

Streetscape Features

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Which streetscape features are important to the character of the Downtown Corridors? See examples below.



Street trees to define the street edge

Mid-block crossing to shorten pedestrian travel

Hardscape – unique paving materials



Building entrances oriented for pedestrian access

Street trees for shade

Outdoor seating

Unique paving treatments



Outdoor seating and dining areas

Convenient bike parking locations

Bollards to protect pedestrian travel



Pedestrian scale street lighting

Mid-block crossing to shorten pedestrian travel

Landscape planters

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Pedestrian shade elements – awnings, street trees

Outdoor dining area



Tree canopy

Outdoor seating

Clear pedestrian travelway



Covered pedestrian walkway

Public art feature

Building entrances oriented toward active pedestrian space

Considerations:

- What are the streetscape features you find most attractive and inviting in a downtown area?
- What streetscape features would make you feel more comfortable and safe walking in a downtown area?
- Are there any specific streetscape features that you think are lacking in the Downtown Corridors?