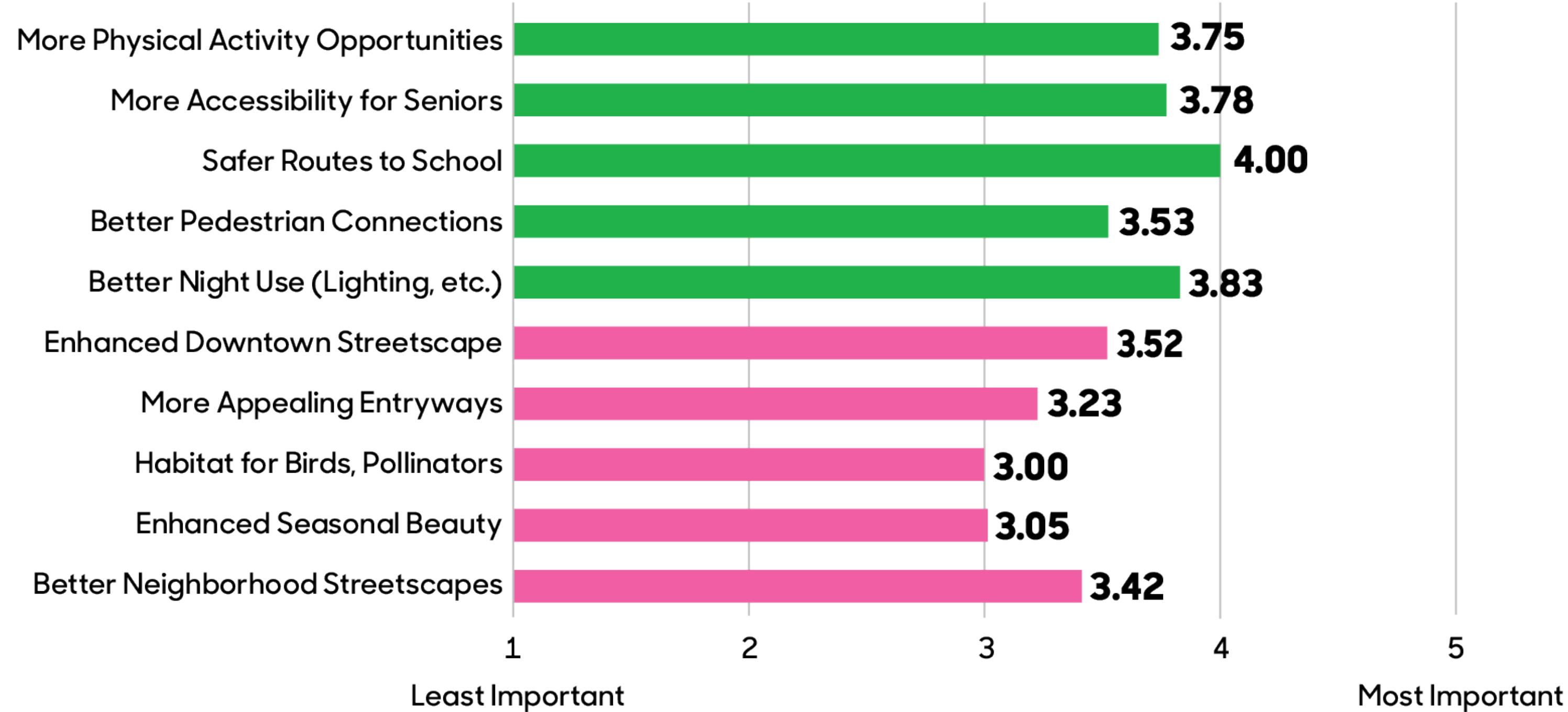


# WHAT TYPES OF ENHANCEMENTS ARE IMPORTANT? Mobility, Safety, and Health!

Transportation Enhancement Issues  
■ Pedestrian Mobility, Safety, and Health  
■ Quality of the Built Environment



## Importance of transportation enhancement by type (118 responses)

On a scale of 1 to 5, with 5 being the most important, participants in Durant ranked creating safer routes to school as most important, with a mean value of 4.00. Other types of transportation enhancements that address pedestrian mobility, health, and safety are also considered important, such as providing better lighting for night use (3.83), more accessibility for seniors (3.78), and more opportunities for physical activity (3.75). In terms of quality of the built environment, survey respondents consider enhanced downtown streetscape as most important (3.52), followed by better neighborhood streetscapes (3.42) and more appealing entryways (3.23). These findings are consistent with the views expressed by focus group participants during the Transportation Assets and Barriers workshop held in March 2019.

## WHAT DID THEY SAY?

# Survey Participants Said...



"It is very dark in mornings and evenings."

"...if [the sidewalks] were good, it [would feel] more safe and comfortable walking. ...new streets are too wide, causing faster traffic."



"Kids have to walk on a busy road to school. [There is] no sidewalk for half of it."

"You can't push a stroller on cracked sidewalks. Some roads don't have sidewalks."

