Study Area Summary

Lakeshore Road is classified as a minor arterial road and runs east-west through the Town of Oakville, providing connections to Mississauga in the east and Burlington in the west. Lakeshore Road is also characterized as a Scenic Corridor, and a study outlining its scenic attributes was presented to Council in March 2020.

The posted speed along Lakeshore Road West is 50 km/h, with a short section posted at 40 km/h near Appleby College, between Suffolk Ave and Birch Hill Lane. The roadway provides a single lane of travel in each direction through most of the corridor, except for a short section between Bronte Road and Mississaga Street which provides 2 lanes of travel in each direction.

There are total of 31 roads that intersect Lakeshore Road West within the study area. Active transportation infrastructure, including sidewalks/paths and bike lanes, is discontinuous along Lakeshore Road West within the study limits.

Oakville Transit currently operates two bus routes on Lakeshore Road west of the Third Line. Route 3 travels between Bronte Village and the Oakville Trafalgar Memorial Hospital via South Oakville Centre and Bronte GO station. Route 14/14A travels between the Oakville GO and Appleby GO stations via downtown Oakville, South Oakville Centre, and Bronte Village Route 14/14A is one of the highest ridership routes in the transit system.

