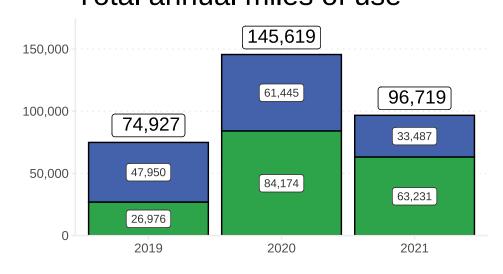
# Great River Ridge State Trail

This factsheet summarizes trail-level data for Great River Ridge State Trail. Use estimates were derived using location-based services (LBS) data and represent the number miles traveled on trails by bicyclists and pedestrians.

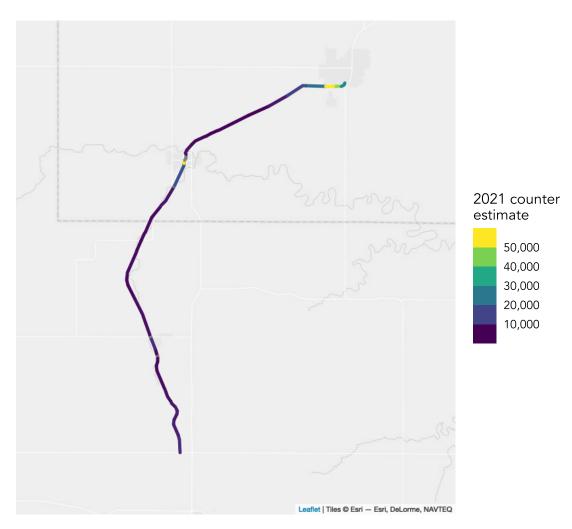
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#### Total annual miles of use



Mode Bicycle

Year	Total miles traveled	Bicycle miles traveled	Pedestrian miles traveled	Total counter estimate	Bicycle counter estimate	Pedestrian counter estimate
2019	74,927	47,950	26,976	47,691	7,659	42,243
2020	145,619	61,445	84,174	75,149	13,697	64,280
2021	96,719	33,487	63,231	62,791	7,189	57,850

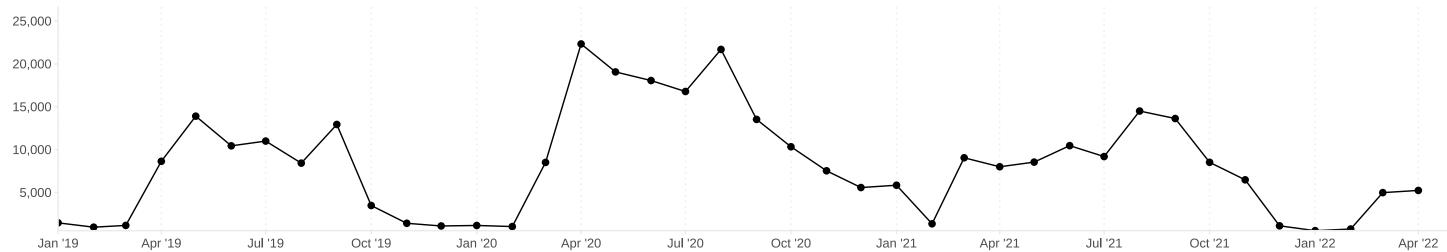


Great River Ridge is part of the DNR State Trail system (DNR Area 3C). Trail boundaries were accessed via Minnesota Geospatial Commons in July 2023 and may have been edited to improve LBS data performance.

#### Monthly use

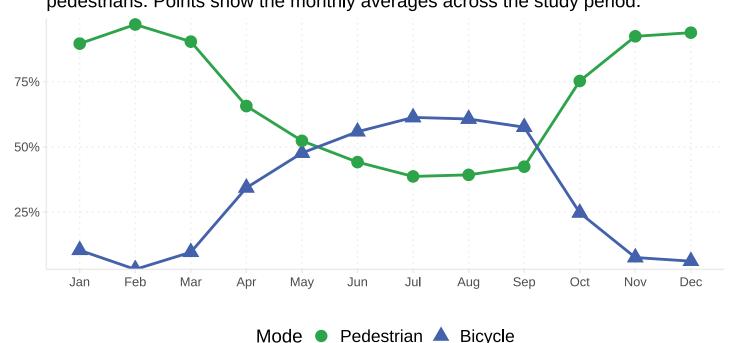
Each point in this time series indicates estimated monthly miles traveled on Great River Ridge.

Pedestrian



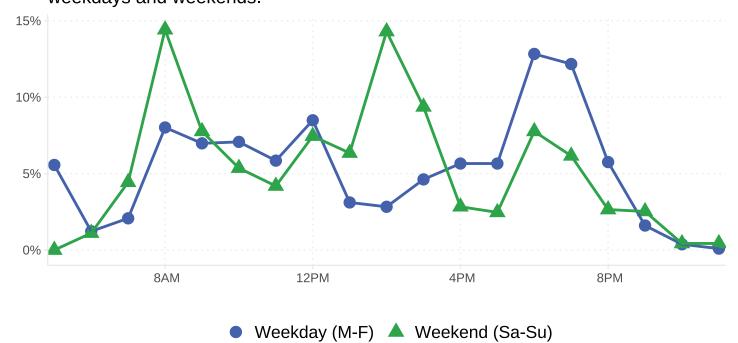
#### Mode share

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 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 Great River Ridge during 2021 (LBS data). 2020 US Census data for the state 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)	State Average
	American Indian	0.2%	1.0%
Race/ethnicity	Asian	1.7%	5.2%
	Black	1.4%	6.9%
	Hispanic or Latinx	3.2%	6.1%
	More than one race	3.5%	4.1%
	Native Hawaiian and other Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.0%
	Some other race	1.0%	0.4%
	White	89.1%	76.3%
	Less than \$25,000	13.9%	10.4%
	\$25,000 - 39,999	10.7%	11.2%
	\$40,000 - 59,999	15.7%	15.1%
Income	\$60,000 - 74,999	10.3%	10.0%
	\$75,000 - 99,999	14.4%	14.1%
	\$100,000 - 149,999	20.2%	18.3%
	\$150,000 or higher	14.8%	20.8%
	High school	36.9%	30.9%
EL e	Associate degree or some college	34.9%	32.4%
Education	4-year degree	19.0%	24.2%
	Graduate or professional degree	9.2%	12.6%

### 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 98% of visitors to Great River Ridge lived inside of Minnesota while 2% of visitors lived outside of Minnesota.

