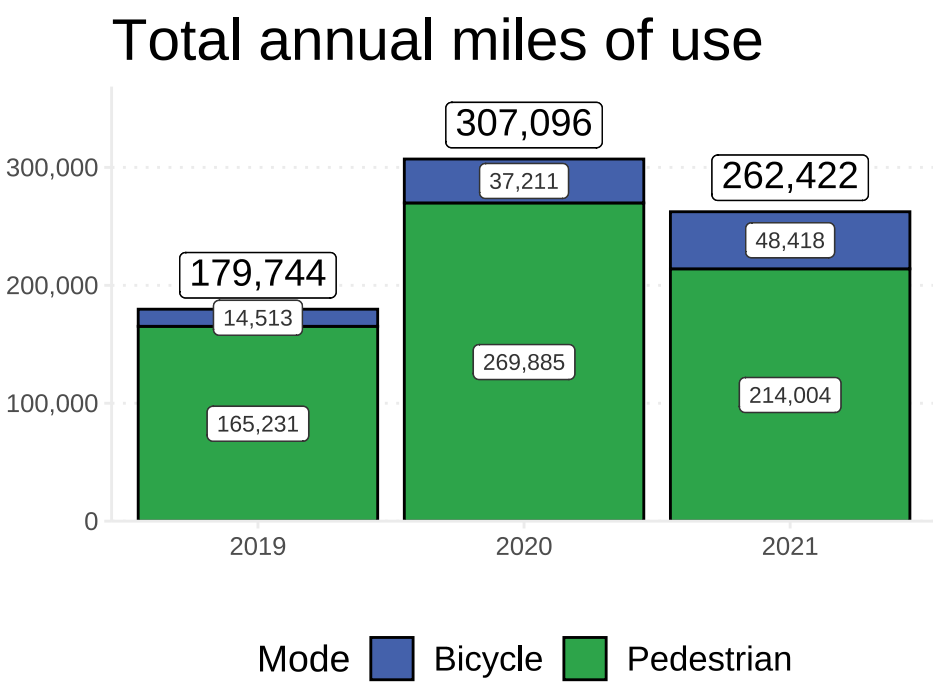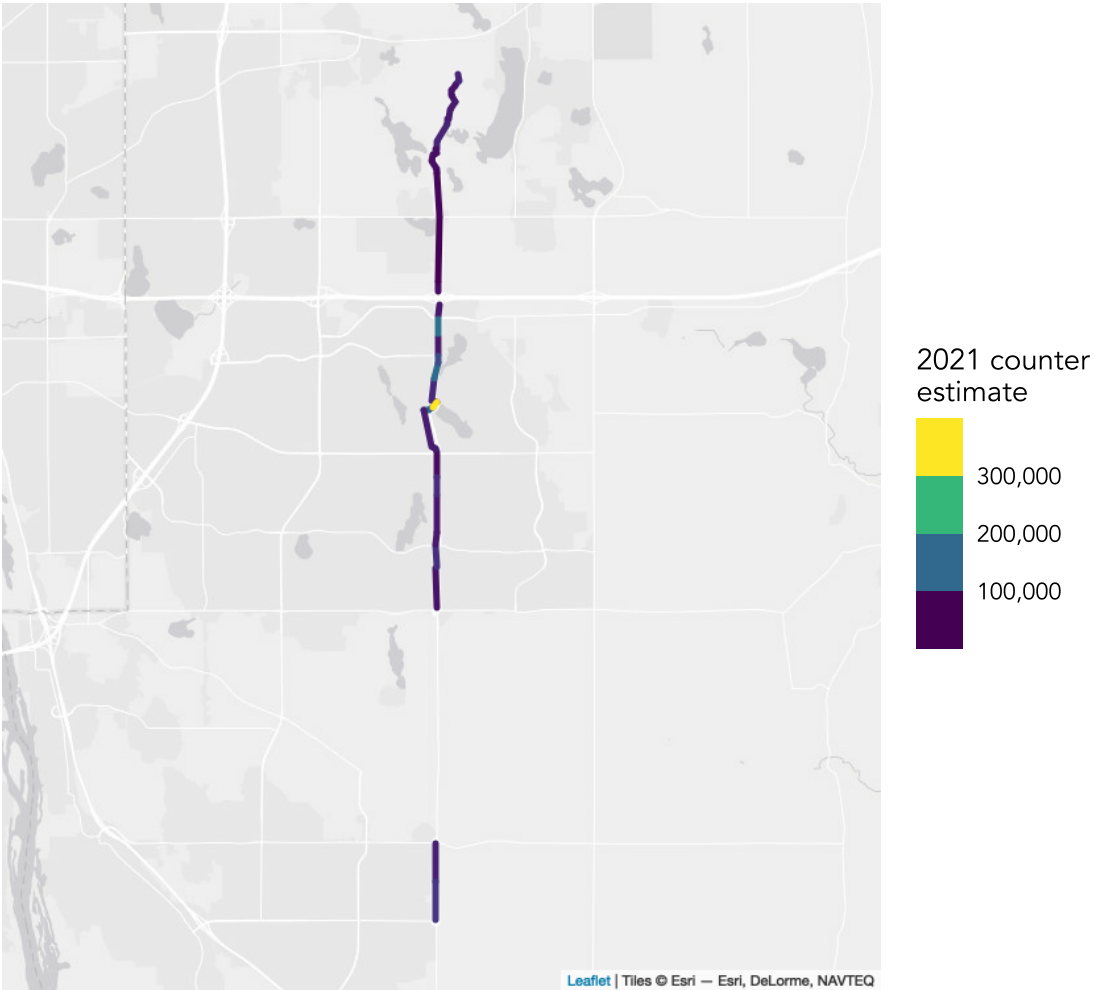# Central Greenway Regional Trail, Washington County

This factsheet summarizes trail-level data for Central Greenway, Washington 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.
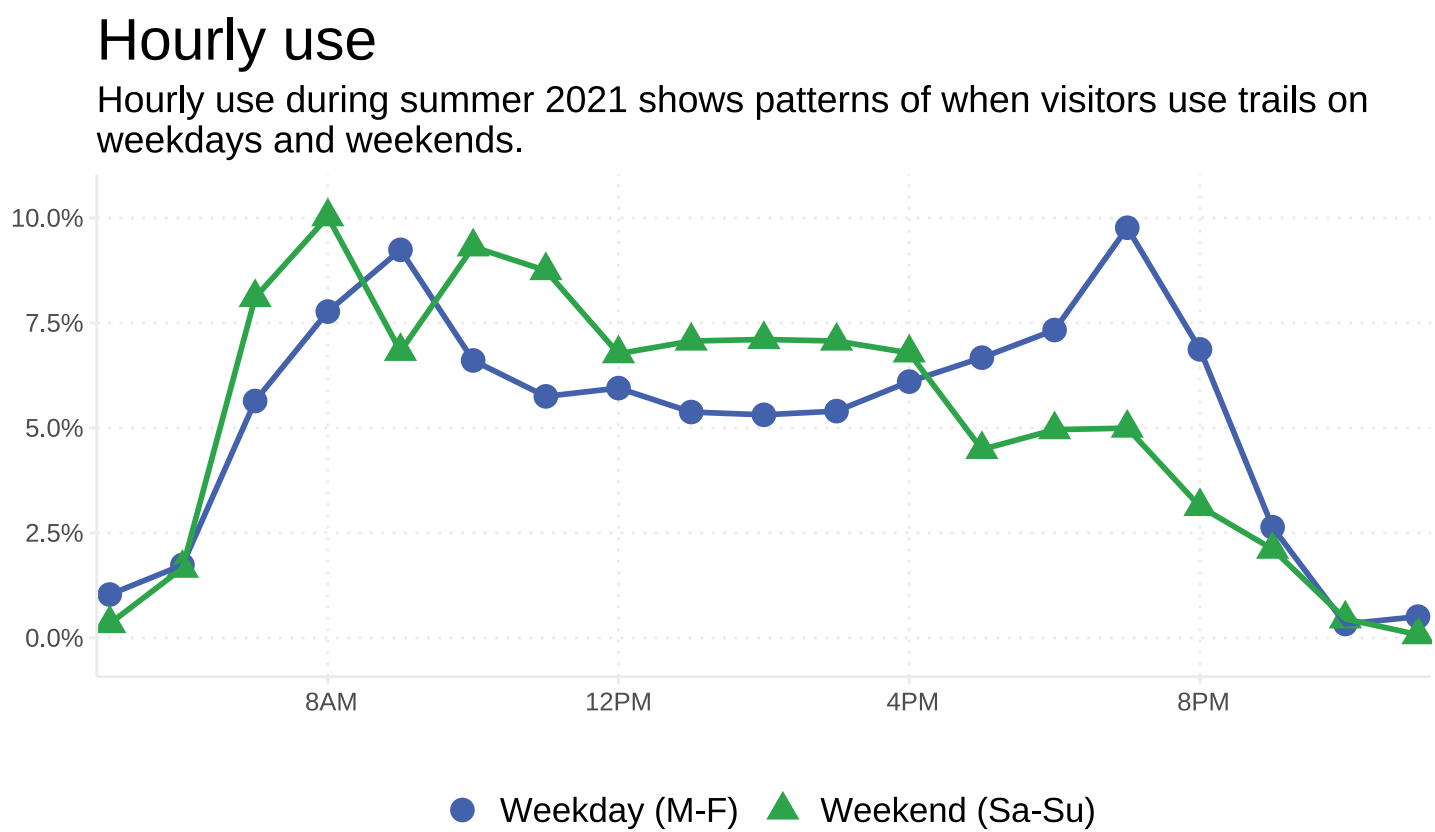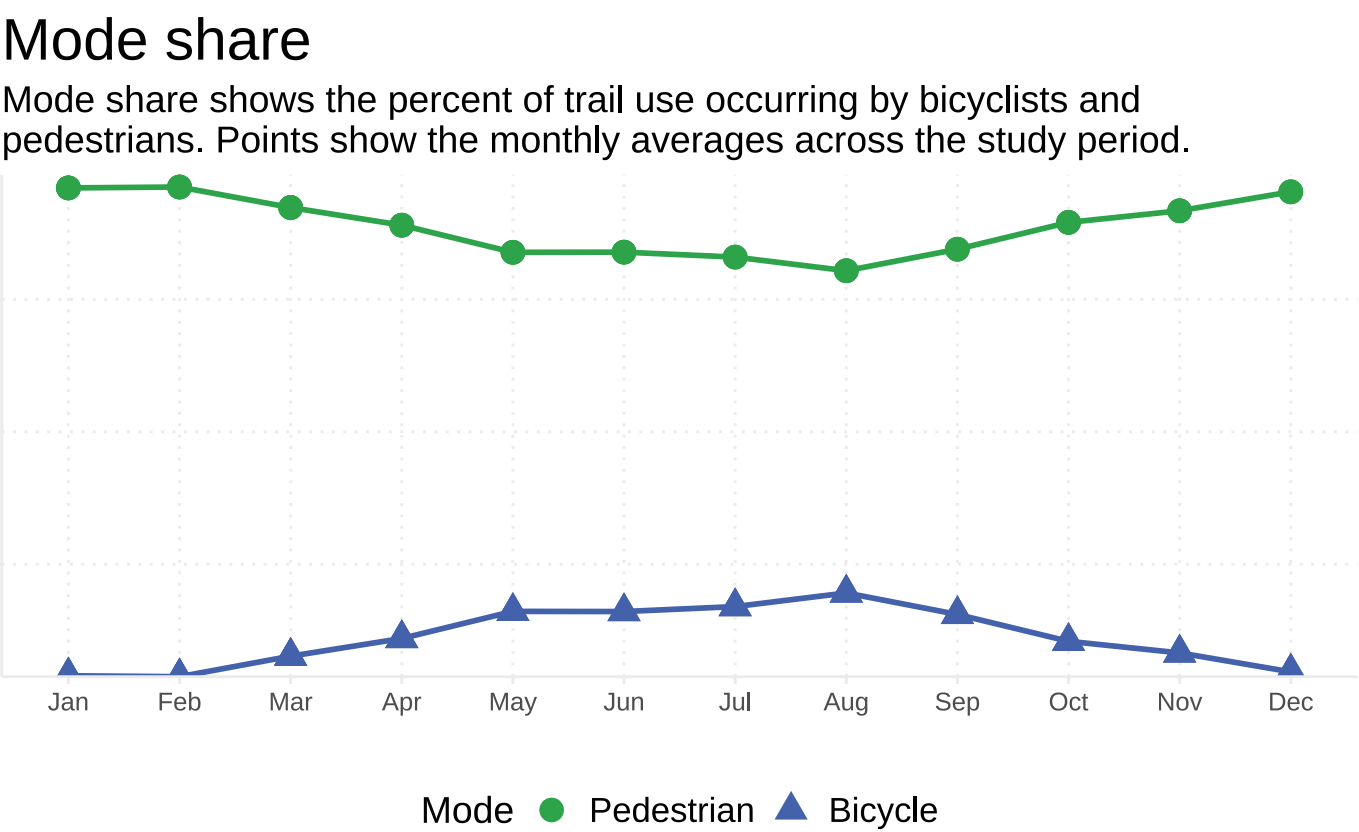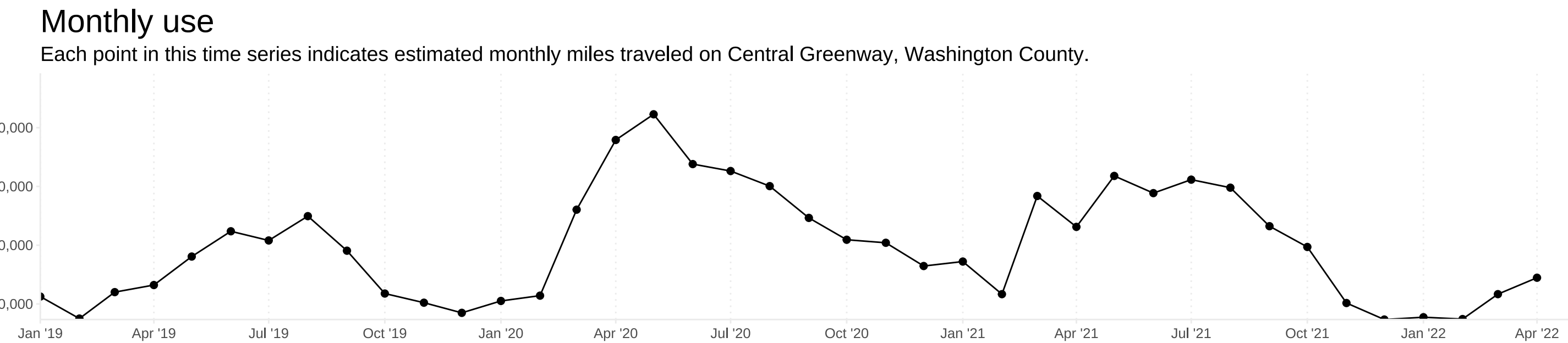
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Total annual miles of use

Year	Total miles traveled	Bicycle miles traveled	Pedestrian miles traveled	Total counter estimate	Bicycle counter estimate	Pedestrian counter estimate
2019	179,744	14,513	165,231	292,144	22,466	273,085
2020	307,096	37,211	269,885	500,778	35,086	466,044
2021	262,422	48,418	214,004	327,361	26,488	301,326

Mode ■ Bicycle ■ Pedestrian

2021 counter estimate
300,000
200,000
100,000

Central Greenway, Washington County is part of the Metro Regional Trail system (Washington County). 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 Central Greenway, Washington 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.

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

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 Central Greenway, Washington 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	0.4%	0.5%
	Asian	9.0%	8.2%
	Black	6.7%	10.3%
	Hispanic or Latinx	5.3%	7.2%
	More than one race	6.7%	4.6%
	Native Hawaiian and other Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.0%
	Some other race	1.9%	0.4%
	White	70.0%	68.8%
Income	Less than $25,000	7.6%	8.6%
	$25,000 - 39,999	6.5%	9.8%
	$40,000 - 59,999	10.7%	13.8%
	$60,000 - 74,999	8.5%	9.4%
	$75,000 - 99,999	13.0%	13.6%
	$100,000 - 149,999	22.2%	19.3%
	$150,000 or higher	31.5%	25.5%
Education	High school	19.6%	25.6%
	Associate degree or some college	27.7%	29.3%
	4-year degree	32.7%	29.3%
	Graduate or professional degree	20.1%	15.9%