



Planning for Utah's Long-Term Growth

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Envision Utah

- Founded in 1997
- Nonprofit, nonpartisan, voluntary
- Partnership of business, government, and community



Leadership – Honorary Co-Chairs

- Public Sector
 - Mike Leavitt
 - Olene Walker
 - Jon Huntsman Jr.
 - Gary Herbert
- Private Sector
 - Larry H. Miller
 - Spencer F. Eccles

Bringing Utahns Together



Safe & Secure Environment

(33%)

Residents Want Friendly Neighbors with Similar Values. This Creates an Environment with a Sense of Community, Promoting Peace and Personal Security.

The People / Population Growth

Commonly Held Ideas / More Crowds

Feel Safe / Less Worry

Peace of Mind / Personal Security

Time, Opportunity for Personal Priorities (34%) Outdoor/Scenic Component (positive)

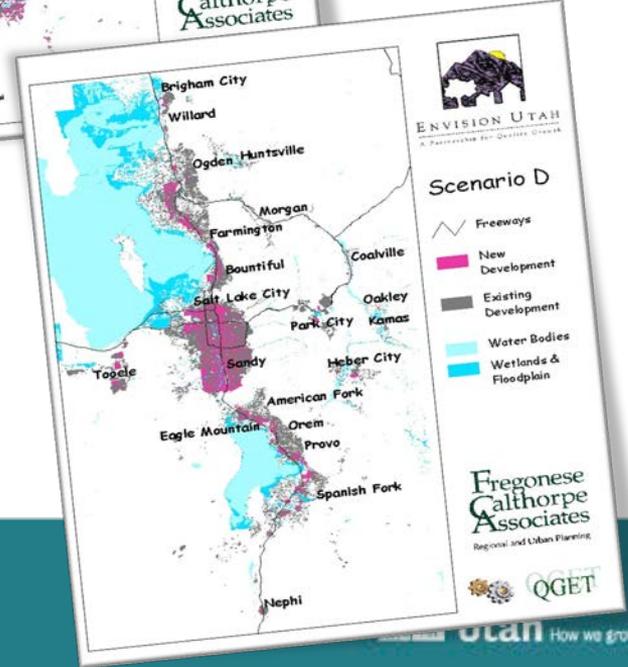
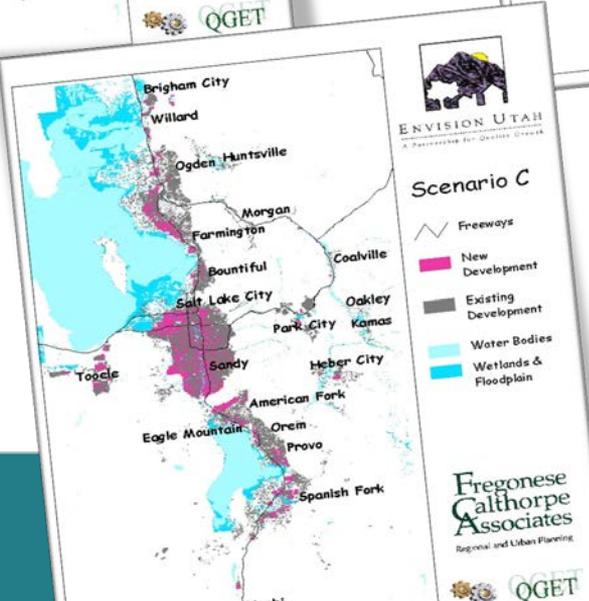
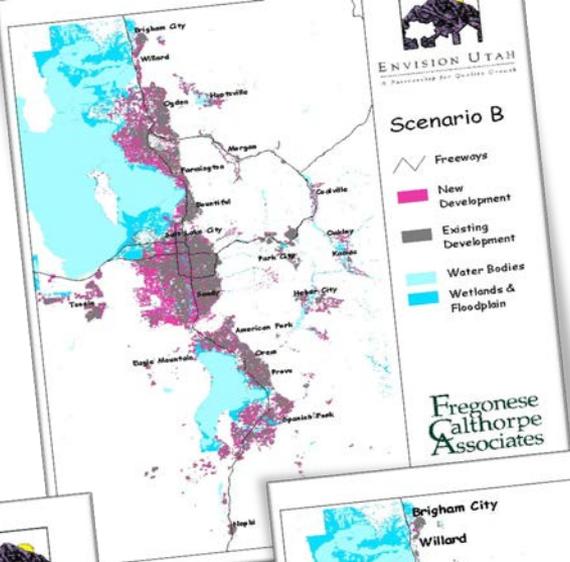
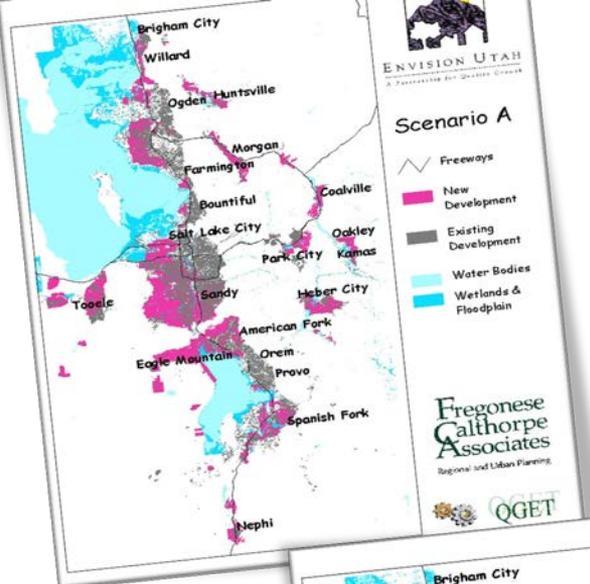
The beauty of the region provides many recreational options. Residents are surrounded with opportunities to experience the outdoors and relax with their families.

Outdoor Rec /
Scenic beauty

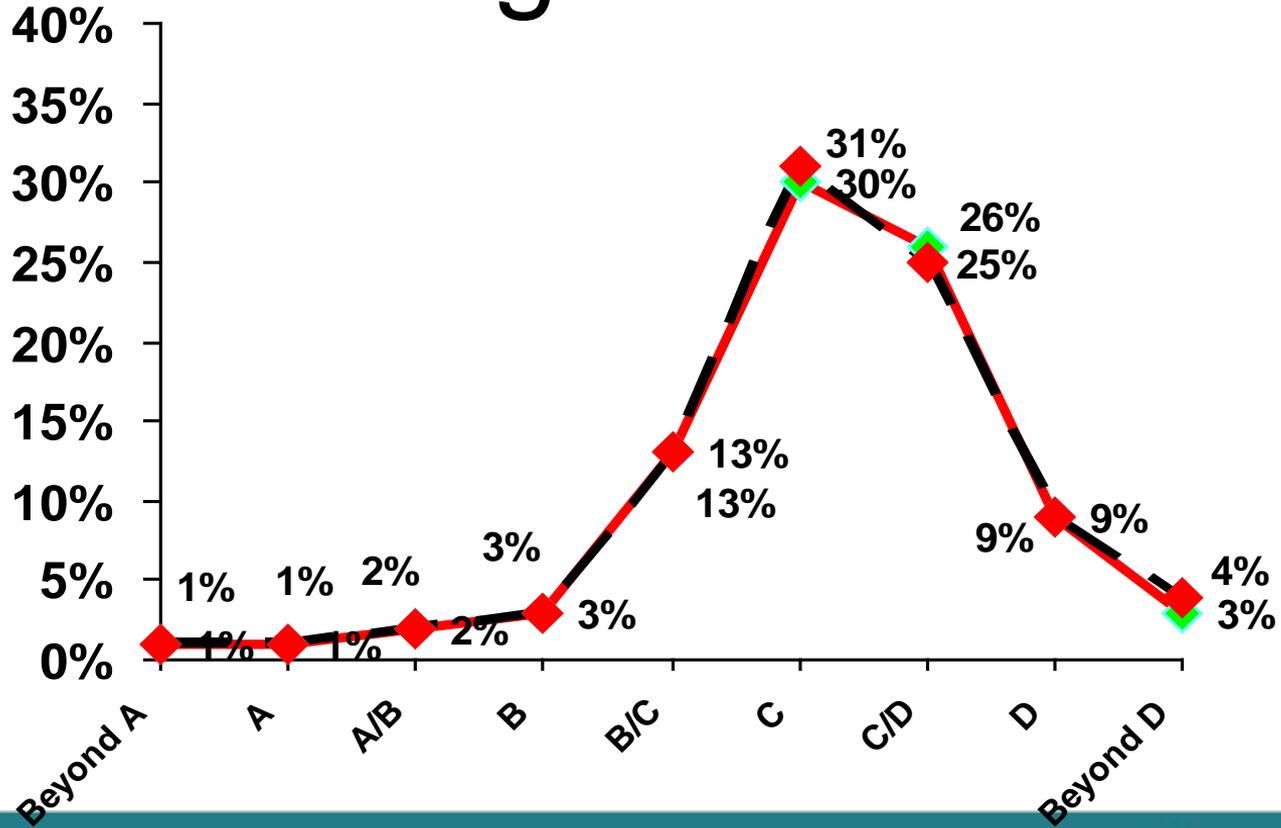
Do Other Things /
Have More Choices

Less Stress /
Spend Time With
Family

Peace of Mind /
Personal



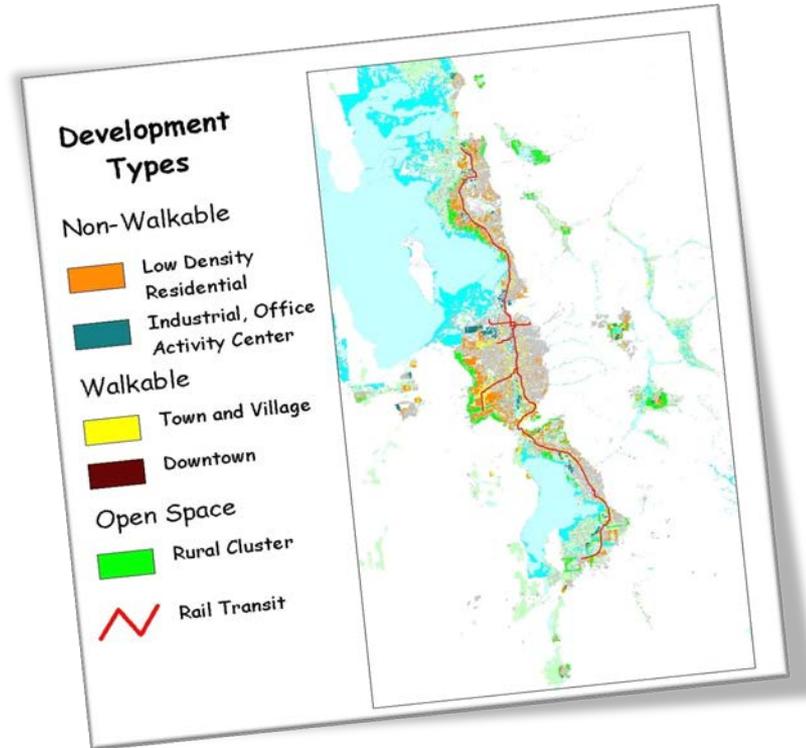
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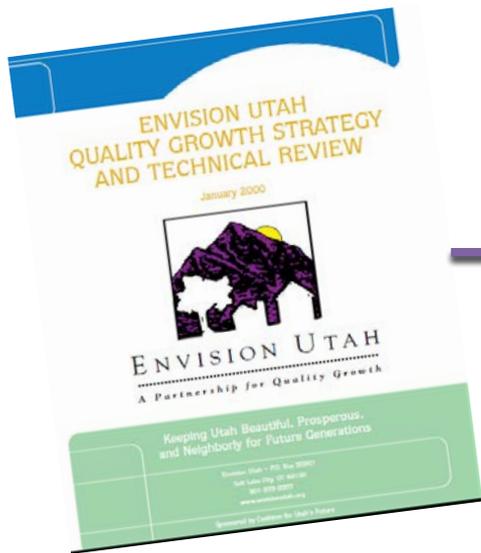


10-County Quality Growth Strategy

Six Goals, 42 Strategies

- Enhance Air Quality
- Increase Transportation Choices
- Preserve Critical Lands
- Conserve Water Resources
- Provide Housing Opportunities
- Maximize Efficiency in Public Investment





Blueprint Jordan River





Wasatch Canyons
TOMORROW

Utah

2013 Report Card

- ☑ Land Consumption
- ☑ Housing Mix
- ☑ Transportation
- ☑ Emissions
- ☑ Water Use
- ☑ Air Quality
- ☑ Infrastructure

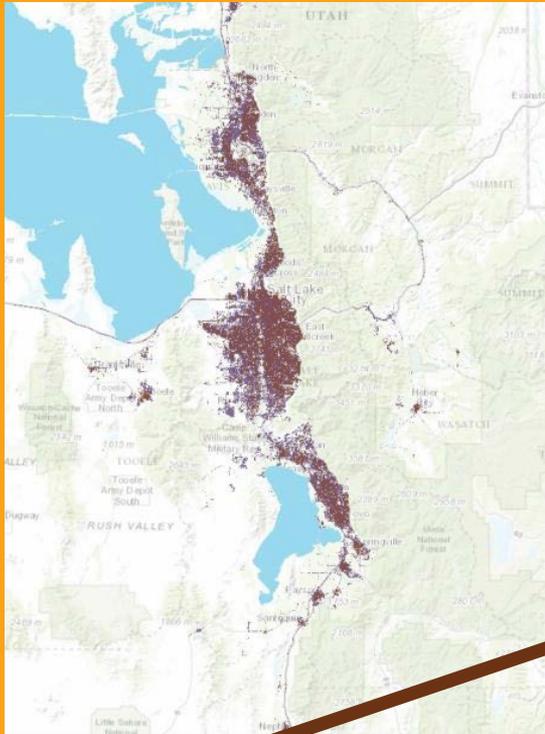
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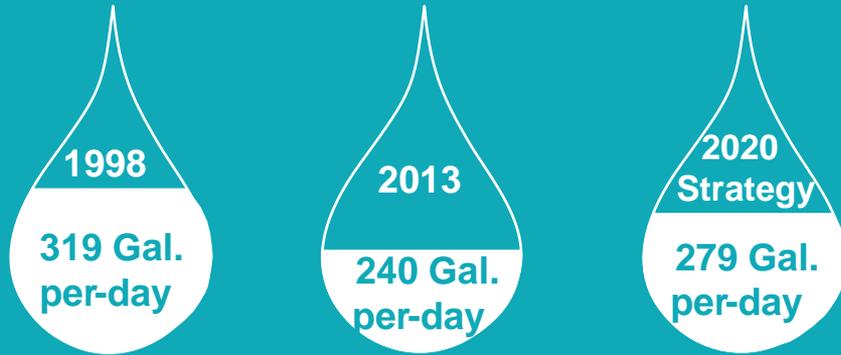
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Square Miles of Developed Land



Per Capita Water Consumption



25% Decrease



Source: Envision Utah Quality Growth Strategy and Technical Review, Census 2010 SF1 100%, Utah DNR

140 miles of
rail added

70 stations

195,000 people
within ½ mile of a
rail station

2020 strategy goal:

700,000+



Source: Envision Utah Quality Growth Strategy and Technical Review, Utah Automated Geographic Reference Center, Census 2010 SF1 Block Group

Infrastructure Savings

- Capital costs
- Maintenance costs



As Utah adds 2.5 million by 2050...

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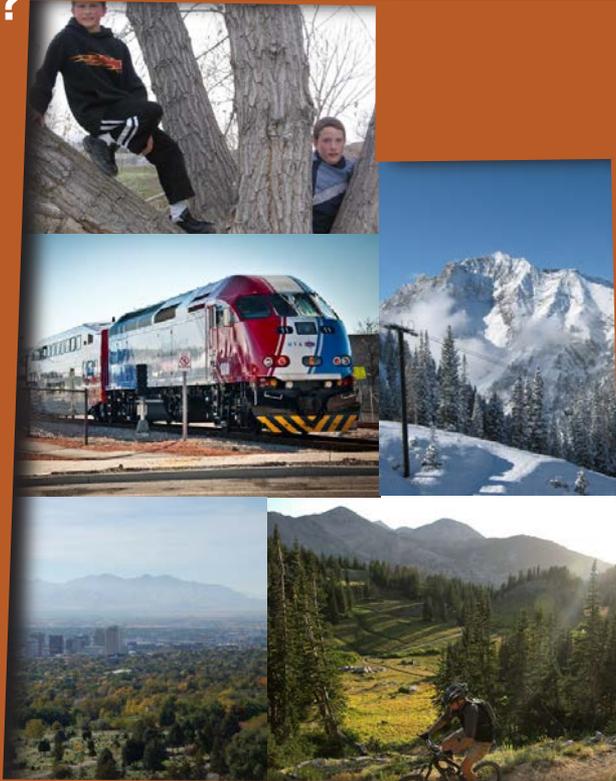


2050





Where are we headed?



Will we have...

- Clean air to breath?
- Enough water for our needs?
- Transportation choices that promote a high quality of life?
- An affordable cost of living, with housing options for everyone?
- Natural lands, agriculture, and recreational options?
- Quality jobs for all of us?
- An educated population?
- Enough roads, rail, and utilities without overburdening ourselves with costs?

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2013



Governor Kicks Off *Your Utah, Your Future*

“In Utah, we don’t believe in sitting back and seeing where growth will take us. We seek to be visionary and to actively secure our future. Together, we will develop a voluntary, locally-implemented, market-driven vision to help keep Utah beautiful, prosperous, healthy and neighborly for current residents and future generations.”

-- Governor Gary R. Herbert,
honorary co-chair of Envision Utah.





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What do 2.5 million more people mean for outdoor recreation?



Crowding in Popular Recreation Areas?



Inability to Access Outdoor Recreation?



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Envision Utah: Your Utah. Your Future.

Exploring Choices

- Workshops
- Public input
- Task force meetings
- Scenario modeling

Choosing

- Online tool
- Media and outreach campaign
- Statistical survey

Vision Establishment

- Analyzing the public's choices
- Vision documentation
- Public vision release
- Begin implementation

2014

Early 2015

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