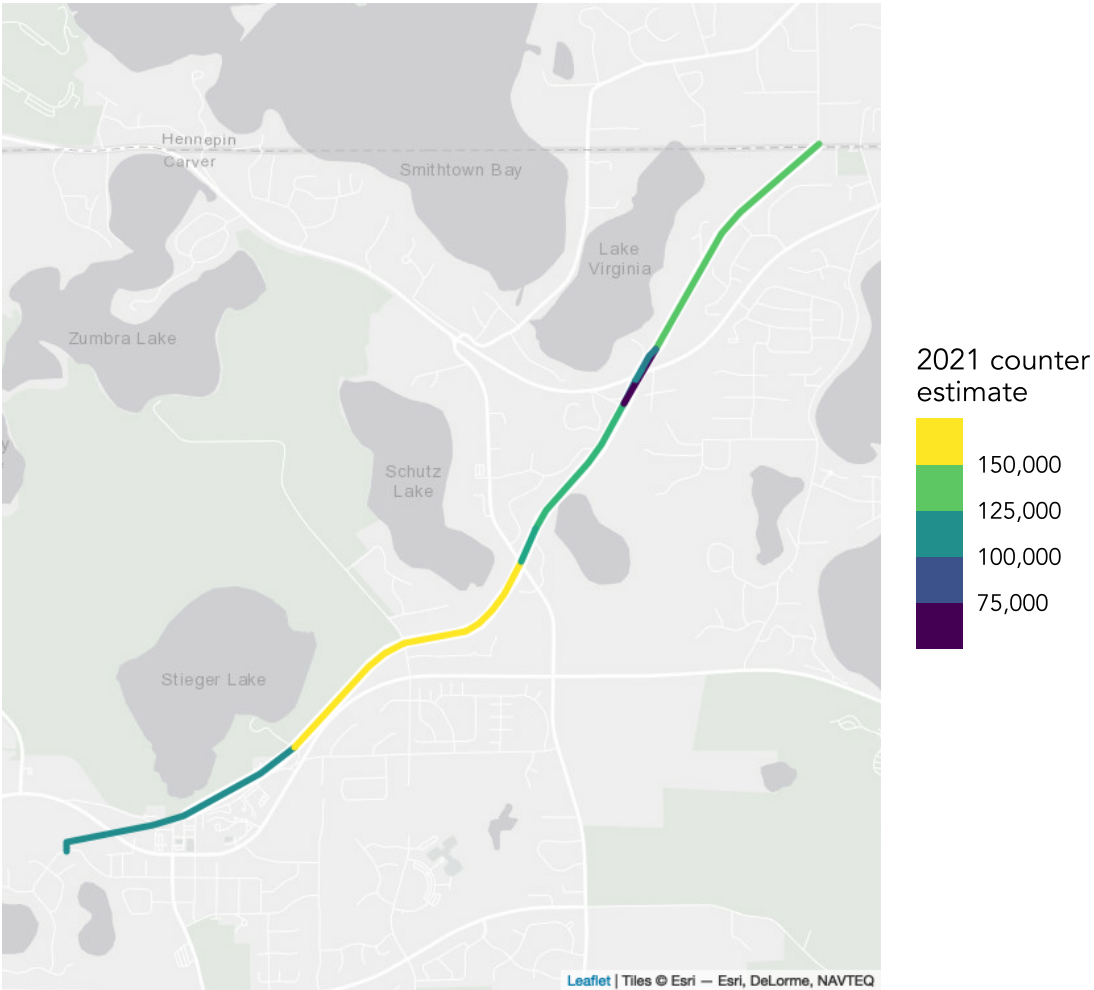


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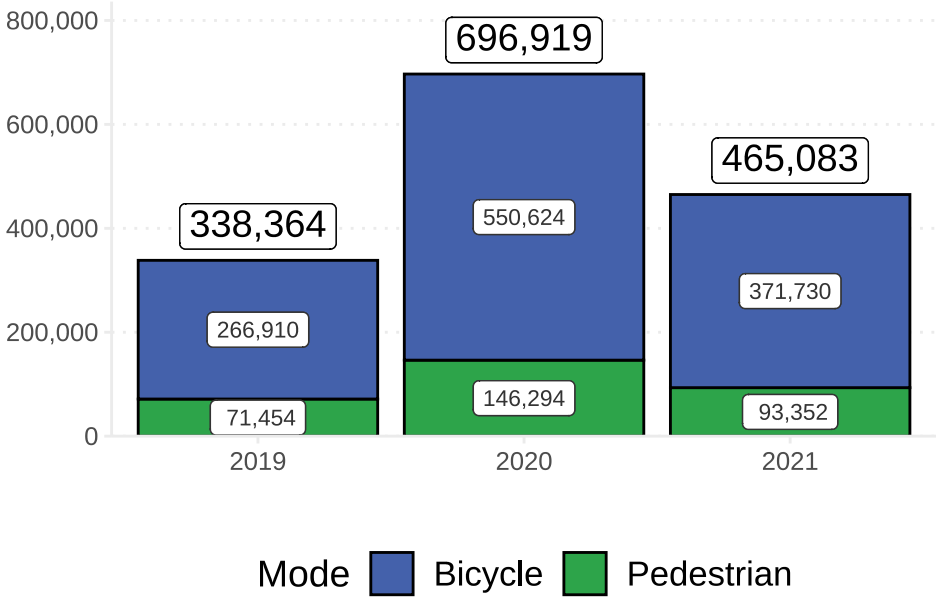
This factsheet summarizes trail-level data for Lake Minnetonka LRT, Carver County Regional Trail. Use estimates were derived using location-based services (LBS) data and represent the number miles traveled on trails by bicyclists and pedestrians.

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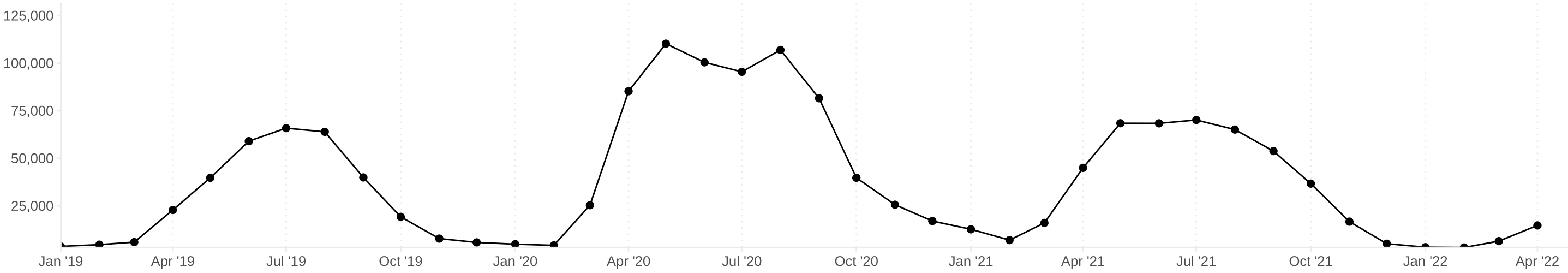
Total annual miles of use



Year	Total miles traveled	Bicycle miles traveled	Pedestrian miles traveled	Total counter estimate	Bicycle counter estimate	Pedestrian counter estimate
2019	338,364	266,910	71,454	118,282	95,814	41,027
2020	696,919	550,624	146,294	247,044	194,867	72,372
2021	465,083	371,730	93,352	164,864	132,037	46,391

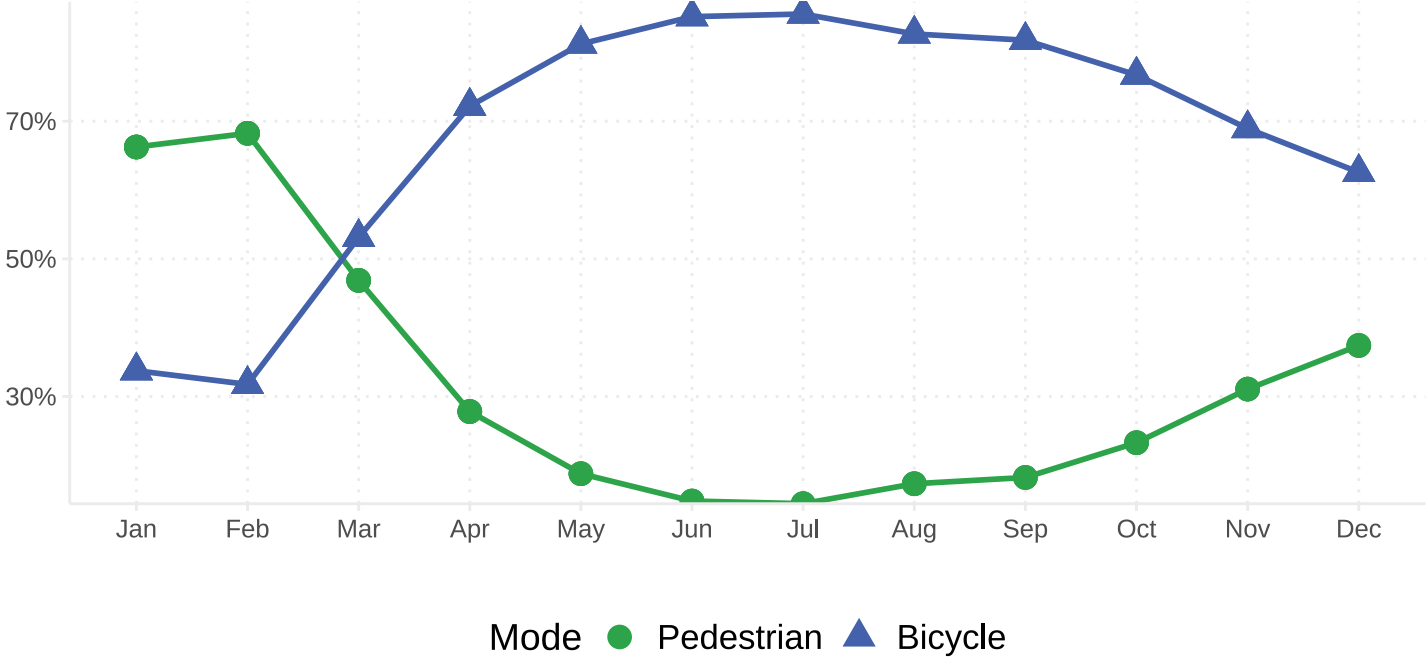
Monthly use

Each point in this time series indicates estimated monthly miles traveled on Lake Minnetonka LRT, Carver County.



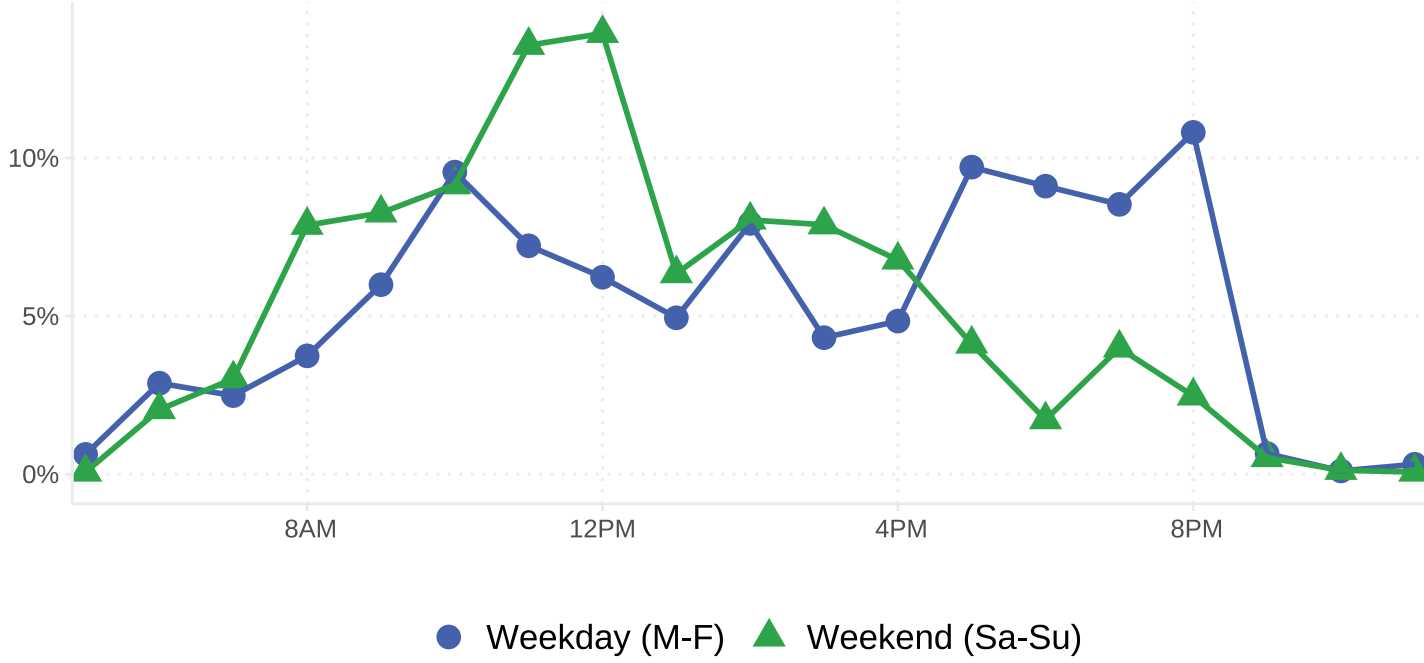
Mode share

Mode share shows the percent of trail use occurring by bicyclists and pedestrians. Points show the monthly averages across the study period.



Hourly use

Hourly use during summer 2021 shows patterns of when visitors use trails on weekdays and weekends.



Visitor home locations

Visitation to was not sufficiently large to infer aggregated home locations for 2021.



Visitor demographics

Visitor demographics are inferred based on home locations and data from the 2020 US Census. The table summarizes inferred demographic attributes of visitors to Lake Minnetonka LRT, Carver County during 2021 (LBS data). 2020 US Census data for the 7-county metro area is provided for context. Please note that local and/or historical context is crucial when interpreting trail-level demographic data.

	Category	Census Group	Trail Estimate (entire 2021)	Metro Region Average
Race/ethnicity		American Indian	0.2%	0.5%
		Asian	2.8%	8.2%
		Black	1.3%	10.3%
		Hispanic or Latinx	3.0%	7.2%
		More than one race	4.8%	4.6%
		Native Hawaiian and other Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.0%
		Some other race	0.9%	0.4%
		White	87.0%	68.8%
Income		Less than \$25,000	7.5%	8.6%
		\$25,000 - 39,999	5.2%	9.8%
		\$40,000 - 59,999	9.3%	13.8%
		\$60,000 - 74,999	5.9%	9.4%
		\$75,000 - 99,999	11.0%	13.6%
		\$100,000 - 149,999	18.4%	19.3%
		\$150,000 or higher	42.7%	25.5%
Education		High school	15.3%	25.6%
		Associate degree or some college	24.0%	29.3%
		4-year degree	39.6%	29.3%
		Graduate or professional degree	21.2%	15.9%