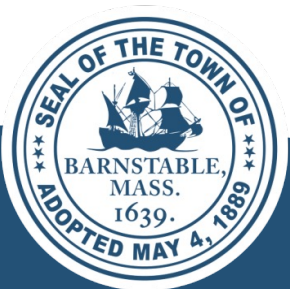


# Barnstable Local Comprehensive Plan Survey Summary

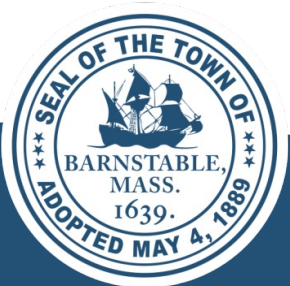
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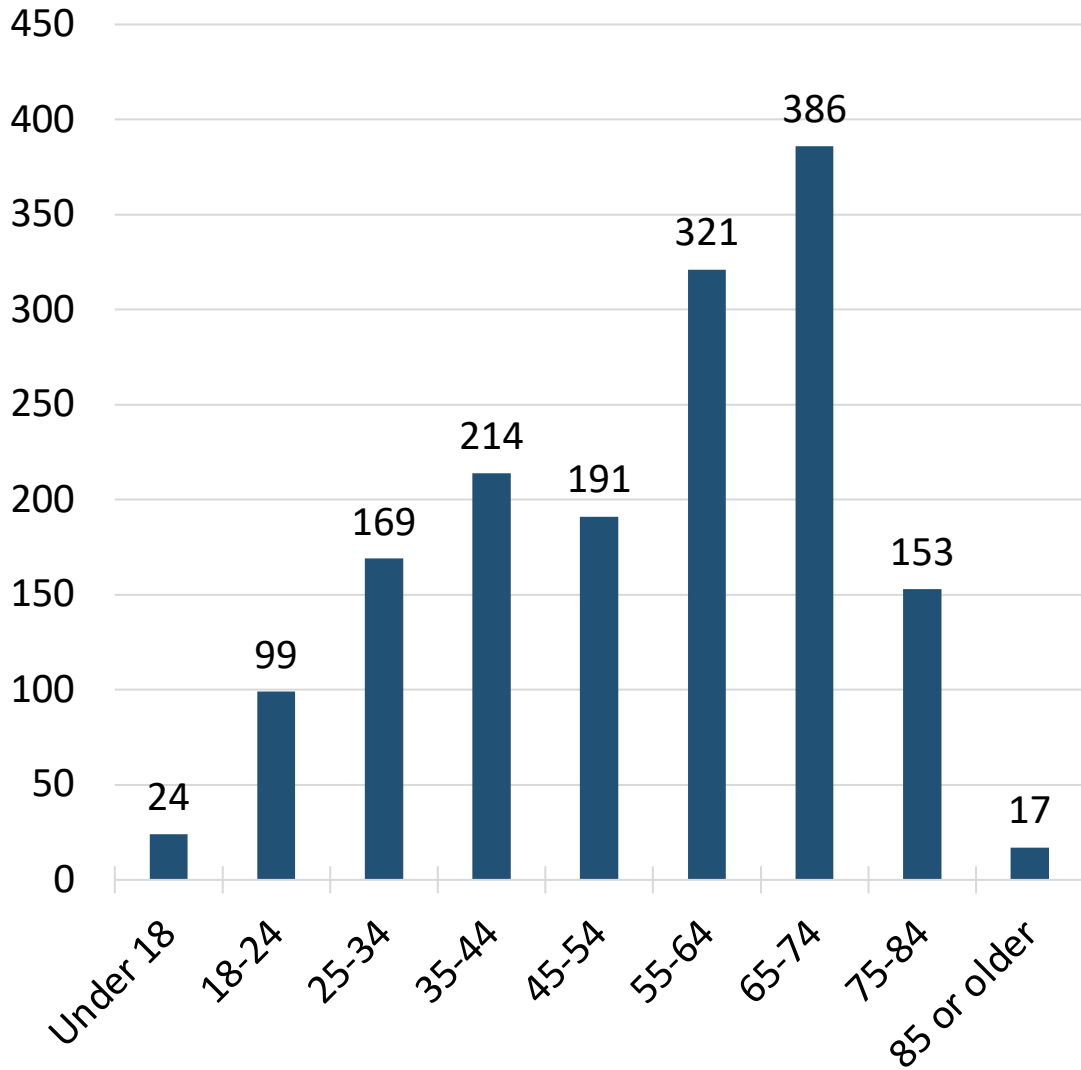
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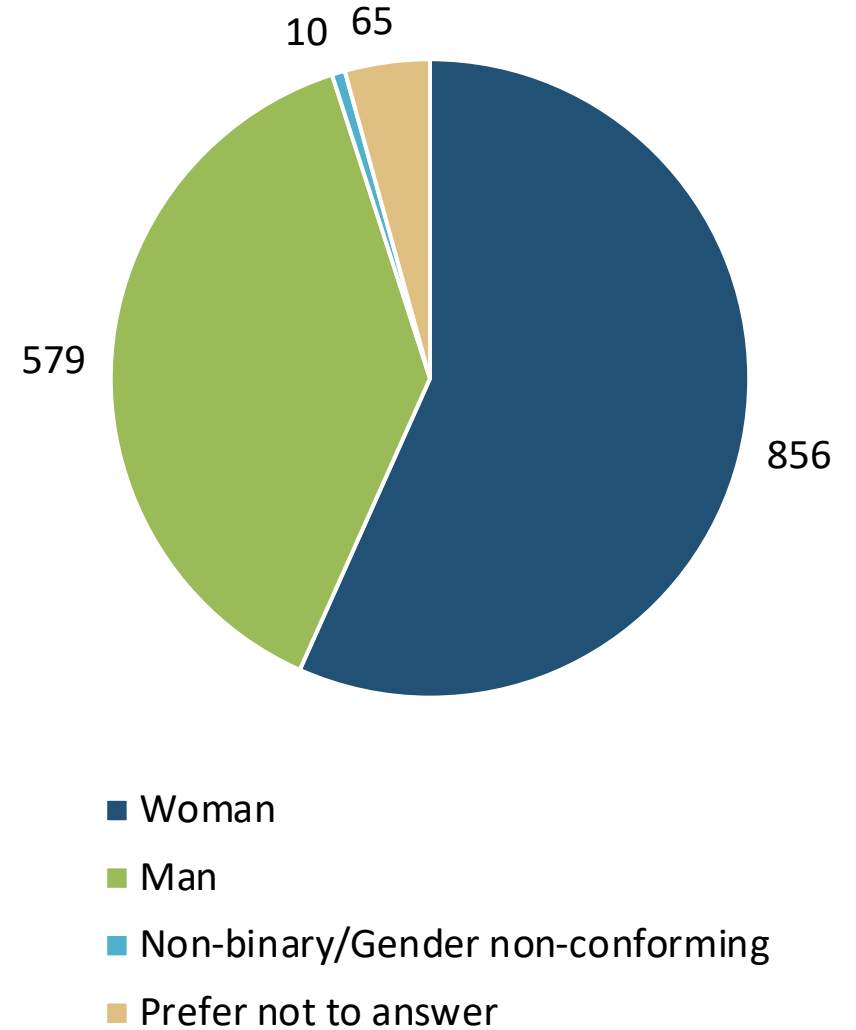
# **PARTICIPANT BACKGROUND**



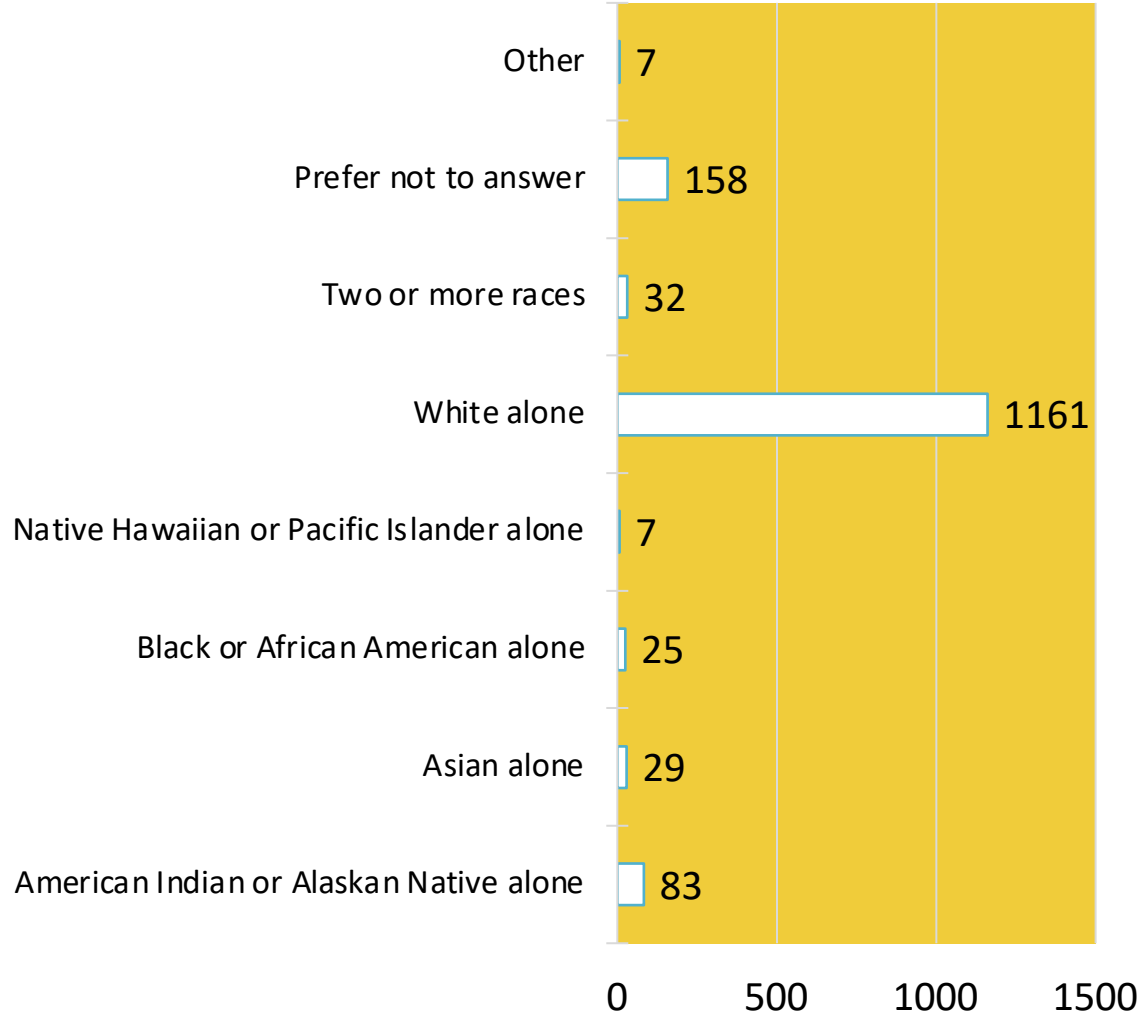
### 1. What is your age?



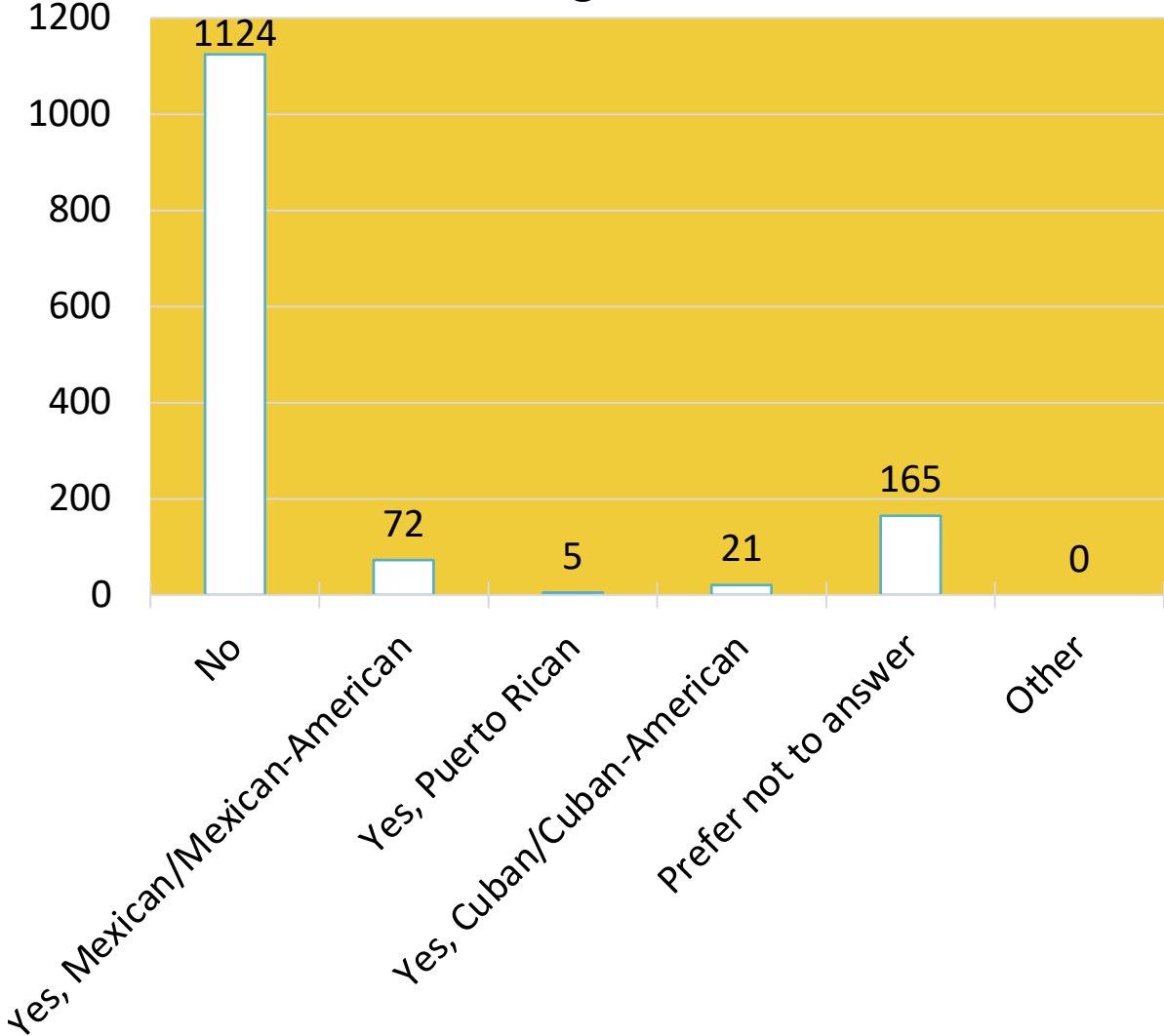
### 28. What is your gender identity?



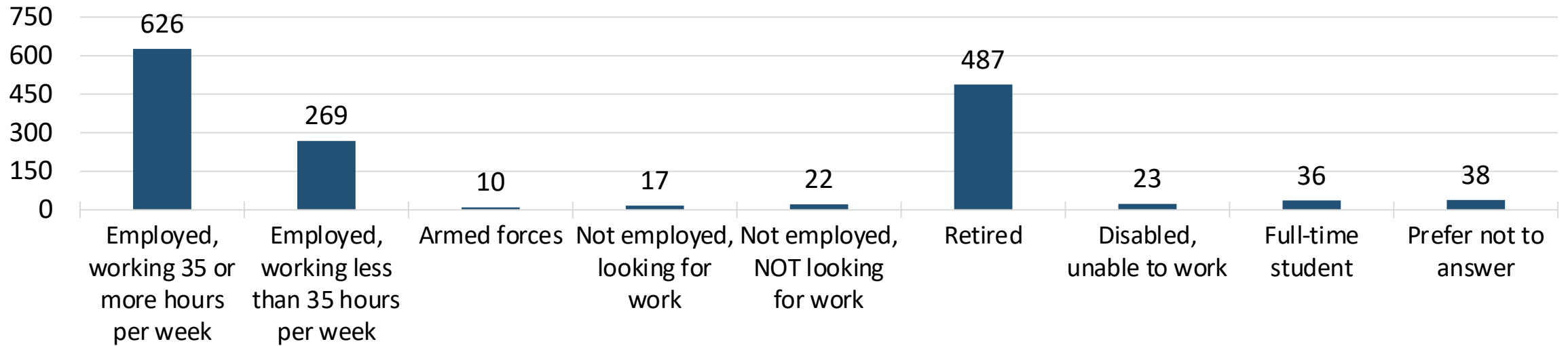
### 31. How would you describe your racial identity?



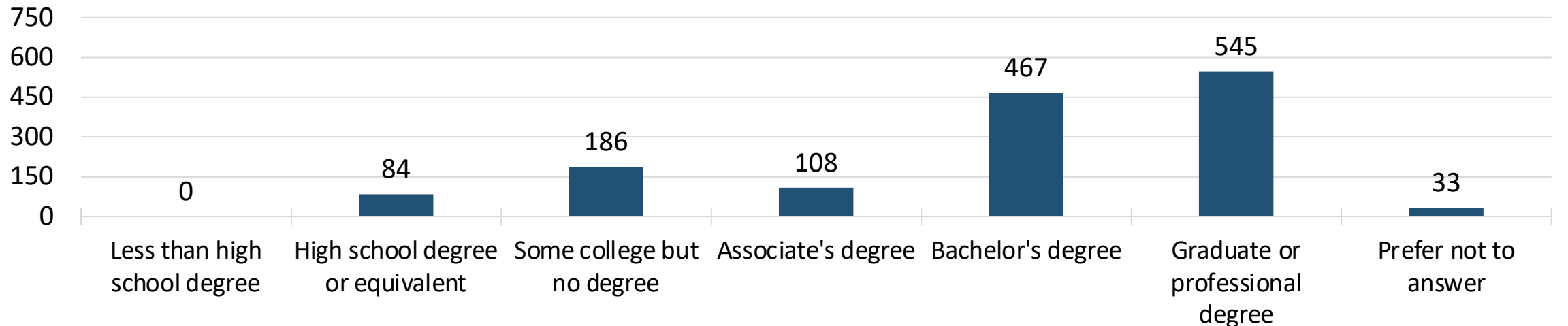
### 32. Are you of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin?



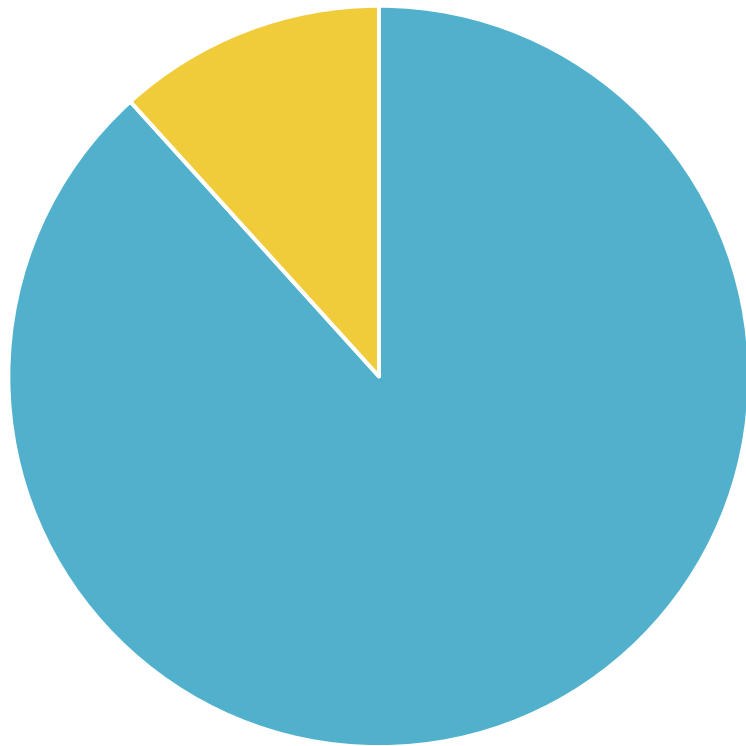
### 29. Which of the following categories best describes your employment status?



### 30. What is the highest level of schooling you have completed or the highest degree you have received at this point?

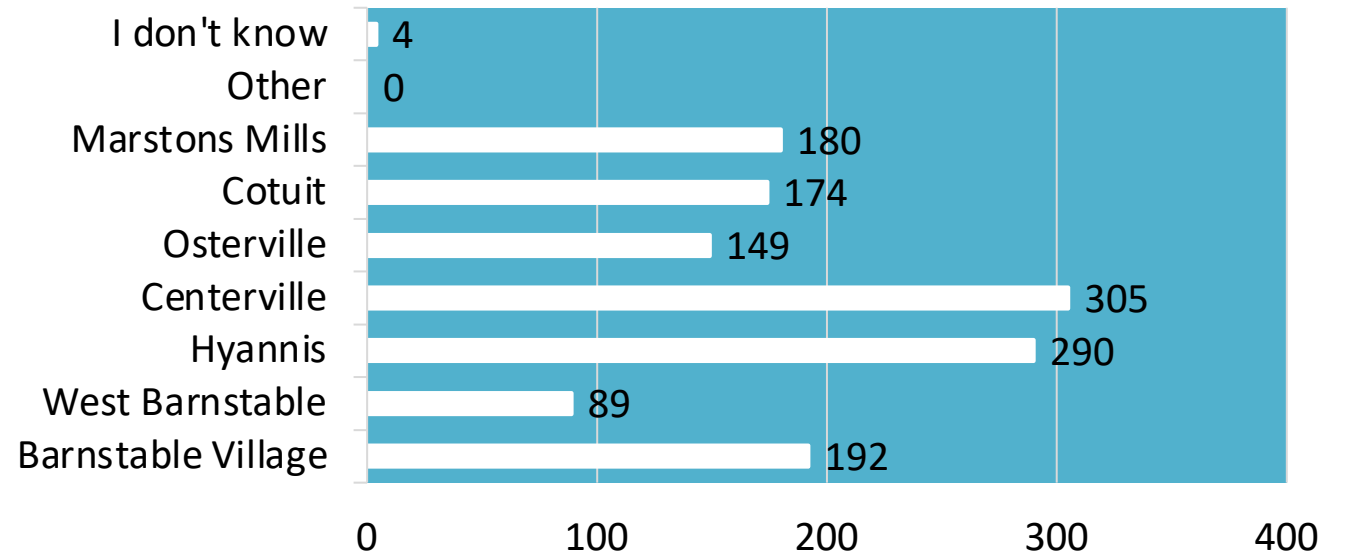


## 2. Do you live year-round in Barnstable?

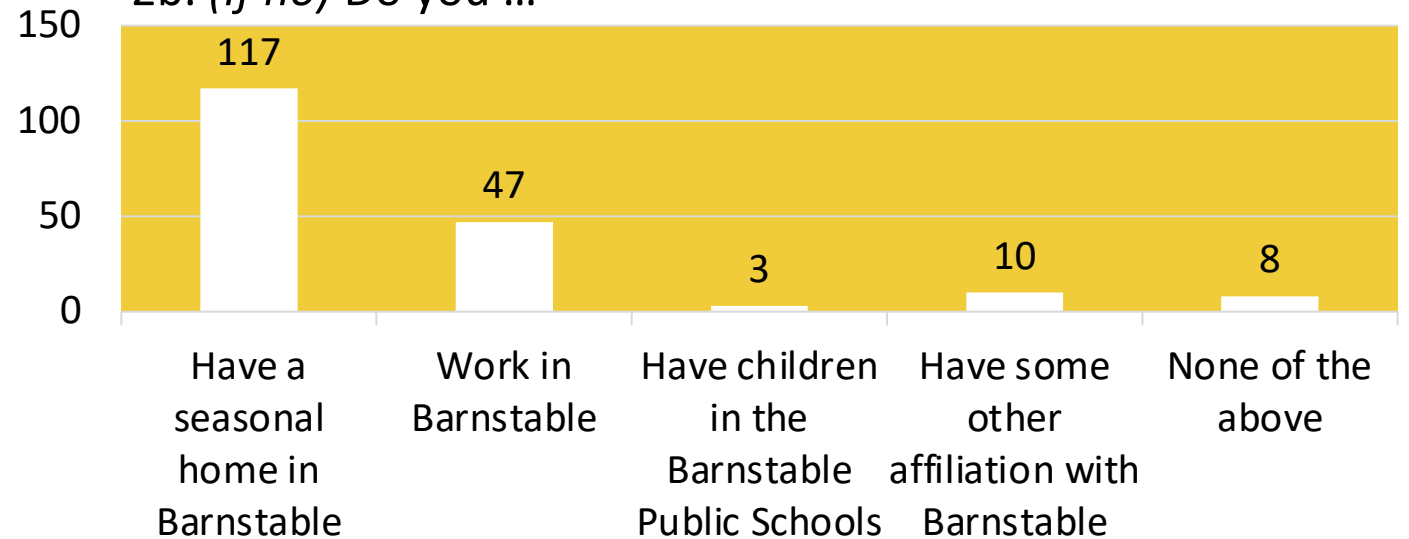


■ Yes ■ No

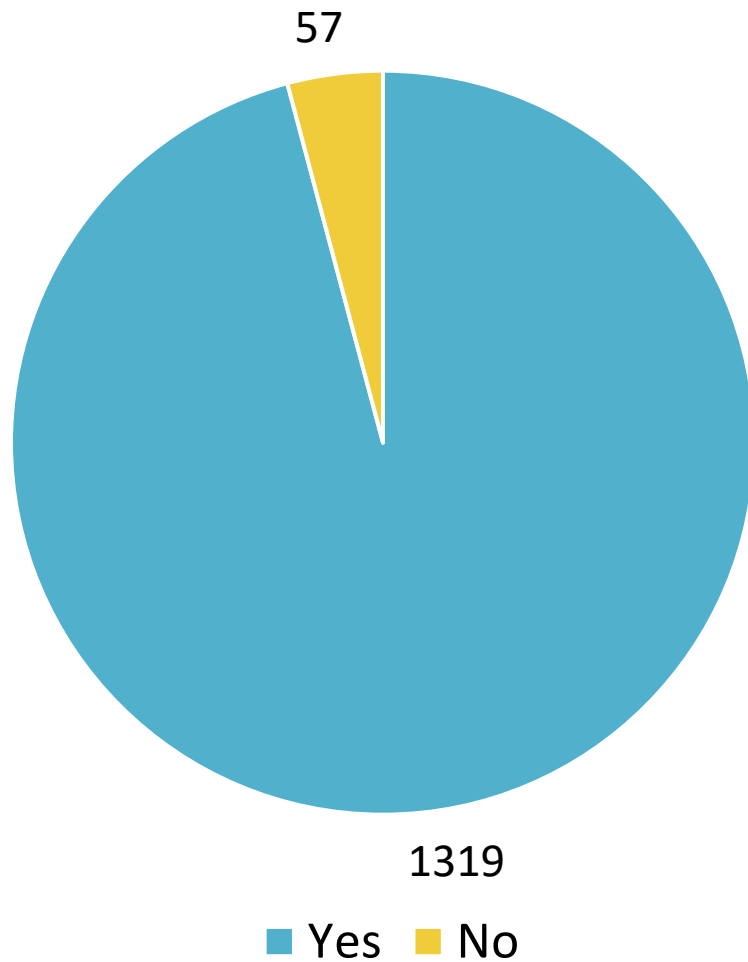
## 2a. (If yes) What part of Barnstable do you live in?



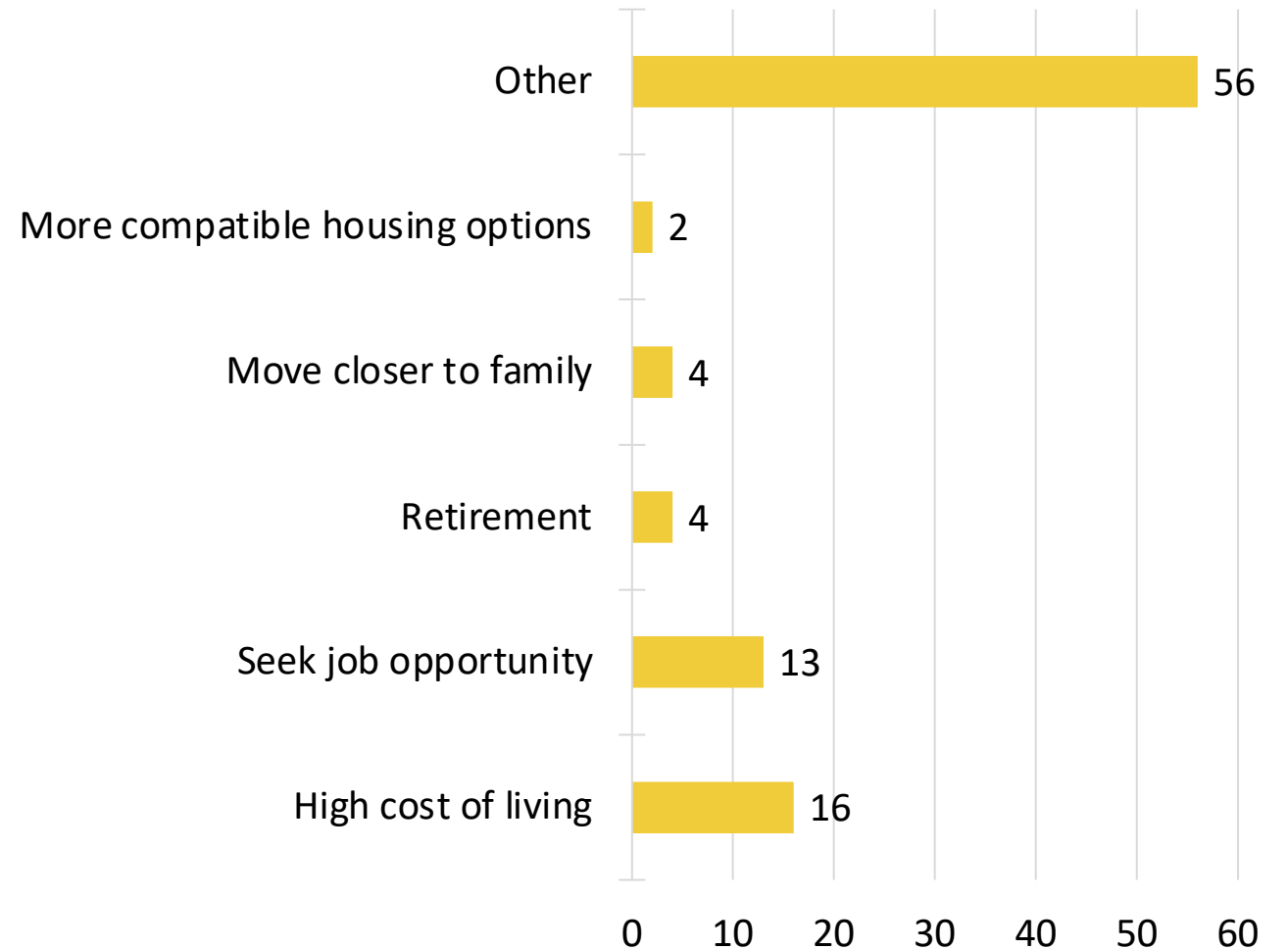
## 2b. (If no) Do you ...



2c. (For year-round residents) Do you plan to be living in Barnstable in 5-10 years?

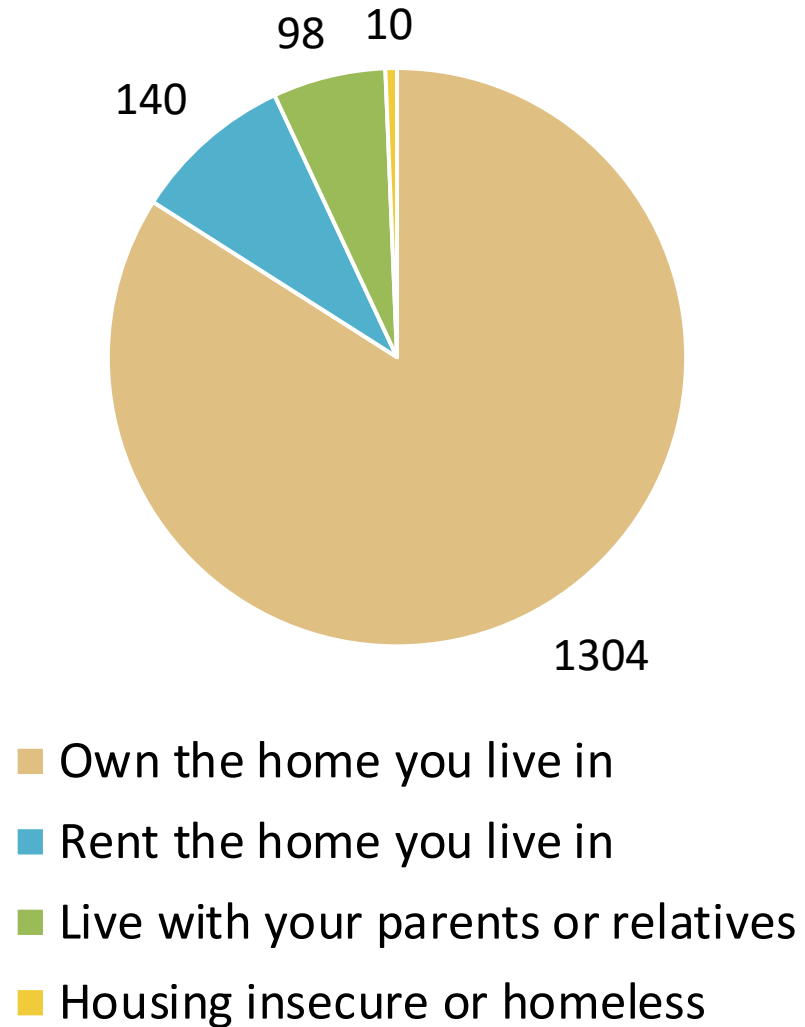


2d. (If not planning on staying in Barnstable) Why do you expect to move?

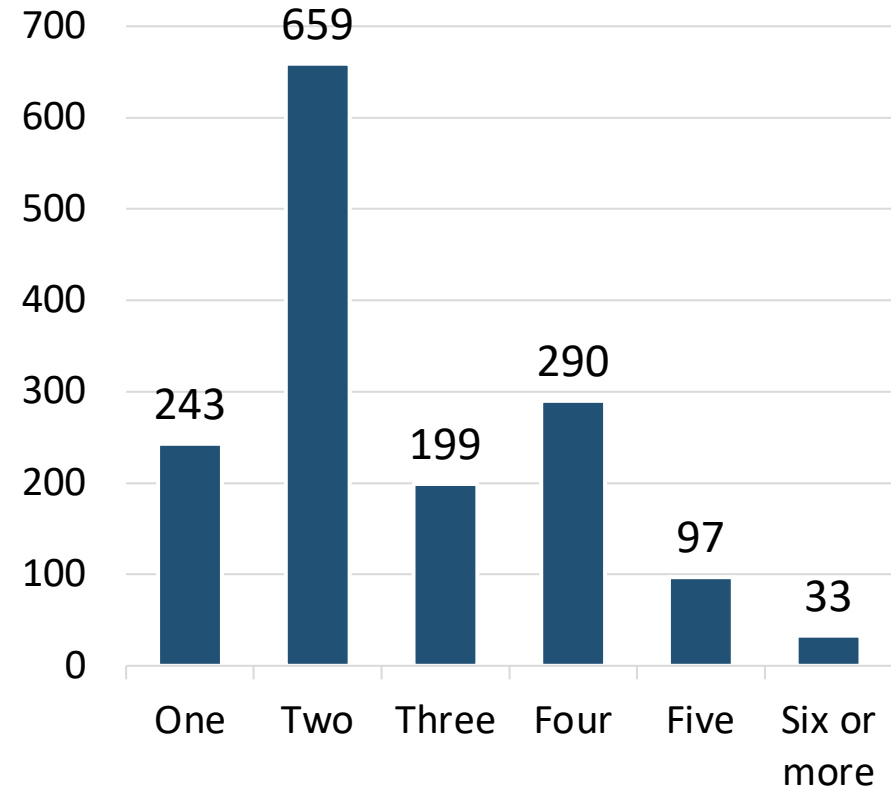


### 3. Please tell us about your housing situation.

Do you:

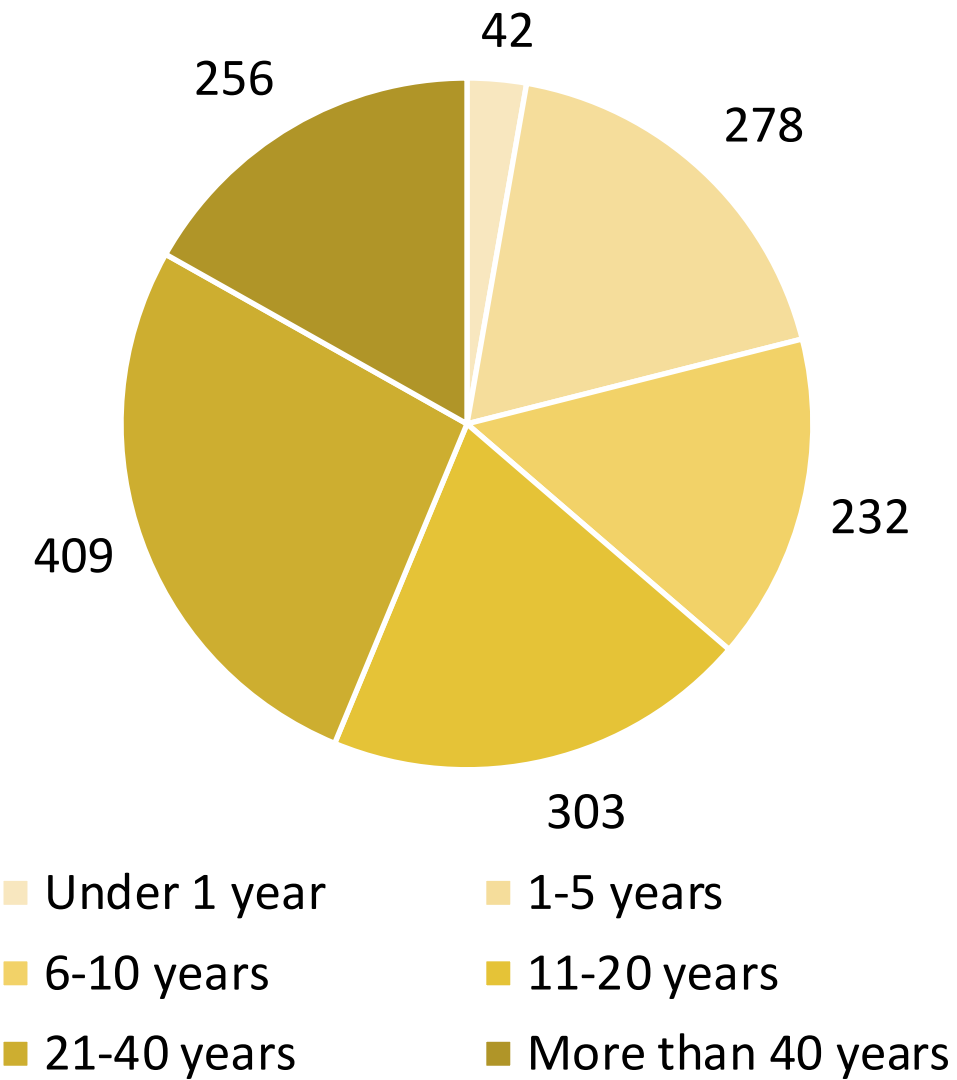


### 24. How many people are in your household?

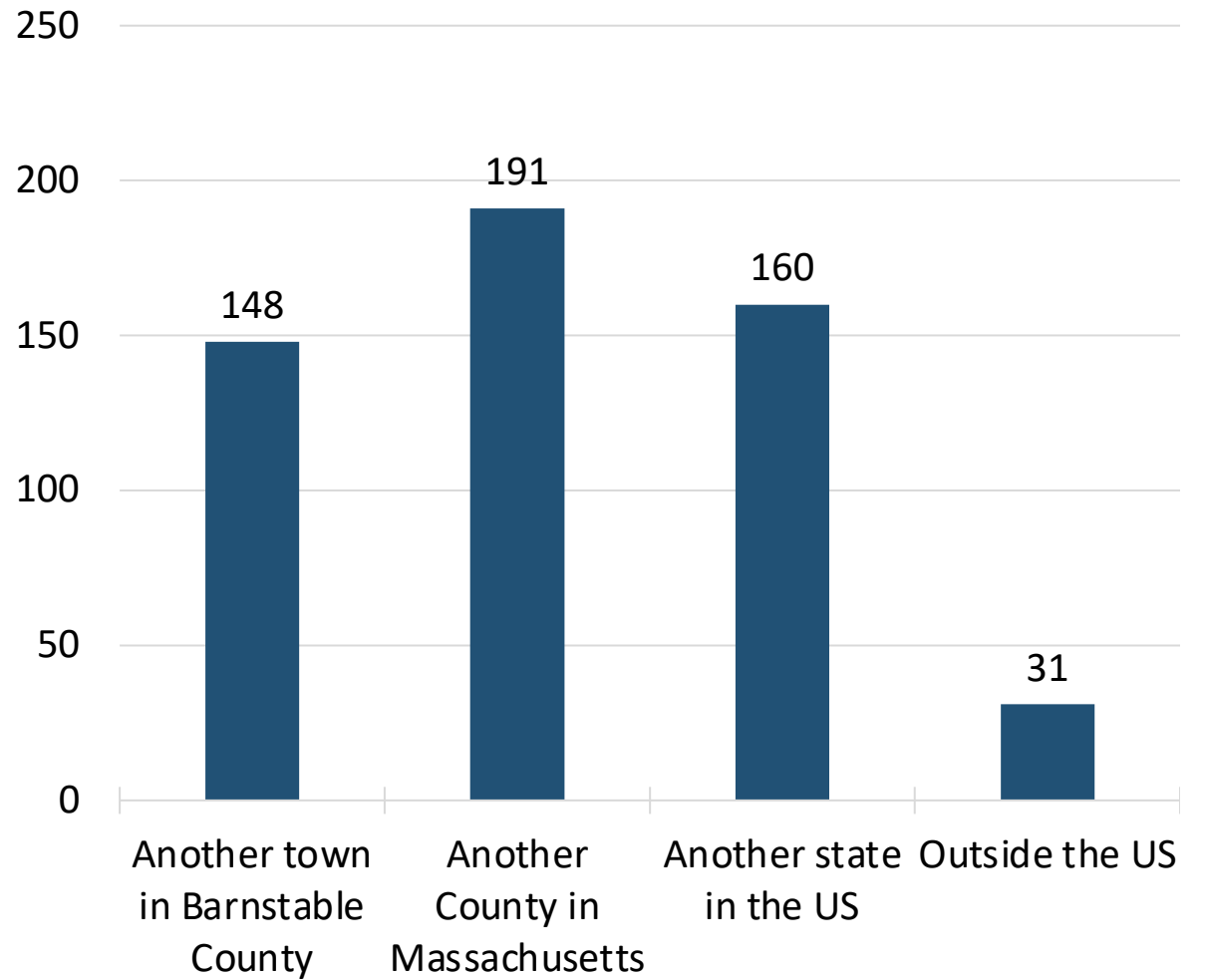




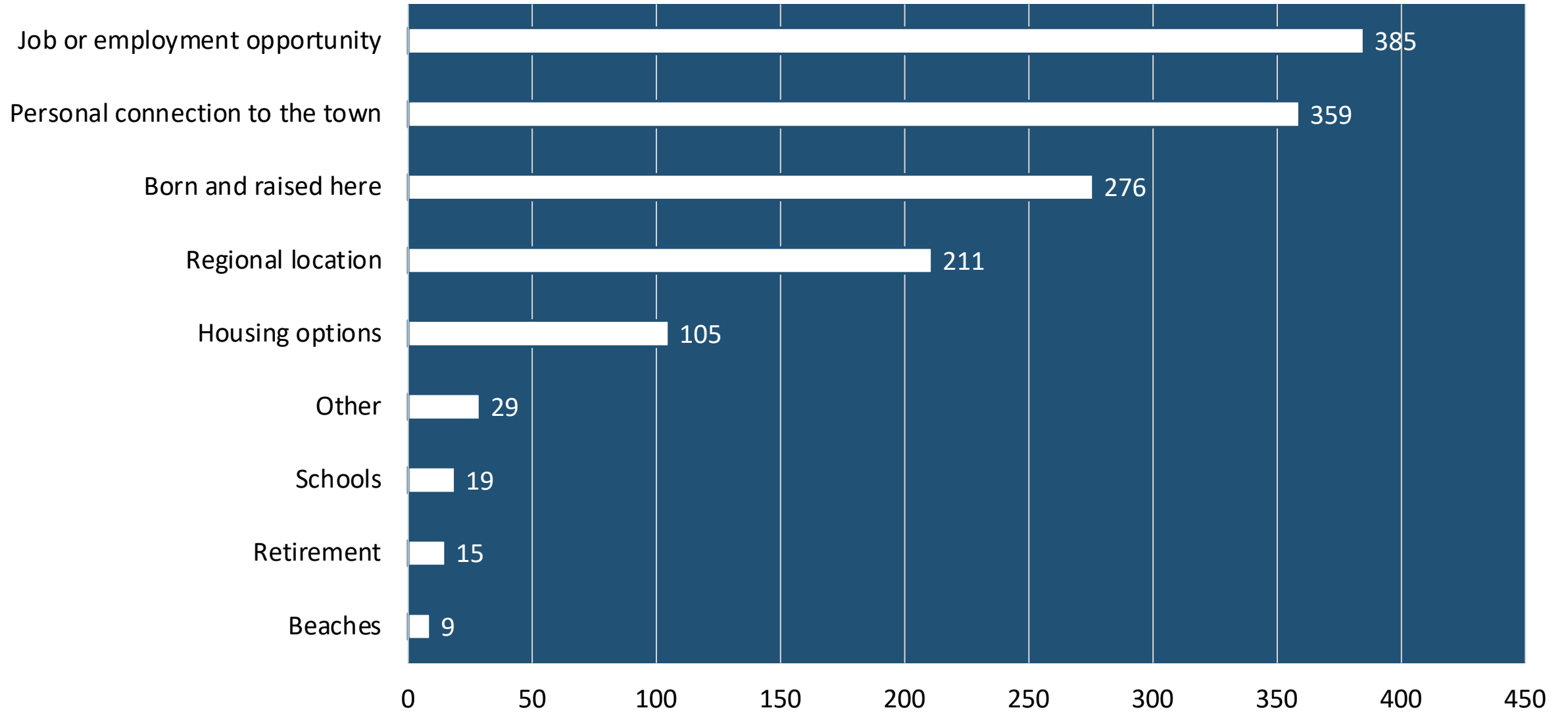
#### 4. How long have you lived in Barnstable?



#### 4a. (If less than ten years in Barnstable) Where did you move from?

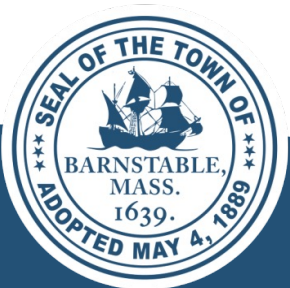


## 5. What brought you to Barnstable?

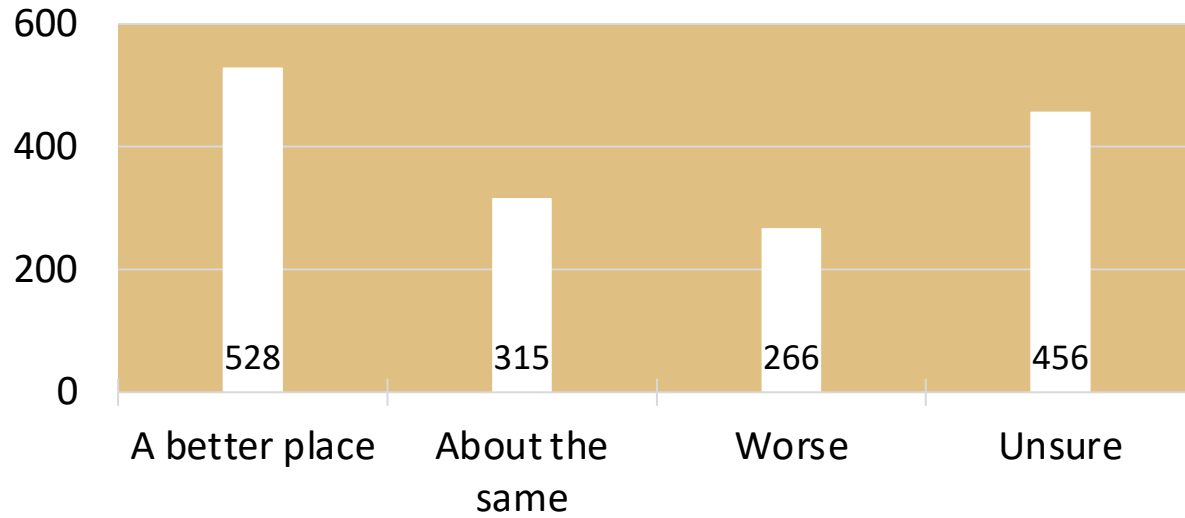


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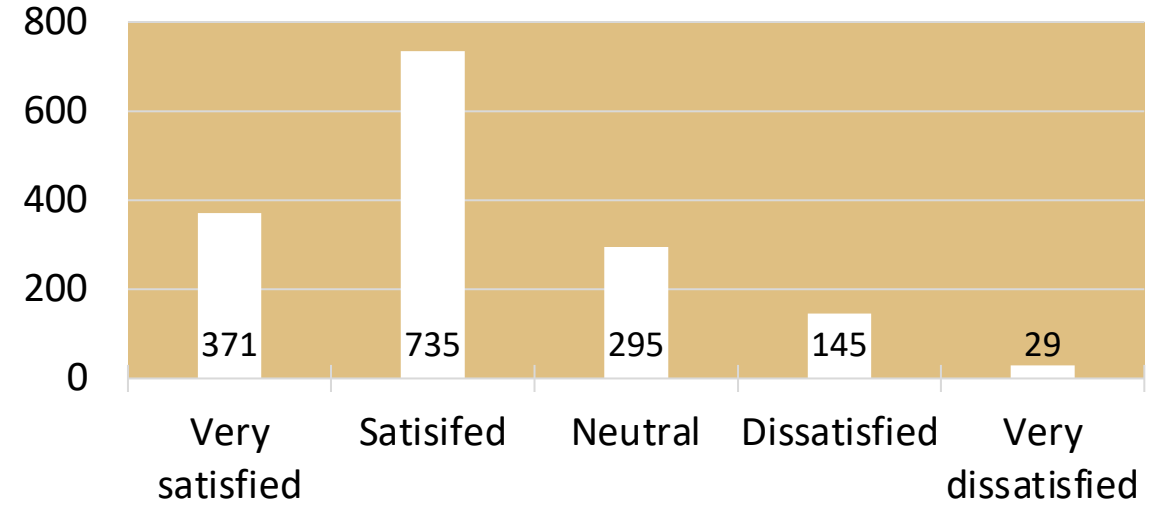
# PERSPECTIVES AND VALUES



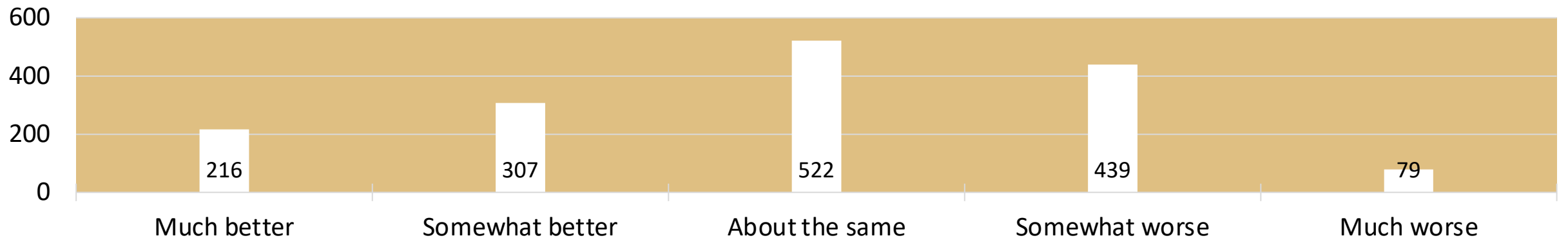
6. In five years, Barnstable will be



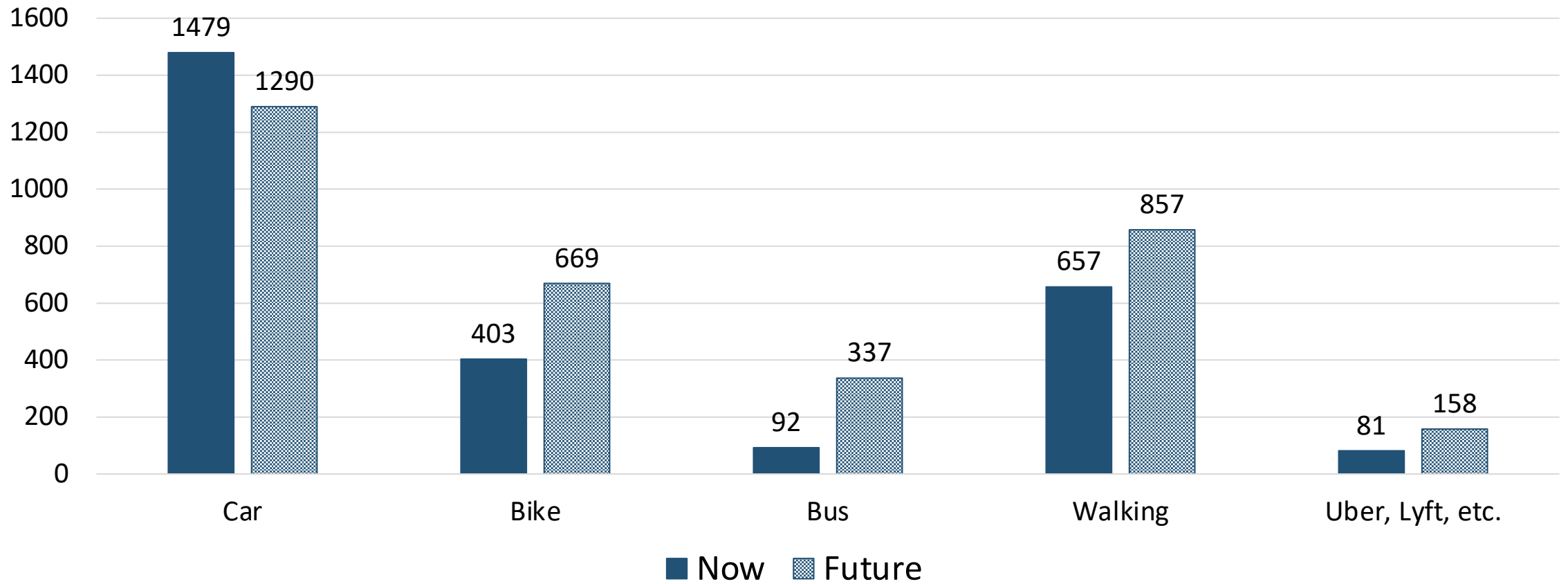
7. Are you satisfied with the overall quality of life in Barnstable?



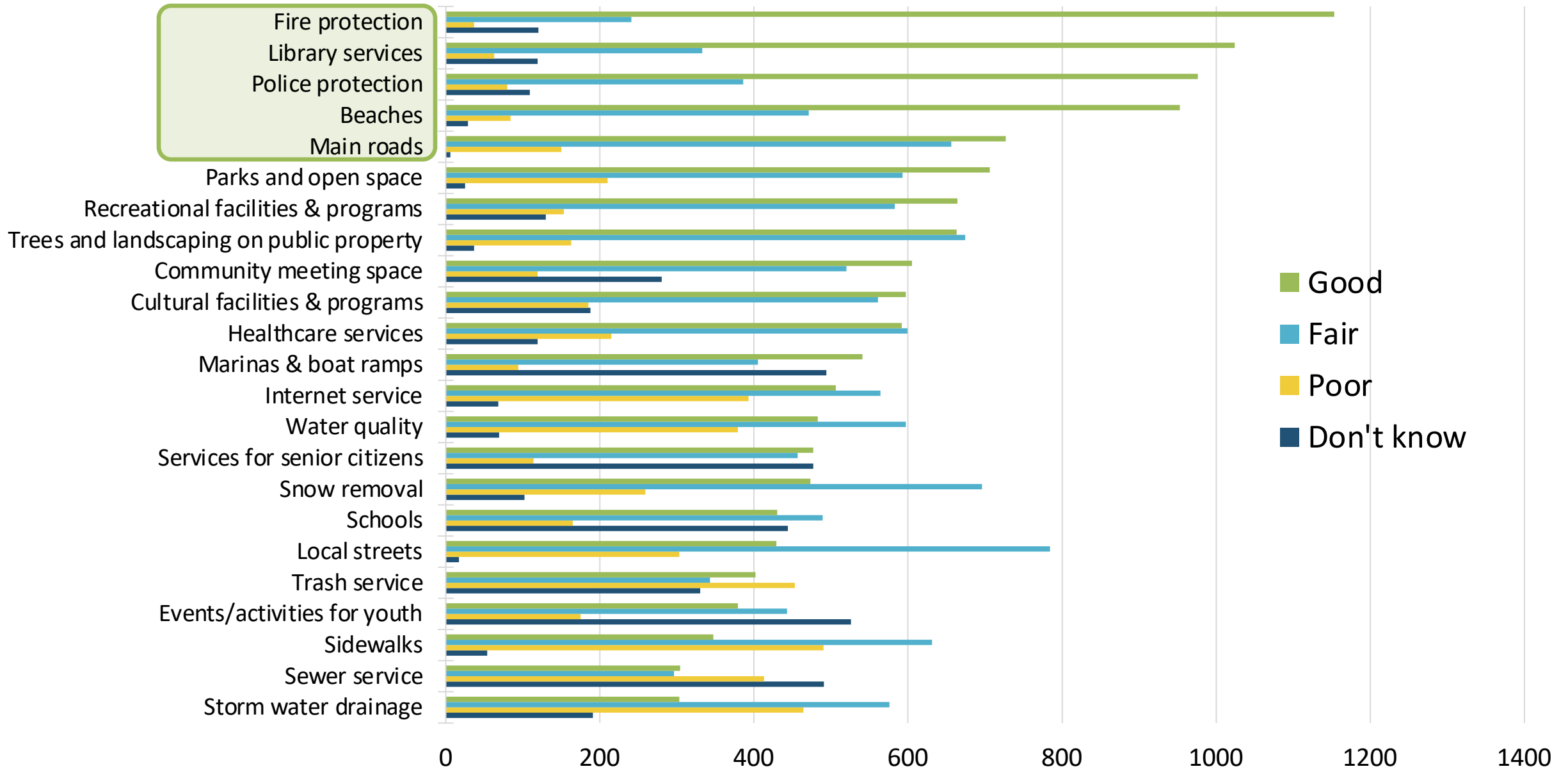
8. How does quality of life compare to ten years ago or since you moved to Barnstable if less than ten years ago?



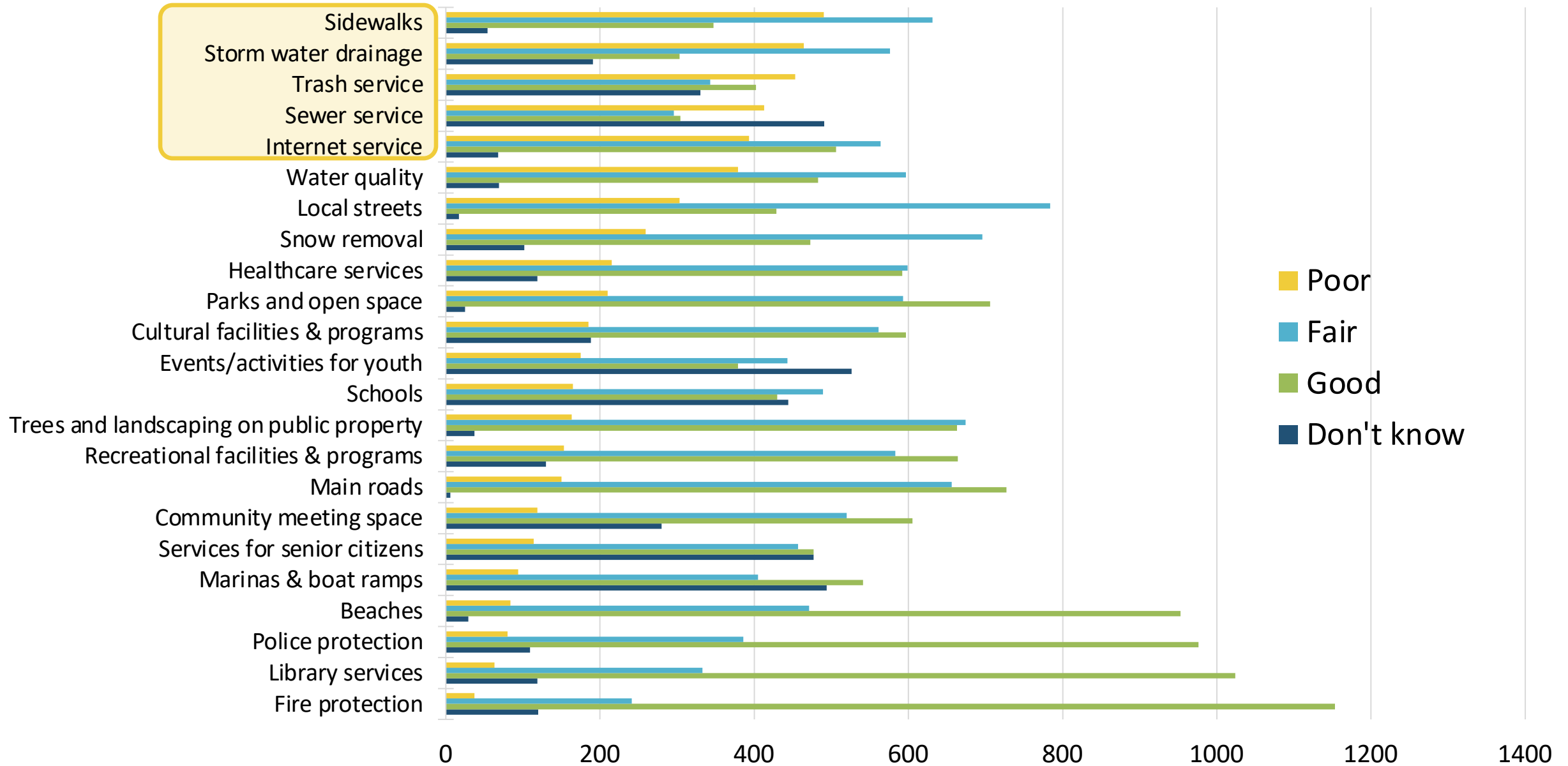
10. and 11. How do you get around town, and how do you want to get around in the future?



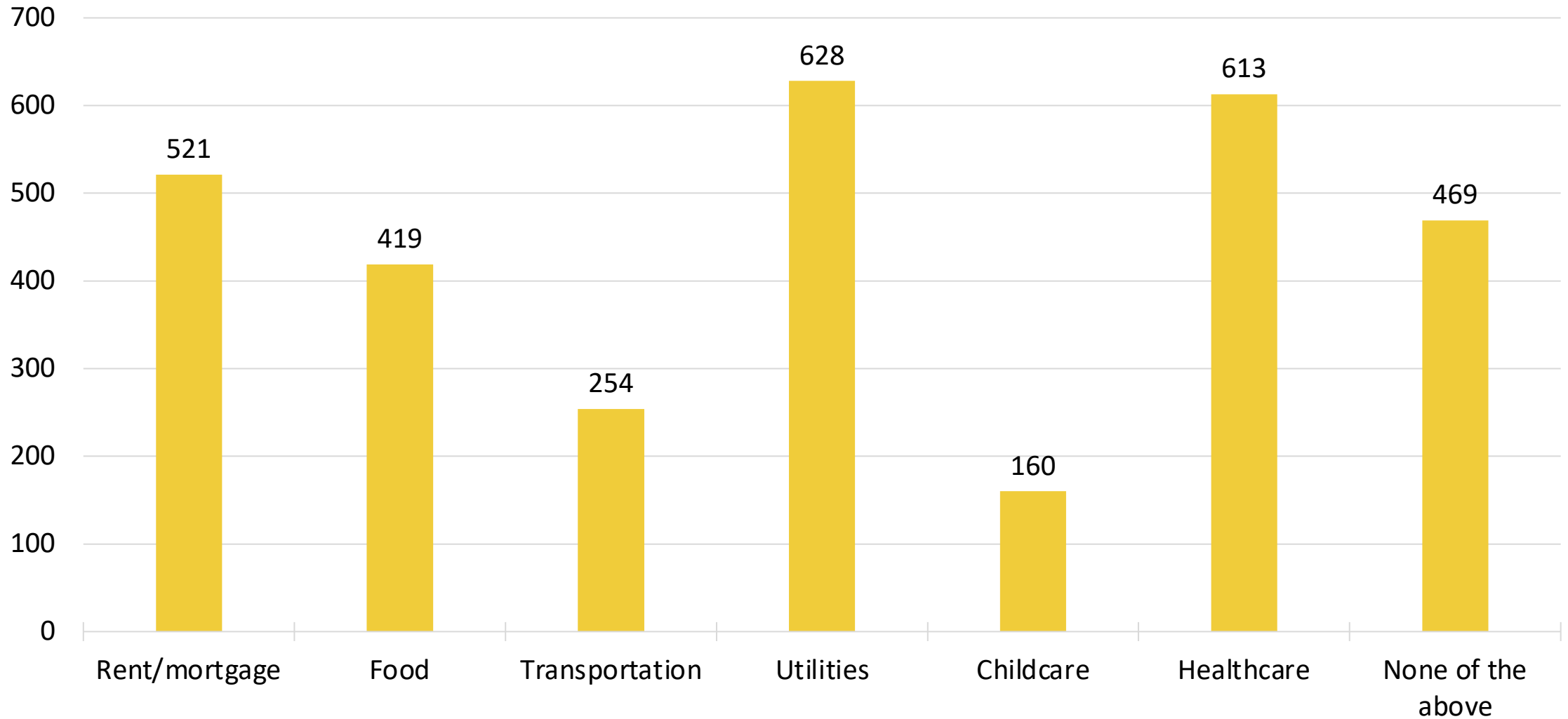
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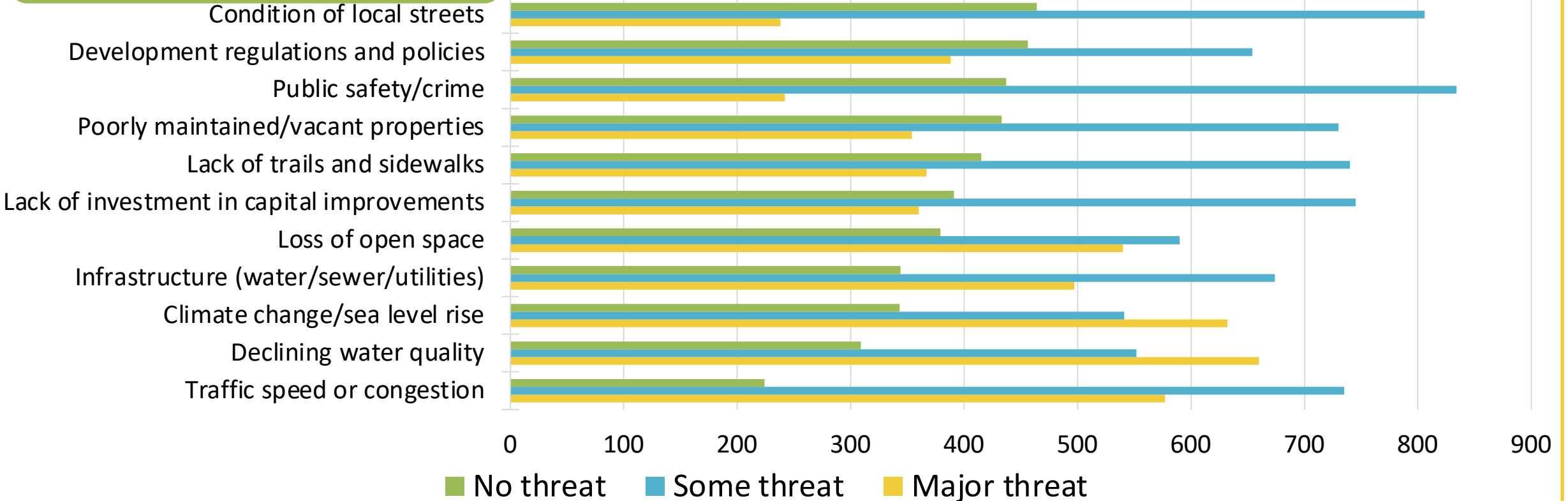
### 13. Are you concerned with being able to afford...



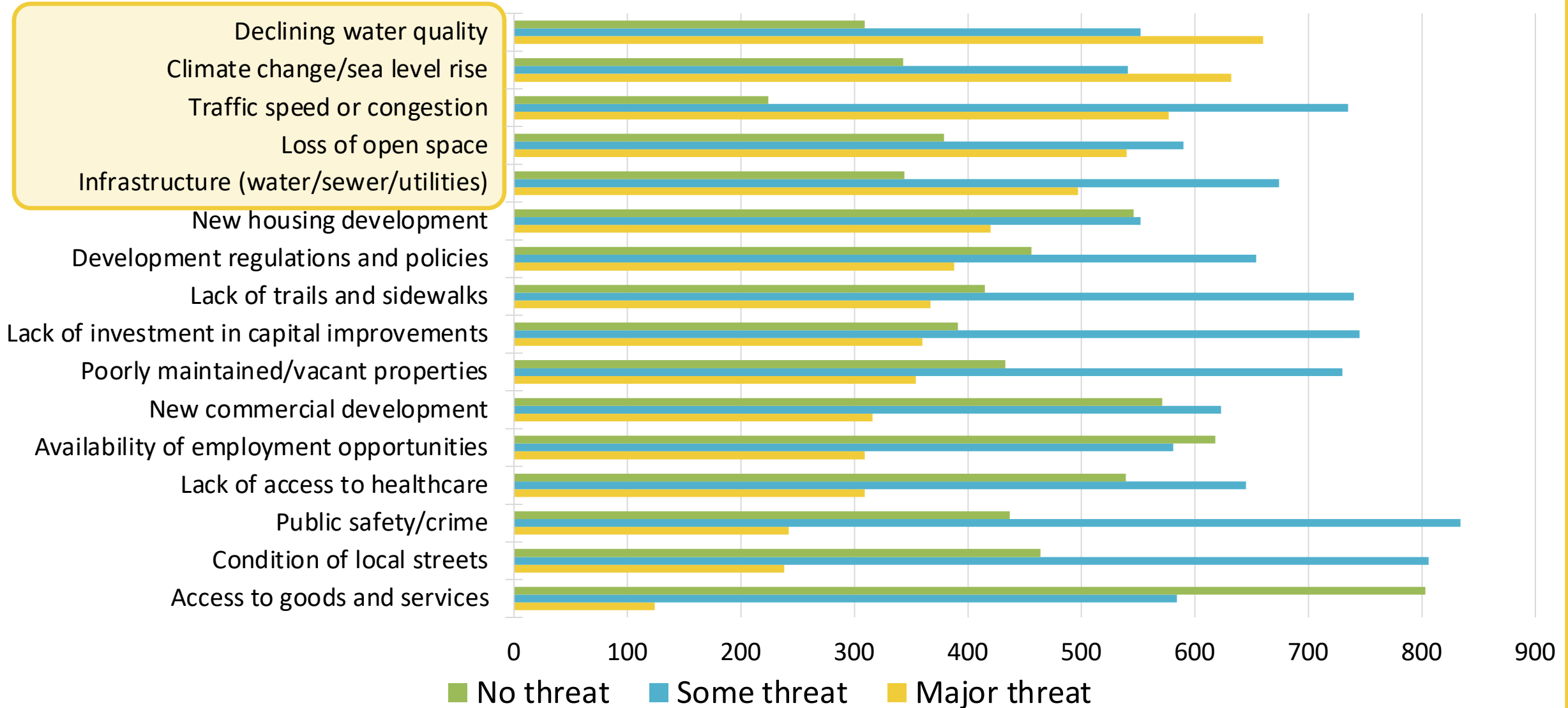


15. Please rate how each of the following currently threatens the quality of life in Barnstable if at all.

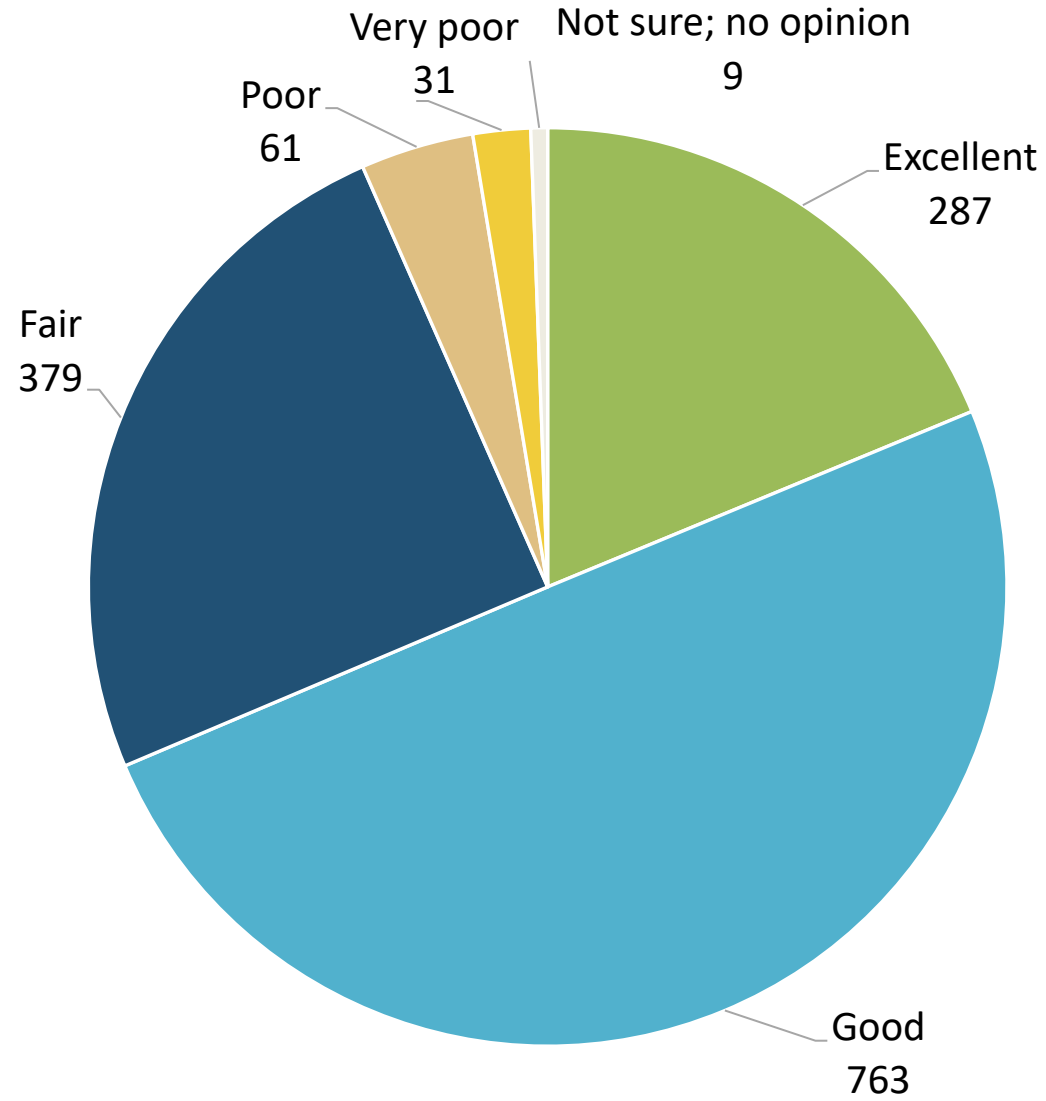
Access to goods and services  
 Availability of employment opportunities  
 New commercial development  
 New housing development  
 Lack of access to healthcare



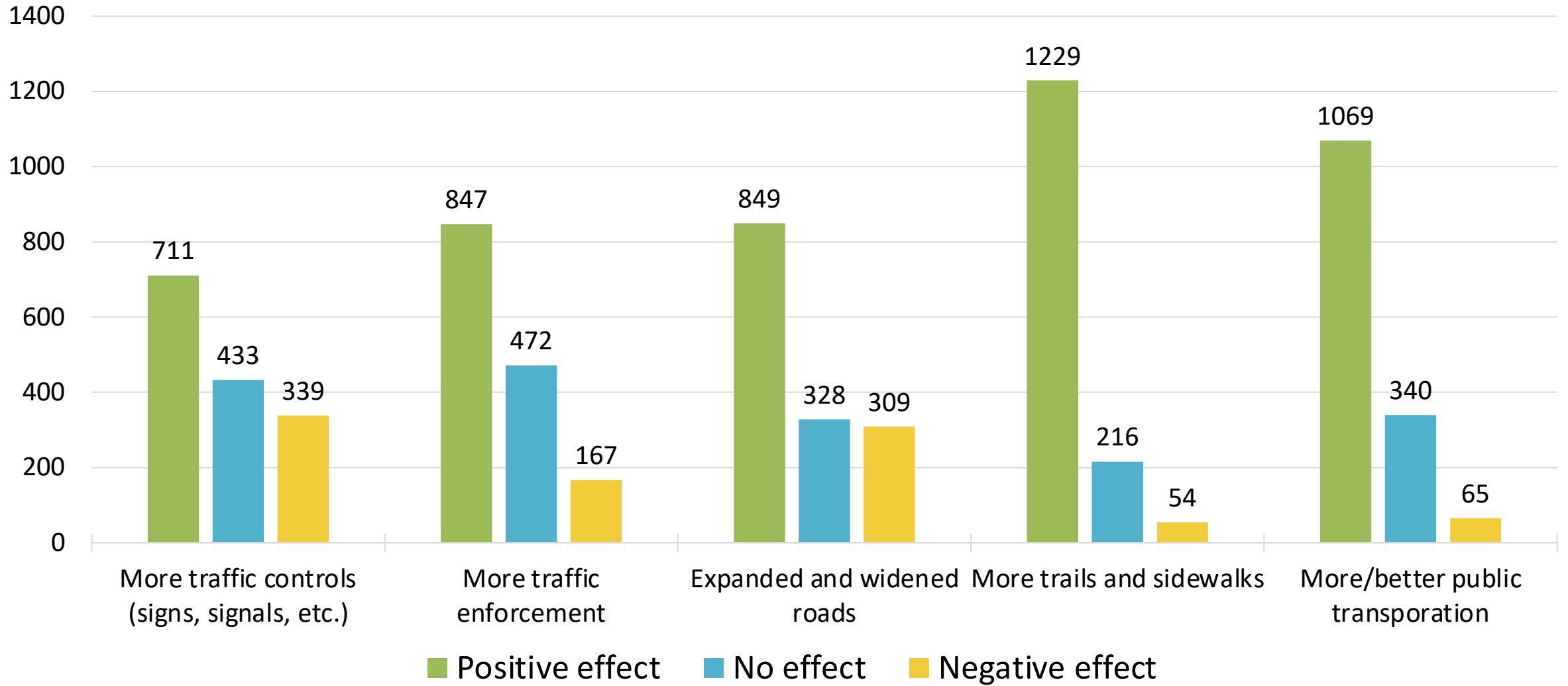
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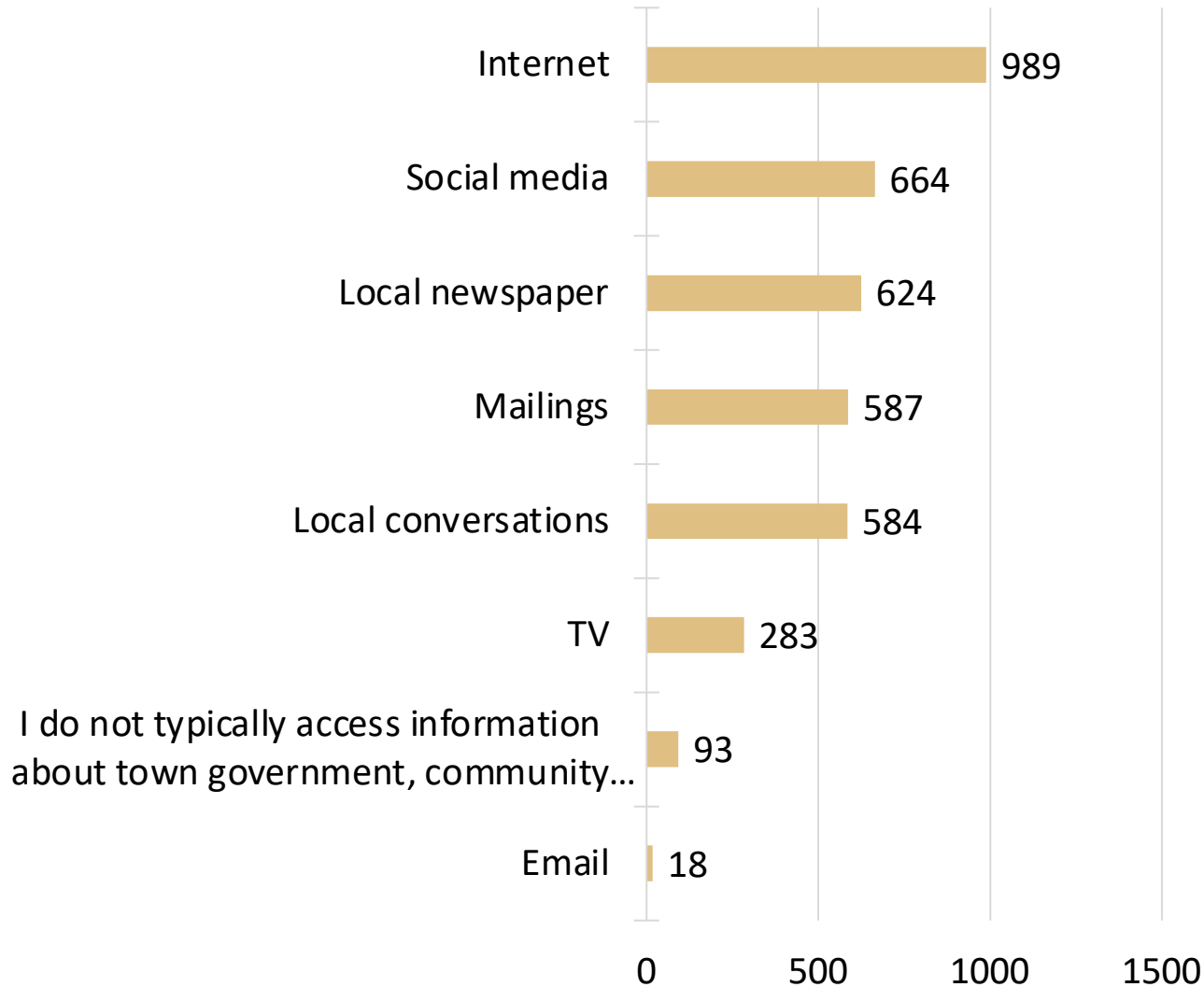
### 16. How would you rate the town's attractiveness?



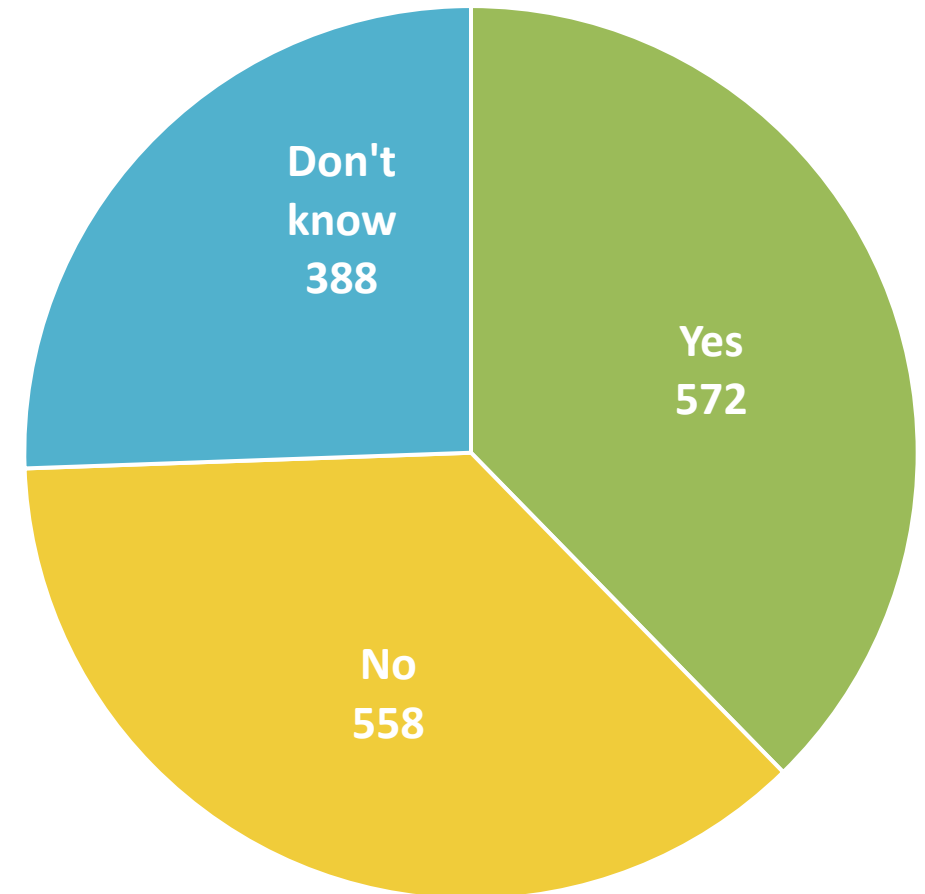
### 17. Rate how each of the following would affect Barnstable's transportation network.



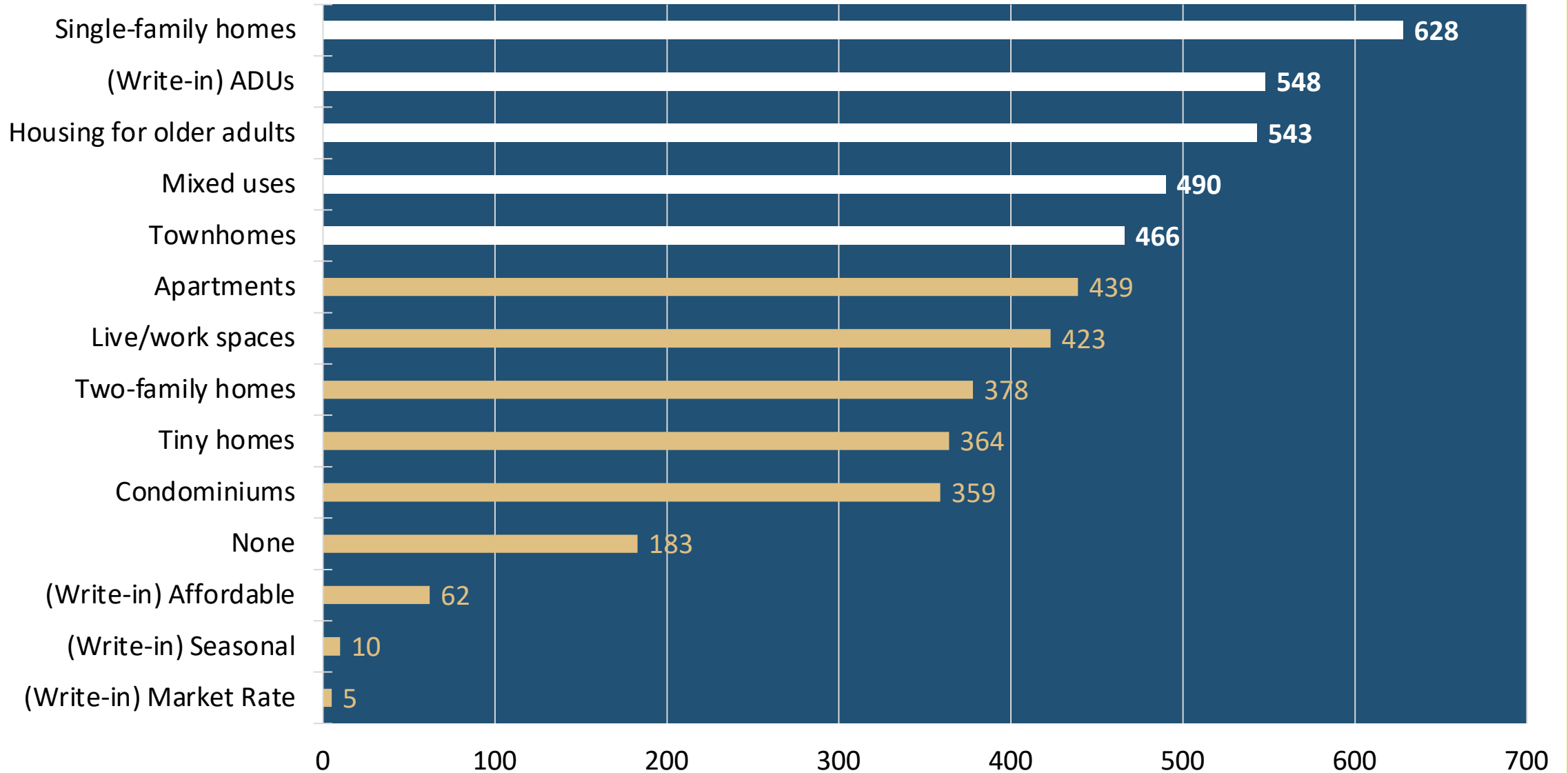
18. Where do you get information about Town governance?



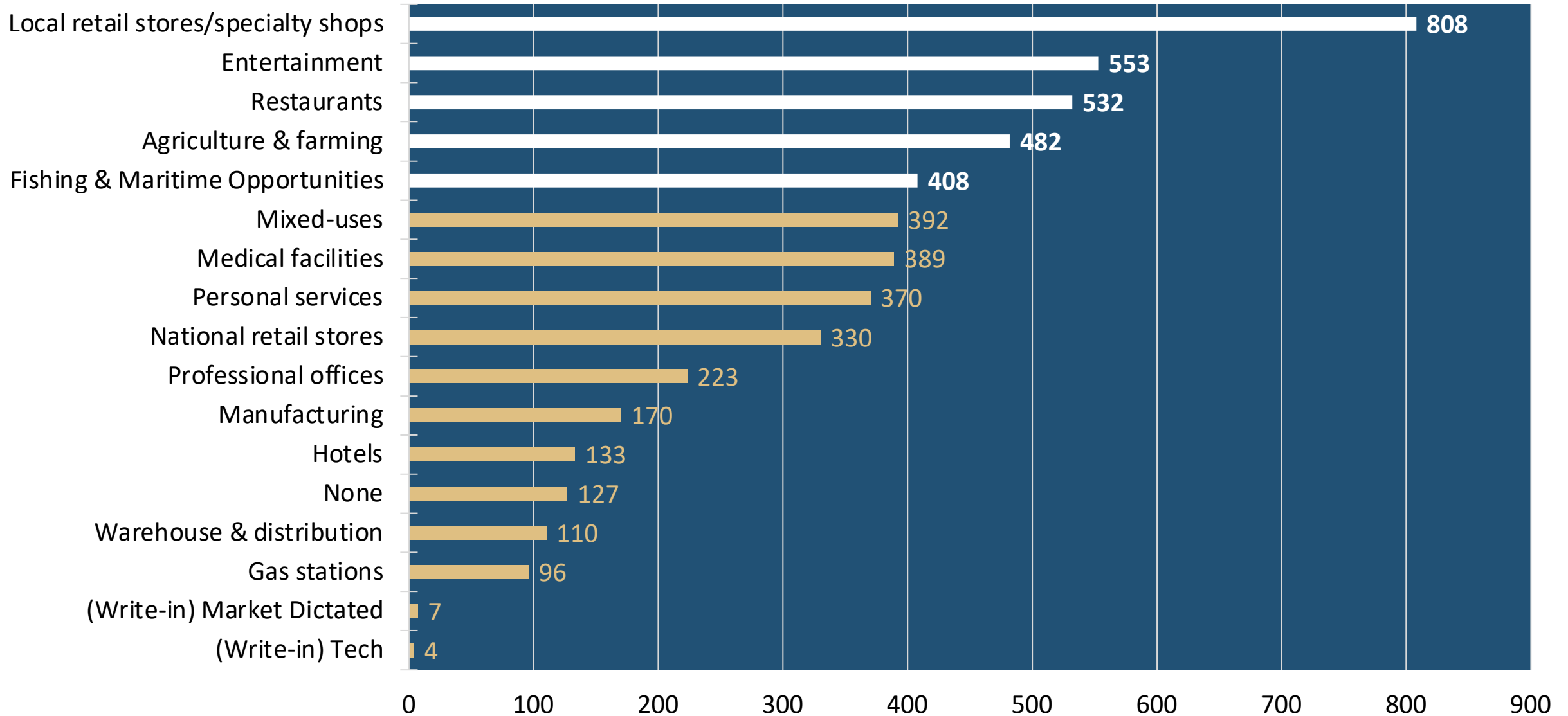
19. Do you think Town government is effectively dealing with local issues and concerns?



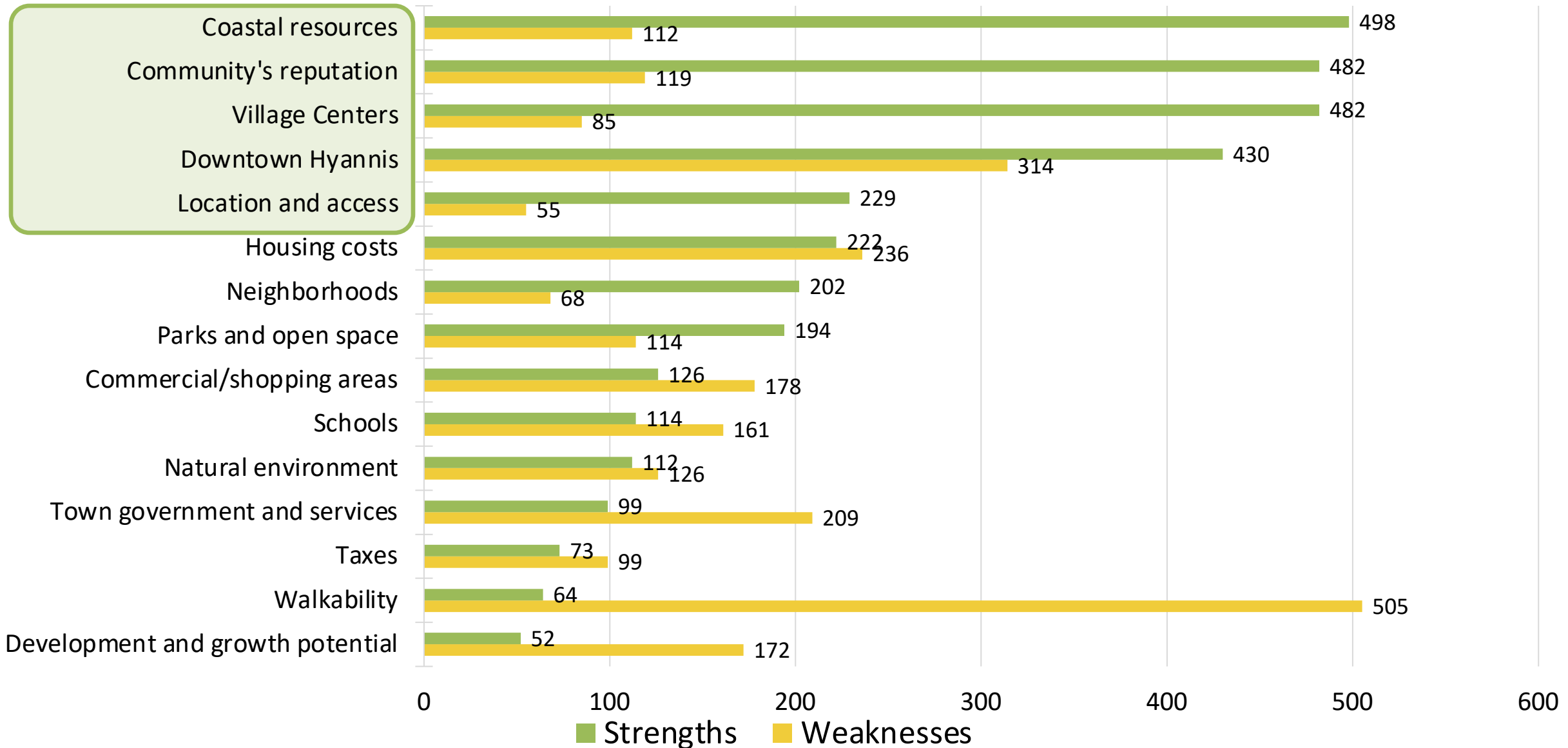
20. What kind of future residential development would you like to see in Barnstable in the future? Check all that apply.



21. What kind of nonresidential development would you like to see in Barnstable in the future? Check all that apply.

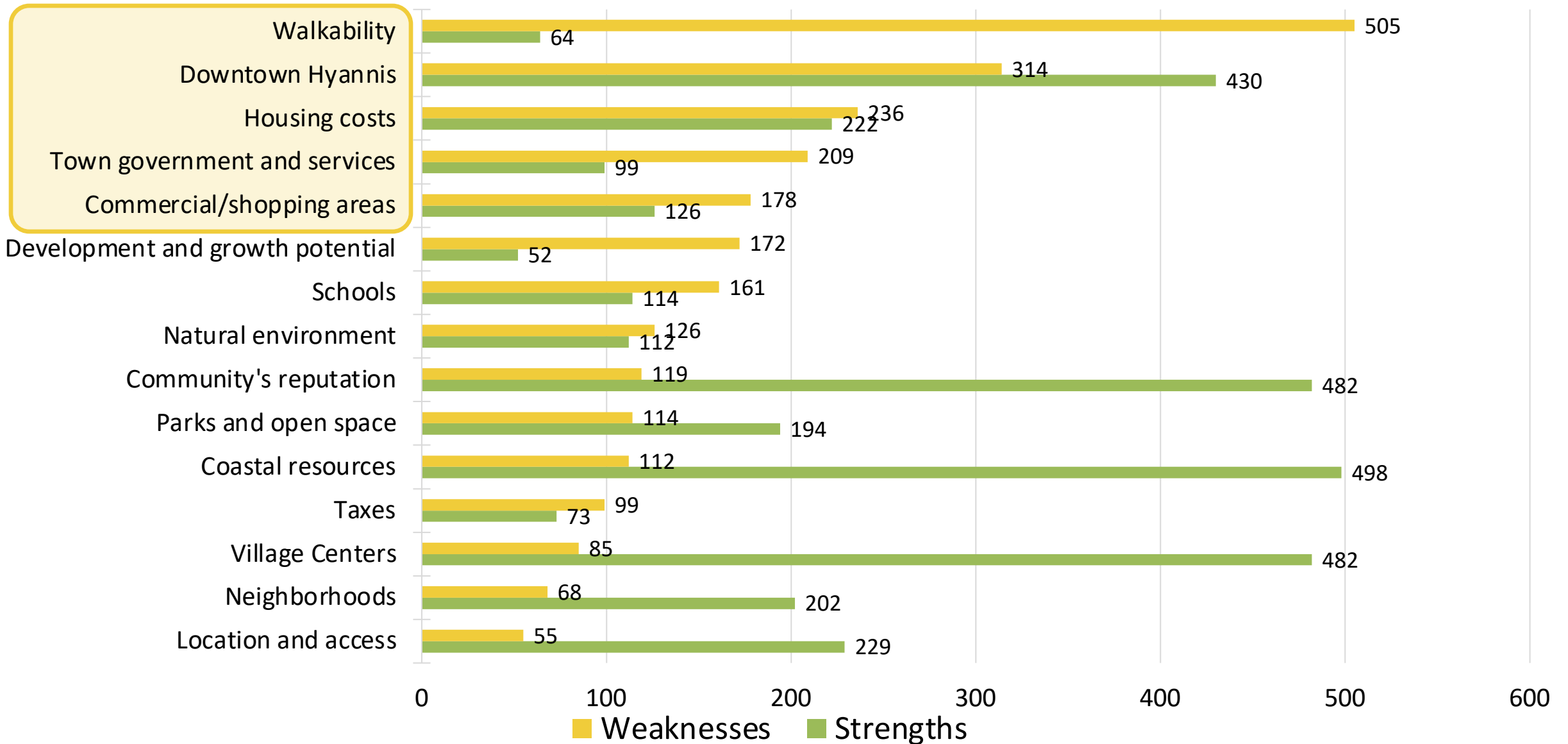


## 22. and 23. What are Barnstable's top 5 strengths and weaknesses/needs for improvement?

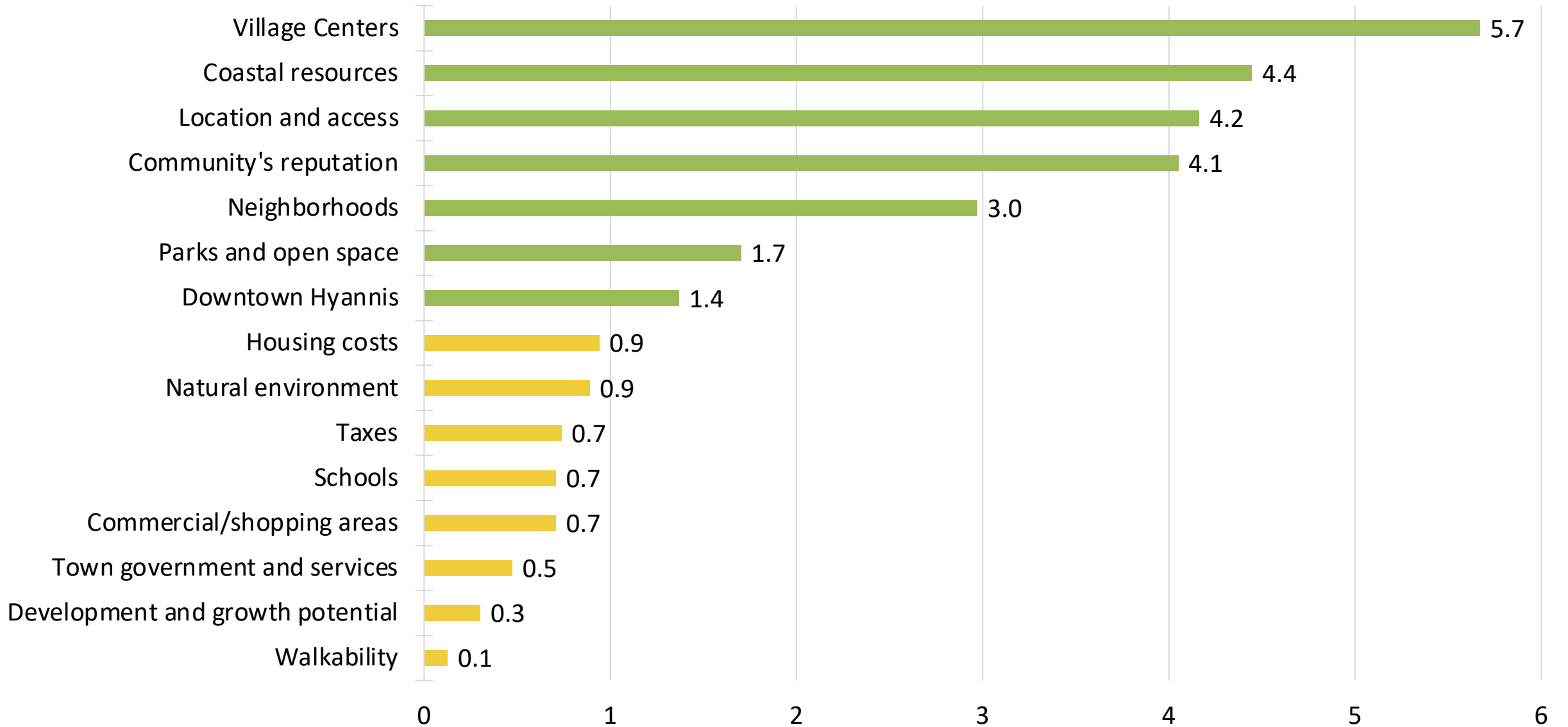




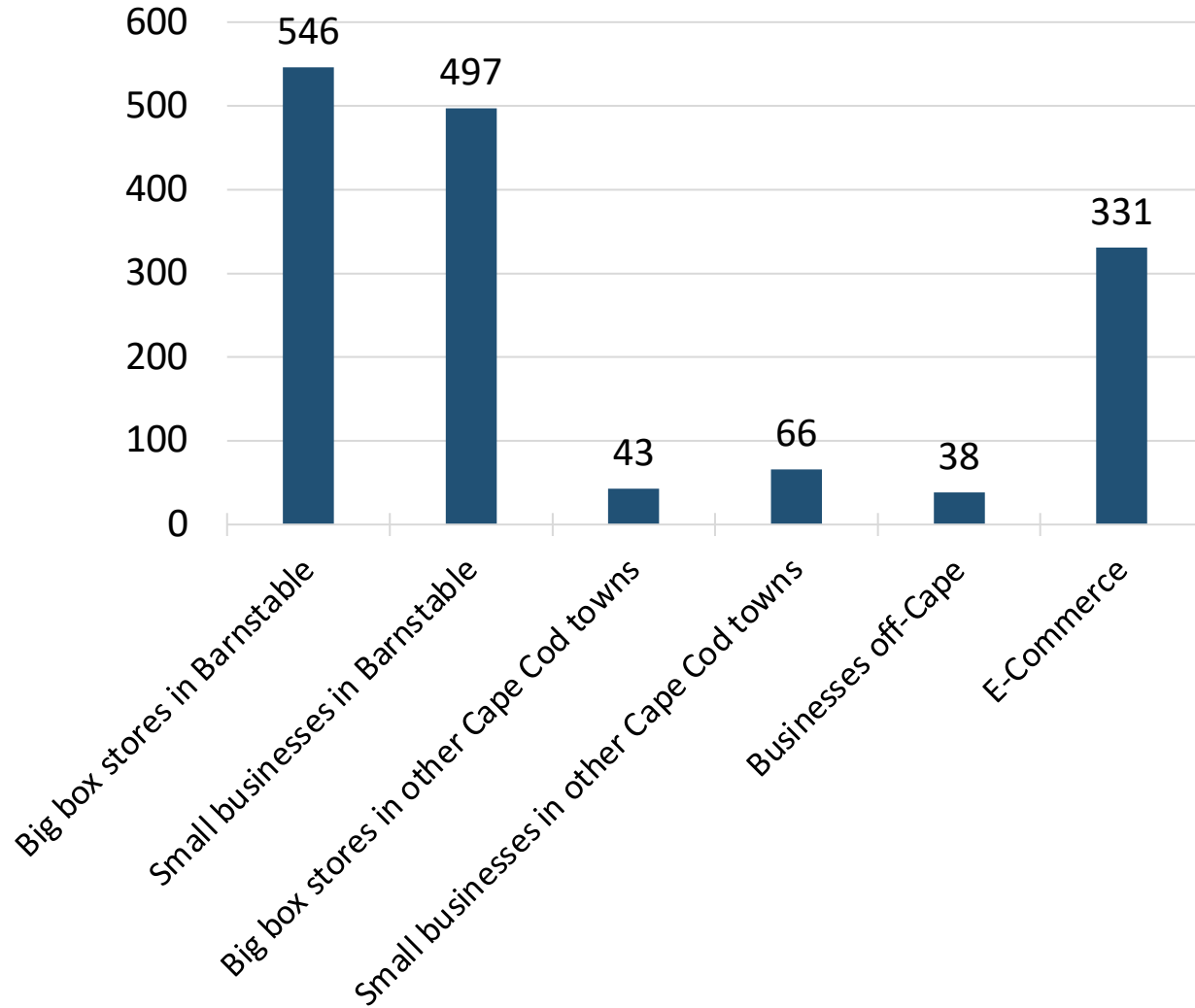
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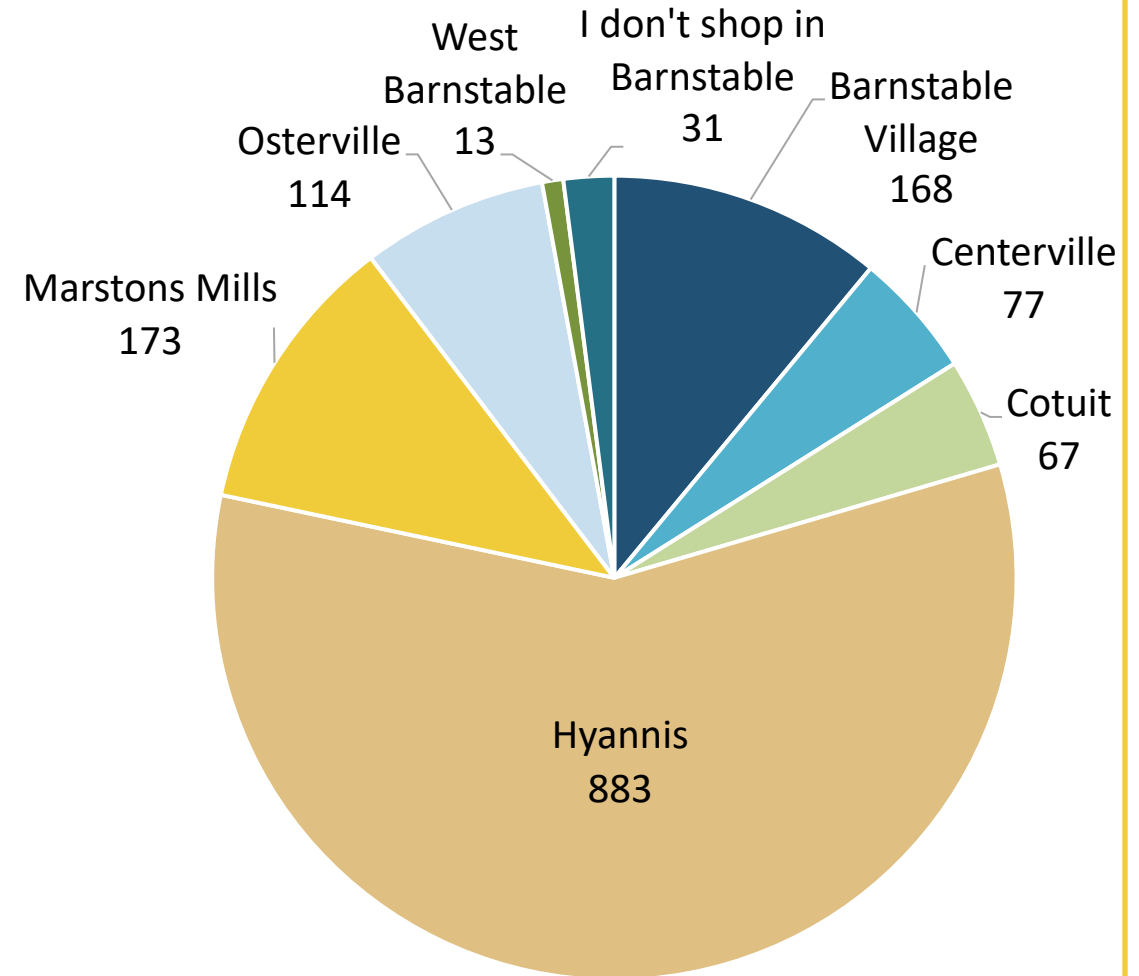
## Ratio of Identification as Strength to Weakness



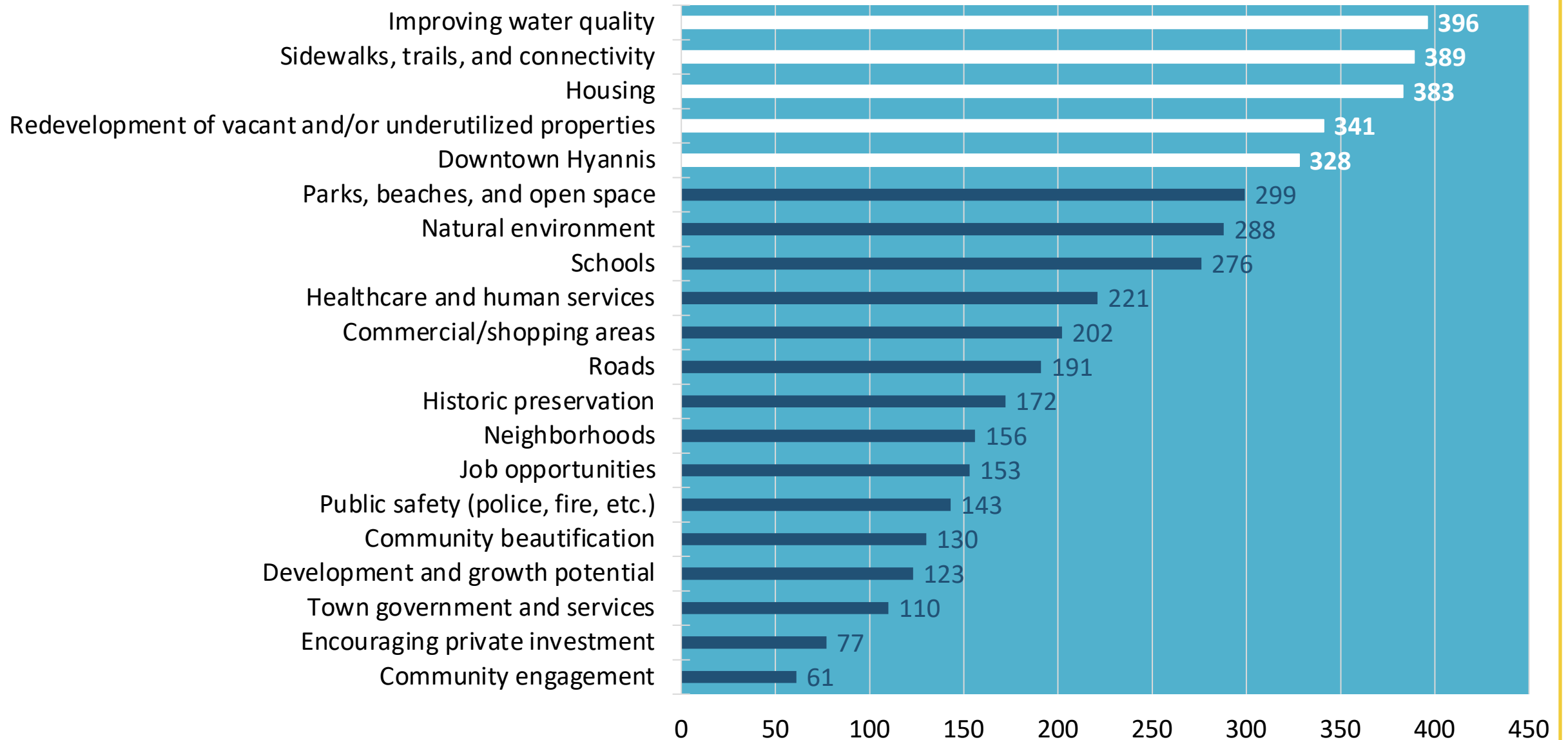
25. Where do you do most of your shopping?



26. Where do you most often shop in Barnstable?

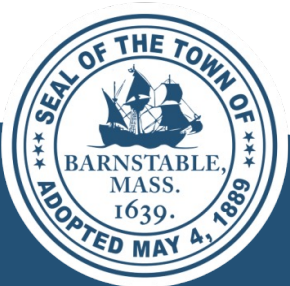


## 27. What are the top three priorities the LCP should focus on improving?

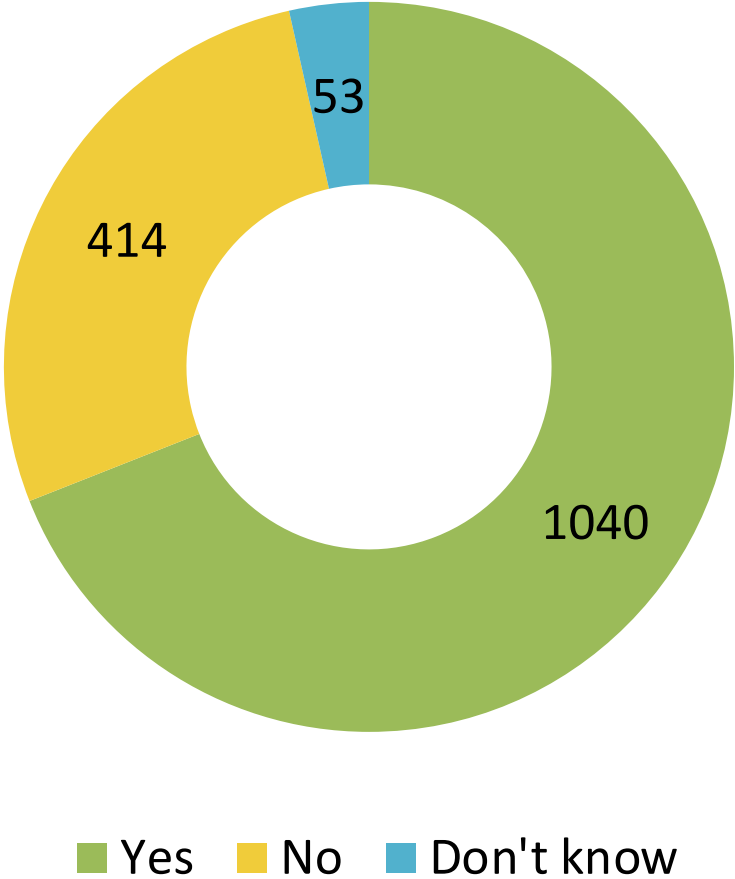


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# NEIGHBORHOOD CONCERNS

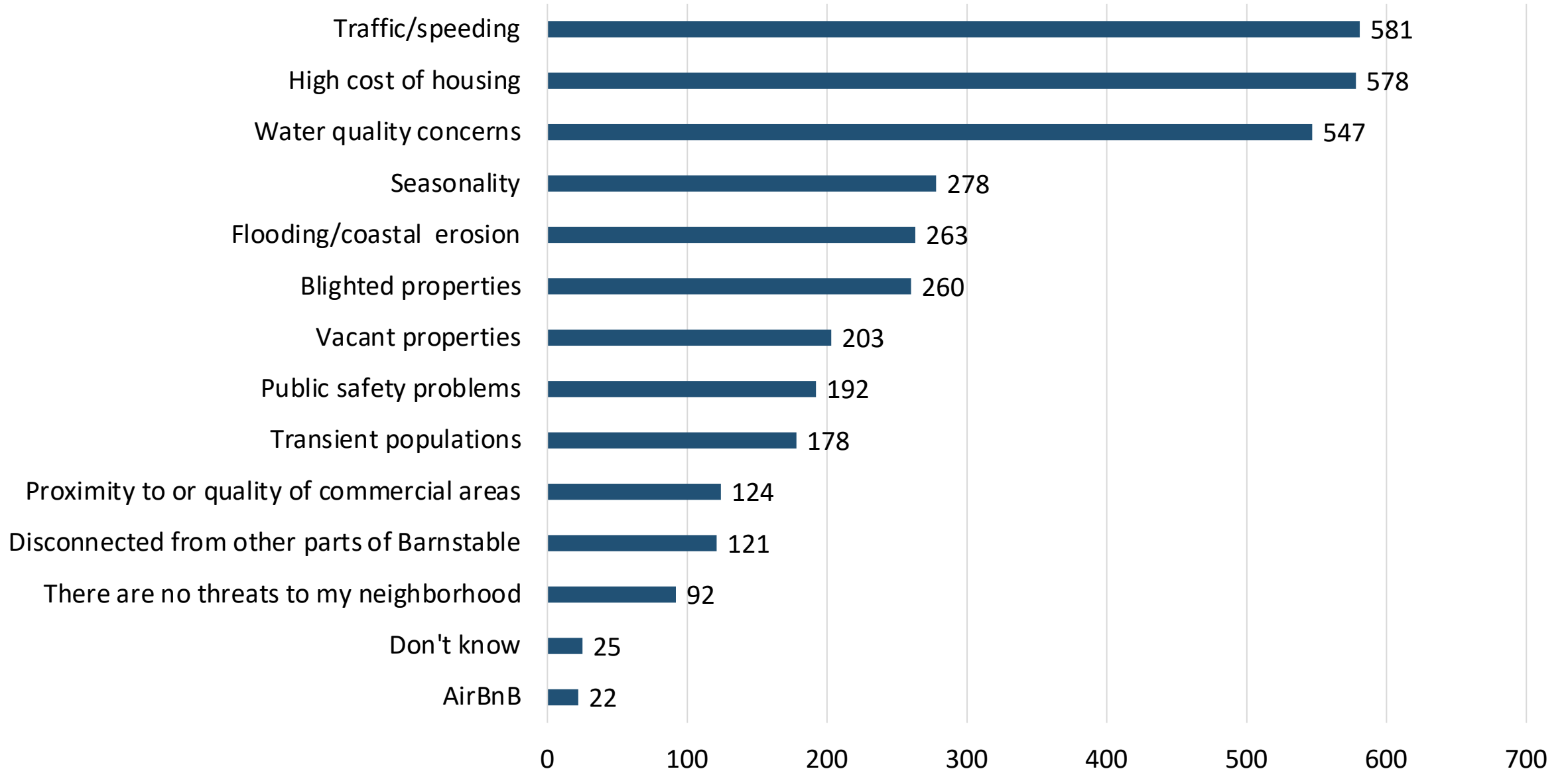


9. Is there adequate recreation, parks, or open space in your neighborhood?



Percent Respondents Answering "Yes" by Village	
Barnstable Village	86%
Centerville	64%
Cotuit	68%
Hyannis	46%
Marstons Mills	62%
Osterville	71%
West Barnstable	79%

### 14. What is the biggest threat to your neighborhood? Pick three.



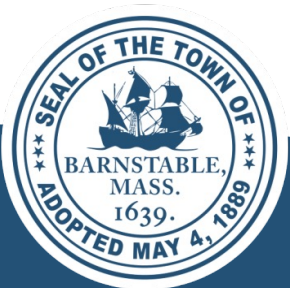
## Top 3 Threats By Village

Village	#1	#2	#3
Barnstable Village	Vacant Buildings	Water Quality	Blighted Properties
Centerville	Traffic/Speeding	High Cost of Housing	Water Quality
Cotuit	Water Quality	Traffic/Speeding	High Cost of Housing
Hyannis	High Cost of Housing	Traffic/Speeding	Water Quality
Marstons Mills	High Cost of Housing	Traffic/Speeding	Water Quality
Osterville	High Cost of Housing	Traffic/Speeding	Seasonality
West Barnstable	Traffic/Speeding & High Cost of Housing ( <i>Tied</i> )	Water Quality	Flooding/Coastal Erosion



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# OPEN RESPONSES



# Common Topics in Open Responses

## Wants

- Desire for more ADUs
- Sidewalk improvements/expansion
- Improved pedestrian and cyclist safety
- Protection of open space

## Issues

- Poor roadway maintenance
- High property taxes
- Litter
- Overdevelopment
- Impact of septic systems on water quality
- AirBnBs/seasonal rentals
- Oversized homes

