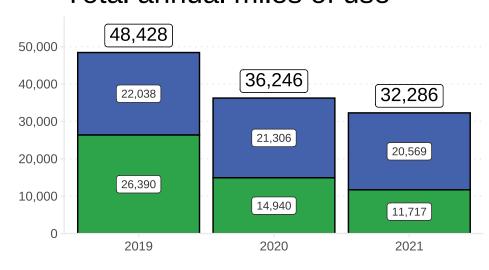
# Greater Mankato River Valley Regional Trail, Minneopa Section

This factsheet summarizes trail-level data for Greater Mankato River Valley, Minneopa Regional Trail. Use estimates were derived using location-based services (LBS) data and represent the number miles traveled on trails by bicyclists and pedestrians.

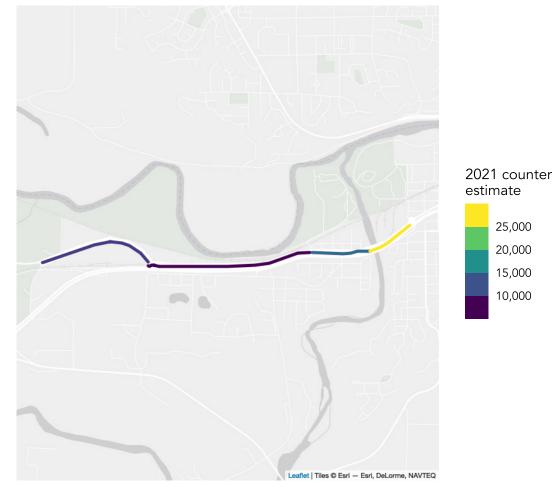
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## Total annual miles of use



Mode Bicycle Pedestrian

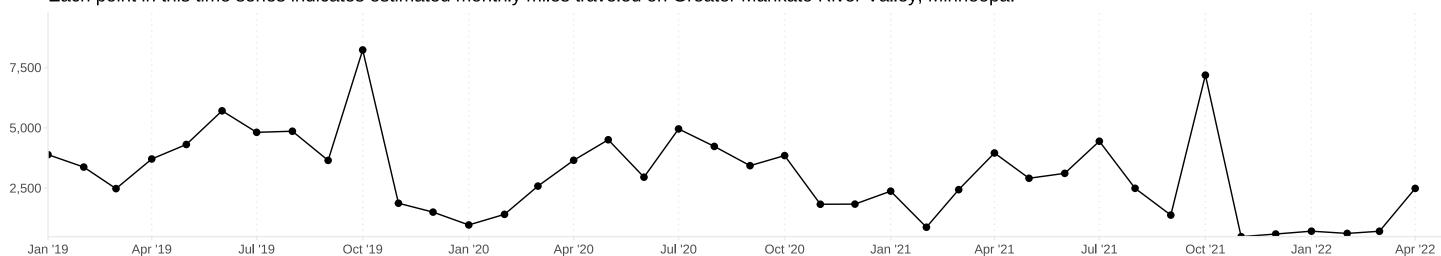
Year	Total miles traveled	Bicycle miles traveled	Pedestrian miles traveled	Total counter estimate	Bicycle counter estimate	Pedestrian counter estimate
2019	48,428	22,038	26,390	56,967	21,735	44,603
2020	36,246	21,306	14,940	37,546	19,831	17,715
2021	32,286	20,569	11,717	29,327	13,993	15,641



Greater Mankato River Valley, Minneopa is part of the Greater MN Regional Trail system (Greater MN District 5). Park boundaries were accessed via personal communication in July, 2021 and may have been edited to improve LBS data performance.

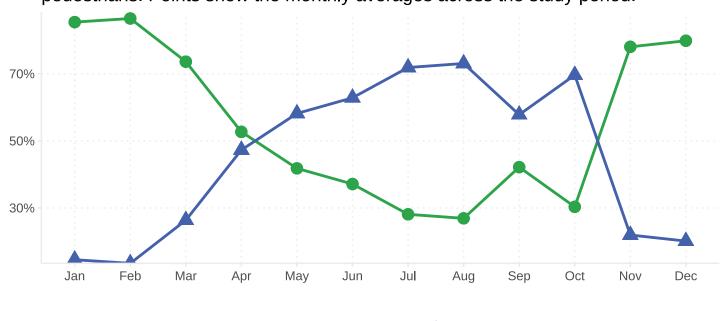
# Monthly use

Each point in this time series indicates estimated monthly miles traveled on Greater Mankato River Valley, Minneopa.



## Mode share

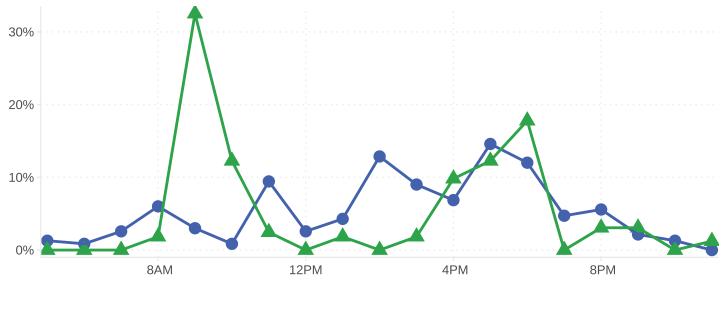
Mode share shows the percent of trail use occurring by bicyclists and pedestrians. Points show the monthly averages across the study period.



Mode ● Pedestrian ▲ Bicycle

## Hourly use

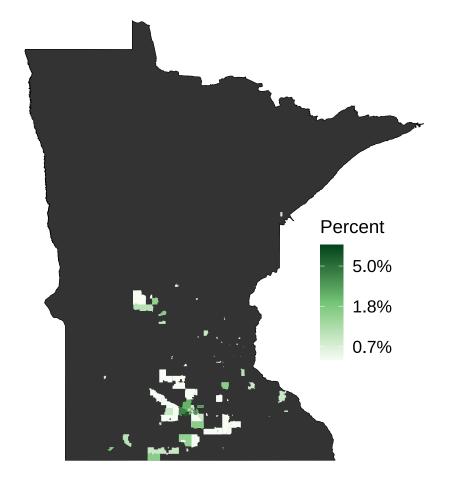
Hourly use during summer 2021 shows patterns of when visitors use trails on weekdays and weekends.



■ Weekday (M-F) Weekend (Sa-Su)

### Visitor home locations

Inferred visitor home locations are reported at the block group level. Darker colors indicate more visitors from a given block group. During 2021, approximately 87% of visitors to Greater Mankato River Valley, Minneopa lived inside of Minnesota while 13% of visitors lived outside of Minnesota.



# 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 Greater Mankato River Valley, Minneopa during 2021 (LBS data). 2020 US Census data for Greater Minnesota (the state minus 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)	Greater Minnesota Average	
	American Indian	0.3%	1.6%	
Race/ethnicity	Asian	2.4%	1.5%	
	Black	4.4%	2.7%	
	Hispanic or Latinx	4.0%	4.7%	
	More than one race	4.8%	3.6%	
	Native Hawaiian and other Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.1%	
	Some other race	1.6%	0.3%	
	White	82.5%	85.6%	
	Less than \$25,000	15.2%	12.7%	
Income	\$25,000 - 39,999	13.2%	13.0%	
	\$40,000 - 59,999	15.9%	16.8%	
	\$60,000 - 74,999	10.9%	10.8%	
	\$75,000 - 99,999	16.3%	14.6%	
	\$100,000 - 149,999	16.7%	17.1%	
	\$150,000 or higher	11.8%	15.1%	
Education	High school	30.3%	37.4%	
	Associate degree or some college	32.1%	36.2%	
	4-year degree	23.9%	17.9%	
	Graduate or professional degree	13.8%	8.5%	