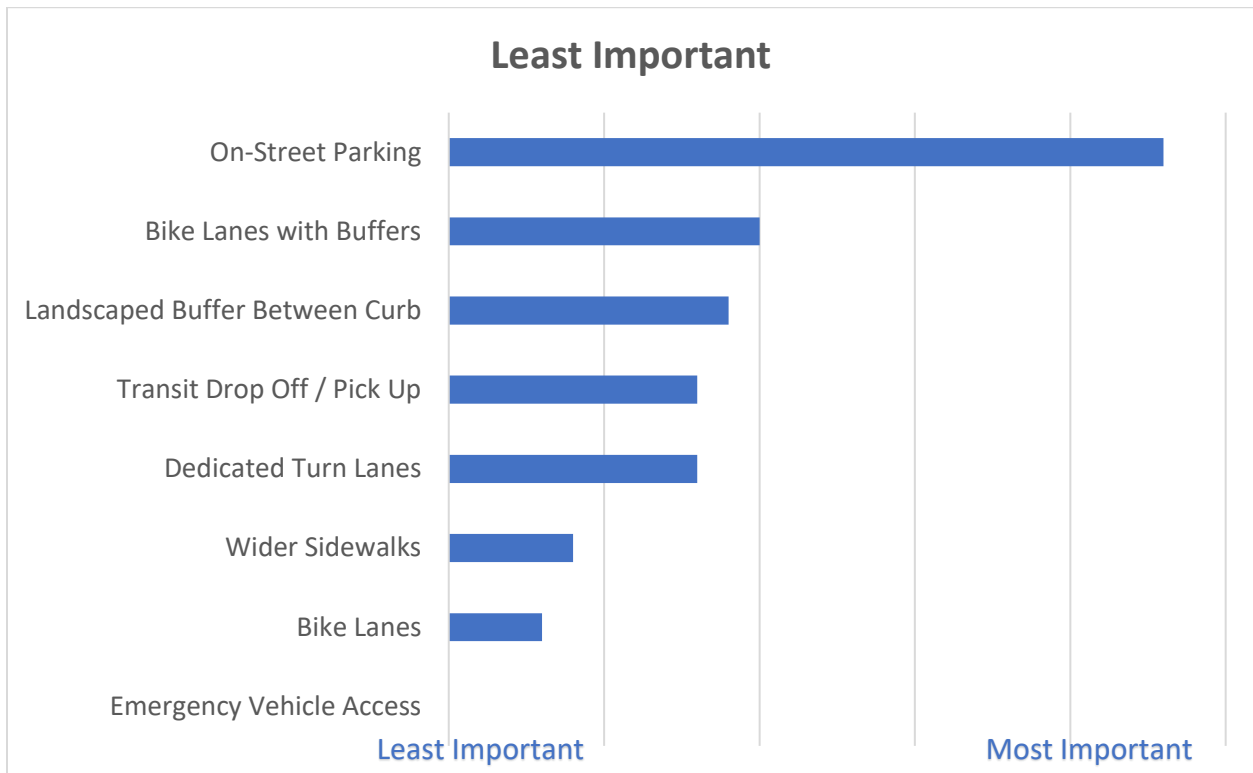
Comment Form: How Often Do You do the Following?





Comment Form: Importance of Elements in the Streetscape





Comment Form: Response Summary

Number of similar comments received (in parenthesis)

- Planting strip / trees / environment (6)
- Minimize property and landscaping impacts (5)
- Provide wide sidewalks (4)
- Provide bicycle and pedestrian connections to Fontaine Research Park and trails (4)
- No on-street parking / dangerous / not used by residents (4)
- Buffer bicycle lanes (4)
- Develop a sense of place (3)
- Reduce speed limit (3)
- Sidewalk only on one side of street (3)
- No bicycle lanes / different bicycle route (2)
- Improve / provide safe crosswalks (2)
- Keep parking / parking is needed for entire area (2)
- Timed / metered parking (2)
- Maintain / improve access from driveways and side streets (2)
- Keep in mind how delivery trucks, mail, garbage collection, etc will function (2)
- Bicycles outside of roadway along sidewalk (1)
- Gateway signage for Charlottesville (1)
- Turn lanes (1)