	Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Utah Transit Authority Wednesday, May 29, 2019, 9:00 a.m. Utah Transit Authority Headquarters 669 West 200 South, Salt Lake City, Utah Golden Spike Conference Rooms	
1.	Call to Order & Opening Remarks	Chair Carlton Christensen
2.	Pledge of Allegiance	Chair Carlton Christensen
3.	Safety First Minute	Sheldon Shaw
4.	Public Comment Period	Chair Carlton Christensen
5.	 Consent Agenda a. Approval of May 22, 2019 Board Meeting Minutes b. UTA Policy 1.1.11 Ethics Policy 	Chair Carlton Christensen
6.	Agency Report	Steve Meyer
7.		
	R2019-05-03 Resolution Approving Title VI Program Report	Andrew Gray
8.	 R2019-05-03 Resolution Approving Title VI Program Report Contracts, Disbursements and Grants a. Change Order: On-Call Maintenance Task Order #77 – Salt Lake Central Hub (Stacy and Witbeck) 	Andrew Gray Eddy Cumins
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	 Contracts, Disbursements and Grants a. Change Order: On-Call Maintenance Task Order #77 – Salt Lake Central Hub (Stacy and Witbeck) b. Change Order: On-Call Maintenance Task Order #78 – 	Eddy Cumins
	 Contracts, Disbursements and Grants a. Change Order: On-Call Maintenance Task Order #77 – Salt Lake Central Hub (Stacy and Witbeck) b. Change Order: On-Call Maintenance Task Order #78 – Delta Interlocking (Stacy and Witbeck) c. Change Order: On-Call Maintenance Task Order #70 Change Order #1 – 150 South Interlocking 	Eddy Cumins Eddy Cumins
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11.	Adj	ourn	Chair Carlton Christensen
10.	Oth a.	ner Business Next meeting: June 5, 2019 at 9:00 a.m.	Chair Carlton Christensen
	d.	Oquirrh View Planning	Wilf Sommerkorn and Jake Young (SL County)
	c.	Draft Revised Bylaws	Annette Royle
	b.	Draft Board Records Access and Management Policy	Auty Dahlquist
9.	Dis a.	cussion Items Draft Board Procurement Policy	Todd Mills
	g.	Grant: DHS Transit Security Grant Program – Interior FrontRunner Train Cameras	Steve Meyer

Public Comment: Members of the public are invited to provide comment during the public comment period. Comment may be provided in person or online through <u>www.rideuta.com</u>. In order to be considerate of time and the agenda, comments are limited to 2 minutes per individual or 5 minutes for a designated spokesperson representing a group. Comments may also be sent via e-mail to <u>boardoftrustees@rideuta.com</u>.

Special Accommodation: Information related to this meeting is available in alternate format upon request by contacting <u>calldredge@rideuta.com</u> or (801) 287-3536. Request for accommodations should be made at least two business days in advance of the scheduled meeting.

Safety Is a Choice You Make



Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Utah Transit Authority (UTA) held at UTA FrontLines Headquarters located at 669 West 200 South, Salt Lake City, Utah May 22, 2019

Board Members Present: Carlton Christensen, Chair Beth Holbrook Kent Millington

Also attending were members of UTA staff, as well as interested citizens and members of the media.

Call to Order, Opening Remarks, and Pledge of Allegiance. Chair Christensen welcomed attendees and called the meeting to order at 9:01 a.m. with three board members present. Following Chair Christensen's opening remarks, the board and meeting attendees recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Safety First Minute. Chair Christensen yielded the floor to Sheldon Shaw, UTA Safety Manager, for a brief safety message.

Public Comment Period. No public comment was given. It was noted that online comment received for the meeting was distributed to the board prior to the meeting and will be included as an appendix to the minutes of the meeting.

Approval of May 8, 2019 Board Meeting Minutes. A motion to approve the May 8, 2019 Board Meeting Minutes was made by Trustee Holbrook and seconded by Trustee Millington. The motion carried unanimously.

Agency Report.

Main Street Construction (Half Grand Union) Update. Mr. Meyer was joined by Eddy Cumins, UTA Chief Operating Officer, and Greg Thorpe, UTA Project Manager III. Mr. Cumins provided an update on how work on the Main Street construction project is progressing. Discussion ensued. Questions on additions to the project scope and functionality of the bus bridge were posed by the board and answered by staff.

ISO Audit Results. Mr. Meyer mentioned that UTA was recently audited and met the standards for International Organization for Standardization (ISO) recertification in quality and environmental. He noted that UTA is also certified under the Occupational Health and Safety Management System (OHSAS) standards in safety. Discussion ensued. A question on how other transit agencies maintain standards was posed by the board and answered by Mr. Meyer.

Contracts, Disbursements, Pre-Procurements, and Grants.

Disbursement: Tooele County. Mr. Meyer spoke about the disbursement, which transfers 3rd quarter transportation sales tax funds to Tooele County. The funds were Tooele County sales tax funds intended for Tooele County but misrouted to UTA.

A motion to approve the disbursement was made by Trustee Millington and seconded by Trustee Holbrook. The motion carried unanimously with aye votes from Trustee Millington, Trustee Holbrook, and Chair Christensen.

Pre-Procurement: Light Rail Auxiliary Power Converter and Propulsion Controller. Mr. Cumins explained the pre-procurement, which is for the overhaul of key power and propulsion components on certain light rail vehicles. Discussion ensued. Questions on the time period of the proposed contract and the plan to bundle parts in the procurement were posed by the board and answered by Mr. Cumins.

Pre-Procurement: Light Rail Vehicle Wraps. Mr. Cumins stated that the vehicle wraps included in the pre-procurement are part of the light rail vehicle overhaul program. Discussion ensued. A question on the availability of local companies to provide the wrapping service was posed by the board and answered by Mr. Cumins.

Grant Review: DHS Transit Security Grant Program. Mr. Meyer summarized the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) Transit Security Grant Program (TSGP) application. The application includes four separate projects: 1) a cybersecurity access control solution (\$290,000), 2) a cybersecurity governance risk and compliance system

(\$260,000), 3) a cybersecurity vulnerability assessment (\$200,000), and 4) cybersecurity services provided through a contracted security operations center (\$360,000). No local match is required.

Discussion Items.

Regional Transportation Plan Draft – Transit Initiatives. Ted Knowlton and Callie New with the Wasatch Front Regional Council (WFRC) and Chad Eccles with the Mountainland Association of Governments (MAG) delivered a presentation on the transit initiatives contained in the draft Regional Transportation Plan (RTP). Topics included the Wasatch Choice 2050 vision, the 2019-2050 RTP process, Wasatch Choice goals, 2019-2050 RTP highlights, performance measures, and funding. Following the presentation, discussion ensued. Questions on revenue assumptions in the RTP, communication on the RTP to planning commissions, and methods for escalating priorities in the RTP were posed by the board and answered by Mr. Knowlton, Ms. New, and Mr. Eccles.

2018/2019 Ski Bus Service. Mr. Cumins was joined by Lorin Simpson, UTA Regional General Manager–Salt Lake Business Unit; Mary DeLaMare-Schaefer, UTA Regional General Manager–Timpanogos Business Unit; Jonathan Yip, UTA Senior Manager of Operations Analysis & Solutions; and Mary DeLoretto, UTA Director of Capital Projects. The team provided an overview of ski bus service and provided information on ski service in Ogden, Timpanogos, and Salt Lake; results from route redesigns in Salt Lake; ski service partnerships; and next steps. Discussion ensued. Questions on the timeframe for ski service, communication between UTA and the ski resorts, potential parking solutions for Provo Canyon, system access and transfer points, status of the Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) being conducted with the Utah Department of Transportation in Little Cottonwood Canyon, potential for changing timeframes for ski service, ski service constraints, potential for summer service in the canyons, and differences between ski buses and regular buses were posed by the board and answered by staff.

Chair Christensen called for a short recess at 10:20 a.m.

The meeting resumed at 10:30 a.m.

Draft Board Real Estate Policy. Paul Drake, UTA Senior Manager of Real Estate and Transit-Oriented Development, reviewed the draft Board Real Estate Policy. He spoke about the purpose of the policy, key definitions, policy content, resolution requirements, and property classifications. Discussion ensued. A question on monitoring transactions involved in a capital project was posed by the board and answered by Mr. Meyer and Mr. Drake. Chair Christensen suggested including a mechanism in the policy to provide increased board oversight on capital project budgets.

Draft Board Ethics Policy. Riana de Villiers, UTA Chief Internal Auditor, spoke about the purpose and scope of the Board Ethics Policy, addressing such items as conflicts of interest, nepotism, code of conduct requirements, financial disclosure requirements, and ethics complaints. Discussion ensued. Questions on the process for recusal and extended family nepotism issues that may arise after a trustee or member is appointed were posed by the board and answered by Ms. de Villiers. Chair Christensen recommended including a clause requiring trustees or members who are recusing themselves to physically leave the meeting room following a disclosure.

Draft Board Branding and Advertising Policy. Nichol Bourdeaux, UTA Chief Communications and Marketing Officer, and Andrea Packer, UTA Communications Director, discussed the purpose of the Board Branding and Advertising Policy, which allows and sets standards for advertising on UTA's vehicles and facilities. Discussion ensued. Questions on restrictions for public service announcements, the possibility of promoting the 2020 census, and the potential for advertising at bus stops were posed by the board and answered by staff.

Fares Background – Part 1. Monica Morton, UTA Fares Director, delivered a presentation on UTA's fares history, background, passenger revenue, fares system, and fare-related partnerships. Discussion ensued. Questions on transfers, farebox recovery, cost of collection by mode, challenges for operators in validating fare payment, percentages of paper versus electronic/plastic fare media, counts for the number of monthly passes, and outreach to new businesses in the community were posed by the board and answered by Ms. Morton. Chair Christensen suggesting consolidating some of UTA's fare processes to simplify the transit experience for passengers.

Other Business.

Next Meeting. The next meeting of the board will be on Wednesday, May 29, 2019 at 9:00 a.m.

Adjournment. The meeting was adjourned at 11:39 a.m. by motion.

Transcribed by Cathie Griffiths Executive Assistant to the Board Chair Utah Transit Authority cgriffiths@rideuta.com 801.237.1945 This document is not intended to serve as a full transcript as additional discussion may have taken place; please refer to the meeting materials, audio, or video located at <u>https://www.utah.gov/pmn/sitemap/notice/535565.html</u> for entire content.

This document along with the digital recording constitute the official minutes of this meeting.

APPENDIX

Online Public Comment to the Board of Trustees of the Utah Transit Authority (UTA) Board Meeting May 22, 2019

Received May 20, 2019:

I urge UTA to ensure effective public engagement on August change day and the draft RTP by putting out a draft (second draft) for more comments so that August change day does not result in overwhelming complaints. UTA should be encouraging many more comments.

UTAH TRANSIT AUTHORITY POLICY

No. 1.1.11

ETHICS AND ETHICS REPORTING

I.<u>Purpose</u>.

The integrity of UTA and its employees should be beyond reproach as UTA fulfills its obligations to be a good steward of tax payer-funded resources. Accordingly, this Ethics and Ethics Reporting Policy establishes standards of conduct that conform to state ethics laws and UTA expectations for ethical behavior. This Ethics and Ethics Reporting Policy sets forth processes for the disclosure and review of circumstances that might raise potential ethical concerns. It also establishes a mechanism for reporting ethical concerns and protecting employees who report such concerns in good faith. This policy does not replace any other UTA policy but should be read in conjunction with other policies.

II.Scope.

This Ethics and Ethics Reporting Policy applies to all employees, part-time and full-time. However, there is a separate ethics policy (Policy 1.1.7 – Procurement and Contracting Code of Conduct) that applies specifically to Procurement Professionals and to the selection, award and administration of UTA contracts. To the extent that this Ethics and Ethics Reporting Policy and Policy 1.1.7 are both applicable to a specific set of circumstances, then the Employee must comply with the most stringent ethical requirements mandated by either policy. To the extent Employees are uncertain whether they are considered to be Procurement Professionals under this Policy, they must meet with their manager to determine their status.

III. Definitions.

"Business Relationship" means an entity or individual who has a contract with UTA, receives grant funding from UTA, provides grant funding to UTA, receives payments for goods or services from UTA, or for whom UTA pays for goods or services.

"*Candidate for Public Office*" means an Employee who has filed for candidacy for public office, an Employee who receives contributions or makes expenditures related to candidacy for public office, or an Employee who coordinates with any individual or entity to receive contributions or make expenditures related to candidacy for public office.

"*Conflict of Interest*" means a personal or economic interest, outside employment, outside interest or other circumstance or relationship that impairs an Employee's ability to discharge his or her duties in a legal and ethical manner consistent with the best interests of UTA.

"Controlled, Private or Protected Information" means information classified as controlled, private or protected pursuant to Utah Code Ann. §63G-2-101, et seq.

"Designated Employee" means an employee identified by the Executive Director. At a minimum, Designated Employees shall include UTA's Executive Director, Chief Auditor, Comptroller, and Chief Officers.

"Employee" means any part-time or full-time Employee of UTA.

"*Ethics Committee*" means a committee composed of the Chief Internal Auditor, Compliance Officer, and an Executive appointed by the Executive Director. In the event that the Designated Employee referred to the Ethics Committee is a member of the Ethics Committee, then the Executive Director shall sit with the Ethics Committee in such Designated Employee's stead.

"Ethics Officer" means the Chief Internal Auditor.

"Executive" means the Executive Director or Chief Officer.

"Gift" means:

- A. Anything of economic value that is paid, loaned, granted, given, donated, or transferred to any Employee by anyone outside UTA.
- B. Gift does not include (1) food or refreshments of typical value provided in the ordinary course of business meetings, including snacks, appetizers and beverages; (2) unsolicited advertising materials such as pens, pencils, note pads, calendars, and other business-related items of nominal value; (3) items given to Employees by individuals with long-standing social or family relationships, under circumstances that make it clear the relationship, rather than the Employee's position at UTA, is the motivating factor; and (4) items made available to the general public or all attendees at a conference or event.

"Meals Provided In the Ordinary Course of Business Meetings" means meals that are paid for by a third party and provided to a group of individuals who are not exclusively UTA employees and who are working on a UTA-related matter. Meals Provided in the Ordinary Course of Business Meetings include meals provided at conventions, seminars, and training sessions.

"Local Official" means an elected member of a local government. It also means an individual appointed to or employed in a position in a local government if that individual occupies a policymaking position, makes purchasing or contracting decisions, drafts ordinances or resolutions, drafts, makes rules, determines rates or fees, or makes adjudicative decisions. A Local Official also means the immediate family members of individuals described in this definition.

"Procurement Professional" means all administrative employees, Parts Clerks, or other bargaining unit employees who have been issued P-Cards to purchase goods and services other than the uniform and tool allowance required under the Collective Bargaining Agreement.

"Report" means Financial Disclosure Report.

"Substantial Interest" means the ownership, either legally or equitably, by an Employee, the Employee's spouse, or the Employee's minor children, of at least 10% of the outstanding capital stock of a corporation or a 10% interest in any other business entity.

"Vendor" means an entity that does business with UTA.

IV. <u>Policy.</u> UTA Employees shall comply with the following standards.

- A. Conflicts of Interest Generally.
 - It is vital to the proper operation of UTA for Employees to avoid not only actual Conflicts of Interest but also those situations that may be reasonably perceived by others as a Conflict of Interest. Accordingly, no Employee shall make or participate in the making of any decision regarding UTA with respect to any matter in which the Employee has any economic interest distinguishable from that of the general public. Potential Conflicts of Interest could exist in regard to outside interests, financial interest and, outside employment. Any Employee who has an actual or apparent Conflict of Interest must immediately report the nature of such interest to the Ethics Officer, Compliance Officer, and to the Employee's supervisor/manager. Designated Employees must also disclose such actual or potential Conflicts of Interest in the Report described in Section IV(H) of this Policy.
- B. Outside Employment and Activities.
 - 1. Employees are prohibited from engaging in business or other activities that might require or induce the Employee to disclose Controlled, Private or Protected Information gained by reason of UTA employment.
 - 2. Employees are prohibited from accepting other employment or engaging in other activities that might impair independent judgment or ethical performance of assigned UTA duties.
 - 3. Employees are prohibited from participating in or receiving compensation for any transaction between UTA and a business entity in which an Employee is an officer, director, or owns a Substantial Interest.
 - 4. Employees must disclose personal investments in any business entity which will create an actual or apparent Conflict of Interest between the private interest and the Employee's duties at UTA and must comply with any mitigation actions directed by the Ethics Committee.
 - 5. An Employee who is a Candidate for Public Office must provide copies of all state or federal required financial disclosures to UTA's Ethics Officer within seven days of the deadline for submitting the disclosures. If a state or federal financial disclosure is not required, an employee who is a Candidate for Public Office must submit a list of campaign donors to UTA's Ethics Officer on a monthly basis during the period the Employee is a Candidate.
- C. Gifts.
 - 1. Gifts to Employees Who Are Not Procurement Professionals.
 - a. An Employee may not knowingly receive, accept, take seek or solicit (either for the Employee or for another person or entity) a Gift from a Vendor or a potential Vendor in a calendar year having a value exceeding \$50.
 - b. An Employee shall report any Gift regardless of value to the Employee's Manager within three business days after receipt of the Gift.
 - c. Gifts that are perishable or not practical to return may be shared with coworkers or given to charity.

- d. If an Employee receives a Gift that cannot be accepted, the Employee may return the Gift or pay its fair market value to the person or entity providing the Gift.
- 2. Gifts to Employees Who Are Procurement Professionals. Procurement Professionals and other Employees subject to Policy 1.1.7 Procurement and Contracting Code of Conduct are prohibited from accepting Gifts.

D. Meals.

- 1. Meals for Employees Who Are Not Procurement Professionals.
 - a. As noted in the definition of Gift, meals provided in the Ordinary Course of Business Meetings are not considered Gifts under this Policy.
 - b. A meal provided by a third party exclusively to a UTA employee or employees is a Gift and is subject to restrictions on Gifts under UTA policies.
 - c. This policy cannot anticipate all occasions when meals may be provided to Employees. If an Employee cannot reasonably determine whether a meal exceeds \$50 and is a Gift under this Policy, then Employees should follow the general rule of refusing to accept a meal paid for by a third party if it would tend to improperly influence a reasonable person in the Employee's position to depart from the impartial discharge of UTA duties.
 - d. Employees who are required to pay for work-related meals under this Policy should seek reimbursement pursuant to Policy No. 1.1.8 UTA Travel and Reimbursement Policy.
- 2. Meals for Employees Who Are Procurement Professionals. Procurement Professionals may not accept any meal from a vendor that currently has a Business Relationship with UTA, is seeking a Business Relationship with UTA, or is reasonably likely to seek or form a Business Relationship with UTA in the future. Employees should contact their managers if they are unsure if a vendor currently has a Business Relationship with UTA, is seeking a Business Relationship with UTA, or is reasonably likely to seek or form a Business Relationship with UTA, or is reasonably likely to seek or form a Business Relationship with UTA in the future. Nevertheless, Procurement Professionals may accept a meal offered if any of the following conditions are met:
 - a. The meal is part of a conference or event in which:
 - i. The cost of the meal is included in the normal registration fee paid by UTA on behalf of the employee, or;
 - ii. The employee has been invited by another entity to participate in the conference or event, such as receiving an award or recognition for public service; or
 - iii. The employee has been asked by UTA to represent UTA at the conference or event.
 - b. The meal is offered as part of a normal business meeting or event between UTA and the following entities and is generally made available to all participants:
 - i. A government entity, such as a city or county

- ii. An organization or association, including a professional or educational association, or an association of vendors, such as the Chamber of Commerce
- iii. An association composed of public agencies or public entities that does not as an organization or association respond to solicitations
- c. Employees who are required to pay for work-related meals under this Policy should seek reimbursement pursuant to Policy No. 1.1.8 UTA Travel and Reimbursement Policy.
- E. Meals and Gifts to Public Officers. UTA employees shall report meals and gifts given to Local Officials in compliance with the Lobbyist Disclosure and Regulation Act.
- F. Financial Disclosures.
 - 1. Designated Employees must submit a Report as follows.
 - a. Within thirty days from date of hire, and each calendar year on or before December 31 throughout the term of employment, all Designated Employees shall complete and sign a Report. The current form of the Report is available on the UTA Intranet (utanet) on the Internal Auditor's site at: http://utanet/administration/departments/internalaudit
 - b. Designated Employees shall provide a copy of the Report to the Ethics Officer.
 - c. Reports are classified as Public Records.
 - d. Notification of requirements or failure to respond shall be given by e-mail (with a copy to the Employee's supervisor), with a 5 business day opportunity to file Report.
 - e. Failure to completely fill out, sign, and return a Report, by the extended deadline described immediately above, shall be cause for employment action, up to and including termination as determined by the Ethics Committee.
 - f. Designated Employees must complete a new Report within 10 business days of: (i) the occurrence or discovery of any new actual or apparent Conflict of Interest arising since the most recent Report; or (ii) any material change in the information previously disclosed in the most recently completed Report.
 - 2. Review of Reports
 - a. All Reports submitted by UTA Employees shall be reviewed, in confidence, by one of the following: the Chief Internal Auditor or designee and Compliance Officer.
 - b. If a reviewer determines that there may be a Conflict of Interest disclosed in a Report, the reviewer shall submit the Report to another reviewer for review. The two reviewers shall then meet and confer regarding the potential Conflict of Interest. If the two reviewers agree that there is a Conflict of Interest, the two reviewers shall confidentially report the conflict to the Ethics Committee. The Ethics Committee shall arrange a meeting with the individual filing the Report, to clarify and discuss the conflict. The Ethics Committee shall then determine the appropriate action. Such action may include, by way of example only:
 - Directing the Employee to divest the conflicting asset, liability, position or agreement;

- Requiring the Employee to be walled-off and segregated from any communication about or work on, the conflicting UTA issue;
- Terminating the Employee.
- 3. Ethics Committee. The Ethics Committee shall meet on an as-needed basis to discuss potential conflicts of interest or violations of the Policy.
- G. Requests for Donations.
 - 1. UTA Employees may not solicit donations from Vendors that exclusively benefit UTA Employees. For example, Employees may not solicit donations for UTA social functions.
 - 2. Employees may solicit donations from Vendors for functions that benefit the community. For example, Employees may solicit donations supporting Disadvantaged Business Enterprise workshops offered to business owners along the Wasatch Front.
 - 3. This Policy does not apply to contributions solicited from UTA Employees under Policy 1.1.1 Charitable Solicitations.
- H. Disclosures of Information.

Employees are prohibited from disclosing or improperly using Controlled, Private or Protected Information acquired by reason of an official position held at UTA or in the course of carrying out UTA duties. The Employee should consult with UTA's Records Manager regarding the classification of information.

I. Political Activity.

UTA Employees may not:

- 1. Be candidates for public office in a partisan election, unless an employee takes a leave of absence from UTA while a candidate for office.
- 2. Use official authority or influence to interfere with or affect the results of an election or nomination,
- 3. Directly or indirectly coerce contributions from subordinates in support of a political party, candidate, ballot issue, or political campaign, or
- 4. Use UTA facilities or equipment to promote a candidate for public office.
- J. Restrictions Related to Former Employees.
 - 1. UTA may refuse to do business with entities that hire former Employees or who are represented by former Employees within the twelve months following the Employee's separation from UTA if the situation creates a Conflict of Interest. The following factors should be considered in determining the action to be taken by the Authority.
 - a. The Employee's position and duties at UTA;
 - b. The identity of the new or prospective employer;
 - c. The Employee's position and duties with the new or prospective employer;
 - d. The nature of the relationship between the new or prospective employer and UTA; and
 - e. The nature and extent of the Employee's contact with the new or prospective employer while employed by UTA.
 - 2. A person or business may be considered to be "represented by" a former UTA Employee based on the following factors:

- a. The nature and extent of the knowledge and influence acquired by the Employee from employment with UTA;
- b. Whether the new or prospective employment gives the Employee the authority to negotiate or influence agreements;
- c. Whether the new or prospective employment, gives the Employee duties (1) that allow the use of knowledge or influence acquired from employment with UTA or (2) that include direct or indirect dealings with UTA.
- 3. Former Employees involved in procurement activities may be subject to additional restrictions as set forth in Policy 1.1.7 Procurement and Contracting Code of Conduct.
- K. Reporting Suspected Ethical Violations.
 - 1. Employees must report suspected ethics violations. Any Employee having knowledge or reasonable suspicion of ethical violations must report such improprieties via one of the channels identified below. The reports should include as much information as possible. The following suspected improprieties that should be reported include, but are not limited to:
 - a. Procurement fraud or collusion involving contracts or purchases with UTA contractors, subcontractors or Vendors;
 - b. Abuse, embezzlement, or theft of UTA property or funds;
 - c. Bribery and acceptance of gratuities or other benefits in connection with UTA operations or transactions with Vendors, contractors, and subcontractors;
 - d. Misuse of an Employee's official position through acceptance of Gifts
 - e. Conflicts of Interest, such as an Employee doing business with UTA under a different name;
 - f. Other unethical or illegal activities involving UTA property, Employees, contractors, subcontractors or Vendors, such as check fraud or violation of computer crime statutes.
 - 2. Investigation Procedures. UTA will investigate all reported ethical violations. An administrative investigation may be performed by either Human Resources, Civil Rights, or Internal Audit, depending on the nature of the ethical violation. Potential criminal wrongdoing may be investigated by local law enforcement at the request of the Ethics Officer. The Compliance Officer will support the investigating department in the investigation process. Investigations will be conducted in the strictest confidence, and witnesses participating in those investigations shall be protected from disclosure to the extent allowed by law.
 - 3. Reporting Ethical Violations. Ethics violations may be reported in the following ways:
 - a. Ethics hotline 833-940-0009 (English) or 800-216-1288 (Spanish) or email reports@lighthouse-services.com
 - b. Ethics violations link on the UTA intranet
 - c. Employee's manager
 - d. Office of Internal Audit
 - e. Compliance Officer
 - f. Human Resources Department
 - g. Civil Rights Department
 - h. If the incident is reported to the Employee's manager, the manager must report the incident to the Ethics Officer or Compliance Officer immediately.

- 4. Retaliation Prohibited. Retaliation against Employees reporting suspected illegal conduct, unethical behavior, violations of company policy, and waste or misuse of public property or funds in good faith is prohibited.
- L. Ethics Violations.

An Employee violating this Policy will be subject to disciplinary action as set forth in Policy 6.3.1 – Positive People Management.

M. Ethics Training.

Each administrative Employee of UTA must periodically complete an ethics training program approved by the Ethics Officer and, by the deadline set by the Ethics Officer, certify that such training has been completed. Employees will receive written notification informing them when they have to complete Ethics training.

- N. Questions Regarding Ethics.
 - 1. The Ethics Policy is intended to be simple and reasonable. A claim of lack of knowledge or understanding of the policy will not be accepted as an excuse for ethical violations. If an Employee is uncertain whether an action will violate the Ethics Policy, the Employee should contact the Compliance Officer or the Ethics Officer before taking the action. The decision tree attached as Appendix A provides a tool for assessing ethical considerations prior to making a decision that could result in an ethical violation.
 - 2. The following guidelines can also help make ethical decisions that may not be addressed by the policy:
 - Put loyalty to the highest moral principles above loyalty to persons or organizations.
 - Uphold the constitution, laws and legal regulations of the United States
 - Give a full day's labor for a full day's pay.
 - Seek and employ more efficient and economical ways of accomplishing tasks.
 - Never discriminate unfairly by dispensing of special favors or privileges to anyone whether for remuneration or not.
 - Never accept favors or benefits under circumstances which a reasonable person might construe as influencing the performance of the Employee's duties.
 - Never use any information received confidentially in the performance of duties as a means for making private profit from themselves, friends or family.
 - Report corruption wherever discovered or suspected.
- O. Report to Board of Trustees. The Ethics Officer shall report on this Policy to the Audit Committee of the Board of Trustees as requested.
- <u>Cross-References.</u> Utah Public Officers' and Employees' Ethics Act, Utah Code Ann. §67-16-1, et seq.; Executive Limitations Policy No. 2.1.9; Policy 1.1.7 Procurement and Contracting Code of Conduct; Policy 1.1.1 Charitable Solicitation; Policy 6.1.1 Code of Conduct; Policy 6.1.14 Social Media; Policy 6.1.17 Outside Employment; Government Records Access and Management Act, Utah Code Ann. §63-2-101, et seq.; Utah Procurement Code §63G-6a-2402; Board Policy 2.1.5; Board Policy 4.4.7; Policy 1.1.7 Procurement and

Contracting Code of Conduct; Policy No. 1.1.8 – UTA Travel and Reimbursement Policy; Policy No. 1.1.33 – Ethics Hotline; Policy 6.1.9 – Whistleblower Protection Policy; Lobbyist Disclosure and Regulation Act, Utah Code Ann. 36-11-101, et seq.

This UTA Policy was reviewed by UTA's Chief Officers on April 2, 2019, by the Board of Trustees on ______, and approved by the Interim Executive Director on this _____ day of _____. This policy takes effect on the latter date.

W. Steve Meyer Interim Executive Director

Approved as to form:

UTA Compliance Officer

Revision History		Owner
Revised	11/23/2003	
Revised	12/5/2005	
Revised, Renamed, and Converted from an SOP	5/3/2016	
to a Corporate Policy		
Revised	12/5/2017	
Revised		Ethics Officer

Appendix A



RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE UTAH TRANSIT AUTHORITY ADOPTING THE TITLE VI PROGRAM

No. R2019-05-03

May 29, 2019

WHEREAS, the Utah Transit Authority (the "Authority") is a public transit district organized under the laws of the State of Utah and was created to transact and exercise all of the powers provided for in the Utah Limited Purpose Local Government Entities-Local Districts Act and the Utah Public Transit District Act;

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Authority, desires to adopt a Title VI Program and approve the system monitoring analysis contained therein in keeping with the Federal Transit Administration's requirements for public transit agencies and the Civil Rights Act of 1964; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Authority has reviewed the proposed Title VI Program and now desires to adopt it.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Utah Transit Authority:

- 1. That the Title VI Plan attached as Exhibit A is hereby adopted by the Authority.
- 2. That the system monitoring and analysis contained within the Title VI Program is hereby approved by the Authority.
- 3. That the Authority's Title VI Plan, adopted by Resolution R2016-05-01 on May 25, 2016, is hereby replaced with the Title VI Program attached hereto.
- 4. That the Board formally ratifies prior actions taken by the Authority, including those taken by the Interim Executive Director and staff, that were necessary or appropriate to create the Title VI Program.

- 5. That a fully executed original counterpart of the final definitive Title VI Program and all related documents shall be permanently kept in the official records of the Authority and a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A.
- 6. That the corporate seal shall be affixed hereto.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 29th day of May, 2019.

Carlton Christensen, Chair Board of Trustees

ATTEST:

Robert K. Biles, Secretary/Treasurer

(Corporate Seal)

Approved As To Form:

Legal Counsel

Exhibit A



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Title VI Program Updated 2019



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INTRODUCTION

Transportation has been at the forefront of the push for equal treatment and civil rights. Transit is a point of integration and opportunity for those that need and use it. Transit serves as a bridge within homes and communities, connecting people both socially and professionally. Transit's unique position in our society has put it in the center of the fight for equality in the United States. From the early fight against the segregation of rail cars in the 19th Century to the impetus of the modern Civil Rights movement when Rosa Parks refused to give up her seat and the Montgomery Bus Boycott that followed, Transit has been part of the movement. The Utah Transit Authority (UTA), under the guidance and direction of the Federal Transit Administration's guidance found in Circular 4702.1B "Title VI Requirements and Guidelines" prepares this Title VI program as an intentional process aimed at preventing unintentional discrimination in the delivery of our services and programs.

TITLE VI OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS ACT OF 1964

The Civil Rights Act of 1964 was signed into law to combat and curtail common practices that systematically denied the rights of certain people based on their race, the color of their skin and/or the nation in which they were born. The act included eleven "titles", which provided legal protections and outlined requirements aimed at the equitable treatment of historically disadvantaged populations.

No person in the United States shall, on the ground of race, color, or national origin, be excluded from participating in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity receiving Federal financial assistance. - Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964

Title VI specifically outlines that agencies, such as UTA, must ensure the equitable distribution and delivery of its federally funded programs and services. In consideration of the extensive reach of transit agencies' ability to impact the lives of those who utilize its services, the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) has issued specific guidance on Title VI compliance in FTA Circular 4702.1B. The circular is designed to help FTA recipients ensure the level and quality of public transportation service is provided in a nondiscriminatory manner, promote full and fair participation in public transportation decision-making without regard to race, color, or national origin and ensure meaningful access to transit-related programs and activities by persons with limited English proficiency.

UTA'S COMMITMENT

UTA has established a series of core values that guide its service model, one of which is inclusivity. The organization welcomes robust representation and diversity and prioritizes the community it serves as a True North that guides its decisions and service. It is the Authority's commitment to follow what John F. Kennedy called "simple justice, [which] requires that public funds, to which all taxpayers of all races contribute, not be spent in any fashion which encourages, entrenches, subsidizes, or results in racial discrimination."



GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

All recipients of funding from the FTA are required to "keep such records and submit to the secretary timely, complete, and accurate reports at such times, and in such form and containing such information, as the secretary may determine to be necessary to enable him to ascertain whether the recipient has complied or is complying with this [rule]."¹ Guidance on how to fulfill recordkeeping requirements are further elaborated upon and clarified within FTA circular 4902.1B. The circular states that primary recipients must submit their documentation of compliance on a three year basis and that the entity's governing entity must approve the Title VI Program prior to submission. The approval of UTA's Title VI Program has been included as Attachment I.

Chapter III of the circular also outlines the components that are required of all recipients of FTA funds. They include:

- 1. Title VI Public Notice
- 2. Title VI Complaint Procedures
- 3. List of Title VI Investigations, Complaints, and Lawsuits
- 4. Public Participation Plan
- 5. Language Assistance Plan
- 6. Board Membership and Recruitment
- 7. Subrecipient Monitoring
- 8. Facilities Siting and Construction
- 9. Equity Analyses of major service and fare changes implanted since the previous Title VI program submission

TITLE VI NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

The FTA requires that transit agencies inform the public of their rights and protections under Title VI. UTA strives to keep members of the public apprised of their rights and protections against discrimination afforded them in Title VI by providing and posting a notice to the public explaining their rights at various locations throughout the system and on UTA's website, Rideuta.com. A copy of the notice can be found in Attachment A.

LIST OF LOCATIONS NOTICE IS POSTED

UTA has taken action to make this notice visible and consistently present throughout its transit system. Below is a list of the locations the notice is posted.

- All TRAX and FrontRunner train stations
- All fixed route and paratransit buses
- UTA Front Lines Headquarters entrance at 669 West 200 South, Salt Lake City
- Customer Service / Lost & Found Office, 600 West 250 South, Salt Lake City
- Customer Service Office, 3600 South 700 West, Salt Lake City
- Timpanogos Transit Center, 1145 South 750 East, Orem

¹ 49 CFR Part 21.9(b)

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• Ogden Transit Center, 2393 South Wall Ave, Ogden

TITLE VI COMPLAINT PROCEDURE

UTA's Title VI notice to the public includes instructions on how to file a complaint alleging discrimination on the basis of race, color and national origin through UTA's customer service line. There is also an option to submit a complaint online or through a downloadable Civil Rights complaint form. Any complaint received through the customer service line can be flagged as Civil Rights related and the Civil Rights Department is notified through the electronic customer feedback database where complaints are recorded and tracked. Included in <u>Attachment B</u> is UTA's official Civil Rights complaint form in English and Spanish. An ADA accessible version of this form that can be translated into multiple languages is available through an online form, which is emailed directly to the Civil Rights Department.

UTA follows Corporate Policy 5.1.1, Customer Communications, which is included as <u>Attachment C</u> in this program. This corporate policy outlines the process used to investigate and track complaints related to Title VI.

TITLE VI INVESTIGATIONS, COMPLAINTS, AND LAWSUITS

FTA requires all recipients to prepare and maintain a list of any of the following that allege discrimination on the basis of race, color, or national origin: active investigations conducted by entities other than FTA; lawsuits; and complaints naming the recipient. This list shall include the date that the investigation, lawsuit, or complaint was filed; a summary of the allegation(s); the status of the investigation, lawsuit, or complaint; and actions taken by the recipient in response, or final findings related to, the investigation, lawsuit, or complaint. This list shall be included in the Title VI Program submitted to FTA every three years. - FTA Circular 4702.18

In compliance with the above directive, UTA will list all investigations, lawsuits and complaints throughout the period of 2016, 2017 and 2018.

INVESTIGATIONS

On February 19, 2016, Michael Clara filed Complaint No. 2016-0151 with FTA. In that complaint, he primarily alleged that UTA failed to grant a request by the Glendale Middle School Community Council to install a bus stop and that UTA had failed to conduct a service equity analysis of its streetcar project. UTA submitted a response on June 17, 2016. FTA informed Mr. Clara by letter dated October 7, 2016 that the information reviewed by FTA did not support a finding that UTA had failed to comply with Title VI requirements.

LAWSUITS

There were no Title VI lawsuits during the reporting period.

COMPLAINTS

UTA has had 195 customer service complaints in which the complainant alleged discrimination on the basis of race, color, or national origin. A full list of the complaints is



included as <u>Attachment D</u>. These complaints were received, investigated and resolved internally by UTA staff in accordance with UTA Corporate Policy 5.1.1 (<u>Attachment C</u>).

A customer has many options when making a complaint alleging discrimination. A customer can call into customer service, submit an electronic Civil Rights complaint through UTA's online form, submit a paper form, or issue a complaint to any department where a record can be recorded and tracked with UTA's customer feedback database. This is an intentionally inclusive approach, designed to ensure that any complaint alleging discrimination on the basis of a protected class is addressed appropriately and that Civil Rights staff is notified and involved where appropriate.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PLAN

Public involvement is an integral part of proactively ensuring unintentional negative impacts on protected populations. In order to incorporate the voices of the public in its planning, service, and programs UTA has developed two policies. They are 1.1.28 – Title VI Compliance Policy (<u>Attachment E</u>) and 1.1.6 – Public Input Opportunities (<u>Attachment F</u>). These policies outline the outreach methods used to engage minority and limited English proficient populations in discussions about service and fare changes.

SUMMARY OF OUTREACH EFFORTS

The Authority has the potential of implementing major service changes three times per year on "change day". These change days occur once in April, August, and December. With the exception of the Provo-Orem BRT analysis being approved in March of 2018, all of the major changes and solicitations for public input occurred during these times of year. The following change days had at least one major change and included a public input process.

- April 2016
- August 2016
- December 2016
- April 2017
- August 2017
- April 2018
- August 2018
- December 2018

APRIL 2016 PUBLIC OUTREACH

The April 2016 change day had two route eliminations, four routes with route changes, two routes with increased frequency, trips added to two routes and various minor adjustments to routes to improve service and efficiency.

PUBLIC OUTREACH & COMMENT

Public comment period held December 18 – February 5. Below is a summary of the activities UTA conducted to inform riders and solicit feedback.



- Public hearing notice was published in the Provo Daily Herald, on the state website and on UTA's website.
- A formal public open house was held January 5 at the Provo City Library.
- Comments were accepted via UTA's website, via email at hearingofficer@rideuta.com, through the mail and by phone through UTA Customer Service.
- Notices placed on affected bus routes to inform riders of the proposed changes and opportunities to provide comment.
- Personal contact made with the customers on the affected routes; alternative transportation solutions for affected riders being discussed.
- Proposed changes presented to Utah County local elected officials at the February meeting of the Utah County Regional Planning Committee.

SUMMARY OF COMMENTS

During the comment period, UTA received a total of four comments. Two comments were received at the open house and the other two comments received via email. Below is a summary of the comments received.

- One commenter was in favor of the changes due to the increased service on other routes.
- One commenter was disappointed, but understood the reasons for the changes after discussion with staff.
- One commenter opposed the change due to personal hardship; staff is working on alternative solutions.
- One comment was unrelated to the proposal.

AUGUST 2016 PUBLIC OUTREACH

PUBLIC COMMENT AND OUTREACH

In accordance with UTA policy, a public comment period was held from April 22 through May 23, 2016. Several activities were conducted during this period to inform riders and the public and to obtain feedback:

- The public hearing notice was published in *The Salt Lake Tribune* and the *Deseret News*, on the state website and on rideuta.com.
- A formal public open house was held for changes made in the Salt Lake Business Unit at West Valley City Hall at 3600 South Constitution Boulevard in West Valley City.
- A formal public open house was held for changes made in the Mt. Ogden Business Unit at the Davis County Central Library at 155 Wasatch Drive Layton, UT
- Comments were accepted via UTA's website, via email at hearingofficer@rideuta.com, through the mail, and by phone through UTA Customer Service.
- Notices were placed on the affected bus routes to inform riders of the proposed changes and opportunities to provide comment.



• The proposed changes were discussed in a business meeting with Salt Lake County representatives and UTA planners.

Overall, four comments were received for the Salt Lake Business Unit during the proposal's comment period – one at the public hearing and three at <u>hearingofficer@rideuta.com</u>. Low participation is directly related to the proposed changes eliminating required transfers, allowing passengers on these routes to experience a "one-seat" ride while traveling east to west across the Salt Lake Valley. Cost savings from the changes would also allow planners to increase Sunday frequency on routes 33 and 35.

Eight comments were received for the Mt. Ogden Business Unit during the proposal's comment period – six at the public hearing and two at <u>hearingofficer@rideuta.com</u>

COMMENTS:

SALT LAKE BUSINESS UNIT:

- One commenter wrote that he "strongly supports" the proposed changes.
- A second commenter supported the changes but also suggested that routes 41 and 45 be combined in the same manner.
- One online commenter didn't provide feedback on the proposal but did ask for more service in the Draper and South Jordan areas.
- The fourth comment was received at the official public hearing and asked UTA to make adjustments in its ridership counting methodology.

MT. OGDEN BUSINESS UNIT:

- One commenter expressed support for the changes
- Two commenters said they supported the changes and suggested more service to a local school
- One commenter expressed a desire for a stop near the mall
- Three commenters didn't provide feedback on the proposal but did ask for more service elsewhere.
- One commenter expressed concern on the routes he used to ride no longer providing for his needs and made suggestions on how they could be improved.

OUTCOME:

Based on the feedback received, the following changes were made:

- Route 33 was extended from the Millcreek TRAX Station to West Valley Central Station. It follows the previous path for route 35 and will run on 15-minute headways on weekdays.
- Route 35 terminates at West Valley Central Station. Routes 33 and 35 will always interline so passengers no longer need to transfer at West Valley Central Station.
- Span of service on Sundays for routes 33 and 35 was extended from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. to 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.
- Sunday service frequency for routes 33 and 35 were increased, providing all-day, 30 minute service. Previously, the routes offered 60-minute frequencies on Sundays.



- Route 39 terminates at the Meadowbrook TRAX Station and interlines with route 41. This eliminated the need for passengers to transfer buses in order to continue traveling east or west.
- All changes proposed in Mt. Ogden Business Unite proceeded as proposed.

The primary reason for these changes was to improve the passenger experience by giving riders a one-seat ride across the valley along two major corridors (3300/3500 South and 3900/4100 South).

APRIL 2017 PUBLIC OUTREACH

ROUTE 667

The public comment period for this change occurred from January 5 to February 5 of 2017. Notice was listed on UTA's website, the state website, Utah.gov, the *Ogden Standard Examiner* and the *Davis County Clipper*, both local newspapers. Comments were accepted via mail, email, at the public hearing and by phone. The public hearing was held on January 19, 2017. It was publicized by and held at the PARC facility. Seven people attended this meeting and there was no opposition to the proposed changes. One respondent was somewhat supportive, but offered alternative proposals. This information was provided to the Planning Department for consideration.

In addition to the public hearing and public comment period, all known riders' care providers were identified and directly contacted by UTA's Special Services Business Unit.

ROUTE 477

The public comment period for this change occurred from January 5 to February 5 of 2017. Notice was listed on UTA's website, Utah.gov, the *Ogden Standard Examiner* and the *Davis County Clipper*, both local newspapers. The public hearing was held on January 19, 2017. Comments were accepted via mail, email, at the public hearing, phone and Open UTA, which is an online forum for discussion. The public outreach hearing was held January 26, 2017 at the Farmington City Hall. In addition to this, UTA made direct contact with Farmington City, Station Park, Lagoon, Hampton Inn and the University Medical Center in the region regarding the change.

Response from Farmington City and local businesses were all positive and 50% of community members were in support of the changes. 50% of community responses were opposed. The three respondents in opposition to the changes expressed concern regarding access to Lagoon and downtown Farmington locations during peak times. Alternative routes, specifically routes 455 and 470, are able to provide transportation to the specified locations. One respondent suggested running a second route to downtown or having the 667 resume a more frequent downtown schedule during Lagoon's off-season. UTA Planning is considering both options for future proposed changes.

AUGUST 2017 PUBLIC OUTREACH

For August 2017 Change Day, the UTA Ogden Business Unit proposed changes for routes 626 and 627 and the elimination of routes 664 and 665, which provide service to Hill Air



Force Base. UTA proposed changing the southern terminus of route 626 to the Clearfield FrontRunner station instead of the Weber State Davis campus. The route would then change to the 627 at the Clearfield FrontRunner station and continue to the Weber State Davis campus.

PUBLIC COMMENT AND OUTREACH

In accordance with UTA policy, a public comment period was held from April 10 through May 10, 2017. Several activities were conducted during this period to inform riders and the public and to obtain feedback:

- The public hearing notice was published in the Standard Examiner, the Davis County Clipper, on the state's public notice website and on rideuta.com. Information on the comment period was also published on UTA's social media channels.
- One formal public open house was held on April 25 at the Weber State Davis Campus (2750 University Park Blvd., Layton, Utah). The hearing was attended by 11 people.
- Fliers were posted on Ogden Business Unit buses, especially those that serviced the base.
- Hill Air Force Base was directly contacted, and UTA worked with the base to publicize the comment period.
- Comments were accepted via UTA's website, via email at • hearingofficer@rideuta.com, through the mail and by phone. Comments were also accepted on the Open UTA platform. (59 comments overall for route 664 and 665 proposal, 33 visitors for the route 626 and 627 proposal). Registered users on Open UTA received an email inviting them to review the proposals and provide feedback.

Overall, 12 comments were received during the proposal's comment period for the route 626 and 627 proposal - two at the public hearing, six on Open UTA and four at hearingofficer@rideuta.com. For the route 664 and 665 proposal, 30 comments were received – 7 at the public hearing, 8 at <u>hearingofficer@rideuta.com</u> and 15 on the Open UTA system.

THE PROPOSED CHANGES WERE AS FOLLOWS:

(From the public notice)

Routes 626 and 627 – The route 626 proposal includes moving the southern terminus of the route to the Clearfield FrontRunner station instead of the Weber State Davis campus. The route will then change to the 627 at the Clearfield FrontRunner station and continue to the Weber State Davis campus. The route 627 proposal also includes extending the north section of the route from the Weber State Davis campus to the Clearfield FrontRunner station, where it will connect with the realigned 626. No other changes are proposed for the existing 626 or 627 alignments. The proposal also includes adding 30-minute peak hour weekday service to both routes, increasing the weekday span of service to roughly 9 p.m., and adding 60-minute Saturday service to both routes.

(From the public notice)



Routes 664 and 665 – UTA proposes to eliminate these two routes due to low ridership. Representatives from UTA Rideshare will be available to explain vanpool and other transportation options during the public hearing.

COMMENTS:

For routes 626 and 627 – Eleven comments were in support of the proposal. One comment received was neutral and offered an alternative service scenario.

For routes 664 and 665, five comments were for the proposal, 20 comments were against, and 5 were neutral or undecided. Many commenters offered alternative proposals, all of which were forwarded to the planning staff at the Ogden Business Unit.

OUTCOME:

Based on the feedback received and other factors, both proposals moved forward for UTA's August Change Day beginning April 17, 2017.

APRIL 2018

For April 2018 Change Day, the UTA Timpanogos (Utah County) Business Unit proposed changes for routes 833, 834, 840 and 864. The proposal for routes 833 and 834 included the elimination of two weekday trips due to schedule changes related to the implementation of Positive Train Control on FrontRunner and a discontinuation of all Saturday trips due to low ridership. The route 840 (a seasonal route) proposal called for the route to be discontinued and replaced by adding additional route 841 trips, and the route 864 is a proposed new route to serve the west side of I-15 near the Lehi Station.

PUBLIC COMMENTS AND OUTREACH

In accordance with UTA policy, a public comment period was held from January 4 through February 13, 2018. Several activities were conducted during this period to inform riders and the public and to obtain feedback:

- The public hearing notice was published in the *Provo Daily Herald,* on the state's public notice website and on rideuta.com. Information on the comment period and hearing was also published on UTA's social media channels. In addition, the UTA's Special Services business unit sent postcards to each impacted paratransit customer or to the customer's caregiver.
- Two formal public open houses were held. One open house took place January 18 at the Provo City Library (550 North University Avenue in Provo, Utah), and the second took place January 29 at the Provo Recreation Center (320 West 500 North in Provo, Utah). A total of 28 people attended the two hearings.
- Fliers were posted on select Utah County buses and on Utah County paratransit vehicles.
- Comments were accepted via UTA's website, via email at <u>hearingofficer@rideuta.com</u>, through the mail and by phone.



Overall, seven comments were received on all proposals. One commenter (received via email) provided feedback in regards to the proposed new route, route 864. The commenter suggested some adjustments to the proposal in order for transit to better accommodate his growing business. The commenter also offered to provide bus turnaround and pull out locations near his office building.

A total of six comments were received regarding the service proposals for routes 833 and 834 – four via email, one at the public hearing and one via telephone. All comments were in opposition to the elimination of Saturday service on these routes, mainly due to the negative impact this change would have on area paratransit customers. Additionally, at the public hearing held on January 29, those who attended were generally opposed to the changes for route 833.

No comments were received regarding the proposed cancellation of route 840.

THE PROPOSED CHANGES WERE AS FOLLOWS:

(From the public notice)

- Route 833: Elimination of two weekday trips due to schedule changes. All Saturday trips will be discontinued due to low ridership.
- Route 834: Elimination of two weekday trips due to schedule changes. Route will be extended to the intersection of Orem Center Street and State Street to allow for transfers to route 850 near Orem City Offices. All Saturday trips will be discontinued due to low ridership.
- Route 840: Route to be discontinued and replaced by adding additional route 841 trips. Proposed change will provide customers with more seat availability between the Orem FrontRunner Station and Utah Valley University.
- Route 864: This is a proposed new route to serve the west side of I-15 near Lehi Station. Route will be interlined with route 863 and will only offer weekday peak hour service.
- The proposed fixed bus route changes should be of interest to paratransit eligible riders. UTA is required to provide paratransit at a comparable level of service as to what is provided by the fixed route system. The public transportation guidelines of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) require UTA to provide paratransit services only within a ³/₄ mile service corridor on either side of a fixed bus route and around a light rail (TRAX) station. UTA Paratransit must provide services during the same days and hours of operation as these fixed route services. Areas that would no longer have fixed bus routes would no longer have direct curb-to-curb paratransit services.

OUTCOME:

Based on the feedback received and other factors, the proposal for route 833 did not move forward. For route 834, the proposed alignment changes proceeded, but Saturday service was not eliminated. Route 840 is seasonal service, and the route was discontinued for the season but was not permanently eliminated as proposed, and the addition of route 864 proceeded as outlined. Service changes begin April 8, 2018.



AUGUST 2018 & PROVO-OREM BRT (UVX)

TIMPANOGOS BUSINESS UNIT

For August 2018 Change Day, the UTA Timpanogos (Utah County) Business Unit proposed changes to several routes. The proposed changes were as follows:

NEW SERVICE

• The Provo-Orem BRT, now called the Utah Valley Express or "UVX," will begin operation, replacing the Routes 830 and 838 fixed bus service.

ALIGNMENT CHANGES

- Route 821: realigned near the Provo Towne Center Mall to use University Avenue between East Bay Blvd. and 920 South in both directions in south Provo. Provo Towne Centre Mall will be served by UVX.
- Routes 811/850/862: stop changes in Orem to connect to UVX near Orem University Place Mall.

CONNECTING CHANGES

- Route 841: more trips to enhance connectivity between Orem Station/UVU.
- Route 840: eliminated around campus (all stops covered by 841).
- Route 862: extended to the Orem Station and replace some Route 830 stops.

PUBLIC COMMENTS AND OUTREACH

In accordance with UTA policy, a public comment period was held from April 25 through May 24, 2018. Several activities were conducted during this period to inform riders and the public and to obtain feedback:

- A public hearing notice was published in the *Provo Daily Herald,* on the state's public notice website and on rideuta.com. Information on the comment period and hearing was also published on UTA's social media channels.
- Three formal public open houses were held: on May 15 from 5-7 p.m. at the Provo City Library; on May 16 from 6-8 p.m. at the Spanish Fork Senior Center; on May 17 from 5-7 p.m. at the American Fork Senior Center.
- A total of 10 people attended the three public hearings.
- Comments were accepted via UTA's website, via email at <u>hearingofficer@rideuta.com</u>, through the mail and by phone.

A total of seven comments were received regarding the service proposals. One via email and six at the public open houses. Comments included excitement about the opening of the UVX and support for FrontRunner service and passes for UVU, desire for more bus service overall, and concern/suggestions for improving connections/transfers between FrontRunner and bus. One person commented that it's difficult to go to Salt Lake County for paratransit eligibility.


Based on the feedback received and other factors, the proposed service changes will be implemented on August 13, 2018. In addition, an unrelated comment received regarding Route 831 was adopted by UTA service planners.

SALT LAKE BUSINESS UNIT

For August 2018 Change Day, the UTA Salt Lake (Salt Lake County) Business Unit proposed changes weekday and Saturday changes to Routes 33, 35 and 35M, and changes to Routes 39 and 41. The proposed changes were as follows:

WEEKDAYS

- Route 35M: Begin service at 6 a.m. and end service at 7 p.m.
- Route 33 and 35: Begin service at 4:15 a.m. from Magna and 5:15 a.m. from Millcreek Station. Service would begin early enough from Magna that the existing connection to the first northbound Blue Line TRAX would be maintained. End service at 10:30 p.m. from Magna and 11:30 p.m. from Millcreek Station.

SATURDAYS

- Route 35M: Begin service at 9 a.m. and end service at 7 p.m.
- Route 33 and 35: Begin service at 6 a.m. and end service at 11 p.m. Service on 3300 South between Millcreek Station and Wasatch Boulevard, would largely remain the same.

ROUTES 39 AND 41: to make better connections to the Green Line at West Valley Central Station.

- Route 39: extend west from Meadowbrook Station to West Valley Central Station via the current Route 41 alignment. At West Valley Central Station, Route 39 would turn into Route 41, maintaining a one-seat ride between Wasatch Blvd. and 5600 West.
- Route 41: shorten route to end at West Valley Central Station on the eastern end. At West Valley Central Station, Route 41 would turn into Route 39, maintaining a one-seat ride between 5600 West and Wasatch Boulevard.

PUBLIC COMMENTS AND OUTREACH

In accordance with UTA policy, a public comment period was held from April 18 - May 17, 2018. Several activities were conducted during this period to inform riders and the public and to obtain feedback:

- A public hearing notice was published in the Salt Lake Tribune and Deseret News, on the state's public notice website and on rideuta.com. Information on the comment period and hearing was also published on UTA's social media channels.
- Two formal public open houses were held: on May 3 from 4-6 p.m. at West Valley City Hall; on May 9 from 6:30-8 p.m. at the Magna Library.
- A total of 6 people attended the public hearings.



• Comments were accepted via UTA's website, via email at <u>hearingofficer@rideuta.com</u>, through the mail and by phone.

A total of five (5) comments were received regarding the service proposals. One via email, one via phone to Eric Callison, and three at the public open houses. Comments included support for the changes to Route 39 and 41, concern about travel time on Route 35 versus Route 35M, concern about connections, and a comment about future plans to extend Route 35M to the top of 3300 South.

Based on the feedback received and other factors, the proposed changes to morning service on Route 33, 35 and 35M were not implemented. The remaining proposed service changes began August 13, 2018.

OGDEN BUSINESS UNIT

For August 2018 Change Day, the UTA Ogden (Davis and Weber Counties) Business Unit proposed the following service changes:

- FrontRunner: commuter rail service will be suspended between Ogden and Pleasant View after August 10, 2018.
- Route 616: modified schedule with increased frequency and span of service in conjunction with the FrontRunner changes.

PUBLIC COMMENTS AND OUTREACH

In accordance with UTA policy, a public comment period was held from May 1 – June 1, 2018. Several activities were conducted during this period to inform riders and the public and to obtain feedback:

- A public hearing notice was published in the *Ogden Standard Examiner,* on the state's public notice website and on rideuta.com. Information on the comment period and hearing was also published on UTA's social media channels.
- Two formal public open houses were held: on May 16 from 4:30 6:30 p.m. at the Pleasant View Municipal Building; on May 17 from 4:30 6:30 pm. at the North Ogden City Council Chambers.
 - A total of 1 person attended the public hearings.
- Comments were accepted via UTA's website, via email at <u>hearingofficer@rideuta.com</u>, through the mail and by phone.
- Two additional open houses were held in advance of the formal public hearings: May 12 in Pleasant View and May 14 in North Ogden.
 - o A total of 41 people attended the open houses
- An on-board survey was also conducted of riders on FrontRunner between Ogden and Pleasant View (northbound and southbound) and on Route 616. The survey was also made available at the open houses.

A total of two comments were received regarding the service proposals, both via email. Comments included support for the proposed changes to Route 616 and expressed desire for more bus service – specifically on the west side of I-15 through Farr West - and future



long-term improvements to FrontRunner. One comment reflected over-crowding on some trips since the previous change day.

Based on the feedback received and other factors, the proposed service changes will be implemented on August 13, 2018.

DECEMBER 2018

SPECIAL SERVICES BUSINESS UNIT

For December 2018 Change Day, the UTA Special Service Business Unit proposed implementing a new Flex route, F605, to service the Centerville, West Bountiful, Woods Cross and Bountiful communities. Flex route buses run on a fixed route and schedule, but unlike regular bus routes, passengers can request in advance a deviation or a special stop up to ³/₄ of a mile from the regular route.

The route is proposed to have a fixed alignment with set time points but will deviate up to $\frac{3}{4}$ mile upon advanced request. The route is also proposed to run select trips to the Woods Cross FrontRunner station. The proposed F605 would operate weekdays from 6:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., with 30-minute frequency all day. No Saturday or Sunday service is proposed.

PUBLIC COMMENT AND OUTREACH

In accordance with UTA policy, a public comment period was held from September 11 through October 10, 2018. Several activities were conducted during this period to inform riders and the public and obtain feedback.

- A public hearing notice was published in the Salt Lake Tribune, Ogden Standard Examiner and the Davis County Clipper. The notice was also published on the State's public notice website and on <u>www.rideuta.com</u>. Information on the comment period was also published on UTA's social media channels.
- One formal public open house was held on September 26, 2018 from 4:30 p.m. until 6:30 p.m. The open house was held at the Davis County Library South Branch.
- Comments were also accepted via UTA's website, email at <u>hearingofficer@rideuta.com</u>, through the mail and by phone.

A total of three people attended the open house, although none submitted written comment. A total of eight (8) comments were received by email to <u>hearingofficer@rideuta.com</u>, and a total of seven (7) comments were received via UTA's website and Customer Comment system. One of the comment received included a letter from residents of Centerville, Utah accompanied by the names and addresses of 86 residents.

Comments included support for the new route, but concerns were expressed about a section of the alignment along DaVinci Lane between Main Street and 400 West, and the proposed location for a bus stop.

Based on the feedback received and in response to residents' significant concerns about the route along DaVinci Lane, UTA proceeded with implementing the new route in December, but planners adjusted the alignment for the F605 to use 400 South instead of DaVinci Lane.



LANGUAGE ASSISTANCE PLAN

UTA is committed to being fully compliant with Title VI and Executive Order 13166 and to truly find ways to provide meaningful access to people with limited English proficiency. In order to accomplish this, UTA prepared a Limited English Proficiency (LEP) Plan and has included it in this program as <u>Attachment G</u>.

SUBRECIPIENT MONITORING

To provide subrecipients of federal funds assistance and information to ensure continued compliance with all grant requirements, UTA conducts three levels of subrecipient monitoring: project oversight, assessments and ongoing assistance.

PROJECT OVERSIGHT

UTA's Subrecipient Monitoring Procedures outline pre and post-award compliance requirements for subrecipients including pre-award document submission and review, post award compliance monitoring and closeout. Subrecipients are required to upload financial and program documents and civil rights documents including a Title VI plan during the application process.

Post-award compliance activities ensure subrecipients are compliant with federal and state regulations. For the eligible activities in this program, this includes compliance in areas such as financial management, technical capacity, procurement, asset management (use, protection, maintenance, etc.), and civil rights, including Title VI, ADA, and DBE.

UTA requires all subrecipients to follow UTA's policies and procedures. As part of UTA's compliance program, site visits and inspections are performed for each subrecipient at least biennially. Quarterly and annual financial and performance reporting are also required to ensure subrecipients are using federal funds for the purpose they were intended. All UTA subrecipient awards are managed through an online grant management system which generates notifications to subrecipients when reporting and other compliance activities are due. UTA is also notified when subrecipients submit reports and if subrecipients are non-compliant with reporting requirements.

Close-out activities are conducted following final payment of funds for the project. All expenses, reimbursement and procurement activities are reviewed and a final report is completed by the subrecipients to ensure compliance with the award requirements. Additional continuous control responsibilities are reviewed.

ASSESSMENTS

The Grant Administrator performs annual risk assessments of subrecipients by conducting annual compliance reviews, which includes reviewing external annual audits, monthly/quarterly performance reports and Title VI plans and other documents. If results of assessments identify known or potential concerns, the Grant Administrator may conduct additional procedures such as testing payments, site audits to gain an understanding of internal controls and ensuring federal requirements are met including equipment reporting

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wage requirements, match and suspension and debarment when applicable. All procurements over \$3,000 are conducted by UTA to ensure compliance with federal procurement rules.

Further, the Grant Administrator monitors and provides feedback and training to subrecipients on federal compliance requirements. UTA's Internal Audit and Accounting Departments also serves as a resource to management in providing special reviews of financial, operational and/or regulatory compliance. Upon request, Internal Audit can review selected programs and assist staff with recommendations by providing independent and objective consulting services.

SUBRECIPIENT TILE VI PROGRAM REVIEW

As a designated recipient of FTA funds, UTA receives, administers and allocates funds to subrecipients and is responsible for documenting compliance with Title VI. UTA's responsibilities include monitoring subrecipient compliance with Title VI, collecting and reviewing Title VI documents, including subrecipient Title VI data to FTA and providing assistance and support to subrecipients.

In the case in which a primary recipient extends federal financial assistance to any other recipient, such other recipient shall also submit such compliance reports to the primary recipient as may be necessary to enable the primary recipient to carry out its obligations under this part.

- Title VI Circular

UTA and its sub-recipients receiving funds or equipment from the federal government through UTA are required to submit the following information as part of their application and periodically as required by FTA thereafter, as long as a federal interest remains in their equipment or program:

- Title VI Plan—must be updated no less than every 3 years;
- LEP-Limited English Proficiency Plan submitted as part of the Title VI plan
- FTA Certifications and Assurances-must be signed and submitted annually
- Recipients that have transit-related, non-elected planning boards, advisory councils or committees, or similar bodies, the membership of which is selected by the recipient, must provide a table depicting the racial breakdown of the membership of those committees, and a description of efforts made to encourage the participation of minorities on such committees or councils.

To monitor Title VI compliance, UTA:

- Documents subrecipient compliance with the general requirements;
- Collects and maintains subrecipient Title VI program documents on a designated schedule; and
- Forwards subrecipient Title VI information to the FTA, if requested.

Subrecipients must submit a Title VI Plan to UTA with their application. Technical assistance with development of their plan including access to UTA Title VI demographic information and



analysis, sample documents, the option to adopt UTA's Title VI Program elements including public involvement activities. Title VI resources are also available through the UTA Mobility Management website (www.utahridelink.org/5310-Grant/5310-Resource). UTA reviews all subrecipient Title VI Programs on a biennial basis and also receives and reviews annual reports submitted on or by Sept. 30th.

BOARD MEMBERSHIP AND RECRUITMENT

Recipients that have transit-related, non-elected planning boards, advisory councils or committees, or similar committees, the membership of which is selected by the recipient, must provide a table depicting the racial breakdown of the membership of those committees, and a description of efforts made to encourage the participation of minorities on such committees.

- Title VI Circular

UTA has one committee, the Committee on Accessible Transportation, and one board, the Citizen's Advisory Board, that are selected internally and are subject to the Title VI Circular's requirement above. The UTA Board of Trustees and Local Advisory Council are appointed by the Utah Governor or local counties and municipalities.

COMMITTEE ON ACCESSIBLE TRANSPORTATION (CAT)

UTA established an advisory committee in the 1980s to discuss disability related issues long before the passage of the Americans with Disabilities Act. That committee evolved into the Committee on Accessible Transportation (CAT). After the passage of the ADA in 1990, the UTA Board of Trustees formally created the CAT by way of a charter. The purpose of the CAT is to provide an ongoing opportunity to advise UTA on accessibility issues related to facilities, service, equipment, plans and programs to assure non-discrimination for people with disabilities. Representatives of all ages, disabilities and minority groups, as well as residents in all UTA service areas, are invited and encouraged to serve on the Committee.

When UTA seeks to fill positions on the CAT, posters are placed on all fixed route buses (when seeking multiple positions), information is posted on the home page of UTA's website, and social media sites are used to reach out to the general riding public. This broad-based recruitment seeks to build a Committee with a range of experiences within the disability community in order to address various questions on accessibility within the transit system. The CAT consists of people with disabilities, advocates, and service providers within the service area.

In an effort to engage minority populations, the CAT membership application states, "UTA's inclusive transportation services are offered to a diverse rider community and geographic areas. Involvement on the CAT is encouraged by individuals representing various races, colors and national origins."

CITIZEN'S ADVISORY BOARD (CAB)

The Community Transit Advisory Committee (CTAC) was created in 2015 to give a voice to the citizens within the service area. In the 2017 legislative session, the Utah legislature formalized the Citizen's Advisory Board (CAB) as a requirement to transit districts serving



over 200,000 people and stipulated that board membership should represent, "the diversity of the public transit district area." Although not legally required any longer, UTA is still incorporating the CAB into its service delivery.

As UTA sought to engage potential membership for the CAB that would "represent the diversity of the service area", various agencies and businesses were asked for nominations of potential CAB members.

UTA's outreach efforts included engagement with:

- 14 advocacy groups representing minority groups, low-income populations, and persons with disabilities,
- 5 agencies representing seniors
- 8 educational institutions
- 4 chambers of commerce
- 5 businesses
- 6 outdoor recreational entities
- Utah Department of Workforce Services, which represents a comprehensive state resource for employment, public assistance, refugee services, and more
- 2 governmental stakeholders

These nominations were taken and a final group of 10 individuals were selected to serve on the CAB.

COMPOSITION OF MEMBERSHIP BY RACE/ETHNICITY

	Number of Members	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Hawaiian Native and Pacific Islander
CAT	12	12	0	0	0	0
CAB	10	7	0	2	0	1

FACILITIES SITING AND CONSTRUCTION

The FTA, in accordance with 49 CFR part 21, requires that recipients conduct a Title VI equity analysis during the planning stages when determining the site or locations of facilities in order to ensure that any displacements of persons from their residences and businesses are not determined on the basis of race, color, or national origin.

During the time period of this report, there were no "facilities" sited for construction that would meet the definitions and requirements as outlined in the circular.

SERVICE AND FARE EQUITY ANALYSES

The FTA's circular requires that every fare or major service change must have an analysis performed prior to implementation of the change to measure any adverse impacts on minority and low-income populations. UTA has embraced this process and has made equity



an integral part of its planning process. Eight service and fare equity analyses were conducted during the reporting period and are included as <u>Attachment H</u>.



TITLE VI POLICIES

FTA Circular 4702.1B requires the development of specific policies that help a transit provider identify when further actions must be taken when engaging in activities that may cause an adverse impact on populations protected by Title VI. Some of these policies must be brought to the public in order to allow comment and participation in the development of these policies and have them approved by the Authority's governing entity. UTA's policies have been developed and are official corporate policies. The official policy is included as <u>Attachment E</u> and include:

- 1- Major Service Change Policy
- 2- Disparate Impact Policy
- 3- Disproportionate Burden Policy

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT

FTA requires that transit providers include a description of the public engagement process for setting the major service change policy, disparate impact policy, and disproportionate burden policy. UTA adopted a "Title VI Compliance Policy" in May 2013 to cover these requirements.

To solicit feedback from the public on the draft Title VI Compliance Policy, UTA created a notice that was advertised in local newspapers in the service area. The *Deseret News* and *Salt Lake Tribune* ran the notice on April 19 and 21, 2013. Comments were accepted through May 3, 2013. Although UTA tried to solicit feedback in local Spanish newspapers, there were no papers to run the notice in. The notice and draft policy was posted on UTA's website, <u>www.rideuta.com</u>, as well as on the Utah state government's website, <u>www.utah.gov</u>, under "Public Notices". At the time, the state website provides 35 language translation options. An email notification was sent out by the Salt Lake County Office of Diversity Affairs, which maintains an email list that goes to anyone interested in diversity issues. Additional targeted outreach was done, which included mailing a letter and the policy or sending an email to community organizations that work with minority or low-income populations, including the following agencies.

- Utah Coalition of La Raza
- Centro de la Familia
- Comunidades Unidas
- Centro Civico Mexicano
- The Utah Multicultural Affairs Commission
- National Tongan American Society
- Refugee and Immigration Center
- Horizonte Training Center
- Catholic Community Services
- International Rescue Committee
- Lutheran Social Service of Utah
- Rescue Mission of Salt Lake



One request was made for the policy to be translated into Vietnamese, which was done. The policy and notice were published by the requester in a local Vietnamese newsletter.

Comments could be submitted by email, mail, or phone. Four comments were received by email and one by phone. One comment expressed the belief that including minorities in the policy resulted in favoritism to them, to the detriment of Caucasian people. That person was sent a further explanation of the Title VI laws and how UTA must comply with them. The draft policy was modified to incorporate three of the comments.

MAJOR SERVICE CHANGE POLICY

A major service change policy defines which proposed changes would require a Title VI Service and Fare Equity Analysis. All equity analyses are presented to the UTA Board of Trustees for their consideration and are subsequently included herein as <u>Attachment J</u>.

UTA's Major Service Change Policy states:

UTA will seek public input on the following types of changes. These changes will be considered "major changes" which require equity analysis in compliance with FTA's Title VI Circular.

- a. The Addition of Service;
- b. A proposed service level reduction in miles, hours, or trips of thirty three percent (33%) or more of any route;
- c. The elimination of all set-vice during a time period (peak, midday, evening, Saturday, or Sunday);
- d. A proposed twenty-five (25%) or greater change in route alignment;
- e. A proposed fare change.

DISPARATE IMPACT & DISPROPORTIONATE BURDEN POLICY

DISPARATE IMPACT DEFINITION

Disparate impact refers to a facially neutral policy or practice that disproportionately affects members of a group identified by race, color, or national origin, where the recipient's policy or practice lacks a substantial legitimate justification and where there exists one or more alternatives that would serve the same legitimate objectives but with less disproportionate effect on the basis of race, color, or national origin

DISPROPORTIONATE BURDEN DEFINITION

Disproportionate burden refers to a neutral policy or practice that disproportionately affects low-income populations more than non-low-income populations. A finding of disproportionate burden requires the recipient to evaluate alternatives and mitigate burdens where practicable.



POLICY

The transit provider shall define and analyze adverse effects related to major changes in transit service. The adverse effect is measured by the change between the existing and proposed service levels that would be deemed significant. - Title VI Circular

While performing a Title VI analysis on a proposed major change, UTA examines the potential adverse impact that may occur specific to minority and low income populations. UTA considers the degree of adverse impacts and analyzes those effects when planning any service or fare change. The circular specifies that a transit provider must establish a threshold for determining when adverse effects of service changes are borne disproportionately by minority and/or low income populations.

UTA's threshold for determining adverse impacts is outlined in policy as:

- 1. UTA will measure the burdens of service and fare changes on minority riders to determine when minority riders are bearing a disparate impact from the change between the existing service or fare and the proposed service or fare.
- 2. UTA will measure the burdens of service and fare changes on low-income riders to determine when low-income riders are bearing a disproportionate burden of the change between the existing service or fare and the proposed service or fare.
- 3. A threshold of 5% will be used to determine disparate impact on minority populations and disproportionate burden on low-income populations. This 5% is based on the margin of error from the US Census data that UTA uses to determine the populations in the service area. This means that if the burden of the set-vice or fare change on minority or low-income populations is more than 5% worse than it is for the non-protected populations, then the change will be considered either a disparate impact or a disproportionate burden.

Finding a Disparate Impact

- At the conclusion of UTA's Analysis, if UTA finds a disparate impact on the basis of race, color, or national origin, UTA shall seek to modify the proposed changes in a way that will mitigate the adverse effects that are disproportionately borne by minorities. Modifications made to the proposed changes must be reanalyzed in order to determine whether the modifications actually removed the potential disparate impacts.
- 2. If UTA chooses not to alter the proposed services changes despite the potential disparate impact on minority populations, or if UTA finds, even after the revisions, that minority riders will continue to bear a disproportionate share of the proposed service or fare change, UTA may implement the change only if:
 - a. UTA has substantial legitimate justification for the proposed change; and
 - b. UTA can show that there are no alternatives that would have a less disparate impact on the minority riders but would still accomplish the transit provider's legitimate program goals. In order to show this, UTA must consider and analyze alternatives to determine whether those alternatives would have less of a disparate impact on the basis of race,

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color, or national origin, and then implement the least discriminatory alternative

Finding a Disproportionate Burden. If at the conclusion of the analysis, UTA finds that lowincome populations will bear a disproportionate burden of the proposed major service change, UTA will take steps to avoid, minimize, or mitigate impacts where practicable. The provider should also describe alternatives available to low-income passengers affected by the service changes.

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SYSTEM-WIDE SERVICE STANDARDS & SERVICE MONITORING

VEHICLE LOADS

STANDARD

UTA has set the following standard for vehicle loads:

For Bus Rapid Transit and peak only service, the median maximum load on a trip should be no greater than the vehicle seating capacity.

For other fixed-route bus services and commuter rail, the median maximum load on a trip is no greater than 150% of seating capacity.

Light rail has determined that average weekly loads on regularly scheduled trips should not exceed 100% of the seating capacity. If the loads regularly exceed capacity, then vehicles will be added to the consist until the maximum consist size is reached. Thereafter loads should not exceed 150% of seating capacity.

MONITORING

Utilizing the FTA's definition of a minority route, UTA reviewed all of its current routes and the number of trips that exceeded the maximum load capacity as set forth in our standards. UTA had 1.18 million trips in calendar year 2018. 38% of the trips taken during this time period were on routes designated as a minority route. Of the 1,187,294 trips taken in 2018, only 8,047 of the trips exceeded the standard. The table below shows the number of trips above capacity during this period broken up into minority vs non-minority routes and the percentage they comprise.

	Minority Routes	Non-minority Route
Number of Trips above capacity	385	7,662
Percent of trips above capacity	4.8%	95.2%

FINDINGS

There were no findings of any disparate impacts on minority populations in UTA's vehicle loads. Only 4.8% of all of the trips that were over capacity occurred on minority routes.

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VEHICLE HEADWAYS

STANDARD

The average number of minutes between regional commuter trains should not exceed 60 minutes. The average number of minutes between light rail trains should not exceed 20 minutes.

UTA's Service Design Guidelines identify four tiers or minimum levels of bus service. Route alignments and level of service are based on current or modeled productivity, the propensity of the alignment for transit use, as well as service design guidelines for route and stop spacing.

The transit propensity index is calculated based on a combination of factors - minority population density, transit supportive population density, job density, intersection density, higher-education student density, intersection density, and zero-car household density.

In brief, the tiers are as follows:

Tier	Minimum Level of Service	Minimum Transit Performance Index	Minimum Productivity
One	15 minute service weekdays & Sat, 30 minute service Sunday	300	20 passengers per service hour
Two	30 minute weekday, 60 minute Saturday	200	10 passengers per service hour
Three	60 minute weekday	100	10 passengers per hour 5 passengers per hour flex routes
Peak Only	No minimum headway	100	7 passengers per service mile

MONITORING

Below is a table depicting the average headway by minority and non-minority routes by rail and bus. The data is presented as the number of minutes between the arrival of one transit vehicle and the arrival of the next.

	Minority Routes	Non-minority Route	System Average
Bus Headway	23	27.6	25.9
Rail Headway	14.8	16	15.7

FINDINGS

There were no findings of any disparate impacts on minority populations in UTA's headway monitoring. As evidenced in the table, the headways for routes serving in a minority area have more frequent headways than non-minority routes.

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ON-TIME PERFORMANCE

STANDARD

For commuter rail service, on-time is defined as departing stations 0 seconds early and less than 5 minutes late. The on-time standard is 88% on-time for all departures. UTA continuously monitors on-time performance and conducts analysis to determine root causes of non-standard performance then makes adjustments where feasible.

For light rail service, on-time is defined as departing stations 0 seconds early and less than 5 minutes late. The on-time standard is 88% on-time for all departures. Light rail service is continually monitored and schedule adjustments or other corrective action taken annually at a minimum.

For fixed-route bus, on-time is defined as departing time point crossings 0 seconds early and less than 5 minutes late for regular fixed-route and 0 seconds early and less than 15 minutes late for flex routes. UTA will evaluate whether adjustments are necessary when:

- The on-time performance for the whole route is consistently below 88%
- Running time adjustments to individual trips are so large that they disrupt the cycle time of the whole route

For paratransit, on-time is defined as at least 90% of customers picked up within 10 minutes before to 20 minutes after the stated pick-up time and 90% of customers dropped off within 30 minutes of any stated appointment time.

MONITORING

UTA conducted monitoring for the period of 2018 to determine if there are any disparate impacts on minority routes' on-time reliability. Please note that UTA only has one FrontRunner line, which is its commuter rail. This line is not a minority route so there is no on-time reliability data for commuter rail minority lines.

	Minority Routes	Non-minority Route	System Average
Bus Reliability	92.3%	87.7%	89.3%
TRAX Reliability	94.6%	93.9%	94%
FrontRunner Reliability	N/A	85.9%	85.9%

FINDINGS

There were no findings of any disparate impacts on minority populations in UTA's on-time performance. As is shown in the table, minority routes are, on average, more consistently on time than non-minority routes.



SERVICE AVAILABILITY

STANDARD

For commuter rail, stations are preferably situated 7-8 miles apart, dependent on land use and travel time considerations.

For light rail, stations should be approximately 1 mile apart in suburban areas and 1/2 mile apart in urban areas. Light rail service operated as a street car should have approximately 1/4 mile stop spacing. Service availability for fixed bus is based on route and stop spacing.

Recommended route spacing for fixed and flex routes in the UTA system is as follows:

Environment	Route Spacing
Central Business District	1/8 mile to 1/4 mile
Urban	1/4 mile to 1/2 mile
Suburban	1/2 mile to 1 mile
Rural	As needed based on surrounding development and activity

Recommended stop spacing for fixed and flex routes in the UTA system is as follows:

Environment	Stop Spacing
Central Business District	400 – 800 feet
Urban	500 – 1,000 feet
Suburban	600 - 1,200 feet
Rural	800 or as needed based on surrounding development & activities

MONITORING

In evaluating the availability of transit services, UTA reviewed the population within its taxing districts and compared it to the populations that fall within a walk access to any transit stop or station. UTA has defined its service area as everything that falls within our taxing districts. The areas with walk access are those census blocks that fall within an area that is within a certain distance, according to the actual road access of the area, from a transit stop or station. The distances from stop or station are:

- ¹⁄₄ mile from a bus stop
- ¹/₂ mile from a light rail or bus rapid transit station
- 3 miles from a commuter rail station

The table below shows the number of people within the service area, the number of people with walk access, and the number of minorities within each group.

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	Total Population	Minority Population	Percent Minority
Service Area Population	2,310,052	511,161	22.1%
Population With Walk Access	1,531,569	391,043	25.5%
Percent of Population With Walk Access	66.3%	76.5%	

According to the data presented, the overall population with walk access has 3.4% more minorities than the service area's population. Additionally, 76.5% of all of the minority population in our service area fall within the walk access compared to 66.3% of the service area at large.

FINDINGS

There were no findings of any disparate impacts on minority populations in UTA's service availability. Overall, minorities had a greater amount of walk access than non-minority populations.

DISTRIBUTION OF AMENITIES

STANDARD

UTA is responsible for establishing a policy for how transit amenities are added to the system and ensuring the equitable distribution of amenities throughout the service area. "Transit amenities" refer to items of comfort, convenience, and safety that are available to the general riding public. They include, but are not limited to items such as seating, shelters, canopies, provisional information, escalators, elevators, and waste receptacles. Additionally, UTA is making efforts to upgrade existing stops to the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) standards.

In accordance with this requirement, UTA has developed a master plan outlining all of the criteria involved in prioritizing which stops will receive improvements, what improvements are warranted based on use, and outlines construction specs for improvements. The Bus Stop Master Plan outlines and encourages partnerships with local government and property owners to improve the accessibility, comfort, and convenience of the riding public.

The creation of this document required an extensive inventory of all of UTA's 6,055 bus stops, standardizing the specifications by which all stops would be improved and updating UTA's decision making matrix for prioritizing what amenities will be added to a stop. An updated decision making matrix is included on the following page.





Category	1 Point	2 Points	3 Points	4 Points	5 Points
Non-ADA Compliant*	-	-	-	-	Yes
Total Stop Activity (TSA) - Average Daily Weekday**	1 to 19	20 to 39	40 to 59	60 to 79	80 +
Transfer Point***					
Equal to or Greater than 30 min. freq.	1 Route	2 Routes	3 Routes	4 Routes	5+ Routes
Less than 29 the min. freq.	1 Route	2 Routes	3 Routes	4 Routes	5+ Routes
Serves Title VI Community	Title VI Route	Minority OR Low Income	Minority AND Low Income	2 x Minority + Low Income	2 x Minority + 2x Low Income
Safety					
Intersection					
Parking Allowed					
Obstacle(s) Present	1 of 5	2 of 5	3 of 5	4 of 5	5 of 5
No lighting Present	Elements	Elements	Elements	Elements	Elements
Sidewalk Not Level					

* Non-ADA compliant bus stop locations automatically receive five (5) points

** TSA Data is average weekday ridership taken from the last eight change day periods ***One (1) additional point is assessed each route at the transfer point with 30 minute or less frequency

As is shown above, there are additional points given in prioritizing amenities that would serve a Title VI community.

Monitoring

UTA presently has 6,055 bus stops in its system. Of those stops, 2,197 of them are in an area where the percent of minorities in the surrounding population exceed the system average of 22.1%. Surrounding population is determined by applying a ¼ mile walk access radius and incorporating any census blocks that are overlapped. Most recently, 2010-2016 ACS data was used in the formulation of these figures.

Since the number of stops within the system that serve a minority population above the system average is 36.3% of all stops, this figure is used as the point of reference in determining any potential disparity in amenity distribution.

	Percent of Stops on Minority Lines with this amenity	Percent of all stops with this amenity
Shelter	37.6%	10%
Seating	35.8%	20.3%
Trash Receptacle	38.1%	13.8%



Additional stations are available on UTA's TRAX lines, FrontRunner commuter rail and Bus Rapid Transit lines. The amenity distribution are uniformly applied at these stations as all of them have shelters, seating, electronic signage, schedules, and trash receptacles. For informational purposes, below is a representation of the number of stations that are in minority areas.

	Number of Stations	Minority Stations	Percent Minority
FrontRunner 15		8	53.3%
Blue Line	24	15	62.5%
Red Line	25	18	72%
Green Line	18	14	77.8%
S-Line	7	5	71.4%
UVX (BRT)	18	9	50%

FINDINGS

There were no findings of any disparate impacts on minority populations in UTA's amenity distribution.

VEHICLE ASSIGNMENT

STANDARD

Vehicle assignment refers to the process by which transit vehicles are placed into service in depots and on routes throughout the transit provider's system. - Title VI Circular

The guidelines that UTA uses in assigning vehicles to routes are as follows. The quantity of buses in each Business Unit is determined by the demand, which is the peak pull-out for the calendar year. The Planning Department from each Business Unit generates information regarding routes and schedules that is cut into runs and blocks for Operators to work. This information is shared with the respective Business Units' Maintenance Departments. Buses are assigned within a service area according to the characteristics of the service, such as canyon, commuter express, shuttle or regular transit bus service, passenger loads, and topography of the service area. Specially equipped canyon buses have different specifications than buses that operate in regular transit service in the valley.

Each Maintenance Department determines vehicle assignment based on criteria stipulated by the planners and operational characteristics as to what type of equipment is required for each route or schedule. The vehicle type that can accommodate the runs and blocks is entered into the Fleet Control Sign-out database software program. Also, the status of buses that are out for repair, body work, or temporarily out of service is updated in the database. Vehicles are assigned on a daily basis through a Sign-out Sheet. All-day blocks (runs that are out around 16 hours or more) are typically assigned the same type of bus each day. Any



remaining buses are assigned to tripped blocks (buses sent out during overloads or blocks that are less than 8 hours in duration). Once the sign-out sheet is generated, the sign-out is sent to Operations Dispatch for Operator assignment.

MONITORING

UTA has developed a report that produces the average age of the vehicles used on any given route. The specific timeframe used for this monitoring was for the time period of June, July and August of 2018. All routes were analyzed and the average of the entire system was taken for minority routes and non-minority routes. During this time period, the minority routes' vehicles were .6 years newer than non-minority route trips and 2 years newer when looking at the blocks they served. See the table below for the figures.

	<u>Trips</u>		Blocks	
	Non-Minority Minority		Non-Minority	Minority
Average Age in Years	7.3	6.7	9	7

UTA's rail and BRT system have a designated vehicle that was purchased at the same time and assigned specifically to a route. All vehicles on each route are the same age and cannot be distributed to other routes due to specification and branding.

FINDINGS

There were no findings of disparate impact on minority populations in UTA's vehicle assignment



DEMOGRAPHIC DATA REPORT

The FTA requires fixed route providers of public transportation to collect information on the race, color, national origin, English proficiency, language spoken at home, household income, and travel patterns of their riders using customer surveys. UTA must then use this information to develop maps and a demographic profile comparing minority riders and non-minority riders, trips taken by minority and non-minority riders, and the demographics of fare usage by fare type amongst minority and low-income riders.

CURRENT SERVICE AND SERVICE AREA

In order to determine the extent to which members of minority groups are beneficiaries of the programs UTA offers, UTA maintains maps using Geographic Information System (GIS) technology. GIS data is used to evaluate proposed major changes and measure the impacts any changes may have on the population we try to serve, with special emphasis on monitoring unintended impacts on populations protected under Title VI. The following maps were prepared using demographic data from American Community Survey (ACS) 2012-2016 5-year estimates, which was dispersed into census blocks, in lieu of the larger block groups. This was done in order to use the smallest geographic area possible for the analysis. The distribution was dictated by population ratios from 2010 Census Data. This data is updated annually. The UTA service area is geographically large and difficult to present in a single map. Subsequently, the maps are broken up into the three business units in order to provide a more detailed view of each area. For reference, the first map shows the entire service area and each business unit's area. The remaining maps are broken up into service area.

The maps included in this section include.

- 1. Overview of UTA's service area and available service
- 2. Mt. Ogden Minority Population Density
- 3. Salt Lake Minority Population Density
- 4. Mt. Timpanogos Minority Population Density
- 5. Mt. Ogden Facility Improvements
- 6. Salt Lake Facility Improvements
- 7. Mt. Timpanogos Facility Improvements
- 8. Mt. Ogden Minority Concentrations
- 9. Salt Lake Minority Concentrations
- 10. Mt. Timpanogos Minority Concentrations
- 11. Mt. Ogden Low Income & Poverty
- 12. Salt Lake Low Income & Poverty
- 13. Mt. Timpanogos Low Income & Poverty













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RIDERSHIP CHARACTERISTICS AND DEMOGRAPHICS

In order to develop a demographic profile of the members of the community using transit services, UTA conducted an on board survey of its riders between October 2015 and February 2016. During this survey period, 16,408 usable surveys were collected. The study relied on a tablet-based questionnaire. Staff conducted surveys directly with riders on UTA transit vehicles. The data collected from this effort were weighted and expanded using Automatic Passenger Counter (APC) data maintained by UTA. A copy of the survey is included as <u>Attachment H</u>. The data from the survey was used to create the following charts and figures.

Surveying was conducted on Mondays through Thursdays and focused on trips occurring between 6:30 a.m. and 9:00 p.m. The survey staff rode trips in both directions of travel. The survey sampling plan was designed to obtain surveys from 9% of average weekday boardings by route/line, time period, and direction, roughly proportional to actual ridership.

The table below shows ridership and both targeted and achieved sampling for UTA buses and each rail line. Surveying on all rail lines and the UTA bus system as a whole exceeded targets. Overall, greater than 12% of UTA ridership was surveyed.

Route	Average Weekday Ridership (Oct. 1 – Nov. 30, 2014)	Sampling Goal	Usable Surveys	% of Target
TRAX- Red	24,334	2,190	2,793	127%
TRAX- Blue	21,969	1,977	2,186	111%
TRAX- Green	14,081	1,267	1,717	135%
Frontrunner	15,819	1,424	1,699	119%
S-Line	1,074	97	123	127%
Bus	68,468	6,162	7,890	128%
Total	145,746	13,117	16,408	125%

Throughout this section, "Low Income" refers to any household making under \$30k per year. Moderate income is any household reporting an annual income between \$30k and \$75k. Any household reporting income over \$75k a year is considered high income.


DEMOGRAPHIC OVERVIEW



Of the people surveyed, 24.9% of them identified as a minority per the FTA's definition. This is 3% higher than population of UTA's service area.

Low income (less than \$30k per year) comprise 44.5% of those surveyed. When comparing this to 2015 ACS poverty data, this is 24.1% more than the population of UTA's service area. **INCOME OF RIDERS**



INCOME AND RACE/ETHNICITY



The table to the left shows the racial/ethnic breakdown within the three income groups. Below is a breakdown of the 13,306 respondents who answered both the income and race/ethnicity question broke up into the three groups.

Low Income: 5,915 (44%)

Moderate: 4,509 (34%)

High: 2,882 (22%)



TRAVEL PATTERNS

OVERALL TRIP PURPOSE



FTA requires that transit providers include information regarding the trips taken by transit provider's ridership including the demographic profile comparing minority riders and non-minority riders. The following three tables show the reported purpose for the trips taken.

TRIP PURPOSE RACE/ETHNICITY



TRIP PURPOSE BY INCOME



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OVERALL CHOICE VS CAPTIVE



UTA reviewed the demographics and income level of its riders' need to use transit services. Riders were asked if they used transit because they had no other option or if they were able to utilize other means to get around, but choose to use transit.

As is evident in the charts below, minorities comprise 9% more of the captive riders than those riding by choice. Additionally, low income riders are captive at a rate of more than double their high income counterparts.

CHOICE VS CAPTIVE



CHOICE VS CAPTIVE





WEEKLY TRANSIT USE



The three charts on this page show the frequency by which the surveyed riders utilize transit services. The majority of riders stated that they used the system five or more times per week

1 - 2 times 3 - 4 times 5 or more First Time Less than 1

Minority Non-Minority LESS THAN 1 20.8% 79.2% FIRST TIME 25.9% 74.1% 5 OR MORE 25.5% 74.5% 3 - 4 TIMES 24.7% 75.3% 1 - 2 TIMES 24.0% 76.0%

TRANSIT USE BY RACE/ETHNICITY

TRANSIT USE BY INCOME LEVEL

■ Low Income ■ Moderate Income ■ High Income





Demographics by Mode

OVERALL BY MODE



Commuter Rail Light Rail Bus

Depicted in these three charts are a breakdown of those surveyed that utilize UTA's three primary modes of transportation.

Please note that the chart, "Ridership by Mode", counts the number of trips on a mode, but some customers reported trips on multiple modes on the same survey.



RACE/ETHNICITY BY MODE

INCOME LEVEL BY MODE





FARE USAGE

FARE PAYMENT TYPE USAGE



UTA has assessed the responses as to what method of payment was used in determining the demographics and usage of different fare payment types. These charts depict their payment type usage and the demographic/income levels of the riders surveyed.

Note: EFC: Electronic Fare Card

FARE USAGE BY **RACE/ETHNICITY**

FARE USAGE BY INCOME



Minority Non-Minority

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ATTACHMENT A – NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 protects you from discrimination due to race, color or national origin. If you believe you have been treated unfairly in receiving UTA services because of your race, color or national origin, please let us know.

El Título VI de la Ley de derechos civiles de 1964 lo protege de la discriminación por motivos de raza, color u origen. Si usted cree que ha sido tratado injustamente al recibir los servicios de UTA debido a su raza, color u origen, comuníquese con nosotros.

 Contact UTA Customer Service at 801-743-3882
 Comuníquese con el servicio de atención al cliente de UTA al 801-743-3882

Submit electronic comment forms at rideuta.com Envíe un formulario electrónico para comentarios en rideuta.com

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669 West 200 South Salt Lake City, UT 84101

To:All Utah Transit Authority CustomersFrom:Utah Transit AuthorityDate:August 7, 2011Subject:Compliance with Title VI of the Civil Right Act of 1964

It is the policy of the Utah Transit Authority to comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, which states: "No person in the United States shall, on the ground of race, color, or national origin be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity receiving Federal financial assistance."

If you, as a customer of the Utah Transit Authority, feel that you have been excluded from participation in or denied services provided by the Utah Transit Authority because of your race, color, or national origin, please contact our Customer Concerns Department at one of the following telephone numbers.

Salt Lake City: 801-287-2667 1-877-882-0200 Ogden: Orem/Provo: Paratransit Services: 1-877-882-0200 1-877-882-0200 801-287-5359

Or, you may submit an electronic comment form through UTA's website at www.rideuta.com.

Para: Todos los clientes de Utah Transit Authority

De: Utah Transit Authority

Fecha: 7 de agosto de 2011

Tema: Cumplimiento del Título VI de la Ley de Derechos Civiles de 1964

La política de Utah Transit Authority es cumplir con el título VI de la Ley de Derechos Civiles de 1964, la cual establece que "Ninguna persona en los Estados Unidos debe, por razones de raza, color, o nacionalidad, ser excluida de participar, recibir beneficios, o ser sujeta a discriminación en cualquier programa o actividad que reciba asistencia financiera federal".

Si usted, como cliente de Utah Transit Authority, siente que ha sido excluido de participar o se le han negado los servicios brindados por Utah Transit Authority debido a su raza, color u origen nacional, comuníquese con el Departamento de Inquietudes para Clientes a uno de los siguientes números telefónicos.

Salt Lake City: 801-287-2667 1-877-882-0200 Ogden: 1-877-882-0200 Orem/Provo: 1-877-882-0200 Servicios de transporte para discapacitados: 801-287-5359

-O- Puede presentar un comentario por medio electrónico a través del sitio Web de UTA en www.rideuta.com.

ISO 9001: 2000 and ISO 14001: 2004

1-888-RIDE-UTA www.rideuta.com



ATTACHMENT B - TITLE VI COMPLAINT FORM

UTA Civil Rights Department 669 West 200 South Salt Lake City, UT 84101

Civil Rights Complaint Form

The Utah Transit Authority (UTA) is committed to providing non-discriminatory service to ensure that no person is excluded from participation in, denied the benefits of, or subjected to discrimination in the receipt of its services. If you feel that you have been discriminated against on the basis of a protected status as listed below, please provide the following necessary information in order to facilitate the processing of your complaint. Please submit your complaint to UTA Customer Service by completing this form. If requested, you will receive a response within 20 business days if you've provided sufficient contact information. For an alternative format to submit your Civil Rights complaint, please contact Cherissa Alldredge, UTA's ADA Compliance Officer, at (801) 287-3536 or <u>calldredge@rideuta.com</u>. Once completed, return form to:

UTA Civil Rights Department 669 West 200 South Salt Lake City, UT 84101

This procedure is intended to satisfy UTA's obligation under the Americans with Disabilities Act and Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and applies to anyone alleging discrimination *on the basis of protected class status* in UTA's provision of its services, activities, programs or benefits. This process is designed to provide you with the opportunity to quickly and effectively resolve any issue(s) as it relates to your civil rights and UTA. Your complaint will be investigated in accordance with UTA's complaint procedure.

Type of Civil Rights complaint:

0	Race	0	Disability		0	Age	
0	Color	0	Gender		0	Sexual Orienta	tion
0	National Origin	0	Religion		0	Gender Identit	У
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Ar	e you filing this complaint on	you	r own behalf?	0	Yes	○ No	
lf ı	o, why have you filed for a t	hird	party?				
W	hat is your relationship to the	e pei	rson for whom yo	ou are fi	iling the	complaint?	
Ple	ease confirm you have permis	sio	n to submit comp	laint or	n behalf	of a third-party.	○ Yes ○ No
Se	ervice Details						
Da	te of Occurrence:		Time of	Occurr	ence: _		
Ro	ute Number:		Boardir	ng Locat	ion:		
Diı	rection of Travel:		Destina	tion: _			
Ve	hicle Number:		Driver's	s Name:			
Dr	iver's Badge Number:						
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Please tell us why you are writing to us today

Explain as clearly as possible what happened and why you believe you were discriminated against. Describe all persons involved including the names and contact information of any witnesses and of those you believe discriminated against you. You may attach any written materials or other information relevant to your complaint.

Your Contact Information		
First Name: Last N	Name:	
Address:		
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
Phone:	Email:	
UTA staff would like to reach out to you regardi contacted by a member of UTA staff if we have	• •	,
 Yes, I would answer follow-up questions 	○ No, I do not	want to be contacted
Would you like UTA to contact you once our inv	estigation is comp	ete?
 Yes, I would like a response 	○ No, I do not	require a response
I have read the statement above and affirm tha information and belief.	t it is true to the be	est of my knowledge,
Complainant's Signature		Date





UTA Civil Rights Department 669 West 200 South Salt Lake City, UT 84101

Formulario de Quejas de Derechos Civiles

La Autoridad de Tránsito de Utah (*Utah Transit Authority* (UTA)) está comprometida a proporcionar un servicio no discriminatorio para garantizar que ninguna persona sea excluida de participación, se le nieguen los beneficios, o sea objeto de discriminación al recibir sus servicios. Si considera que ha sido discriminado sobre la base de un estado protegido como se detalla a continuación, proporcione la siguiente información necesaria para facilitar el procesamiento de su queja. Envíe su queja al Servicio al cliente de UTA completando este formulario. Si lo solicita, recibirá una respuesta dentro de los 20 días hábiles, siempre que haya proporcionado suficiente información de contacto. Para obtener un formato alternativo para presentar su queja de Derechos Civiles, comuníquese con Cherissa Alldredge, Oficial de Cumplimiento ADA de UTA, al (801) 287-3536 o en <u>calldredge@rideuta.com</u>. Una vez completado, devuelva el formulario a:

UTA Civil Rights Department 669 West 200 South Salt Lake City, UT 84101

Este procedimiento tiene el propósito de cumplir con la obligación de UTA bajo la Ley de Estadounidenses con Discapacidades y el Título VI de la Ley de Derechos Civiles de 1964 y se aplica a cualquier persona que alegue discriminación *sobre la base del estado de clase protegida* en la prestación de servicios, actividades, programas o beneficios de UTA. Este proceso está diseñado para brindarle la oportunidad de resolver de manera rápida y efectiva cualquier problema relacionado con sus derechos civiles y UTA. Su queja será investigada de acuerdo con el procedimiento de quejas de UTA.

Tipo de queja de Derechos Civiles:

0	Raza	0	Discapacid	ad			0	Edad
0	Color	0	Género				0	Orientación sexual
0	Nacionalidad	0	Religión				0	Identidad de género
								a de las razones mencionados arriba, <u>@rideuta.com</u> para presentar su queja.
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De	etalles del servicio							
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UTA Civil Rights Department 669 West 200 South Salt Lake City, UT 84101

Cuéntenos por qué nos escribe hoy

Explique, de la manera más clara posible, qué sucedió y por qué cree que fue discriminado. Describa a todas las personas involucradas, incluidos los nombres y la información de contacto de cualquier testigo y de aquellos que usted cree que lo discriminaron. Puede adjuntar cualquier material escrito u otra información relevante para su queja.

Su información de contacto				
Nombre: Apellid	o:			
Dirección:				
Dirección:				
Ciudad: Est	ado:		Código postal:	
Teléfono:Cor	reo elec	tróni	co:	
El personal de UTA desea comunicarse con ust dispuesto a ser contactado por un miembro de				
 Sí; yo respondería preguntas de seguimiento 	0 0	No;	no quiero que me contact	en
¿Le gustaría que UTA se contacte con usted un	a vez q	ue se	complete nuestra inves	stigación?
 Sí; me gustaría conocer una respuesta 	0	No;	no necesito una respuesta	a
He leído la declaración anterior y afirmo que es que la información que poseo y aquello que cre		dera	a mi leal saber y entend	er, al igual

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ATTACHMENT C – CUSTOMER COMMUNICATIONS POLICY

UTA Standard Og	perating Procedure	
No. 5.1.1 - 1	Effective Date:	Supersedes: 6/21/2004
Title: Customer Co	mmunication Process for	Non-Paratransit Complaints

Purpose: To establish procedures for receiving, recording and responding to customer communications in a manner consistent with UTA corporate Policy No. 5.1.1.

Application: All UTA Employees. This Standard Operating Procedure applies to non-paratransit complaints.

Definitions:

"Customer Communication" means a statement of any kind (e.g., an in-person statement, telephone, email, letter or any other means of correspondence) about a UTA service or operation, which may be received by UTA directly from a person or through a third party (e.g., government agency or elected official). "Customer Communication" does not mean an inquiry from a person that solely seeks information relating to routes, schedules, or other aspect of UTA's service, nor a formal communication, such a complaint raised with the Federal Transit Administration, the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, or a communication relating to a lawsuit or potential lawsuit.

"Complaint" means a customer communication about a perceived problem or deficiency in UTA's service or operation.

1.0 Procedure for Complaints That Do Not Allege Civil Rights Violations:

- 1.1 Employees will promptly direct all Customer Communications to the Customer Service Department.
- 1.2 The Customer Service Department will oversee the response process including the logging, routing, monitoring, handling and closing out of all customer communications.
- 1.3 The Customer Service Department will provide to each customer who provides a written, telephone message, or electronic communication, a courteous initial response within 24 working hours after receipt of the communication, to indicate that UTA received the communication.
- 1.4 The Customer Service Department will completely record all Customer Communications, regardless of type, in UTA's central customer communications database, whether or not the communication warrants an investigation. Also, in the case of communications requiring investigation, each step in the follow up process will be recorded in the database as that step is completed.
- 1.5 The Customer Service Department will route each Complaint to appropriate staff within 12 working hours after receipt.
- 1.6 A business unit will investigate any Complaints relating to its service, the Regional General Manager of the business unit will establish a system for investigating Complaints within the business unit. The business unit will complete an investigation into a Complaint as soon as possible, but no longer than 10 working days after the receipt of



the Complaint in the business unit, unless special circumstances warrant a longer period of investigation. The Customer Service Department may contact appropriate business units staff to check the progress of investigations.

- 1.7 Once an investigation for a Complaint is complete or in the case of other types of Customer Communications, appropriate information is retrieved, the business unit or investigating employees will communicate the results to the handling Customer Service agent. That agent will then provide a response to the customer and log the result in the central customer communication database.
- 1.8 Every Customer Communication, regardless of its type, is to be closed out as soon as possible, but no longer than 14 working days after receipt of the communication unless special circumstances warrant a longer period.
- 1.9 The Customer Service Department will provide monthly customer communication reports to the business units and corporate offices and, when civil rights Complaints are involved, to the Civil Rights Office.
- 1.10 The Customer Service Department will identify emerging trends from recorded Customer Communications and will report these trends to the executives.

2.0 Procedure for Customer Complaints That Allege Civil Rights Violations:

- 2.1 The Customer Service Department will flag all Complaints alleging harassment or discrimination based on a protected class or Complaints alleging violations of the Americans with Disabilities Act.
- 2.2 A business unit will investigate any Complaints relating to its service, the Regional General Manager of the business unit will establish a system for investigating Complaints within the business unit. The business unit will complete an investigation into a Complaint as soon as possible, but no longer than 10 working days after the receipt of the Complaint in the business unit, unless special circumstances warrant a longer period of investigation. The Civil Rights Department may contact appropriate business unit staff to check the progress of investigation. The Civil Rights Department may determine the appropriate entity to lead the investigation of any Complaint.
- 2.3 An employee in the Civil Rights Department will follow-up with the business unit investigating the Complaint to provide advice as needed to ensure the customer Complaint is adequately investigated and addressed.
- 2.4 The business unit must contact the complainant, if the customer's contact information was provided, to report on the outcome of the Complaint.
- 2.5 This investigation process is intended to satisfy UTA's complaint procedures obligations under the Americans with Disabilities Act, as well as UTA's general obligations under Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

3.0 Civil Rights Complaint Appeal Process

3.1 If a customer is dissatisfied with the result of the business unit's investigation into their Complaint alleging harassment or discrimination based on a protected class or



Complaints alleging violations of the Americans with Disabilities Act, customers shall have the opportunity to appeal the decision.

- 32 Customers wishing to appeal a decision regarding alleged violations of the Americans with Disabilities Act may file an appeal with UTA's Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Compliance Officer.
- 3.3 Customers wishing to appeal the decision regarding alleged harassment or discrimination on the basis of other protected classes may file an appeal with UTA's Title VI Compliance Officer.
- 3.4 Customers must submit their appeal to the relevant UTA Civil Rights staff within 30 calendar days after receiving a response from the business unit or after the complaint was originally submitted, whichever is longer. The appeal must be in writing and state all facts and arguments explaining why the complaint was not appropriately resolved. Information about how to file an appeal will be made available on the UTA website.
- 3.5 The relevant UTA Civil Rights staff will review the appeal and provide a written response within 30 calendar days of receipt of the appeal. All records related to customer appeals will be maintained for a period of time outlined in UTA's records retention schedule, but in no case will records be retained for a period of less than one year.
- 3.6 This appeal process is intended to satisfy UTA's due process obligations under the Americans with Disabilities Act, as well as UTA's general obligations under Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

Exceptions: None

Steve Meyer \bigcirc Interim Executive Director

Approved as to form: lua

Counsel for the Authority

Revision History					
Adopted	6-30-2004				
Policy Revised	1-15-2019				



$\label{eq:attachment} Attachment \ D-List \ of \ Complaints$

2016 Complaints

Date Feedback Recorded	Report #	Summary of Complaint	Basis of Complaint	Race/Color/National Origin	Status	Action Taken
12/30/15	29789	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Trend	Operator coached
1/13/16	31059	Customer not allowed on bus with bike - Allegedly this is different treatment based on protected status	National Origin	Did not specify	Closed - Trend	No action taken - Policy allows operator discretion in deciding how to handle this situation
1/21/16	31751	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Trend	Operator coached
2/22/16	34677	Unfair treatment due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed	No action taken - Policy allows operator discretion in deciding how to handle this situation
2/29/16	35314	Unfair treatment due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Trend	Operator coached
3/8/16	36066	Operator passed desired stop - Allegedly due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed	ion taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
3/18/16	37006	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed	No action taken - Video contradicted customer account.
3/21/16	37208	Operator involved in political conversation with another customer - alleged discriminatory conversation	National Origin	Did not specify	Closed	Operator coached
3/25/16	37780	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Race	Black/African American	Closed	No action taken - Policy allows operator discretion in deciding how to handle this situation
3/31/16	38374	Unfair treatment due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed	No action taken - Investigation found no fault in UTA employee
4/4/16	38618	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Trend	Repeat call - Operator already coached
4/4/16	38573	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Trend	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
4/4/16	38624	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Race	Did not specify	Closed	Operator coached



Date Feedback Recorded	Report #	Summary of Complaint	Basis of Complaint	Race/Color/National Origin	Status	Action Taken
4/5/16	38816	Customer observed negative treatment they stated was due to another person's protected class	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Trend	No action taken - Investigation found no fault in UTA employee
4/5/16	38765	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Trend	No action taken - Investigation found no fault in UTA employee
4/5/16	38746	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
4/8/16	39219	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Race	Native American	Closed - Trend	No action taken - Fare payment was not valid.
4/27/16	41199	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Trend	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
5/14/16	43029	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed	No action taken - Video showed unsafe conditions
5/17/16	43245	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	National Origin	Latino/Brazilian	Closed	No action taken - Investigation found no fault in UTA employee
5/25/16	44100	Unfair treatment due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Trend	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
6/6/16	44988	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed	No action taken - Operator was unable to determine that the customer wanted the bus as they were not at the stop
6/7/16	45215	Unfair treatment due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed	No action taken - Investigation found no fault in UTA employee
6/9/16	45463	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Trend	No action taken - Video contradicted customer account.
7/12/16	48727	operator involved in allegedly discriminatory conversation	National Origin	Did not specify	Closed - Trend	Operator coached
7/23/16	49602	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Trend	No action taken - Investigation found no fault in UTA employee
8/31/16	53440	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Trend	No action taken - Investigation found no fault in UTA employee
9/8/16	54143	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	National Origin	Did not specify	Closed - Trend	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
9/12/16	54435	Unfair treatment due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed - Trend	Operator coached



Date Feedback Recorded	Report #	Summary of Complaint	Basis of Complaint	Race/Color/National Origin	Status	Action Taken
9/24/16	56000	operator involved in allegedly discriminatory conversation	Race	Black/African American	Closed	Operator coached
10/10/16	57585	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Trend	No action taken - Customer not at stop
10/10/16	57636	Unfair treatment due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed	No action taken - Policy allows operator discretion in deciding how to handle this situation
10/27/16	59214	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed - Trend	No action taken - Video contradicted customer account.
11/5/16	60066	Customer observed negative treatment they stated was due to another person's protected class	Race	Black/African American	Closed	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
11/7/16	60110	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	National Origin	Middle Eastern	Closed	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
11/8/16	60277	Unfair treatment due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
11/12/16	60763	Customer not allowed on bus with bike - Allegedly this is different treatment based on protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Trend	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
11/14/16	60774	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Trend	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
11/29/16	62180	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed	No action taken - No follow up from customer
11/30/16	62260	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Native American	Closed - Trend	No action taken - Customer not at stop
12/13/16	63465	Customer observed negative treatment they stated was due to another person's protected class	Race	Black/African American	Closed	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
12/19/16	63979	TRAX operator did not deploy ramp - Allegedly due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Customer attempted to board the train from the wrong side of the train.
12/28/16	64817	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed	Operator coached



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1/4/17	65516	Fare dispute - Customer felt singled out due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Upon follow-up, customer rescinded allegations and apologized. Operator let customer ride for free.
1/10/17	66209	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not Verified	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
1/10/17	66253	Unfair treatment due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
1/14/17	66855	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Not Verified	Operator coached
1/26/17	68014	Fare dispute - Customer felt singled out due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
2/2/17	68728	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Race	Did not specify	Closed	No action taken - Fare payment was not valid.
2/9/17	69548	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
2/18/17	70506	Customer was allegedly singled out due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
2/21/17	70585	Unfair treatment due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed	Operator coached
2/28/17	71221	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
3/9/17	72390	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Race	Did not specify	Closed	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
3/11/17	72614	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not Verified	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.



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3/20/17	73370	Fare dispute - Customer felt singled out due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
4/3/17	74689	Unfair treatment due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Verified	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
4/4/17	74739	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	Customer educated on fare payment
4/4/17	74868	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
4/6/17	75049	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed - Not Verified	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
4/11/17	75445	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Native American	Closed - Verified	No action taken - Customer not at stop
4/12/17	75619	Unfair treatment due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed	Operator coached
4/13/17	75709	Discourteous Treatment from another passenger	Race	Black/African American	Closed	No action taken - Another customer was the offender
4/18/17	76129	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not Verified	Operator coached
4/19/17	76208	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Color	Did not specify	Closed	No action taken - Video contradicted customer account.
4/21/17	76379	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
4/21/17	76410	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed	No action taken - No customer visible in video of incident
4/26/17	76797	Customer was allegedly singled out due to protected status	Race	Polynesian	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Operator addressed safety concerns
4/29/17	77111	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed	No action taken - Video contradicted customer account.
5/1/17	77164	Unfair treatment due to protected status	Color	Did not specify	Closed	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
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5/3/17	77497	Customer was allegedly singled out due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
5/15/17	78583	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Verified	Operator coached
5/23/17	79351	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Color	Did not specify	Closed - Verified	Operator coached
6/7/17	80677	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Race	Native American	Closed	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
6/13/17	81309	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Operator addressed safety concerns
6/28/17	82703	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Judaism	Jewish	Closed	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
7/27/17	85230	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
8/10/17	86720	Unfair treatment due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed	Not enough information provided to follow up
8/14/17	86873	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
8/15/17	87080	Customer was allegedly singled out due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
8/26/17	88322	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
8/30/17	88682	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed	Not enough information provided to follow up
8/31/17	88843	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
9/5/17	89167	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.



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9/14/17	90214	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Color	Did not specify	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
9/15/17	90352	Operator was allegedly involved in discriminatory conversations with other passengers	Color	Did not specify	Closed - Not Verified	Operator coached
10/11/17	92877	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Color	Did not specify	Closed - Verified	Verified pass by - Cannot determine if motive was racial
10/11/17	92937	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
10/13/17	93111	TVM malfunction resulted in customer getting a ticket for not paying a fare. Alleged the ticket was given due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed - Not Verified	No action taken - TVMs appeared to be functional and the customer did not have valid fare. Let customer know he could appeal the ticket.
10/13/17	93154	Operator was allegedly involved in discriminatory conversations with other passengers	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed	Retrained Operator
10/19/17	93600	TRAX operator did not open the door - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Asian	Closed	Not enough information provided to follow up
11/1/17	94614	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
11/2/17	94710	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
11/11/17	95492	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed - Verified	No action taken - Video contradicted customer account.
11/21/17	96363	Customer was allegedly singled out due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
11/21/17	96370	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Native American	Closed - Not Verified	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
11/28/17	96778	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.



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11/30/17	96926	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Verified	Verified pass by - Cannot determine if motive was racial
12/2/17	97160	0 Customer stated they were treated poorly due to Protected status Origin		Hispanic	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
12/6/17	97519	Fare dispute - Customer felt singled out due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
12/6/17	97576	Fare dispute - Customer felt singled out due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
12/8/17	97793	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Color	Did not specify	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
12/11/17	97949	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Asian	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
12/26/17	99402	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.



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1/8/18	100352	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed	Verified pass by - Cannot determine if motive was racial
1/9/18	100511	Discourteous Treatment from another passenger	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not Verified	Train host coached
1/16/18	101092	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Not Verified	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
1/30/18	102388	Smoking on UTA property - Customer felt singled out due to protected status	Race	Native American	Closed - Verified	Operator coached
2/1/18	102513	Not assisted at customer service area - Customer presented during a time when the office was closed - Alleged they were not helped due to their race.	Race	Did not specify	Closed	Put \$5 on FAREpay Card to compensate customer for inconvenience
2/1/18	102579	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Policy allows operator discretion in deciding how to handle this situation
2/8/18	103160	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Color	Did not specify	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
2/21/18	104154	Operator was allegedly involved in discriminatory conversations with other passengers	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	Operator coached
2/24/18	104408	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Race	Did not specify	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Policy allows operator discretion in deciding how to handle this situation
2/27/18	104575	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	National Origin	Did not specify	Closed	No action taken - Video contradicted customer account.
2/27/18	104571	Operator passed desired stop - Allegedly due to the operator having dark skin and the customer having light skin	Color	White	Closed	No action taken - Customer provided incorrect information on timing and opportunity to pull video expired. Additionally, the operator was also white.
3/7/18	105340	Unfair treatment due to protected status	Color	Did not specify	Closed	Retrained Operator



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3/19/18	106449	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Color	Did not specify	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Train hosts cannot waive fare payment
3/26/18	106938	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	National Origin	Arabic	Closed - Verified	Operator coached
4/2/18	107525	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Color	Did not specify	Closed	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
4/10/18	108361	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed - Not Verified	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
4/12/18	108591	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
4/16/18	108843	Customer reportedly was told they had to speak English by an operator	National Origin	Indian	Closed	No action taken - Video contradicted customer account.
4/18/18	109026	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Race	Hispanic	Closed	Customer educated on fare payment
4/19/18	109197	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed	Operator coached
4/20/18	109302	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed - Not Verified	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
4/20/18	109375	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	National Origin	Did not specify	Closed - Verified	No action taken - Investigation found no fault in UTA employee
4/23/18	109469	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
4/23/18	109543	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
4/24/18	109630	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Color	Did not specify	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
4/26/18	109771	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed	Customer not at stop
4/26/18	109862	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	White	Closed	Operator coached



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4/30/18	110085	0085 Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute		Did not specify	Closed - Not Verified	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
5/1/18	110217	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Verified	Verified pass by - Operator coached
5/1/18	110110	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Color	Did not specify	Closed	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
5/4/18	110521	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
5/5/18	110599	Another passenger was demanding that others on the bus should speak English	National Origin	Did not specify	Closed - Not At Fault	Operator coached
5/9/18	110980	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed	No action taken - Investigation found no fault in UTA employee
5/10/18	111014	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Pass used appeared to be fraudulent
5/15/18	111459	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
5/30/18	112631	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
5/31/18	112727	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
5/31/18	112761	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
6/13/18	113958	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Video contradicted customer account.
6/19/18	114400	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Not Verified	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.



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6/22/18	114802	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed - Not At Fault	Stop not in service - No action taken
6/27/18	115176	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
6/29/18	115390	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Color	Did not specify	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
7/2/18	115605	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Color	Did not specify	Closed	No action taken - Investigation found no fault in UTA employee
7/3/18	115696	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed - Not Verified	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
7/12/18	116418	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Race	Black/African American	Closed	No action taken – No customer information provided.
7/14/18	116595	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Race	Pacific Islander/Native Hawaiian	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
7/16/18	116668	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Color	Did not specify	Closed	Not enough information provided to follow up
7/18/18	116848	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
7/18/18	116841	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Color	Did not specify	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
7/27/18	117591	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Video contradicted customer account.
7/28/18	117701	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
8/2/18	118080	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed - Not Verified	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.



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8/4/18	118264	Customer was allegedly singled out due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not Verified	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
8/11/18	118945	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Verified	No action taken - Investigation found no fault in UTA employee
8/14/18	119225	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
8/23/18	120132	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	White	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
8/28/18	120569	Customer alleged that UTA was not offering free passes to a school because it was largely a school for refugees	National Origin	Did not specify	Closed	UTA has information about free passes for educational programs on website - Directed person to set policy to ask for passes.
8/29/18	120796	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
8/31/18	121150	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
9/4/18	121319	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
9/4/18	121351	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Native American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
9/7/18	121991	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed	Not enough information provided to follow up
9/20/18	123181	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed - Not Verified	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
9/25/18	123571	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
10/1/18	124039	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Native American	Closed	Verified pass by - Cannot determine if motive was racial
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10/1/18	124048	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Native American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
10/5/18	124466	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
10/12/18	125165	Customer was allegedly singled out due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Verified	Operator coached
10/22/18	125877	Customer stopped by UTA police - Matched description of suspect – UTA questioned the rider, who felt that it was racially motivated	Race	Black/African American	Closed	Customer was not the suspect - questioned for three minutes and released - After receiving complaint, officers followed up with complainant
10/24/18	126001	Customer observed negative treatment they stated was due to another person's protected class	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
10/29/18	126384	operator involved in allegedly discriminatory conversation	Race	Did not specify	Closed - Verified	Operator coached
10/31/18	126564	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
11/2/18	126782	Unfair treatment due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
11/6/18	126958	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
11/8/18	127251	Customer was allegedly singled out due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
11/8/18	127246	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
11/9/18	127323	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Color	Hispanic	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.



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11/12/18	127481	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed - Not At Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
11/19/18	128098	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	White	Closed - Verified	Operator coached
11/26/18	128412	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Race	Black/African American	Closed	Fare Inspector coached
11/29/18	128652	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	Race	Black/African American	Closed	Fare Inspector coached
12/3/18	128921	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed – Not at Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
12/3/18	128939	Customer reportedly was told they had to speak English by an operator	National Origin	Did not specify	Closed - Verified	Operator coached
12/3/18	128983	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed – Not at Fault	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
12/12/18	129803	Alleged different treatment based on race in a fare dispute	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed – Not at Fault	No action taken - Policy allows operator discretion in deciding how to handle this situation
12/14/18	129943	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed – Not Verified	No action taken - Unable to corroborate customer account.
12/15/18	130063	Unfair treatment due to protected status	National Origin	Hispanic	Closed - Verified	Operator coached
12/17/18	130235	Customer was allegedly singled out due to protected status	Race	Black/African American	Closed – Not at Fault	No action taken - Investigation found no fault in UTA employee
12/20/18	130619	Customer stated they were treated poorly due to protected status	Race	White	Closed – Not at Fault	No action taken - Operator addressed safety concerns
12/26/18	130875	Passed by - Allegedly due to protected status	Race	Did not specify	Closed – Not at Fault	Customer not at stop

ATTACHMENT E – TITLE VI COMPLIANCE POLICY

UTAH TRANSIT AUTHORITY CORPORATE POLICY

NO. 1.1.28

TITLE VI COMPLIANCE

I. <u>Purpose</u>. Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 prohibits discrimination by recipients of federal financial assistance on the basis of race, color, or national origin. Utah Transit Authority, as a public transit provider and recipient of federal financial assistance, is subject to Title VI requirements as outlined in FTA's Circular FTA C 4702.1B and future amendments.

In accordance with the Circular, UTA has developed this policy for measuring disparate impacts on minority populations and disproportionate burdens on low-income populations. UTA remains committed to avoiding unfair treatment and discrimination in the allocation of public transit services.

II. Definitions.

- A. "Addition of Service" means the creation of a new bus route or the opening of a new rail line.
- B. *"Discrimination"* refers to any action or inaction, whether intentional or unintentional, in any program or activity of a Federal aid recipient that results in disparate treatment, disparate impact, or perpetuating the effects of prior discrimination based on race, color, or national origin.
- C. *"Disparate Impact"* refers to a facially neutral policy or practice that disproportionately affects members of a group identified by race, color, or national origin, where the recipient's policy or practice lacks a substantial legitimate justification and where there exists one or more alternatives that would serve the same legitimate objectives but with less disproportionate effect on the basis of race, color, or national origin.
- D. *"Disproportionate Burden"* refers to a neutral policy or practice that disproportionately affects low-income populations more than non-low-income populations.
- E. "Eligible Low-income Individual" means a person whose median household income is at or below the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) poverty guidelines. UTA will use the definition found in 49 U.S.C. 5302 as amended by Fixing America's Surface Transportation Act (FAST): "an individual whose family income is at or below 150 percent of the poverty line (as that term is defined in Section 673(2) of the Community Services Block Grant Act (42 U.S.C 9902(2)), including any revision required by that section) for a family of the size involved".
- F. "Low-income Population" refers to any readily identifiable group of low-income persons who live in geographic proximity, and, if circumstances warrant, geographically dispersed/transient persons (such as migrant workers or Native Americans) who will be similarly affected by a proposed FTA program, policy or activity.

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- G. "*Major Change*" means a service or fare change which meets UTA's definition in section III.B of this policy, and requires equity analysis in compliance with FTA's Title VI Circular.
- H. "Minority Persons" include the following:

1. American Indian or Alaska Native, which refers to people having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America), and who maintain tribal affiliation or community attachment.

2. Asian, which refers to people having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent, including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.

3. Black or African American, which refers to people having origins in any of the Black racial groups of Africa.

4. Hispanic or Latino, which includes persons of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.

5. Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander, which refers to people having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.

- I. *"Minority Population"* means any readily identifiable group of minority persons who live in geographic proximity.
- J. "*National Origin*" means the particular nation in which a person was born, or where the person's parents or ancestors were born.
- III. Policy
 - A. UTA prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, or national origin in the provision of public transit services, programs, and activities.
 - B. Public Input
 - 1. UTA will seek public input on the following types of changes. These changes will be considered "major changes" which require equity analysis in compliance with FTA's Title VI Circular.
 - a. The Addition of Service;
 - b. A proposed service level reduction in miles, hours, or trips of thirtythree percent (33%) or more of any route;
 - c. The elimination of all service during a time period (peak, midday, evening, Saturday, or Sunday);
 - d. A proposed twenty-five (25%) or greater change in route alignment;
 - e. A proposed fare change.

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- 2. The type of public input opportunities used for service or fare changes described in Paragraph B(1) will be based on the requirements of Corporate Policy 1.1.6, Public Input Opportunities, and a demographic analysis of the population(s) affected, the type of plan, program and/or service under consideration, and the resources available, and may include any combination of the following:
 - a. Public hearings;
 - b. Public meetings;
 - c. Posted notices on UTA's website;
 - d. Outreach to minority groups and the non-English speaking community within UTA's service area;
 - e. Coordination with community and faith-based organizations, educational institutions, and other organizations that reach out specifically to members of affected minority and/or LEP (Limited English Proficient) communities;
 - f. Notices in radio, television, or newspapers including those that serve non-English speaking and/or minority populations;
 - g. Posting notices at bus stops, rail stations and on transit vehicles;
 - h. Use of social media, including those targeted at minority groups and the non-English speaking community.
- C. Evaluation and Analysis of Service and Fare Changes
 - 1. UTA will analyze proposed major changes to service and any proposed fare changes in accordance with FTA's Circular C 4702.1B as amended.
 - 2. UTA will evaluate the impacts of all major service changes cumulatively when there is more than one route being affected for a service change period
 - UTA will primarily utilize American Community Survey (ACS) Data, block group data and/or ridership data to evaluate and analyze any proposed major service and fare changes. This data will be analyzed with Geographic Information System (GIS) software.
 - 4. UTA will rely on population data and use the smallest geographic area that reasonably has access to the stop or station effected by the proposed major service change. This will be translated into a one-quarter mile radius to a bus stop, one-half mile to a light rail station and three miles to a commuter rail station.
- D. Disparate Impact and Disproportionate Burden Policy
 - UTA will measure the burdens of service and fare changes on minority riders to determine when minority riders are bearing a disparate impact from the change between the existing service or fare and the proposed service or fare.
 - UTA will measure the burdens of service and fare changes on low-income riders to determine when low-income riders are bearing a disproportionate burden of the change between the existing service or fare and the proposed service or fare.

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3. A threshold of 5% will be used to determine disparate impact on minority populations and disproportionate burden on low-income populations. This 5% is based on the margin of error from the US Census data that UTA uses to determine the populations in the service area. This means that if the burden of the service or fare change on minority or low-income populations is more than 5% worse than it is for the non-protected populations, then the change will be considered either a disparate impact or a disproportionate burden.

E. Finding a Disparate Impact

- At the conclusion of UTA's Analysis, if UTA finds a disparate impact on the basis of race, color, or national origin, UTA shall seek to modify the proposed changes in a way that will mitigate the adverse effects that are disproportionately borne by minorities. Modifications made to the proposed changes must be reanalyzed in order to determine whether the modifications actually removed the potential disparate impacts.
- 2. If UTA chooses not to alter the proposed services changes despite the potential disparate impact on minority populations, or if UTA finds, even after the revisions, that minority riders will continue to bear a disproportionate share of the proposed service or fare change, UTA may implement the change *only* if:
 - a. UTA has substantial legitimate justification for the proposed change; and
 - b. UTA can show that there are no alternatives that would have a less disparate impact on the minority riders but would still accomplish the transit provider's legitimate program goals. In order to show this, UTA must consider and analyze alternatives to determine whether those alternatives would have less of a disparate impact on the basis of race, color, or national origin, and then implement the least discriminatory alternative

F. Finding a Disproportionate Burden. If at the conclusion of the analysis, UTA finds that low-income populations will bear a disproportionate burden of the proposed major service change, UTA will take steps to avoid, minimize, or mitigate impacts where practicable. The provider should also describe alternatives available to low-income passengers affected by the service changes.

G. Transit Amenities Improvement Projects. Transit amenities improvement projects will be reviewed for Title VI compliance prior to approval.

H. Title VI Complaint Process.

 Any person who has a complaint relating to discrimination in receiving service from UTA based on race, color, or national origin can file a complaint and it will be investigated and responded to in a timely manner by the Civil Rights Office.

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- 2. UTA has a Title VI Complaint Form which can be obtained from the Title VI Compliance Officer and on UTA's website.
- 3. Complaints that come to UTA through the Customer Service department will be received, recorded and responded to according to UTA Corporate Policies No. 5.1.1, Customer Communications, 6.1.8 Equal Employment Opportunity, Anti-Discrimination Harassment, and Retaliation Polices and UTA Standard Operating Procedure, No 5.1.1-1, Customer Communication Process. After receipt of a complaint, the Investigator will investigate it and provide written findings of the investigation to all applicable parties within (15) calendar days of the conclusion of the investigation.

IV. Cross-References. UTA Corporate Policy No. 1.1.6, Public Input Opportunities; UTA Corporate Policy No. 5.1.1, Customer Communications, UTA Standard Operating Procedure No 5.1.1-1, Customer Communication Process, UTA Corporate Policy 6.1.8. Equal Employment Opportunity, Anti-Discrimination Harassment, and Retaliation Polices; Circular 4702.1B, Chapter VI, Sections 7(a)-(b); Standard Operating Procedure BU 7.0 - Transit Improvement Projects.

This UTA Corporate Policy was reviewed by the Corporate Staff on November 15, 2016, and approved by the President/CEO on this 7 day of ______ day of ______ 2016, and takes effect on the latter date.

Jerry Benson

President/CEO

Approved as to form:

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ATTACHMENT F – PUBLIC INPUT OPPORTUNITIES POLICY

UTAH TRANSIT AUTHORITY CORPORATE POLICY

No. 1.1.6

PUBLIC INPUT OPPORTUNITIES

1. <u>Purpose</u>. This Corporate Policy is intended to ensure that UTA provides the best benefit to the communities it serves, and to employees in making operating decisions regarding levels of service and routing that are mutually beneficial to UTA and its customers based on considerations of market, economy, efficiency, and performance of service. This Policy is also intended to effectuate those goals within the limitations set out in the Board of Trustees Executive Limitations Policy 2.4.5.

II. Policy.

A. Public Hearing. UTA will provide public notice of, and conduct public hearings on:

1. A proposed service level reduction in miles, hours, or trips of thirty-three percent (33%) or more of any route;

2. The elimination of all service during a time period (peak, midday, evening, Saturday, or Sunday);

3. A proposed twenty-five (25%) or greater change in route alignment;

- 4. A proposed fare increase; or
- 5. A proposed capital project or grant application, as required by law.

B. Public Hearing Officer.

1. The General Manager will designate a public hearing officer to conduct public hearings on matters listed in paragraph A. The public hearing officer will attend each public hearing and report to the General Manager and the Board of Trustees Finance and Operations Committee the findings and conclusions regarding public comment received in the public comment period. The public hearing officer will also report to the Finance and Operations Committee any decision of the General Manager on a proposal listed in paragraph A.

2. The public hearing officer will notify the Committee of any changes in service and routes through the Finance and Operations Committee Report. The Regional General Managers will routinely notify the public hearing officer of such changes.

C. *Standard Operating Procedures.* Staff authorized by the General Manager will develop standard operating procedures to implement this Policy, including, but not limited to, procedures on notifying the public of proposals subject to public hearing, receiving


comment from the public on such proposals, arranging and conducting public hearings, compiling a public hearing record, and consideration of that record

III. <u>Cross-References</u>. Board of Trustees Ends Policy 1.2.3; Board of Trustees Executive Limitations Policies 2.4.2 and 2.4.5.

This UTA Corporate Policy was reviewed by the Policy Forum on June 22, 2004, and approved by the General Manager, on this 24th day of June, 2004, and takes effect on the latter date.

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General Manager and CEO

Approved as to form: Counsel for L



Standard Operating Procedure		υ т д 🌐
No. 1.1.6-1	Effective Date: 5/6/2014	Supersedes: 6/22/2004
Title: PUBLIC INVOL	VEMENT PROCESS	

Purpose: This Procedure sets out a process for soliciting and considering public input on fare increases, major service reductions, service additions, capital projects, and grant applications in accordance with Board of Trustees Executive Limitations Policy No. 2.4.5 and Corporate Policy No. 1.1.6.

Application: All UTA Employees.

Procedure:

I. Definitions. As used in this Procedure:

"Grant application" means a grant application submitted by the Authority to the Federal Transit Administration.

"Major service reduction" means (1) the elimination of at least 33 percent of the distance, hours, or trips served along a fixed route, (2) the elimination of all service along a route during a time period, such as during peak, midday, or evening periods, or on a Saturday or Sunday, or (3) a change in at least 25 percent of a fixed route's alignment.

"Service addition" means the creation of a new bus route or opening of a new rail line. "Service additions" do not include increase in service to existing routes.

"Proposal" means a UTA proposal to raise fares, implement a major service reduction, or complete a capital project or grant application.

"Capital project" means a capital project funded in whole or in part by federal moneys. "Capital project" does not include projects involving an environmental assessment or an environmental impact statement when a third party consultant is retained by the Authority to administer the public involvement process. In such instances, the consultant will be obligated to administer the hearings in accordance with federal laws and regulations.

II. Process. Before UTA decides to raise fares, implement a major service reduction, undertake a capital project, or submit a grant application, it will solicit and consider public input as set forth in this Section.

A. Notice.

1. Notice requirement. At least 15 days before a hearing on a Proposal, UTA will provide the notice described in subparagraph (2) to the public, members of the Board of Trustees, the Mayor, City Manager, Council Chair, Planning Commission Chair, and the Economic Development Department representative of the municipality or county that may be affected by the Proposal, private transportation

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carriers and, in the case of a Proposal relating to a capital project or grant application, to any other agency or group as required by federal law or regulation.

2. Contents of notice. The notice will reasonably describe the proposed change or project, any upcoming public involvement activities, including the times, dates, and locations of any public hearings and the deadline and place to submit written or recorded comments. The notice will indicate that reasonable accommodations will be made on advance request to persons with disabilities. Such requests might include requests for public information in alternate formats or sign language interpreters.

3. Publication. At a minimum, the notice will be publicized in a newspaper of general circulation to the communities that will be affected by the Proposal and on the State of Utah's public notice website. On request, the notice will be made available in alternate formats.

B. Comment. UTA will designate a single person or office and a website address to receive written comments during that time period. UTA will accept public comment on a Proposal received by the designated person or office, or postmarked, up to 5 days after a hearing on a Proposal.

C. Public Hearing.

1. Hearing requirement. UTA will provide to the public an opportunity for a public hearing to solicit public comment on a Proposal. UTA will hold more hearings at other times or locations as reasonably necessary to solicit broad community input from affected citizens, private transportation providers, and local elected officials.

2. Hearing arrangements. A public hearing will be arranged by the relevant business unit in the case of a proposed major service reduction or service addition, by the Board Coordination Office in the case of a proposed fare increase, and by the Capital Development Office in the case of a proposed capital project or grant application. As used in this paragraph, "arrange" includes scheduling the hearing, selecting a site for the hearing, preparing public information and notices and invitations related to the hearing, arranging for reporting services, providing for reasonable accommodations, and making all other necessary arrangements for the hearing. The site selected for a public hearing will be accessible as required under the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 and, to the extent practicable, will be located within one-quarter mile of a UTA fixed route.

3. Public Hearing Officer. A public hearing officer designated by the General Manager will preside at all public hearings relating to a Proposal. The Public Hearing Officer will announce the start and close of a public hearing, administer the first phase of the hearing, as set out in paragraph (4) of this section, and collect and maintain written and recorded comments.

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4. Hearing Format. Hearings will generally follow an open house format with information displayed and UTA staff available to describe the proposal and answer questions. In some cases a formal presentation will be given during the hearing.

(a) During public hearing, the attendees will be invited by the Public Hearing Officer to meet informally with UTA staff, to ask questions of UTA staff, and to review displayed information regarding the Proposal. The Public Hearing Officer will also offer a brief introduction to the attendees, indicating the purpose for the hearing, and will explain the hearing process, including but not limited to methods for making public comment during and after the hearing, time frames for making public comment, and UTA's process for consideration of public comment.

(b) All attendees will be given the opportunity by the Public Hearing Officer to offer a recorded, verbal comment to a court reporter or the option of calling UTA customer service to record their comment. The attendees may also leave written comment with the Public Hearing Officer or mail or email comments in by the end of the comment period.

(c) In some cases public comment may be received through verbal comment at a microphone or to a recording device. The Public Hearing Officer may request that attendees wishing to make a verbal comment complete and submit to the Public Hearing Officer a speaker's card. The Public Hearing Officer may then call the attendees by name to make a comment in the order that the cards were received. The Public Hearing Officer may also limit the time allocated for recorded comment to no more than 3 minutes per attendee.

D. Public Involvement Record. The Public Hearing Officer will prepare a summary of all comments timely received by UTA, and findings and conclusions regarding those comments. The Public Hearing Officer will also compile a Public Involvement Record, which will include all written comments timely received by UTA, a transcript of audio recordings of verbal comments made at any public hearings, the comment summary, and the findings and conclusions. Within 90 days after the close of the written comment period, the Public Hearing Officer will provide the Public Involvement Record to the General Manager and to the Chair of the Board of Trustees Finance and Operations Committee.

E. Consideration of Public Comment. Before a final decision on a Proposal is reached, UTA will give due consideration to the comments and content of the Public Involvement Record. To facilitate this consideration:

1. The Public Hearing Officer will forward copies of the Public Involvement Record to each affected business unit before UTA reaches a decision on the Proposal.

2. In the case of a major service reduction and service addition, the Chief Operating Officer and service planners within each affected business unit will review the Public

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Involvement Record before UTA reaches a decision on the Proposal.

3. The Regional General Manager in the case of a major service reduction, the Chief Capital Development Officer in the case of a capital project, and the General Manager in the case of a fare increase, will consider, at a minimum, the costs of implementing any alternate proposal raised in a public comment, whether the alternate proposal is consistent with UTA's organizational financial plan, and whether the alternate proposal benefits a majority of the affected community.

4. The Public Hearing Officer or designee will, to the extent economically and administratively feasible, provide to each person who provided public comment, an acknowledgement of receipt of the comment, UTA's decision regarding the proposal, and a brief summary of (a) the number of hearings, attendees, and comments received, (b) significant areas of comment, and (c) changes made to the Proposal based on comments received during the public involvement process.

F. Report of Decision. The Public Hearing Officer will report to the Board of Trustees Finance and Operations Committee the General Manager's determination regarding the Proposal.

Exceptions: None.

This UTA Corporate Standard Operating Procedure was reviewed by the Corporate Staff on May 6, 2014, and approved by the General Manager on, this <u><u>Ju</u></u> day of <u>Mau</u>, 2014 and takes effect on the date indicated.

Michael A. Allegta General Manager Approved as to form:

Counsel for the Authority

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ATTACHMENT G – LEP PLAN



Utah Transit Authority Limited English Proficiency (LEP) Plan

INTRODUCTION

This Limited English Proficiency (LEP) Plan has been prepared to address the responsibilities of Utah Transit Authority (UTA), as a recipient of federal financial assistance, relating to the needs of individuals with limited English language skills. LEP persons are those who do not speak English as their primary language and have limited ability to read, speak, write or understand English.

LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

The plan has been prepared in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and its implementing regulations, which states:

No person in the United States shall, on the ground of race, color, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity that receives Federal financial assistance.

Executive Order 13166, "Improving Access to Services for Persons with Limited English Proficiency" (August 16, 2000), indicates that differing treatment based upon a person's inability to speak, read, write or understand English is a type of discrimination on the basis of national origin. The Executive Order states that recipients must take reasonable steps to ensure LEP persons have meaningful access to their programs and activities.

In addition, the Federal Transit Administration Circular 4702.1B dated October 1, 2012, "Title VI Requirements and Guidelines for Federal Transit Administration Recipients," reiterates the obligation to take responsible steps to ensure meaningful access to benefits, services, and information for LEP persons and requires that FTA recipients develop a language assistance plan.

FOUR FACTOR ANALYSIS

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) issued its Policy Guidance Concerning Recipient 's Responsibilities to Limited English Proficient (LEP) Persons in Federal Register: December 14, 2005 (Volume 70, Number 239)1- This guide states that DOT recipients are required to take reasonable steps to ensure meaningful access to programs by LEP persons. This coverage extends to the recipient's entire program. There are four factors for agencies to consider when assessing language needs and determining what steps to take to ensure meaningful access for LEP persons:

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- 1. The number or proportion of LEP persons eligible to be served or likely to be encountered by a program, activity or service of the recipient;
- 2. The frequency with which LEP individuals come in contact with the program;
- 3. The nature and importance of the program, activity or service provided by the recipient to people's lives;
- 4. The resources available to the recipient and costs.

FACTOR 1: THE NUMBER OR PROPORTION OF LEP PERSONS IN THE AREA

The FTA identified four items that should be included in the first factor of the analysis, which comprise the headings below

HOW LEP POPULATIONS INTERACT WITH UTA

The way the general public interacts with UTA is through direct contact employees that facilitate our services. These would include positions such as vehicle (bus and light rail) operators, fare inspectors, UTA police officers, train hosts, customer service representatives, etc. Additionally, customers would interact with UTA through our written publications and our website.

IDENTIFICATION OF LEP COMMUNITIES

UTA reviewed data provided by LEP.gov to determine the proportion of LEP persons in the area. While 5.7% of the residents of the counties served by UTA are considered LEP, the most prevalent of the languages is, by far, Spanish comprising 72% of all LEP and make up 4.2% of the total population. There is a significant difference between the number of Spanish LEP speakers and all other language speakers, with the rest being 0.2% of the population or less.

The following table lists the languages with over 1,000 LEP speakers in the counties UTA serves.

	Total LEP Population	Percentage of Total Population	Percentage of LEP Population
Spanish	82145	4.2%	72.3%
Chinese	4780	0.2%	4.2%
Vietnamese	3604	0.2%	3.2%
Other Pacific Island	2530	0.1%	2.2%
Korean	1755	0.1%	1.5%
Serbo-Croatian	1711	0.1%	1.5%
Other Indic langs.	1701	0.1%	1.5%
Other Asian langs.	1488	0.1%	1.3%
African langs.	1326	0.1%	1.2%
Tagalog	1145	0.1%	1.0%
Russian	1101	0.1%	1.0%
Portuguese	1018	0.1%	0.9%

Table 1: Top LEP Languages

Source: LEP.gov/maps



LITERACY SKILLS OF LEP POPULATIONS IN NATIVE LANGUAGE

In examining the efficacy of written communications, UTA has identified the literacy rates in the main countries representing the languages spoken by highest populations of LEP persons. Below is a table that depicts the literacy rates of the countries where the most LEP persons may have originated from. Table 2 below depicts the adult literacy rates (15 years of age and older) of four major countries that contribute to the LEP population.

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	Literacy Rate				
Mexico	94.9%				
China	96.4%				
Vietnam	94.5%				
South Korea	97.9%				

Table 2: Literacy Rates

Source: CIA World Factbook & Unesco

Although Mexico is listed above, the Spanish speaking population is not exclusively from Mexico but from all over Latin America. In the Unesco regional overview of Latin America and the Caribbean, they estimate that adult literacy rates for the region was 92% in 2012 and has only increased since then.

Considering that high rates of literacy in the countries that the local LEP populations originate from, it would appear that written translations would be effective.

ANALYSIS OF LEP POPULATIONS' SERVICE LEVEL

Analysis of UTA service has shown that minority, low income, and LEP populations are well represented in the proportion of service available. UTA has created maps showing where higher than average populations of LEP speakers reside. When there are proposed changes that may impact these communities, special consideration is given to provide notice and consideration to LEP persons. UTA planners are advised to review the impacts to those language speakers when making service changes, so that information regarding concentrations of LEP speakers can be used in formulating UTA's public participation plan.

In examining the LEP maps produced of UTA's service area, much of the areas are within walking distance to transit services. Additionally, UTA offers ample service in low-income and minority population areas, and much of the LEP community would be considered low-income and/or self-identify as a racial/ethnic minority.

FACTOR 2: FREQUENCY LEP INDIVIDUALS USE UTA

UTA has reviewed the most recent on board survey data to determine the general number of people that took the survey who reported that they spoke English "less than well" or "not at all". Of the 16,408 respondents, 622 responded to indicate that they had limited English proficiency. This comprises 3.8% of the respondents.

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Table 3 lists the number and languages UTA has required interpreter services for when customers contacted UTA's customer service line. It is also worth noting that UTA has full time customer service staff that speak Spanish fluently and take Spanish speaking calls frequently. These calls are not represented on the chart below. The source of the data is from the contracted interpreting service UTA employs to address languages other than Spanish or provide Spanish translation services when staff is not available to take calls. Although the exact number of Spanish speaking calls is not tracked, it is estimated that customer service takes 15-20 Spanish speaking calls a day. Even when only factoring calls that have been outsourced, Spanish still comprises over 93% of the requests for interpretation UTA receives.

FACTOR 3: NATURE AND IMPORTANCE OF UTA ON PEOPLE'S LIVES

For many people, transit services are an indispensable part of their lives. The Department of Transportation's LEP policy states that, "providing public transportation access to LEP persons is crucial. An LEP person's inability to utilize effectively public transportation may adversely affect his or her ability to obtain health care, or education, or access to employment." Additionally, In UTA's 2015-2016 survey of riders, 55% of the respondents said that UTA's services or walking was their only option. When examining only minority populations' response to this question, 64.6% of minority respondents stated that they had no transportation options other than UTA or walking.

FACTOR 4: RESOURCES AVAILABLE TO UTA

UTA is committed to assuring that resources are used to reduce the barriers that limit access to information and services by LEP persons. Many costs associated with delivery of service to LEP individuals are already included in the daily cost of doing business with a diverse population.

DOT's LEP Guidance distinguishes oral language services ("interpretation") from written language services ("translation"), so UTA will follow these definitions when looking at language assistance.

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A) CURRENT LANGUAGE ASSISTANCE RESOURCES

- UTA employs several bilingual Customer Service Representatives and Paratransit Scheduling Specialists who work various shifts. Agents are able to transfer calls to the representative or a contracted translation service with the needed language skills. The specific languages and scheduled availability changes with the turnover of staff. UTA actively seeks to hire more bilingual Customer Service and Paratransit Scheduling staff.
- Since many of our employees have valuable language skills, a UTA Language Bank was created. This is a list of employees who are proficient in languages besides
 English and can be a resource when dealing with customers. A voluntary survey was administered to employees to gather the data. The list of employees, which notes the ability to speak, read, and write the language, will be maintained by the Title VI Compliance Officer and distributed to all managers and supervisors, and those departments most likely to need ad hoc language interpretation and translation services.
- Whenever UTA advertises public hearings, the notices include a statement saying that printed materials in alternate formats or a language interpreter for non-English speaking participants are available when requested at least five (5) working days prior to the date of the scheduled event. Notices are also posted on the State of Utah public notices website (<u>http://pmn.utah.gov</u>), which has a translation option that includes 35 languages.
- UTA created a "how to" video in Spanish for UTA's Ticket Vending Machines. The English version is the top viewed video produced by UTA with 61k views and the Spanish version is the 15th most viewed video with 5.7k views.
- UTA's website has a button at the top of its home page and in the navigation bar which says "Español", and the user can get a Spanish translation of anything on the site.
- Ticket vending machines at TRAX and FrontRunner stations have instructions in English and Spanish.
- Universal symbol pictures are on signs in buses, TRAX vehicles, and at stations showing safety warnings and rules for riding.
- Spanish instructions are on many buses, trains, and amenities (such as instructions for standing behind the yellow line, how to signal the operator for a stop, surrendering certain seats for passengers with disabilities, and location of emergency exits).
- UTA established an ongoing contract for telephone interpreting services. Information on how to use the service was distributed to all managers, supervisors, and Office Coordinators, and to all Customer Service employees. Training is provided for Customer Service employees on how and when to use the service.
- UTA has also established a contract with a community organization, the Refugee and Immigrant Center, for in-person interpreters.
- UTA utilizes professional document translation services consistently to ensure that the messages being conveyed to the public are correctly translated.



LANGUAGE ASSISTANCE IMPLEMENTATION PLAN

To evaluate possible improvements or alter the mix of language assistance services that UTA provides, resources that could be used for providing LEP assistance were reviewed. This included determining the cost of a professional interpreting and translation service, identifying which documents would be designated as "vital" for translation, taking an inventory of community organizations that UTA could partner with for outreach and translation efforts, and the amount of staff training needed and feasible.

The following sections outline the goals and processes UTA will follow to make improvements to the language assistance programs. Where resources are not available to implement all desired programs, ideas will be prioritized by importance and cost effectiveness by UTA's top management, with recommendations from the Civil Rights department and from community organizations UTA has partnered with.

TASK 1: IDENTIFYING LEP INDIVIDUALS REQUIRING LANGUAGE ASSISTANCE

The four factor analysis, in section III of this plan, shows the percentages and estimates of the number of people in the LEP population in UTA's service area.

UTA will continue to maintain maps which show census block groups where higher than average concentrations of LEP persons reside. These maps will be updated when new census data becomes available.

There are also several measures that can be taken to identify individuals who may need language assistance:

- When open houses or public meetings are held, a sign-in table is set up with a staff member there to greet and briefly speak to each attendee. This conversation will allow the employee to informally gauge the attendee's ability to speak and understand English. If an interpreter of that language is available, the LEP person will be directed to speak with the interpreter. If no one is available, the employee can give the LEP person a card with information on where interpretation services can be obtained.
- Notices of open houses and public meetings will contain an explanation that language assistance for LEP persons is available upon request, along with a contact name and phone number.
- Employees at public events could utilize the telephone interpreting service for help dealing with LEP persons at the meeting. If requests are made ahead of time, in-person interpreters will be made available.
- Customers who come in to UTA offices or contact UTA by phone will be greeted by an employee familiar with how to connect them with appropriate interpreting services, either with a UTA employee or through an interpreting service.
- An automated Customer Service telephone menu system can answer many schedule questions in Spanish. Those needing more assistance can be connected to a Customer Service Representative.

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TASK 2: LANGUAGE ASSISTANCE MEASURES

There are numerous language assistance measures available to LEP persons, including oral and written language services. UTA staff will respond to LEP persons in the most efficient and cost-effective way available, whether by telephone or in writing.

This section lists the ways in which language assistance will be provided.

UTA STANDARD:

Due to the wide gap between the number of Spanish LEP speakers and all the other language groups, UTA will routinely make vital document translations available in Spanish. Other languages will be added to this translation list if the proportion exceeds 4% LEP speakers in the UTA service area, as based on demographic data. Vital documents in other languages will be made available upon request or through use of the telephone interpreting service to have a document read to the LEP person. As shown in the table of interpreting services provided during the previous three years, UTA provides interpretation service in any language needed, even if UTA employees are unable to provide them internally.

A) WRITTEN TRANSLATION OF VITAL DOCUMENTS

"<u>Vital documents</u>" are defined as those documents without which a person would be unable to access transit services. If interactions with the public include letters, notices, or forms, and the nature of these documents would be considered of critical importance to LEP persons, consideration shall be given to written translation of the documents or forms. The Civil Rights department of UTA can be a resource in helping define what is and is not considered a vital document.

A vital document may include, but is not limited to:

- Applications
- Consent Forms
- Letters containing important information regarding participation in a UTA program or service
- Notices pertaining to the reduction, denial, or termination of service or benefits
- Notices or letters that require a response from the beneficiary
- Notices advising LEP persons of the availability of free language assistance
- Any future documents or outreach materials that are deemed to be a vital document

Whether or not a document (or the information it solicits) is "vital" will depend on the importance of the program, information, encounter, or service involved, and the consequence to the LEP person if the information in question is not accurate or timely disseminated.

Sometimes a very large document may include both vital and non-vital information. This may also be the case when the document title and a phone number for obtaining more information on the contents of the document in languages other than English is critical, but the document is sent out to the general public and cannot reasonably be translated into many languages. In a case like this, vital information may include, for instance, providing

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information in appropriate languages regarding where an LEP person might obtain an interpretation or translation of the document.

B) SIGNAGE

Point to your language

UTA's Title VI Compliance Officer will work with the departments involved to determine what signage on vehicles or at transit stops and stations require translation. Heavy emphasis will be placed on using universal images or pictorial representations that can be understood without language on signage whenever possible.

UTA public buildings frequented by customers will be evaluated to determine the feasibility of posting signage or notices in the most commonly spoken languages stating that interpreters are available, and the phone number to reach UTA Customer Service to get that assistance.

C) PROVIDING ORAL LANGUAGE ASSISTANCE



UTA will not pass on to our customers the cost of providing language assistance to meet our LEP requirements. UTA will provide competent interpreters in a timely manner. The following are ideas that UTA has evaluated and will implement as resources become available to add to our current language assistance offerings.

- UTA will partner with local human service organizations that provide services to LEP individuals and seek opportunities to provide information on UTA programs and services.
- Charts are available at many locations throughout our system (pictured to the left) that a person speaking a language other than English can point to the language they speak and UTA staff can call into our interpreter service to effectively communicate with LEP persons.
- UTA will post the UTA Title VI Compliance Policy and our Title VI Program on the agency website, *rideuta.com.*
- UTA will take reasonable steps to hire personnel with specific language skills. This may include using terminology similar to "second language skills preferred" on job announcements and ads, and giving extra credit for these skills during the selection process.
- During the evaluation process for people with disabilities at the UTA Evaluation Center, which UTA requires to qualify for Paratransit service, many LEP customers prefer to bring their own interpreter to appointments. The evaluation gathers detailed and personal information about the extent of the customer's physical and mental limitations and functional

abilities. UTA will continue to ask LEP customers to bring their own interpreter to these evaluation appointments. If a customer does not know someone who can interpret, UTA will provide a qualified interpreter at no cost to the applicant.

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• "I Speak" charts which list various languages and let LEP persons point to identify their language. "Interpreter" cards which can be distributed to customers. The card states "Interpreter" in the nine most commonly used languages in the area, and gives the UTA Customer Service phone number (below).



FAMILY, FRIENDS AND BYSTANDERS: Surveys with UTA Bus Operators have indicated that most of the time another person is present on the vehicle who can assist in interpreting the language for LEP customers. UTA personnel should only use family, friends or bystanders for interpreting in informal, non-confrontational contexts, and only to obtain basic information at the request of the LEP customers. Using family, friends or bystanders to interpret could result in a breach of confidentiality, a conflict of interest, or an inadequate interpretation. Barring a difficult circumstance, UTA personnel should not use minor children to interpret.

DIFFICULT CIRCUMSTANCES: UTA personnel are expected to follow the general procedures outlined in this Plan; however, difficult circumstances may require some deviations. In such situations, employees are to use the most reliable, temporary interpreter available, such as bilingual UTA personnel or a bystander. In an emergency, employees should ensure that everyone follows applicable evacuation or other procedures, and should be on the lookout for anyone who may not understand verbal instructions in English.

D) ENSURING THE COMPETENCY OF INTERPRETERS AND TRANSLATORS

UTA will verify the competency of people who may act as interpreters and translators as much as possible.

- UTA will rely on professional interpreting services whenever appropriate. UTA will not pass the cost of these translation services on to any customer.
- UTA will only use an interpreter or translator that is not from a professional service if they can demonstrate the ability to communicate or translate information accurately in both English and the target language.
- UTA will instruct the interpreter or translator not to deviate into a role as counselor, legal advisor, or any other role aside from interpreter or translator. Interpreters working for UTA must restate the UTA representative's words in the target language and also translate replies in English for the representative, without adding any comments or asking any questions of their own.
- UTA will ask interpreters or translators to attest that they do not have a conflict of interest on the issues for which they would be providing interpretation services.

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TASK 3: TRAINING STAFF

A part of ensuring meaningful access for LEP persons, UTA employees need to know their obligations under Title VI, and all employees in positions with regular public contact should be properly trained.

UTA will provide training to ensure that:

- Employees having contact with the public know about LEP policies and procedures.
- Employees having contact with the public are trained to work effectively with in-person and telephone interpreters.

UTA employees that are likely to come into frequent contact with LEP persons include:

- Customer Service Representatives and Telephone Information Specialists
- Paratransit Reservation agents
- Transit Police
- Bus Operators (Train Operators will be trained as resources allow, since they do not have much public contact.)
- Train Hosts

LEP TRAINING PLAN

Training will be conducted for all new employees, as identified above, will be combined with existing new training sessions that might be scheduled. LEP training shall include the following information.

- 1. A summary of the UTA's obligations and responsibilities to LEP persons under the DOT LEP Guidance;
- 2. A summary of UTA's language assistance plan and procedures;
- **3.** A description of the types of language assistance that UTA is currently providing and instructions on how agency staff can access these products and services.

TASK 4: PROVIDING NOTICE TO LEP PERSONS

It is important to let LEP persons know what language services UTA provides and that those services are available free of charge. Notification ideas that UTA will use include:

- Having cards to distribute which state "Interpreter" in the nine most commonly used languages in the area, and lists the UTA Customer Service phone number to get that assistance.
- Stating in outreach documents (brochures, booklets, pamphlets, and flyers) that language services are available free of charge, and giving the phone number where those services can be obtained.
- Working with community-based organizations to inform LEP persons of the language assistance available.

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• Presentations and/or notices at schools and religious organizations serving many non-English speakers, letting them know of important actions or where community involvement is critical.

EXISTING PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS AND COMMUNITY OUTREACH

UTA typically communicates to the public through the following methods:

- Announcements and handouts available in vehicles and at stations
- UTA website and social media sites
- Customer service phone lines
- Press releases
- Newspaper, radio, and television advertisements
- Announcements and community meetings
- Information tables at local events

Some of these communication tools are geared towards riders who are using the system, while other methods are intended to reach members of the public at large, who may or may not use the transit system. Both methods can be used to inform people of the availability of language assistance.

TARGETED OUTREACH TO LEP POPULATIONS

Targeted community outreach can consist of meeting with agencies that serve LEP populations and attending community meetings and events to inform people of the agency's service in general and that language assistance is available.

UTA will seek to partner with its existing community contacts and other agencies that are seen as credible and trusted to notify the LEP population of the availability of language services.

Notification can also be distributed through programs used by LEP persons, such as English classes for speakers of other languages.

TASK 5: MONITORING AND UPDATING THE LEP PLAN

UTA will determine, on an ongoing basis, whether new documents, programs, services, and activities need to be made accessible for LEP individuals, and how we might want to provide notice of any changes in services to the LEP public and to employees. UTA will also consider whether changes in demographics, types of services, or other needs require more frequent reevaluation of the LEP plan.

Evaluation of this LEP plan will help track UTA's outreach efforts, discover dissemination problems, make corrections, and find out whether language services provided have impacted UTA ridership and/or relations with local immigrant and other LEP communities. The results

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of this monitoring will help improve future efforts, as the LEP plan is meant to be an evolving document which will be updated as needed.

UTA has appointed a compliance officer to evaluate and monitor LEP services offered by UTA in conjunction with the relevant business units within UTA. The responsibilities of the Title VI Compliance Officer shall include reporting to the agency regarding the activities noted below.

- Periodically review demographic data regarding LEP service to evaluate emerging LEP populations
- Work with UTA departments to identify and address deficiencies in LEP services that may compromise meaningful access by LEP individuals to the programs administered by UTA
- Review suggestions for improvement to LEP service and determine whether implementation is practical, economical and consistent with the mission of the authority
- Monitor the implementation of reasonable improvements
- Prioritize those suggestions which cannot be implemented at a nominal cost to the authority. Consideration should be given to the number or proportion of LEP individuals who will benefit from the suggested improvement, the cost to the authority, and whether the change can be implemented in a manner consistent with, and without unduly burdening, the fundamental mission of the authority



LEP MAPS



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ATTACHMENT H – RIDERSHIP SURVEY

UTA 😂 UTA 2015 On-Board Transit Survey

Dir: N S E W Time: am/pm Interviewer: (for office use only) Route Code: Serial # Please take a few moments to help plan for your transit needs by filling out this survey All personal information will be kept strictly confidential and WILL NOT be shared or sold. What is your HOME ADDRESS? (please be specific, ex: 123 W. Main St): (If you are visiting the Salt Lake City area, please list the hotel name or address where you are staying) Street Address City State Zip Code COMING FROM? GOING TO? 1. What type of place are you 5. What type of place are you COMING FROM NOW? **GOING TO NOW?** (the ending place for your one-way trip) (the starting place for your one-way trip) Work College / University (students only) College / University (students only) School K-12 (students only) Medical Service / Hospital (non-work) School K-12 (students only) Medical Service / Hospital (non-work) Shopping Recreation / Sightseeing / Restaurant Shopping Recreation / Sightseeing / Restaurant Social Visit / Church / Personal Airport (passengers only) Social Visit / Church / Personal Airport (passengers only) Your HOME → Go to Question #4 Your HOME → Go to Question #8 Other: Other: 2. What is the NAME of the place you are 6. What is the **NAME** of the place you are coming from now? going to now? 3. What is the EXACT ADDRESS of this 7. What is the EXACT ADDRESS of this place? (OR Intersection if you do not know the place? (OR Intersection if you do not know the exact address:) exact address:) City: State: Zip: City: _ State: Zip: 4. How did you GET FROM the place in 8. How will you GET TO your destination Questions #1-3 TO THE VERY FIRST bus (Qs #5-7) after you get off the LAST bus or train you used for this one-way trip? or train you will use for this one-way trip? O Walk O Walk O Bike O Bike O Wheelchair O Wheelchair Was dropped off by someone (answer 4a) Be picked up by someone (answer 8a) O Drove alone and parked (answer 4a) Get in a parked vehicle & drive alone (answer 8a) Drove or rode with others and parked (answer 4a) Get in a parked vehicle & drive/ride w/others (answer 8a) O Taxi (answer 4a) Taxi (answer 8a) Uber, Lyft, etc. (answer 4a) Uber, Lyft, etc. (answer 8a) 4a. Where did you board the FIRST bus / train 8a. Where will you get off the LAST bus / you used for this one-way trip? train you are using for this one-way trip? (Nearest intersection / Park-n-Ride lot): (Nearest intersection / Park-n-Ride lot): 9. Did you transfer FROM another bus or train <u>BEFORE</u> getting on this bus? O Yes O No 10. Where did you GET ON THIS bus? Please provide the nearest intersection / station name / Park-n-Ride lot: 11. Where will you GET OFF THIS bus? Please provide the nearest intersection / station name / Park-n-Ride lot: 12. Will you transfer TO another bus or train AFTER getting off this bus? O Yes O No 13. Please list the BUS and TRAIN ROUTES in the exact order for this one-way trip. START -END 1st Route 2nd Route 3rd Route 4th Route Continue

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OTHER INFORMATION ABOUT THIS TRIP

1	4. What time did you BOARD <u>this</u> bus?	?	: am / pm (circle one)
14	5. What fare payment methods were us	sed for this one-	way trip? (select all t	hat apply)
	O Paper Monthly Pass O U of U Electronic Pass (Tap On) O Senior/Disabled Reduced Fare O Medicaid Punch Card	O One-Way/Ro O Other Electro O Day/Group P O Free Fare Zo	onic Fare Payment (Tap 'ass	,
1	6. Will you (or did you) make this sam today? ONo OYes - At what time did/			
1	7. How often do you ride UTA? O 7 da O 4 days per week O 3 da O Less than once per week O First	vs per week	O 6 days per week O 2 days per week	O 5 days per week O 1 day per week
1	8. Did you have another option to mak O Yes- I could have driven, carpooled			UTA or walking was my only option

ABOUT YOU AND YOUR HOUSEHOLD

19. How many vehicles (cars, trucks, o	r motorcycles) are available to y	vour household? vehicles					
19a. [If #19 is more than NONE] Could you have used one of these vehicles for this trip? O Yes O No							
19b. [If #19 is NONE] Are you planr	ning to buy a car as soon as you	are able? O Yes O No					
20. Including YOU, how many people <u>I</u>	ive in your household?	people					
21. Including YOU, how many people (over age 15) in your household	are employed full/part-time? people					
22. What is your employment status?	check the one response that BES	T describes you)					
O Employed full-time O Homemaker	O Employed part-time O Retired	O Self-Employed (full or part-time) O Not currently employed					
23. What is your student status? (chec	k the one response that BEST des	cribes you)					
O Not a student O Yes – other		ge/university O Yes – K - 12 th grade					
24. Do you have a disability that limits	the kinds of transportation you	use? O Yes O No					
25. Do you have a valid driver's license	? OYes ONo						
26. Do you have a smartphone (e.g. iPl	hone, Android / Windows Phone, E	Blackberry, etc.)? O Yes O No					
27. What is your AGE? OUnder 16	0 16-18 O 18-24 O 25-34	O 35-44 O 45-54 O 55-64 O 65+					
28. What is your race / ethnicity? (chec	k all that apply)						
O American Indian / Alaska Native O Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander		n American O Hispanic/Latino					
29. What is your gender? O Female	O Male						
30. Which of the following BEST descr	ibes your TOTAL ANNUAL HOU	SEHOLD INCOME in 2014 before taxes?					
O \$10,000 - \$14,999 O \$25,000 -		4,999 O \$150,000 - \$199,999 9,999 O \$200,000 - \$249,999 149,999 O \$250,000 or above					
31. Do you speak a language other tha	n English at home? O No O	Yes - Which language?					
31a. [If #30 is Yes] How well do you	I speak English? O Very Well	O Well O Less than well O Not at all					

Please provide your contact info in the event that we need to contact you to better understand your answers.
Your Name: Phone Number: ()

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ATTACHMENT I – BOARD RESOLUTION ON TITLE VI PROGRAM

(Placeholder)



ATTACHMENT J – SERVICE AND FARE EQUITY ANALYSES

Included in this section are all of the Service and Fare Equity (SAFE) Analyses conducted during calendar year 2016 through 2018. They include:

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April 10, 2016 Service Changes

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Description of April 2016 Service Changes

The Timpanogos Division proposes eliminating two unproductive routes, the 836 and the 842, and redirecting those resources to routes that will serve more riders.

Timpanogos Division Changes	
Route 836 – Franklin, River Grove, Provo Station	Eliminate route
Route 842 – Orem 800 North, Center St., Orem Station	Eliminate route
Route 821 – South County, Provo Station	Increase frequency
Route 833 – Airport, Provo Station	Increase frequency
Route 834 – Riverwoods, Provo Station	Increase frequency
Route 850 – State Street	Increase peak service

This action will result in many customers receiving improved service and producing an increase in ridership.

Reasons for the Change

Planners noted that routes 836 and 842 had low ridership and they fell outside the Timpanogos service planning office's efficiency measures. Recently UTA's revamped service planning office helped establish service standards that flag routes when their performance falls outside specific performance measures and the routes that failed to meet the Timpanogos standards also failed these new UTA standards.

Ridership - Route elimination / Route increase

Route	Average Boardings per Trip	Average Boardings per Day
836	5	61
842	5	123
821	16	625
833	6	63
834	7	174
850	24	2,138

The number of boardings these service changes will generate is calculated using the average trip load of the improved routes being multiplied by the number of new trips, minus the average existing ridership on the routes being eliminated. Planners estimate the changes will produce 33,469 more boardings, annualized.

IPR (Investment per Rider) for all the affected routes are estimated to go from \$3.00 to \$2.88 and boardings per hour are estimated to go from 17.99 to 18.74.

What alternatives were considered?

- Doing nothing
- Delaying service changes until August 2016
- Moving ahead with the planned changes.

Various approaches taken over the last few years to support these routes include the following.

Changes to Route 836 – Provo West side, Franklin/Dixon, Provo FrontRunner Station

- Aug 2015 Minor Schedule adjustments
- Aug 2014 Routing changed and schedule adjusted to 60/90 minute frequency.
- Aug 2013 Alignment changed due to Rt 830 alignment change. Route and schedule adjusted for reliability and with some select trips reduced. 830 is a more direct alignment to match upcoming BRT alignment. So 833 and 836 alignments changed to cover old 830 alignment. 836 alignment extended to cover Provo College.
- Dec 2012- New circulator route in west Provo to make one-way clockwise loops to collect and distribute customers from the neighborhoods to the commuter rail station.

Changes to Route 842 - Orem Center / 800 North

- Aug 2013 Schedule adjusted for reliability with some reduction on select trips.
- Apr 2013 Schedule adjusted to better meet trains.
- Dec 2012 New service serves Orem Central station to Riverwoods via Geneva Road, 800 North, and Orem Center Street

The changes made have still resulted in low ridership on the routes.

<u>Title VI Impact Analysis</u>

For this analysis, the minority and low-income population within a ¹/₄ mile buffer of the affected routes was calculated.

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Affected Routes	Type of Change	Total Population	Minority Population	% Minority	Low-Income Population	% Low-income	
836	Route elimination	13,296	1,871	14.07%	4,044	30.40%	
842	Route elimination	13,064	1,932	14.79%	2,366	18.11%	
821	Additional trips	23,495	2,225	9.47%	2,868	12.21%	
833	Additional trips	10,542	2,027	19.23%	2,814	26.69%	
834	Additional trips	16,490	2,186	13.26%	7,050	42.75%	
850	Additional trips	45,071	5,379	11.93%	9,156	20.3%	
Total population		121,958	15,620	12.81%	28,298	23.2%	
Total population - eliminations		26,360	3,803	14.43%	6,410	24.3%	
Total population - additions		95,598	11,817	12.36%	21,888	22.9%	

Affected Routes – Negative Impacts / Positive Impacts

Regional Population Data

Total Service	Total Minority	%	Total	Total Low-Income	% Low-Income
Area Population	Population	Minority	Households	Households	Households
2,192,127	629,642	21%	664,137	142,512	21%

Conclusion

In comparing the demographics for the Timpanogos service change to the regional population for UTA's service area, the minority percentage for the Timpanogos routes being eliminated is 14.4%. The minority percentage for the routes receiving added trips is 12.4%. Both of these percentages are well below the regional minority average of 21%. Also, both percentages are within the 5% threshold that UTA has set to determine disparate impact on minority populations <u>Therefore, making the planned changes does NOT have a disparate impact on minority populations.</u>

The low-income percentage for the routes being eliminated is 24.3%. The low-income percentage for the routes receiving added trips is 22.9%. Both of these percentages are above the regional low-income average of 21%, so all of these routes serve low-income areas. However, both route eliminations and route additions are within the 5% threshold that UTA has set to determine disproportionate burden on low-income populations. <u>Therefore,</u> <u>making the planned changes does NOT have a disproportionate burden on low-income populations.</u>

Minority PopulationTitle VI Maps



The Black lines are being removed to add to the Gold and Green lines

Poverty PopulationTitle VI Maps



The Black lines are being removed to add to the Gold and Green lines



TITLE VI SERVICE EQUITY ANALYSIS AUGUST CHANGE DAY 2016

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The Federal Transit Administration (FTA) issued Circular 4702.1B in 2012, which defines Title VI and Environmental Justice compliance procedures for recipients of FTA-administered transit program funds. Specifically, the FTA requires recipients, including Utah Transit Authority, to "evaluate significant system-wide service changes and proposed improvements at the planning and programming stages to determine whether those changes have a discriminatory impact."

The entire Title VI report for the Utah Transit Authority service changes concept plan is available online.

Definitions:

Minority: The FTA defines a minority person as one who self-identifies as American Indian/Alaska Native, Asian, Black or African American, Hispanic or Latino, and/or Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander. Minority percentages in the Utah Counties Area are mapped in (See attached charts).

Low Income: The FTA defines a low-income individual as one whose household income is at or below the poverty guidelines set by US Census Bureau 2010-2014 American Community Survey (ACS). Thresholds are based on household size and income, which form the basis of this review. Low-income percentages in the Utah Counties Area are mapped in (See attached charts).

Disparate Impact: The Federal Transit Administration defines "disparate impacts" as neutral policies or practices that have the effect of disproportionately excluding or adversely affecting members of a group protected under Title VI, and the recipient's policy or practice lacks a substantial legitimate justification. If the results of the analysis indicate a potential for disparate impacts, further investigation is performed. This report uses qualitative assessments and/or the "four-fifths rule" to determine whether disparate impacts exist. In this analysis, if the quantitative results indicate the proposed service changes provide benefits to minority/low-income groups at a rate less than 80 percent of the benefits provided to non-minority/non-low-income groups, there could be evidence of disparate impacts and mitigation measures should be identified.

On Sunday, August 14, select rail and bus schedules will be changed to adjust connections, better utilize resources and, in some cases, implement Prop 1 improvements. Four routes in Davis and Weber counties will see improvements using Prop 1 funds, and Prop 1 funding will facilitate the addition of a new route in Davis County.

Davis and Weber Service Highlights

Routes 455 and 473 will have additional trips added to their schedules using Prop 1 funds. On route 640, Prop 1 funds will be used to expand Saturday service hours and increase bus frequency to every 30 minutes. Route 667, which runs from Farmington FrontRunner Station to Lagoon, will operate year-round Monday through Saturday to improve access to FrontRunner, Station Park shopping and the new University of Utah hospital.

Additions	Additions to Service									
	Total	Minority			Low-Income	Low-Income				
Route	Population	Population	Minority %	Households	Household	Household %				
						30.4%				
455	69,651	14,892	21.4%	26,199	7,952					
						29.5%				
473	63,993	14,963	23.4%	24,457	8,203					
						33.5%				
640	36,005	9,166	25.5%	12,393	3,511					
						38.6%				
667	2,113	104	4.9%	636	57					
						38.6%				
628	10,018	2,790	27.8%	3,797	1,464					

The chart listed above shows Routes 455, 473 and 640 are highly populated minority and low-income areas which have increased service and frequency. Route 667 has an increase to service and is highly populated in the low-income area. Prop 1 improvements will also be used to add a new route between Clearfield and Layton. Route 628, the Midtown Trolley, has been sponsored by local businesses and will be free to riders. This free service will directly benefit minority and low-income populations which are highly populated on this route. Eventually, unique buses with a trolley-style look will be used on the route.

Route 470 and 612 will also see small adjustments for improved reliability and connections. Some weekday trips on route 603 will no longer serve Ogden Clinic. Route 603 serviced on weekdays the Ogden Clinic with one early morning trip heading northbound. The route assisted with layover concerns in the system. The adjustment to this route was made to have a consistent pattern all day long. The route had an average of .08 people board or alight for 2015. The route services the Ogden Clinic on Sundays.

In comparing the demographics for the Davis and Weber county service changes to the total population for UTA's service area, the minority percentage and low-income percentage for all routes increasing service directly benefit these areas. Based on the demographic data in U. S. Census Bureau and 2010-2014 American Community Survey, UTA found the average minority population in the service are is **22%** and average percentage of low-income households is **22%**. All routes with proposed increase of changes were over the average with the exception of route 455 and 667 in the minority category. <u>Therefore, making the planned changes does NOT have a disparate impact on minority or low-income populations.</u>

Salt Lake County Service Highlights

In Salt Lake, many bus routes had schedule adjustments to allow for improved connections and reliability. Routes 2,6, 17, 21, 33, 35, 39, 41 54, 62, 200, 201, 205, 209, 213, 217, 220, 232, 240, 248,320, 354, 509, 516, 519, 525 and 902 will all see minor schedule changes. All adjustments will facilitate in passengers easing connections within the system creating an added benefit for all users. <u>The planned changes do NOT create a disparate impact on minority or low-income populations.</u>

Utah Country Service Highlights

Utah County bus routes will also see small changes, as routes 805, 806, 821, 822 and 840 are adjusted to improve reliability and route 811 is adjusted to make connections with the new TRAX Blue Line schedule. A detour around an Orem WinCo on route 862 has been made permanent. The change allows route 862 to stay within the same block group which serves both minority and low income populations. <u>Therefore, the planned changes do NOT create a disparate impact on minority or low-income populations.</u>

Flex Route Service Highlights

Saturday service will be added to several flex routes in an effort to give flex route riders more travel options. Routes F94, F514, F504, F578, F556 and F618 will have Saturday service with 60 minute frequency between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. The weekday headways for the routes listed above remained the same with the exception of route F504. Route F504 runs clockwise and the counterclockwise loop runs every forty minutes on Saturday instead of sixty minutes. <u>The planned changes do NOT create a disparate impact on minority or low-income</u> <u>populations.</u>

The table below is rounded to the nearest 5 minutes:

			Wee	kday	Saturday		
Route	LineName	DirectionName	APR2016	AUG2016	APR2016	AUG2016	
F504	SOUTH JORDAN FLEX	LOOP-CCW	45	45	-	40	
F504	SOUTH JORDAN FLEX	LOOP-CW AM/PM	30	30	-	-	
F514	300 W FLEX	TO 10000 S TRAX	40	40	-	60	
F514	300 W FLEX	TO DRAP FRTRNR	40	40	-	60	
F556	5600 W FLEX	TO 6200 S	40	40	-	60	
F556	5600 W FLEX	ΤΟ VA	40	40	-	60	
F578	7800 S FLEX	TO 7800 S TRAX	40	40	-	60	
F578	7800 S FLEX	TO JORDN LNDING	40	40	-	60	
F618	OGDEN BDO FLEX	COUNTRCLOCKWISE	30	30	-	60	
F94	SANDY FLEX	TO 9000 S TRAX	30	30	-	60	
F94	SANDY FLEX	TO 9400 PNR	30	30	-	60	

Rail Service Highlights

The weekend schedules of all TRAX lines and the S-line are being adjusted to improve transfers. The Frontrunner schedule will not be changed. <u>The planned changes do NOT create a disparate impact on minority or low-income populations.</u>

<u>Title VI Impact Analysis</u>

For this analysis, the minority and low-income population within a ¼ mile buffer of the affected routes was calculated.

Current Regional Population Data

Total Service	Total Minority	%	Total	Total Low-Income	% Low-Income		
Area Population	Population	Minority	Households	Households	Households		
2,243,347	485.342	21.6%	696,768	147,241	21.1%		

Conclusion

The service populations were reviewed and considered in all services changes for this period including minority and low income as listed above. Overall, none of the service changes increasing service, minor eliminatations or re-routings created any disparate impacts to minority or low-income populations. The majority of service was increased in minority or low-income population areas from April 2016 change day to August 2016 change day. See comparasion chart below:

	APR2016			AUG2016			APR2016			AUG2016		
Route	Weekday	Saturday	Sunday									
33	44	24	8	87	45	35	714	370	132	1,324	655	553
35	53	49	17	32	32	25	897	826	313	564	533	491
39	57	23	7	42	18	7	892	371	109	607	271	108
455	103			133			2,020			2,630		
470	184	139	114	184	138	114	3,490	2,712	2,488	3,490	2,670	2,488
473	31			36			714			933		
628				27	23					381	334	
640	79	30		79	76		1,355	524		1,355	1,377	
667	35	14		11	12		577	226		186	205	
F504	16			16	10		353			353	218	
F514	18			18	8		321			309	162	
F556	16			16	9		289			289	165	
F578	18			18	9		322			322	176	
F618	16			16	9		332			332	160	
F94	18			18	7		293			295	129	
















Title VI Service Equity Analysis

April 2017

Utah Transit Authority Prepared by: Andrew Gray



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Introduction

Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, and national origin in programs and activities receiving federal financial assistance. The Utah Transit Authority has committed to the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Title VI objectives set forth in Circular 4702.1B ensuring that FTA-assisted benefits and related services are made available and are equitably distributed without regard to race, color, or national origin.

The following analysis is of proposed changes to be implemented in April of 2017. These changes are being proposed to improve service delivery. Though the proposed changes are facially neutral, this analysis, in accordance with FTA requirements, will ensure that these changes will not have disproportionate and negative impacts on minority and low-income populations within UTA's service area. If these changes are found to be discriminatory, UTA will take all steps necessary to ensure services are equitable and compliant with federal guidelines and requirements.

Summary of Proposed Changes

Route 477 – Cancellation of Route:

Route 477 connects Center Street in North Salt Lake to The Pioneer Adult Rehabilitation Center (PARC) in Clearfield. The proposed change will eliminate this route due to changes in partner needs, a historic decline in ridership and present low ridership.

The reduction of the mileage of any route in excess of 33% meets the major service change definition and must have a Title VI Analysis performed. This proposed change meets this definition.

Route 667 – Change in Routing and Schedule:

Route 667 is a "Free Fare Shuttle" in Farmington, which loops through the Farmington FrontRunner Station, Lagoon (amusement park) and downtown Farmington. Due to heavy loads in the summer and connection issues with FrontRunner, the proposal is to modify the schedule to provide better transfers to and from Frontrunner and spread passenger loads across trips. In order to accomplish this, there would be a reduction in services. Rather than a bus coming by roughly every 30 minutes from 8:09 am to 8:13 pm, no service will run to downtown Farmington in the AM and PM peak periods, and every 60 minutes during the mid-day. Any changes proposing a change in alignment of 25% or greater meet the major service change definition and must have a Title VI analysis performed. This proposed change meets this definition.

UTA Policy and Definitions

UTA has developed corporate policy 1.1.28 Title VI Compliance Policy to evaluate the impacts of proposed major services changes on minority and low-income populations. The following policy references refer to subsections of the aforementioned corporate policy and were created to ensure that all equity analyses are performed using the same parameters.

Definitions

- A. "Disparate Impact" refers to a facially neutral policy or practice that disproportionately affects members of a group identified by race, color, or national origin, where the recipient's policy or practice lacks a substantial legitimate justification and where there exists one or more alternatives that would serve the same legitimate objectives but with less disproportionate effect on the basis of race, color, or national origin.
- *B. "Disproportionate Burden"* refers to a neutral policy or practice that disproportionately affects low-income populations more than non-low-income populations.
- *C. "Low-income Population"* refers to any readily identifiable group of low-income persons who live in geographic proximity, and, if circumstances warrant, geographically dispersed/ transient persons (such as migrant workers or Native Americans) who will be similarly affected by a proposed FTA program, policy or activity.
- D. "Minority Person" include the following:
 - 1. American Indian or Alaska Native, which refers to people having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America), and who maintain tribal affiliation or community attachment.
 - Asian, which refers to people having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent, including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.
 - 3. Black or African American, which refers to people having origins in any of the Black racial groups of Africa.
 - 4. Hispanic or Latino, which includes persons of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.

- 5. Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander, which refers to people having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.
- *E.* "*Minority Population*" means any readily identifiable group of minority persons who live in geographic proximity.
- *F.* "*National Origin*" means the particular nation in which a person was born, or where the person's parents or ancestors were born.
- *G. "System Average"* The system average is the averages of minorities and low-income persons within the total populous of the geographic regions that UTA serves. The present system averages are expressed below in tabular format using 2011-2015 5-year population estimates provided by American Community Survey (ACS) data.

Low-Income System Average:	
Number of Households: 703,314	
Low-Income Households:	144,649
Percent Low-income: 20.6%	

Minority System Average:	
Population:	2,273,056
Minority Population:	499,458
Percent Minority:	21.97%

Major Service Change

UTA will consider the following types of changes to be "major changes", which require public input and a Title VI equity analysis in compliance with FTA's Circular 4702.1B

- a) The Addition of Service;
- b) A proposed service level reduction in miles, hours, or trips of thirty three percent (33%) or more of any route;
- c) The elimination of all service during a time period (peak, midday, evening, Saturday, or Sunday);
- d) A proposed twenty-five (25%) or greater change in route alignment;
- e) A proposed fare change.

Evaluation and Analysis of Service and Fare Changes

- 1. UTA will analyze proposed major changes to service and any proposed fare changes in accordance with FTA's Circular C 4702.1B as amended.
- 2. UTA will evaluate the impacts of all major service changes cumulatively when there is more than one route being affected for a service change period
- UTA will primarily utilize American Community Survey (ACS) Data, block group data and/ or ridership data to evaluate and analyze any proposed major service and fare changes. This data will be analyzed with Geographic Information System (GIS) software.

4. UTA will rely on population data and use the smallest geographic area that reasonably has access to the stop or station effected by the proposed major service change. This will be translated into a one-quarter mile radius to a bus stop, one-half mile to a light rail station and three miles to a commuter rail station.

Disparate Impact and Disproportionate Burden

- UTA will measure the burdens of service and fare changes on minority riders to determine when minority riders are bearing a disparate impact from the change between the existing service or fare and the proposed service or fare.
- 2. UTA will measure the burdens of service and fare changes on low-income riders to determine when low-income riders are bearing a disproportionate burden of the change between the existing service or fare and the proposed service or fare.
- 3. A threshold of 5% will be used to determine disparate impact on minority populations and disproportionate burden on low-income populations. This 5% is based on the margin of error from the US Census data that UTA uses to determine the populations in the service area. This means that if the burden of the service or fare change on minority or low-income populations is more than 5% worse than it is for the non-protected populations, then the change will be considered either a disparate impact or a disproportionate burden.

Finding a Disparate Impact

- At the conclusion of UTA's Analysis, if UTA finds a disparate impact on the basis of race, color, or national origin, UTA shall seek to modify the proposed changes in a way that will mitigate the adverse effects that are disproportionately borne by minorities. Modifications made to the proposed changes must be reanalyzed in order to determine whether the modifications actually removed the potential disparate impacts.
- 2. If UTA chooses not to alter the proposed services changes despite the potential disparate impact on minority populations, or if UTA finds, even after the revisions, that minority riders will continue to bear a disproportionate share of the proposed service or fare change, UTA may implement the change only if:
 - a. UTA has substantial legitimate justification for the proposed change; and
 - b. UTA can show that there are no alternatives that would have a less disparate impact on the minority riders but would still accomplish the transit provider's legitimate program goals. In order to show this, UTA must consider and analyze alternatives to determine whether those alternatives would have less of a

disparate impact on the basis of race, color, or national origin, and then implement the least discriminatory alternative

Finding a Disproportionate Burden

If at the conclusion of the analysis, UTA finds that low-income populations will bear a disproportionate burden of the proposed major service change, UTA will take steps to avoid, minimize, or mitigate impacts where practicable. UTA will also describe alternatives available to low-income passengers affected by the service changes.

Proposed Changes

<u>Route 477</u>



Route 477 makes two trips every weekday and does not run weekend service. The first trip departs from Center & Orchard Dr. in North Salt Lake at 7:55 AM and concludes at PARC Center at 9:02 AM. The second trip departs from PARC Center at 3:05 pm and concludes at Center & Orchard Dr. at 4:04 PM.

The original intent of route 477 was to provide service to those who participate in Pioneer Adult Rehabilitation Center (PARC). PARC provides services to people with disabilities along the Wasatch Front. Route 477 was created when Davis County school buses stopped providing transportation. When Davis County discontinued its service, the paratransit services at the time did not have capacity to accommodate the number of riders needing transportation, which prompted a fixed-route solution. This is why route 477 only runs once in the morning heading north to PARC and once south from PARC in the evening with no weekend service.

Since the formation of the route, roughly half of the participants at PARC have transferred to paratransit and ridership has declined. The average ridership for calendar year 2016 is 30 per day compared to 46 when the route was first created in August of 2005. See the line graph below for a month-by-month breakdown of route utilization over an 11 year period.



At the request of PARC, a meeting was held between UTA and PARC on October 24, 2016 to discuss public transit options for those who were participating in their services. Through this discussion it was determined that riders who use route 477 to get to PARC may be best served through paratransit services rather than the fixed-route services. UTA and PARC reviewed participant ridership and determined all present riders would be eligible for paratransit. UTA and PARC proceeded to conduct a public outreach campaign to gather input from riders and relevant caretakers as to whether paratransit would more adequately address the needs of 477 riders. PARC took responsibility to ensure that all effected participants were informed of the change and assisted with the paratransit eligibility process.

Public Outreach

The public comment period for this change was from January 5 to February 5 of 2017. Notice was listed on UTA's website, Utah.gov, the Ogden Standard Examiner and the Davis County Clipper, both local newspaper. Comments were accepted via mail, email, at the public hearing and by phone. The public hearing was held on January 19th, 2017. It was publicized by and held at the PARC facility. Seven people attended this meeting and there was no opposition to the proposed changes. One respondent was somewhat supportive, but offered alternative proposals. This information was provided to planning for consideration.

In addition to the public hearing and public comment period, all known riders' care providers were identified and directly contacted by UTA's Special Services Business Unit.

<u>Route 667</u>



Route 667 is a free fare shuttle from the Farmington FrontRunner station, Station Park shopping complex, Lagoon amusement park, The Hampton Inn, and downtown Farmington in a figure 8 loop. The purpose of this route is to connect riders to recreational facilities from easily accessible locations. To better accomplish this purpose, UTA has proposed to modify the schedule to provide better transfers to and from FrontRunner and to spread passenger loads across route 667 trips. The proposed changes would eliminate service to downtown Farmington in the AM and PM peak periods, and every 60 minutes during the mid-day.

This route's fare is a sponsored fare, meaning that the individual riders are not required to pay fare to ride. The sponsorship is led by Farmington City who seeks partners who benefit from the shuttle and to contribute a portion of the costs.

The table below shows the stops on Route 667 that have a proposal to decrease the headways and fall out the downtown Farmington Loop. The time frame for both tables' average boardings

are calculated using the data from June 2016 through August 2016. This time frame was selected because it is the time frame when the route is used most and would have the most impact on riders and little data exists for off-season running since it had not run off season trips until after August 2016.

Name of Stop <i>Decreasing</i> Frequency	Average Weekday Boardings	Average Saturday Boardings
105001 MAIN ST 479 N	0.00	0.00
105003 MAIN ST 305 N	0.00	0.00
106001 STATE ST 398 W	0.00	0.00
107064 STATE ST 108 W	0.00	0.00
107065 STATE ST 220 W	0.00	0.00
301012 STATE ST 45 E	0.33	1.00
301333 600 N 111 W	0.14	0.00
301410 PARK LN 331 W	0.48	0.91

The following table shows those stops that fall on the Lagoon, FrontRunner and Park Station loop and will have proposed increased headways.

Name of Stop <i>Increasing</i> Frequency	Average Weekday Boardings	Average Saturday Boardings
105021 LAGOON DR 375 N	97.31	169.45
106007 100 N 873 W	0.00	1.56
106008 STATE ST 720 W	0.04	0.22
301055 450 N 850 W	266.98	542.00
301056 850 W 450 N	12.14	26.73
301313 PARK LN 189 N	0.00	0.00
301422 UNION AVE 184 N	2.00	0.00
301423 UNION AVE 185 N	0.81	0.89

According to the route 667 bus stop level ridership information above, Lagoon is the largest market draw on the route and there is very little ridership on Main Street in downtown Farmington. In addition, there is large growth potential at the Station Park and University of Utah hospital stations. The proposed schedule changes aim to improve the transit experience for the biggest markets and increase connectivity timing to the FrontRunner schedule, while still providing some level of service to downtown Farmington.

Even with shortening the route on selected trips throughout the day, the 667 still can't meet every train perfectly. The revised schedule is based on observed travel patterns and available ridership data.

Public Outreach

The public comment period for this change was from January 5 to February 5 of 2017. Notice was listed on UTA's website, Utah.gov, the Ogden Standard Examiner and the Davis County Clipper, both local newspaper. The public hearing was held on January 19th, 2017. Comments were accepted via mail, email, at the public hearing, phone and Open UTA which is an online forum for discussion. The public outreach hearing was held January 26th, 2017 at the Farmington City Hall. In addition to this, there was direct contact with Farmington City, Station Park, Lagoon, Hampton Inn and the University Medical Center in the region.

Response from Farmington City and local businesses were all positive and 50% of community members were in support of the changes. 50% of community responses were opposed. The three respondents in opposition to the changes expressed concern regarding access to Lagoon and downtown Farmington locations during peak times. Alternative routes, specifically routes 455 and 470, are able to provide transportation to the specified locations. One respondent suggested running a second route to downtown or having the 667 resume a more frequent downtown schedule during Lagoon's off-season. UTA Planning is considering both options for future proposed changes.

Analysis of Proposed Changes

UTA is required to analyze the potential impacts of any major service change as it relates to Low-income populations and minority populations. Pursuant to this requirement, UTA has created the following maps, tables and related data. The data in this section was compiled utilizing American Community Survey (ACS) 2011-2015 5-year estimates, which was dispersed into census blocks, in lieu of the larger block groups. This was done in order to use the smallest geographic area possible for the analysis. The distribution was dictated by population ratios from 2010 Census Data. Analysis was done based on the stops of the route. All stops have had a one quarter mile radius applied to them based on the actual accessibility of the route by road. Any census block that is overlapped by this "walkability radius" has its population included as those effected by the proposed changes. These aggregated numbers are compiled as a comparison group to the service area average to determine disparate impact and disproportionate burden.

The maps in this section will show the route, individual stops with a walkability radius, and census blocks with concentrations of low-income households or minority individuals above the system average, which are shaded according to density.

Route 477 Low-Income Analysis



The total effected population by the proposed elimination compared to the system average are shown below in tabular format below.

Low-Income System Average:	
Number of Households:	703,314
Low-Income Households:	144,649
Percent Low-income:	20.6%

Route 477:	
Number of Households:	8,904
Low-Income Households:	2,175
Percent Low-income:	24.4% (+3.8%)

As expressed in the table above, the total low-income households negatively impacted by this elimination is 3.8% greater than the system average. This is still below the 5% threshold.

Minority Analysis



The total effected population by the proposed elimination compared to the system average are shown below in tabular format below.

Minority System Average:	
Population:	2,273,056
Minority Population:	499,458
Percent Minority:	21.97%

Route 477:	
Population:	25,202
Minority Population:	4,032
Percent Minority:	19.1% (-2.87%)

As expressed in the table above, the low-income households negatively impacted by this elimination is 2.87% below the system average.

<u>Route 667</u>

Low-Income Analysis



The total effected population by the proposed elimination compared to the system average are shown below in tabular format below.

Low-Income System Average:	
Number of Households: 703,314	
Low-Income Households:	144,649
Percent Low-income: 20.6%	

Route 667:	
Number of Households:	717
Low-Income Households:	69
Percent Low-income:	9.6% (-11%)

As expressed in the table above, the total low-income households negatively impacted by this elimination is 11% below the system average.

Minority Analysis



The total effected population by the proposed elimination compared to the system average are shown below in tabular format below.

Minority System Average:	
Population:	2,273,056
Minority Population:	499,458
Percent Minority:	21.97%

Route 667:	
Population:	3,213
Minority Population:	175
Percent Minority:	5.4% (-16.57%)

As expressed in the table above, the low-income households negatively impacted by this elimination is 16.57% below the system average.

Findings of Analysis

<u>Route 477</u>

There were no disparate impacts or disproportionate burden found in the analysis of this service change. While there were more low-income households in the area impacted by these changes than the system average, it did not exceed the 5% threshold that would require additional steps to minimize, mitigate or offset the adverse effects.

In spite of not having negative impacts to minority or low-income populations beyond the 5% threshold, there was still concern regarding the riders of this route who had disabilities. UTA has been sensitive to the needs of those riders, which is why there was more outreach than is typical for a standard change. UTA collaborated with PARC to be as inclusive of those impacted as possible and to hear their concerns. All riders were offered and qualified for paratransit services. Since Utah's Division of Services for People with Disabilities (DSPD) is paying the cost of transportation, there is no increased cost to the individual rider and feedback received through public outreach was overall positive. The replacement service of paratransit will provide a more personalized experience to the individuals. After reviewing all of these factors, UTA does not feel that these changes will negatively impact riders, but will likely make their transportation experience better.

<u>Route 677</u>

There were no disparate impacts or disproportionate burden found in the analysis of this service change. The proposed changes will take place in a predominantly non-minority and non-low-income area.



Report of the Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Utah Transit Authority (UTA) held at UTA FrontLines Headquarters located at 669 West 200 South, Salt Lake City, Utah March 22, 2017

Board Members Present:

Robert McKinley, Chair Sherrie Hall Everett, Vice Chair Jeff Acerson Cortland Ashton Keith Bartholomew Necia Christensen Karen Cronin Babs De Lay Charles Henderson Dannie McConkie Bret Millburn Brent Taylor Troy Walker

Board Members Excused/Not in Attendance: Greg Bell, Jeff Hawker, Michael Romero

Also attending were members of UTA staff, as well as interested citizens and media representatives.

Welcome and Call to Order. Chair McKinley welcomed attendees and called the meeting to order at 1:37 p.m. with eleven voting board members present. The board and meeting attendees then recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Safety Minute. Chair McKinley yielded the floor to Dave Goeres, UTA Chief Safety, Security & Technology Officer, for a brief safety message.

General Public Comment Period. In-person public comment was given by George Chapman.

Resolution: R2017-03-01: 2016 Performance Report.

Presentation of Item. Jerry Benson, UTA President/CEO, delivered a presentation on the agency's 2016 performance, covering progress on reforms, general accomplishments, financial performance, and performance against board goals.

Public Input. One comment was received online and was read in the meeting by Robert Biles acting in his capacity as secretary of the board. In-person comment was given by George Chapman.

Trustee Millburn joined the meeting at 2:17 p.m.

Board Discussion and Decision/Action. Chair McKinley asked if any trustees had a reason to recuse themselves from discussing or voting on this item. No trustees indicated any conflicts. Discussion ensued. Questions were posed by the board and answered by Mr. Benson. Trustee Bartholomew requested time at the board retreat to discuss metrics that favor the agency's values. Trustee Henderson expressed concern with awarding the partial percentage recommended by staff on the revenue goal. A motion to approve the resolution was made by Trustee De Lay and seconded by Trustee Walker. Further discussion ensued. Trustee Henderson proposed that the motion be amended to approve the resolution replacing the partial completion on the revenue goal with the percentage of actual revenue awarded in 2016. Trustee De Lay agreed to amend her motion. Trustee Taylor expressed opposition to UTA's performance incentive program. Chair McKinley counseled Trustee Taylor that his concerns about the performance incentive program would be better addressed at the retreat because the program itself is "not being reviewed at this point." He said the question at hand is what percentage should be applied to the 2016 performance incentive program already approved. Trustee Taylor stated that he would like to provide his rationale for a substitute motion. He then expressed concern with hiring lobbyists. Chair McKinley interjected that a discussion on lobbyists was not relevant to the current topic and asked Trustee Taylor to restrict his comments to the performance incentive program. Trustee Taylor opined that ridership should be a major factor in performance incentive awards and also mentioned discomfort with the points awarded for public trust and asked that the factor be reconsidered. He expressed further discomfort with the "size and scope" of the performance incentive program. Trustee Taylor made a substitute motion to eliminate the performance incentive program for 2016 and in the future. There was no second on the motion and Chair McKinley declared the motion dead.

More discussion ensued. Trustee De Lay requested additional information on the performance incentive program in the future. Chair McKinley indicated the performance incentive program is part of the board's upcoming workshop agenda. Mr. Benson stated that the executive team is doing a thorough review of UTA's compensation program generally and requested the opportunity to present a newly aligned compensation program to the board later in the year. An amended motion to approve resolution with an accomplishment award of 77.7 percent from an available amount of \$914,435.86 was made by Trustee De Lay and seconded by Trustee Walker. The motion carried by majority consent with one nay vote from Trustee Taylor.

Presentations/Informational Items.

2017 Risk Assessment Process. UTA Chief of Internal Audit Riana De Villiers delivered a presentation on the internal audit risk assessment process including internal audit responsibilities and plan development.

Public Hearing Report – April Change Day. A report on the April Change Day was given by staff. UTA Regional Manager of the Mount Ogden Business Unit Eddy Cumins covered two route changes in Davis County, UTA Public Hearing Officer Erika Shubin summarized public outreach on the changes, and UTA Civil Rights Compliance Officer Andrew Gray reviewed the Title VI analysis. During the presentation questions were posed by the board and answered by staff. Trustee Taylor requested that the current version of the presentations given in board meetings be included in the packet.

Closed Session. Chair McKinley indicated that a change was needed to the order of the agenda and asked for a motion to go into closed session to discuss matters related to pending litigation. A motion to move into closed session was made by Trustee Christensen and seconded by Trustee Millburn. The motion was approved by unanimous consent and the board moved into closed session at 3:27 p.m.

Open Session. A motion to return to open session was made by Trustee Millburn and seconded by Trustee De Lay. The motion carried by unanimous consent and the board returned to open session at 4:43 p.m.

Action Taken Regarding Matters Discussed in Closed Session.

Legal Agreement. A motion to approve the agreement as presented during closed session was made by Vice Chair Everett and seconded by Trustee Bartholomew. The motion carried by majority consent with one nay vote from Trustee Taylor.

Trustee De Lay left the meeting at 4:46 p.m.

Board Member Event Participation. Chair McKinley asked that this item be deferred to the April agenda in the interest of time.

Board Workshop Pre-Work and Milestone Timeline of Activity. Trustee Henderson asked trustees to visit with their appointing authorities and use the questions outlined in the meeting packet to prompt a dialog. He encouraged trustees to engage in and complete the pre-work in order to maximize the time available during the board workshop. Trustee Henderson asked if any trustee had an objection to forming a strategic plan with a horizon of 20 years. No objections were raised.

Utah Legislative Session Overview. Chair McKinley asked that this item be deferred to the April agenda in the interest of time.

Items for Consent. Consent items were comprised of the following:

- Approval of February 22, 2017 Meeting Report
- Title VI Equity Analysis of April Service Changes
- CEO Performance Plan

A motion to approve the consent items was made by Trustee Christensen and seconded by Trustee Walker. The motion carried by unanimous consent.

Other Business.

Board Process Policy 4.4.1 – Actual and Potential Conflicts of Interest. This item was deferred to the April agenda.

SB174 Legislative Task Force Appointment. Chair McKinley stated that during the legislative session SB174 was passed. One of the provisions of the bill sets up a legislative task force to review governance of the state's transportation agencies and UTA was given one appointment. Chair McKinley recommended Trustee Millburn to represent the agency on the task force. No motion was required on this item, but the board voted to affirm the appointment by majority consent with ten aye votes and one abstention by Trustee Millburn.

Adjournment. The meeting was adjourned at 4:55 p.m. by motion.

Transcribed by Cathie Griffiths Assistant to the President/CEO Utah Transit Authority <u>cgriffiths@rideuta.com</u> 801.237.1945

<u>Video</u> and <u>audio</u> recordings of this meeting are posted online.

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE UTAH TRANSIT AUTHORITY APPROVING AUGUST CHANGE DAY TITLE VI EQUITY ANALYSIS

No. R2017-06-02

June 28, 2017

WHEREAS, the Utah Transit Authority (the "Authority") is a public transit district organized under the laws of the State of Utah and was created to transact and exercise all of the powers provided for in the Utah Limited Purpose Local Government Entities-Local Districts Act and the Utah Public Transit District Act; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Authority (the "Board"), in keeping with the Federal Transit Administration's requirements for public transit agencies and the Civil Rights Act of 1964, desires to review and approve the Authority's August Change Day Title VI Equity Analysis; and

WHEREAS, the Board has determined that approval of the Title VI Equity Analysis will be beneficial to the Authority and the service area; and

WHEREAS, the Board has considered and reviewed the Title VI Equity Analysis prepared by Authority staff, and now desires to approve the same.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Utah Transit Authority:

- 1. That the August Change Day Title VI Equity Analysis prepared by Authority staff, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A, is hereby approved by the Authority.
- 2. That the Board formally ratifies prior actions taken by the Authority, including those taken by the President/CEO, and staff that were necessary or appropriate to prepare and submit the Title VI Equity Analysis.
- 3. That a copy of this Resolution shall be submitted to the Federal Transit Administration.
- 4. That the corporate seal shall be affixed hereto.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 28th day of June, 2017

ATTEST:

Robert K. Biles, Secretary [SEAL]



CERTIFICATE

The undersigned duly qualified Chair of the Board of Trustees of the Utah Transit Authority certifies that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted at a legally convened meeting of the Board held on the 28th day of June, 2017.

Robert W. McKinley, Chair

Robert K. Biles, Secretary

Approved as to Form

Legal Counsel

EXHIBIT A

Copy of Title VI Equity Analysis





Title VI Service Equity Analysis

August 2017

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Introduction

Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, and national origin in programs and activities receiving federal financial assistance. The Utah Transit Authority has committed to the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Title VI objectives set forth in Circular 4702.1B ensuring that FTA-assisted benefits and related services are made available and are equitably distributed without regard to race, color, or national origin.

The following analysis is of proposed changes to be implemented on August 13 of 2017. These changes are being proposed to improve service delivery throughout the system. Though the proposed changes are facially neutral, this analysis, in accordance with FTA requirements, will ensure that these changes will not have disproportionate and negative impacts on minority and low-income populations within UTA's service area. If these changes are found to be discriminatory, UTA will take all prudent steps necessary to ensure services are equitable and compliant with federal guidelines and requirements.

Summary of Proposed Changes

Route 664 & 665 – Cancellation of Routes:

Routes 664 and 665 are a connection route between the Layton Frontrunner Commuter Rail station and Hill Airforce Base during peak hours. It is proposed to eliminate these routes due to low ridership. The elimination of service constitutes a major change.

Route 809 – Addition of Route:

The proposed creation of Route 809 is to be a new fixed route to provide local, limited service between Pleasant Grove and the American Fork FrontRunner Station. There will be two trips running in the morning from Pleasant Grove to the American Fork FrontRunner station, then two trips in the afternoon from the American Fork FrontRunner to Pleasant Grove. The addition of services is considered a major change.

Route 627 – Addition to Route:

The route 627 proposal includes extending the north section of the route from Weber State Davis Campus to the Clearfield Commuter Rail Station, where it will connect with the 626. This addition would constitute a change of over twenty-five percent of the current route alignment, which constitutes a major change.

UTA Policy and Definitions

UTA has developed corporate policy 1.1.28 Title VI Compliance Policy to evaluate the impacts of proposed major services changes on minority and low-income populations. The following policy references refer to subsections of the aforementioned corporate policy and were created to ensure that all equity analyses are performed using the same parameters.

Public Input on UTA Policy

In order to create UTA's Title VI Compliance Policy, which describes how UTA will determine disparate impact on minority populations and disproportionate burden on low-income populations, UTA sought public involvement per FTA Circular 4702.1b requirements. To solicit feedback from the public, UTA advertised a public notice in local newspapers in the service area. The notice and draft policy was posted on UTA's website, rideuta.com, as well as on the Utah state government's website, Utah.gov, under "Public Notices". The state website provides 35 language translation options. An email notification was sent out by the Salt Lake County Office of Diversity Affairs, which maintains an email list that goes to anyone interested in diversity issues. Additional targeted outreach was done, which included mailing a letter and the policy or sending emails to community organizations that work with minority or low-income populations.

Definitions

- A. "Disparate Impact" refers to a facially neutral policy or practice that disproportionately affects members of a group identified by race, color, or national origin, where the UTA's policy or practice lacks a substantial, legitimate justification and where there exists one or more alternatives that would serve the same legitimate objectives but with less disproportionate effect on the basis of race, color, or national origin.
- *B. "Disproportionate Burden"* refers to a neutral policy or practice that disproportionately affects low-income populations more than non-low-income populations.
- *C. "Low-income Population"* refers to any readily identifiable group of low-income persons who live in geographic proximity, and, if circumstances warrant, geographically dispersed/ transient persons (such as migrant workers or Native Americans) who will be similarly affected by a proposed FTA program, policy or activity.
- D. "Low-income person" refers to a person whose median household income is at or below 150% of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) poverty guidelines. UTA utilizes American Community Survey (ACS) poverty data to determine low-income status when utilizing population data.

- *E. "Minority Person"* includes the following:
 - 1. American Indian or Alaska Native, which refers to people having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America), and who maintain tribal affiliation or community attachment.
 - Asian, which refers to people having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent, including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.
 - 3. Black or African American, which refers to people having origins in any of the Black racial groups of Africa.
 - 4. Hispanic or Latino, which includes persons of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.
 - 5. Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander, which refers to people having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.
- *F.* "*Minority Population*" means any readily identifiable group of minority persons who live in geographic proximity.
- *G.* "*National Origin*" means the particular nation in which a person was born, or where the person's parents or ancestors were born.
- H. "System Average" The system average is the averages of minorities and low-income persons within the total populous of the geographic regions that UTA serves. The present system averages are expressed below in tabular format using 2011-2015 5-year population estimates provided by American Community Survey (ACS) data.

Low-Income System Average:	
Population:	2,243,746
Low-Income Population:	457,949
Percent Low-income:	20.4%

Minority System Average:	
Population:	2,277,445
Minority Population:	499,870
Percent Minority:	21.9%

Major Service Change Definition

UTA will consider the following types of changes to be "major changes", which require public input and a Title VI equity analysis in compliance with FTA's Circular 4702.1B

- a) The Addition of Service;
- b) A proposed service level reduction in miles, hours, or trips of thirty three percent (33%) or more of any route;
- c) The elimination of all service during a time period (peak, midday, evening, Saturday, or Sunday);
- d) A proposed twenty-five (25%) or greater change in route alignment;
- e) A proposed fare change.

Evaluation and Analysis of Service and Fare Changes

- 1. UTA will analyze proposed major changes to service and any proposed fare changes in accordance with FTA's Circular C 4702.1B as amended.
- 2. UTA will evaluate the impacts of all major service changes cumulatively when there is more than one route being affected for a service change period
- UTA will primarily utilize American Community Survey (ACS) Data, block group data and/ or ridership data to evaluate and analyze any proposed major service and fare changes. This data will be analyzed with Geographic Information System (GIS) software.
- 4. UTA will rely on population data and use the smallest geographic area that reasonably has access to the stop or station effected by the proposed major service change. This will be translated into a one-quarter mile radius to a bus stop, one-half mile to a light rail station and three miles to a commuter rail station.

Disparate Impact and Disproportionate Burden

- UTA will measure the burdens of service and fare changes on minority riders to determine when minority riders are bearing a disparate impact from the change between the existing service or fare and the proposed service or fare.
- UTA will measure the burdens of service and fare changes on low-income riders to determine when low-income riders are bearing a disproportionate burden of the change between the existing service or fare and the proposed service or fare.
- 3. A threshold of 5% will be used to determine disparate impact on minority populations and disproportionate burden on low-income populations. This 5% is based on the margin of error from the US Census data that UTA uses to determine the populations in the service area. This means that if the burden of the service or fare change on minority or low-income populations is more than 5% worse than it is for the non-protected populations, then the change will be considered either a disparate impact or a disproportionate burden.

Finding a Disparate Impact

 At the conclusion of UTA's Analysis, if UTA finds a disparate impact on the basis of race, color, or national origin, UTA shall seek to modify the proposed changes in a way that will mitigate the adverse effects that are disproportionately borne by minorities. Modifications made to the proposed changes must be reanalyzed in order to determine whether the modifications actually removed the potential disparate impacts.

- 2. If UTA chooses not to alter the proposed services changes despite the potential disparate impact on minority populations, or if UTA finds, even after the revisions, that minority riders will continue to bear a disproportionate share of the proposed service or fare change, UTA may implement the change only if:
 - a. UTA has substantial legitimate justification for the proposed change; and
 - b. UTA can show that there are no alternatives that would have a less disparate impact on the minority riders but would still accomplish the transit provider's legitimate program goals. In order to show this, UTA must consider and analyze alternatives to determine whether those alternatives would have less of a disparate impact on the basis of race, color, or national origin, and then implement the least discriminatory alternative

Finding a Disproportionate Burden

If at the conclusion of the analysis, UTA finds that low-income populations will bear a disproportionate burden of the proposed major service change, UTA will take steps to avoid, minimize, or mitigate impacts where practicable. UTA will also describe alternatives available to low-income passengers affected by the service changes.

Proposed Changes

Routes 654 and 655



Routes 664 and 665 are commuter-focused routes within the Ogden Business Unit that each run six trips from the Layton FrontRunner station to Hill Airforce Base in the morning and five trips from Hill Airforce Base to the Layton FrontRunner station in the afternoon. The primary focus of this route is to provide transportation to those working on base. Any stops inside of the base require passage through a guard station where credentials must be presented to gain access, which includes the operator.

Low ridership relative to the cost of service has been the influential factor in the decision to propose the complete cancellation of these two routes. There is greater ridership on route 665, which can be attributed to a 2014 addition of service to Weber State University Davis. WSU Davis has several other routes which can replace the service left by the cancellation of the 665.

The bubble graph on the following page is an excerpt from a decision-making tool utilized by UTA's planners to assist in prioritizing upcoming changes. It utilizes the legend pictured on the right to show the type of route (first column) and the average percent of the bus that is filled. The bus on 664 runs at an average of 6.5% capacity while the 665 runs at 10.7% capacity. Both are commuter shuttles.

The X-axis of the bubble chart is how many riders, on average, are aboard the bus during operational hours. 664 averages 8.4 riders per revenue mile and the 665 averages 10.7.

The Y-axis expresses in miles how long the individual rider remains on the bus when they have boarded. The 664 averages 2.5 miles per rider while the 665 averages 3.2. In the context of the rest of the Ogden Business Unit, which encompasses Davis, Weber and Ogden Counties, it is evident that these routes are below average in their ridership and utilization.





UTA has proposed to transition fixed route bus riders to the more economical Vanpool and RideVan Plus. Vanpool is a service where UTA provides a van to a group of commuters traveling to work who would like to travel together. This service is already utilized by riders on base. RideVan Plus is a hybrid commuting option for commuters who can take the Frontrunner or TRAX to the station nearest their destination, then travel as a group in the UTA provided van to and from their destination. The van remains parked at the station overnight. This solution would still provide existing bus users transportation on base at a less expensive option. The average cost per Vanpool users is approximately \$110 a month, but can be as low as \$30 a month depending on the monthly distance traveled and number of vanpool participants. RideVan Plus has a maximum charge of \$93. The cost of RideVan Plus would cover the cost of the participant's premium monthly pass, which is regularly priced at \$198. If the rider has a pass provided through their employer, school, etc., then \$50 will be deducted from the cost of RideVan Plus and the rider will be required to pay the difference.

664 Ridership

Since May of 2015, there has been a downward trend in ridership, as illustrated in the graph below, which shows the daily average of boardings by month from May of 2014 through April of 2017.



The table below shows the average daily boarding and alighting numbers by stop for January through May of 2016 and the same time frame in 2017. The first, and most frequented stop is the Layton Frontrunner station. Subsequent stops are all on Hill Airforce Base. Only one of the 8 stops on base averages more than one boarding or alighting per day.

Stop Activity: Jan- May 15 2016 and		Boardings Per Day		Alightings Per Day	
Jan-May 2017		2016	2017	2016	2017
Layton FR	MAIN ST @ 150 S	36.4	28.0	21.1	15.9
	GUM LN @ 1215 N	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0
	GUM LN @ 1213 N	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
£	GUM LN @ 1201 N	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
HAFB	ARSENAL RD @ 1118 N	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Inside I	CONNECTICUT @ 1286 W	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.3
Ĕ	CEDAR LN @ 1276 N	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0
	CALIFORNIA DR @ 1260 W	0.5	0.1	0.0	0.0
	WARDLEIGH RD @ 1207 N	13.7	10.6	17.6	13.5
Totals:		50.8	38.8	38.6	29.7

665 Ridership Information

As with the 664, the 665 has been experiencing a downward trend in ridership in recent months. As shown in the chart, the downward trend began in August of 2016 and has steadily decreased since.



The 665 has higher average boardings than the 664, but this is due to the three stops off base, which is a direct line from the FrontRunner to Weber State University Davis. These stops were added in April of 2015 when ridership began going up.

The table below lists the individual stop utilization broken up to those on Hill Air Force Base (HAFB) and those off base. The stop at the Layton FrontRunner station has the most boardings and alights as a connector to the commuter rail and the Weber State University stop has the second highest. The most utilized stop on base, located at 538 South Southgate Avenue is within .3 miles from a stop off base which is regularly serviced by route 627.

The final data point is the percent of all boardings and alightings that occur on base. Based on these figures, the majority of the ridership on these routes is not on base.

Stop Activity: Jan- May 15 2016 and		Boardings Per Day		Alightings Per Day	
Jan-May 2017		2016	2017	2016	2017
Layton FR	MAIN ST @ 150 S	79.8	45.7	37.1	20.9
вę	UNIVERSITY PKWY @ 2750	11.7	10.9	21.9	9.3
Outside HAFB	HWY 193 @ 492 W	0.0	4.3	0.0	4.2
ŏ⊥	HWY 193 @ 524 W	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2
	SubTotal:	91.5	60.9	58.9	34.6
	SOUTHGATE AVE @ 538 S	2.7	3.0	3.2	3.1
	SOUTHGATE AVE @ 506 S	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.2
	SOUTHGATE AVE @ 443 S	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.5
	SOUTHGATE AVE @ 269 S	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2
	SOUTHGATE AVE @ 233 S	0.4	0.0	1.0	1.0
8	WARDLEIGH RD @ 113 W	0.8	0.6	0.3	0.4
HA	WARDLEIGH RD @ 148 W	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.1
Inside HAFB	WARDLEIGH RD @ 191 W	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Ë	WARDLEIGH RD @ 51 W	0.6	0.9	0.5	1.0
	H AVE @ 823 S	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2
	H AVE @ 876 S	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.3
	COMMUNITY LN @ 442 S	1.7	0.4	2.1	0.2
	11TH ST @ 526 W	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.0
	SOUTHGATE AVE @ 517 S	1.4	0.2	1.9	0.0
	Subtotal:	8.7	6.2	9.9	7.1
	Totals:	100.2	67.1	68.8	41.7
	Percent inside HAFB:	8.6%	9.3%	14.4%	17.0%

Route 809



The 809 has been proposed as a new route in Utah County in our Timpanogos Business Unit that will utilize a deadhead trip on Route 806 and provide connectivity from downtown Pleasant Grove to the American Fork FrontRunner station. It is proposed to run two trips in the morning at 5:30am and 6:00am and will travel west from Downtown Pleasant Grove and end at the American Fork FrontRunner station, then two trips in the afternoon at 6:30pm and 7:00pm heading east and terminating at downtown Pleasant Grove. The initial proposal included additional routing that would have included additional routing, but after the public comment period yielded no definitive support for the longer routing, it was curtailed. Initial route proposal is depicted below.



Route 627



UTA is proposing an addition to the existing route 627 within the Ogden Business Unit. The proposed addition would provide a direct connection from Weber State University (WSU) Davis, where the route presently ends, through Clearfield City to the Clearfield Station. This can be used as an alternative to the proposed cancellation of route 665, which provides service from the Layton FrontRunner Station to WSU Davis. Current alignment follows.



Public Outreach

Ogden Business Unit Public Outreach

On April 25, 2017, UTA held a public hearing to solicit public input on the proposed elimination to routes 664 and 665 and the proposed addition to route 627. All of these changes were in the Ogden Business Unit and were combined into one public hearing. The comment period for these changes was between April 10 and May 10 of 2017. The public hearing was held on April 25th at Weber State Davis' campus in Layton, UT. The campus is central to the changes and the location of one of the most frequented stops on the routes being eliminated. The hearing and notice of changes were advertised in the Davis County Clipper, the Ogden Standard Examiner,

the State of Utah's public notice website and on rideuta.com. Comments were also solicited on the agency's Open UTA online comment system. The hearing and comment period were also promoted on UTA's social media channels.

Routes 664 & 665

Overall, 30 people offered comments, with some providing comments on both routes – seven at the public hearing, eight at hearingofficer@rideuta.com and 15 on the Open UTA system. In total, 11 people attended the public hearing, and 59 visitors reviewed the proposal on the Open UTA system.

These changes were also posted on UTA's website and available for public comment electronically. The changes were viewed 49 times and responded to 15 times.

Route 664 Feedback

Regarding *route 664,* of the 27 respondents, 18 were against, five were for, and three were undecided concerning the elimination of route 664. Those for the changes expressed appreciation for the more efficient transportation alternative of RideVan Plus and Vanpool and gave logistical suggestions about parking.

Those against the expressed concerns that generally fell into the following categories

- There may be a delay in qualifying for RideVan Plus and/or Vanpool for new employees.
- Lack of connectivity from FrontRunner to employment on base.
- Lack of flexibility for transit dependent individuals moving to alternatives that will only travel to and from base once per day
- Previous service issues may have caused poor ridership
- General concern for one's inability to get to work, though do not mention the proposed alternatives

Route 665 Feedback

Of the 24 respondents for this route, six were for the changes, 13 against and five undecided about the proposed elimination. Comments mirrored those for the 664, but had less comments

Alternative Transportation Reception

By the end of June, the Special Services Program had heard from twenty-one 664 & 665 riders who requested more information about the Vanpool and RideVan Plus options. Of those, 11

ultimately were not interested in joining or creating a Vanpool, which provides transit from one's home to the end location. They expressed that they would either like more flexibility in their schedule or would work to join a RideVan Plus option. Two of the remaining ten had already joined a Vanpool. UTA has followed up with everyone who contacted Special Services regarding the requirements to set up a RideVan Plus and is seeking enough commitments to begin the program at this location.

Route 627

FEEDBACK FROM MEETING:

These changes were also posted on UTA's website, on the Open UTA system and available for public comment electronically. On the Open UTA system, the proposal was viewed 33 times. Twelve comments were received during the proposal's comment period – two at the public hearing, six on Open UTA and four at <u>hearingofficer@rideuta.com</u>. Eleven of the comments expressed support for the proposal, and one comment was neutral and included an alternate proposal. Some commenters gave logistical comments, but all were positive in their responses.

Timpanogos Business Unit Public Outreach

On May 25, 2017, UTA held a public hearing to solicit public input on the proposed changes to route 809. This change took place in the Timpanogos Business Unit and was the only major service change in this area. The comment period for this proposed addition was between May 11, 2017 and June 11, 2017. The public hearing was held on May 25 at the Pleasant Grove Recreation Center, which is located near the community where changes are being proposed. The hearing and notice of changes were advertised in the Provo Daily Herald, on rideuta.com, on the State of Utah's public notice site, and on UTA's Open UTA system. On the Open UTA system, 48 visitors viewed the proposal. There were no attendees as the public hearing and one phone call placed concerning the proposal to add route 809. The phone call requested that it be full service so that paratransit could be added to the region.

For the 809 proposal, 14 comments were received with 10 as favorable and four as undecided.

Analysis of Proposed Changes

UTA is required to analyze the potential impacts of any major service change as it relates to low-income populations and minority populations. Pursuant to this requirement, UTA has created the following maps, tables and related data. The data in this section was compiled utilizing American Community Survey (ACS) 2011-2015 5-year estimates, which was dispersed into census blocks, in lieu of the larger block groups. This was done in order to use the smallest geographic area possible for the analysis. The distribution was dictated by population ratios from 2010 Census Data. Analysis was done based on the stops of the route. All stops have had a one quarter mile radius applied to them based on the actual accessibility of the route by road. Any census block that is overlapped by this walkability radius has its population included as those effected by the proposed changes. These aggregated numbers are compiled as a comparison group to the service area average to determine disparate impact and disproportionate burden.

The maps in this section will show the route, individual stops with a walkability radius, and census blocks with concentrations of low-income households or minority individuals above the system average, which are shaded according to density.

Route 664

Low-Income Analysis



As expressed in the figure and table above, the total low-income populations negatively impacted by this elimination is 1.9% less than the system average.

Minority Analysis



As expressed in the figure and table above, the low-income households negatively impacted by this elimination is 6% above the system average.

<u>Route 665</u>

Low-Income Analysis



As expressed in the table and figure above, the low-income households negatively impacted by this elimination is 3.9% above the system average.

Minority Analysis



As expressed in the table and figure above, the minority populations negatively impacted by this elimination is 14.2% above the system average.

<u>Route 809</u>

Low-Income Analysis



As expressed in the table and figure above, the low-income populations impacted by this addition is 11.3% above the system average.

Minority Analysis



As expressed in the table and figure above, the minority populations impacted by this addition is 5.7% below the system average.

<u>Route 627</u>

Low-Income Analysis



The figure above is just of the routing and stops proposed to be added. The table and figure show that the low-income populations impacted is 19.3% above the system average.

Minority Analysis



The figure above is just of the routing and stops proposed to be added. The table and figure show that the low-income populations impacted is 4.8% above the system average.

Cumulative Analysis of Changes

In accordance with UTA Policy, UTA will evaluate the impacts of all major service changes cumulatively when there is more than one route being affected for a service change period. Since the proposed changes during this change period fall into those being added and those being eliminated, they are being evaluated in these two categories.

Eliminations:

The cumulative demographics of the populations being effected by the elimination of both route 664 and route 665 are expressed below.

Route 664 & 665 Low-income		
Affected Population:	3,429	
Low-Income Population:	834	
Percent:	24.3%	
Difference from System Ave:	3.9%	

Route 664 & 665 Minority		
Affected Population:	3,559	
Minority Population:	1,291	
Percent:	36.3%	
Difference from System Ave:	14.3%	

Additions:

The cumulative demographics of the populations being effected by the additions of route 627 and to 809 are expressed below.

Route 809 & 627 Low-income		
Affected Population:	18,783	
Low-Income Population:	6420	
Percent: 34		
Difference from System Ave:	13.8%	

Route 809 & 627 Minority		
Affected Population:	18,927	
Minority Population:	3,684	
Percent:	19.5%	
Difference from System Ave:	2.4%	

Findings of Analysis

Elimination of Routes 664 & 665

<u>There were no disproportionate burden found in the analysis of this service change</u>. While there were more low-income households in the area impacted by these changes than the system average, it did not exceed the 5% threshold that would require additional steps to minimize, mitigate or offset the adverse effects.

<u>There may be disparate impacts on minorities in these eliminations.</u> When examining population data, the minority populations impacted by these changes exceeded the UTA designated threshold of a 5% negative impact. UTA has examined various mitigating factors and has determined that it has met the requirements to continue with the proposed changes despite these potential disparate impact that population demographics may suggest.

Justification for Continuing with Changes

Obtaining accurate demographics on this route was a challenge. Since these are commuter routes originating at a FrontRunner station, it is improbable that the population immediately within the ¼ mile walk buffer would be the primary users of the route. This may be negated if the primary route destination were accessible by the general public, but with only those with credentials to get on base being able to ride the routes this decreases, again, the probability of the immediate population around the stops accessing the originating stop at the FrontRunner. With the boardings on base being as low as they are, it would appear unlikely that those living on base are accessing the route either. With these considerations, the ridership is likely people from around the system that are accessing FrontRunner to get to the base or WSU Davis. For those who are accessing WSU Davis, UTA has prepared a map of the other routes connecting FrontRunner to campus, which will be included at the end of this section. In this map, all offbase stops are mitigated by alternative routes.

In looking at a ridership survey conducted in 2015 and 2016 where over 16,000 riders were surveyed throughout the system, there were a combined average of 96 riders on these routes at the time of survey. Of these riders, 13 were captured. 100% of those surveyed on this route self-reported as white and non-Hispanic. UTA, however, determined that this was not an adequate sample size to properly reflect the ridership demographics and only includes it as informational as to efforts made by the agency to ascertain the most accurate information available.

Pursuant to FTA Circular 4702.1B, UTA has reviewed possible changes to the proposed changes. In this review, it was determined that *UTA has a substantial and legitimate justification to proceed with the proposed changes* due to the low ridership illustrated on pages 9-13 of this report. Continuance of these routes would not be financially viable for the limited number of riders utilizing them when RideVan Plus and Vanpool could meet the need in a more efficient way. UTA conducted outreach to ensure current riders were aware of and engaged with Rideshare and/or Vanpool programs. These options provide a viable alternative for those who are transit dependent an work on base.



Addition of Routes 809 & 627

There were no disparate impacts or disproportionate burden found in the analysis of this <u>service change</u>. While route 809 did have 5.7% less minorities in the impacted populations than the system average, UTA has determined that the addition does not meet UTA's policy on disparate impact. The policy states that the changes must have a "5% worse" effect on protected populations. This addition does not *negatively* impact minority populations since there was no adverse effect such as a decrease in service to fund this new route. Additionally, Utah County, where the addition takes place, only has a minority population of 14.9% which is less than the effected population.

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE UTAH TRANSIT AUTHORITY APPROVING THE APRIL 2018 CHANGE DAY TITLE VI EQUITY ANALYSIS

R2018-03-04

March 28, 2018

WHEREAS, the Utah Transit Authority (the "Authority") is a public transit district organized under the laws of the State of Utah and was created to transact and exercise all of the powers provided for in the Utah Limited Purpose Local Government Entities – Local Districts Act and the Utah Public Transit District Act; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Authority (the "Board"), in keeping with the Federal Transit Administration's requirements for public transit agencies and the Civil Rights Act of 1964 has considered and reviewed the April 2018 Change Day Title VI Equity Analysis ("Title VI Equity Analysis") prepared by Authority staff; and

WHEREAS, the Board has desires to approve the Title VI Equity Analysis.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of the Authority:

- 1. That the April 2018 Change Day Title VI Equity Analysis prepared by Authority staff, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A, is hereby approved by the Authority.
- 2. That the Board hereby ratifies any and all actions taken by the Authority's President/CEO, General Counsel, and staff in furtherance of and effectuating the intent of this Resolution.
- 3. That a copy of this Resolution shall be submitted to the Federal Transit Administration.
- 4. That the corporate seal be attached hereto.

Approved and adopted this 28th day of March 2018.

Greg Bell, Chair Board of Trustees

ATTEST:

Robert K. Biles, Secretary/Treasurer

(Corporate Seal)



CERTIFICATE

The undersigned duly qualified Chair of the Board of Trustees of the Utah Transit Authority certifies that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted at a legally convened meeting of the Board of Trustees held on the 28th day of March, 2018.

Greg Bell, Chair **Board of Trustees**

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Exhibit A





Title VI Service and Fare Equity Analysis

April 2018

Utah Transit Authority

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Introduction

Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, and national origin in programs and activities receiving federal financial assistance. The Utah Transit Authority has committed to the Federal Transit Administration's (FTA) Title VI objectives set forth in Circular 4702.1B by ensuring that UTA's services are made are equitably offered and resources distributed without regard to race, color, or national origin.

The following analysis is of proposed changes to be implemented on April 8th of 2018. These changes are being proposed to improve service delivery throughout the system. Though the proposed changes are facially neutral, this analysis, in accordance with FTA requirements, will ensure that these changes will not have disproportionately negative impact on minority and low-income populations within UTA's service area. If these changes are found to be discriminatory, UTA will take all prescribed and prudent steps to ensure services are equitable and compliant with federal guidelines and requirements.

Summary of Proposed Changes

Route 834 – Addition to Route:

It is proposed to add to the northern leg of the 834 route in Utah County. This new routing would connect the Riverwoods shopping complex in Provo and State Street. The added mileage is greater than 25% of the original route, which constitutes a major change according to UTA policy.

Route 864 – Creation of Route:

The Thanksgiving Point area has a large number of office buildings with substantial traffic delays which will be exacerbated by upcoming road construction projects. Route 864 will provide a connector from the commuter rail station to the office buildings on the west side of the I-15 freeway. The addition of service constitutes a major change according to UTA policy.

Removal of Fare Media:

It is proposed to eliminate the technology associated with the ability to pay with mobile digital wallets (Apple Pay, Google Pay, etc.) and contactless credit/debit cards as a fare media available through our card readers. This method of payment has limited use and direct alternatives exist on all modes of transit excluding contactless credit/debit cards on bus. The elimination of this fare media constitutes a major change.

UTA Policy and Definitions

UTA has developed corporate policy 1.1.28 Title VI Compliance Policy to define and evaluate the impacts of proposed major services changes on minority and low-income populations in conjunction with a public outreach process. In developing this policy, UTA solicited feedback through newspapers within the service area, published on UTA's website (rideuta.com), and Utah's government website in the public notices section (Utah.gov) which provides translation options. In conjunction with the Salt Lake County Office of Diversity Affairs, which maintains an email list of local entities and individuals with interest in diversity issues, UTA sent an email notification soliciting feedback in the development of this policy. Additional targeted outreach was done, which included mailing a letter and the policy or sending emails to community organizations that work with minority or low-income populations.

The following references to policy are from subsections of corporate policy 1.1.28 and were created to ensure that all equity analyses are performed using the same parameters and are in line with FTA Circular 4702.1B.

Definitions

- A. "Disparate Impact" refers to a facially neutral policy or practice that disproportionately affects members of a group identified by race, color, or national origin, where the recipient's policy or practice lacks a substantial legitimate justification and where there exists one or more alternatives that would serve the same legitimate objectives but with less disproportionate effect on the basis of race, color, or national origin.
- *B. "Disproportionate Burden"* refers to a neutral policy or practice that disproportionately affects the low-income population more than non-low-income populations.
- *C. "Low-income Population"* refers to any readily identifiable group of low-income persons who live in geographic proximity, and, if circumstances warrant, geographically dispersed/ transient persons (such as migrant workers or Native Americans) who will be similarly affected by a proposed FTA program, policy or activity.
- D. "Minority Person" include the following:
 - 1. American Indian or Alaska Native, which refers to people having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America), and who maintain tribal affiliation or community attachment.
 - 2. Asian, which refers to people having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent, including, for example, Cambodia,

China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.

- 3. Black or African American, which refers to people having origins in any of the Black racial groups of Africa.
- 4. Hispanic or Latino, which includes persons of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.
- 5. Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander, which refers to people having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.
- *E.* "*Minority Population*" means any readily identifiable group of minority persons who live in geographic proximity.
- *F.* "*National Origin*" means the particular nation in which a person was born, or where the person's parents or ancestors were born.
- *G. "System Average"* The system average is the averages of minorities and low-income persons within the total populous of the geographic regions UTA serves. The present system averages are expressed below in tabular format using 2011-2015 5-year population estimates provided by the American Community Survey (ACS).

Low-Income System Average:		
Population:	2,243,746	
Low-Income Population:	457,949	
Percent Low-income:	20.4%	

Minority System Average:		
Population: 2,277,455		
Minority Population:	499,870	
Percent Minority:	21.9%	

Major Service Change

UTA will consider the following types of changes to be "major changes", which require public input and a Title VI equity analysis in compliance with FTA's Circular 4702.1B

- a) The Addition of Service;
- b) A proposed service level reduction in miles, hours, or trips of thirty three percent (33%) or more of any route;
- c) The elimination of all service during a time period (peak, midday, evening, Saturday, or Sunday);
- d) A proposed twenty-five (25%) or greater change in route alignment;
- e) A proposed fare change.

Evaluation and Analysis of Service and Fare Changes

1. UTA will analyze proposed major changes to service and any proposed fare changes in accordance with FTA's Circular C 4702.1B as amended.

- 2. UTA will evaluate the impacts of all major service changes cumulatively when there is more than one route being affected for a service change period
- UTA will primarily utilize American Community Survey (ACS) Data, block group data and/ or ridership data to evaluate and analyze any proposed major service and fare changes. This data will be analyzed with Geographic Information System (GIS) software.
- 4. UTA will rely on population data and use the smallest geographic area that reasonably has access to the stop or station effected by the proposed major service change. This will be translated into a one-quarter mile radius to a bus stop, one-half mile to a light rail station and three miles to a commuter rail station.

Disparate Impact and Disproportionate Burden

- UTA will measure the burdens of service and fare changes on minority riders to determine when minority riders are bearing a disparate impact from the change between the existing service or fare and the proposed service or fare.
- 2. UTA will measure the burdens of service and fare changes on low-income riders to determine when low-income riders are bearing a disproportionate burden of the change between the existing service or fare and the proposed service or fare.
- 3. A threshold of 5% will be used to determine disparate impact on minority populations and disproportionate burden on low-income populations. This 5% is based on the margin of error from the US Census data that UTA uses to determine the populations in the service area. This means that if the burden of the service or fare change on minority or low-income populations is more than 5% worse than it is for the non-protected populations, then the change will be considered either a disparate impact or a disproportionate burden.

Finding a Disparate Impact

- At the conclusion of UTA's Analysis, if UTA finds a disparate impact on the basis of race, color, or national origin, UTA shall seek to modify the proposed changes in a way that will mitigate the adverse effects that are disproportionately borne by minorities. Modifications made to the proposed changes must be reanalyzed in order to determine whether the modifications actually removed the potential disparate impacts.
- 2. If UTA chooses not to alter the proposed services changes despite the potential disparate impact on minority populations, or if UTA finds, even after the revisions, that minority riders will continue to bear a disproportionate share of the proposed service or fare change, UTA may implement the change only if:
- a. UTA has substantial legitimate justification for the proposed change; and
- b. UTA can show that there are no alternatives that would have a less disparate impact on the minority riders but would still accomplish the transit provider's legitimate program goals. In order to show this, UTA must consider and analyze alternatives to determine whether those alternatives would have less of a disparate impact on the basis of race, color, or national origin, and then implement the least discriminatory alternative

Finding a Disproportionate Burden

If at the conclusion of the analysis, UTA finds that low-income populations will bear a disproportionate burden of the proposed major service change, UTA will take steps to avoid, minimize, or mitigate impacts where practicable. UTA will also describe alternatives available to low-income passengers affected by the service changes.

Proposed Changes

Routes 834

Route 834 runs every 30 minutes during peak times and provides a connection from Provo Central Station through downtown Provo, near the BYU Campus, residential areas, the Riverwoods shopping area and finally the Riverwoods Urgent Care and surrounding offices.

It is proposed to carry the route further west along Orem Center Street and provide a connection to State Street. This will relocate the stop closest to the Riverwoods Urgent Care center, but provide expanded service to Western Orem. Additionally, it is proposed to reroute a small section of the route along University Avenue which rejoins the original routing via 2230 North. This will add stops and provide a stop that will connect the 834 to a future BRT station.



<u>Route 864</u>

The Thanksgiving Point and Silicone Slopes area of Lehi has been the fastest growing region in Utah. It is positioned in northern Utah County around the I-15 freeway with a high density of tech companies set up in the area with new offices being built. UTA has proposed to add a route that will provide a circuit around the FrontRunner commuter rail station and the office buildings to the west side of the freeway. Traffic in the area is already excessive, but will be exacerbated by extensive road construction in the area. This route would make accessing local destinations easier for those utilizing the commuter rail station in the area.

Fare Media Elimination

It has been proposed that UTA discontinue accepting contactless bank cards (VISA, MasterCard, Discover, AmEx, etc.) and Near Field Communication (NFC)-enabled mobile wallet applications as fare payment via UTA's Electronic Fare Collection (EFC) System. NFC-enabled mobile wallet applications would include, but are not limited to, Apple Pay, Google Pay and Samsung Pay. As an entity that accepts bank cards as payment, UTA is expected to comply with the Payment Card Industry Data Security Standard (PCI-DSS). In an assessment of UTA's compliance with PCI-DSS standards, our card readers accepting this method of payment was identified as a potential risk. UTA would need to invest a minimum of \$1.5 million in new hardware and software to mitigate the risk. It was determined that rather than incurring these costs, UTA proposed to eliminate this payment option.

Mobile wallet applications and contactless bank cards were used an average of about 3,400 times per month in 2017, which equals roughly \$11,200 in electronic fares sales. There is an average of 709 distinct users of this payment method each month whom average five trips per month which accounts for approximately 0.15% of our ridership each year. The use of this method of payment has been generally stagnant since 2009 when the Authority launched its EFC system.

Those who use an NFC-enabled mobile wallet application must have the app installed on their device, set up an account and input credit card information in order to use this option. Once they have set up their device, they must then approach one of our card readers and tap their phone to the reader. In order to use a contactless bank card, the card must have the capability, which is most typically indicated by a))) symbol on the card. The card is tapped on the card reader and the fare is charged directly to the card.

In determining the potential impacts on riders, other payment methods that are available as a direct replacement and did not require excessive steps or requirements were accounted for. UTA recently instituted a mobile app, UTA GoRide, which allows the purchase and use of fares. Much like with the mobile wallet apps, this app does require an account and a credit card be input before it can be used. UTA GoRide could replace the mobile wallet applications with a relatively simple and comparable setup process. Although the rider may need to download a different app, there is still a method to pay for fare through a smart phone. The impact should be minimal on those riders accustomed to paying for fare via their mobile device. The UTA Go

tap on the reader and have that sensitive data transmitted each time it is used. It also eliminates the opportunity for the loss of a credit card by not securing it again.

When paying with a credit card, all locations with Ticket Vending Machines (TVM) have the option to pay for fare with a credit card at rail and Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) stations. It does require additional steps where the rider would need to interface with the TVM in order to purchase their ticket, but it is available at the place they board using the payment type they already use. Although this may require planning for the time it takes to use a credit card to purchase a ticket with the TVM, the option to pay with a credit card is still available. However, TVMs are only located on rail and Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) stations, whereas the card readers are presently on all buses. Those riders who use their contactless bank cards on buses would lose their ability to pay with a credit card by tapping the card reader with it. There is no way for UTA reader equipment to differentiate between those who would use the mobile wallet apps and those that use the contactless bank cards so there is no way to gauge the number of people who would not have the direct replacement of the UTA GoRide app, but would need to use a different fare payment method. UTA has proposed to eliminate a fare media that cannot easily be replaced by another payment method. The proposed elimination will be analyzed with specific emphasis on the impact to riders of bus in order to ensure that the change is not inadvertently discriminatory to minority and/or low-income populations.

Public Outreach

UTA held a public comment period from Jan. 4 to Feb. 13, 2018 to gather feedback on proposed changes to routes 833, 834, 840 and 864. All of these routes are operated out of UTA's Timpanogos Business Unit in Utah County. In addition to the changes being analyzed here, UTA had proposed to cancel Saturday service on the 833 and 834 which received negative feedback during the comment period and public meetings. The proposed changes on the 833 and 834 triggered a disproportionate burden on low-income populations while the proposed changes to the 833 triggered a disparate impact on minority populations. Due to the feedback received and Title VI implications, the proposed changes were withdrawn.

The required public notice was posted on rideuta.com, the State of Utah's Public Notice website, on the buses operating on the fixed route buses as well as on the paratransit vehicles that operate in Utah County. The notice was also printed in the Provo Daily Herald. Extra effort was made to reach out to customers utilizing paratransit that took Saturday trips on the routes where the service was proposed to be cancelled. This effort consisted of postcards being sent

directly to the homes and caregivers of impacted paratransit riders. The postcards detailed the proposed changes and offered a direct invitation to one of the two public hearings offered during the comment period. Ultimately, the proposals that impacted paratransit riders were cancelled. The first public hearing was held January 18 at the Provo City Library and the second was held January 29 at the Provo Recreation Center.

A total of 28 people attended the public hearings, and six comments were officially received for the public record throughout the comment period. One commenter (received via email) provided feedback in regards to the changes proposed for routes 863 and 864. The commenter suggested some adjustments to the proposal in order for transit to better accommodate his growing business. The commenter also offered to provide bus turnaround and pull out locations near his office building.

A total of five comments were received regarding the service proposal for route 833. Three comments were received by email and two by telephone. All comments were in opposition to the elimination of Saturday service on this route, mainly due to the negative impact this change would have on area paratransit customers. Additionally, at the public hearing held on January 29 those who attended were generally opposed to the changes for route 833. The negative comments were all regarding the changes that are no longer being proposed. Of the remaining changes, there has been no negative feedback.

UTA included the temporary elimination of route 840 in the comment period. This route is on the Utah Valley University campus and is proposed to be eliminated during the summer semester and has historically returned for spring semester. It has been proposed to not bring this route back, but will have a title VI analysis performed prior to a full elimination of the route.

Analysis of Proposed Changes

UTA is required to analyze the potential impacts of any major service change as it relates to low-income populations and minority populations. Pursuant to this requirement, UTA has created the following maps, tables and related data. The data in this section was compiled utilizing American Community Survey (ACS) 2011-2015 5-year estimates, which was dispersed into census blocks, in lieu of the larger block groups. This was done in order to use the smallest geographic area possible for the analysis. The distribution was dictated by population ratios from 2010 Census Data. Proposed service changes were analyzed based on the stops of the route. Fare media analysis was performed based on the location the fare media was used to board the transit vehicle. All stops and tap locations have had a one quarter mile radius applied to them based on the actual accessibility of the stop or tap location by road. Any census block that is overlapped by this walkability radius has its population included as those effected by the proposed changes. These aggregated numbers are compiled as a comparison group to the service area average to determine whether there would be a disparate impact on minority populations and/or a disproportionate burden borne by low-income populations.

The maps in this section will show the route, individual stops with a walkability radius, and census blocks with concentrations of low-income households or minority individuals above the system average, which are shaded according to density.

FTA Circular 4702.1B states that an increase or decrease of fares by media type requires that the "transit provider shall analyze any available information generated from ridership surveys indicating whether minority and/or low-income riders are disproportionately more likely to use the... payment media that would be subject the fare change." Since the fare media that has been proposed to be eliminated is such a small subset of riders, the most recent rider survey did not ask questions specifically about the use of contactless bank cards and/or smart phone payment apps. As such, the ridership data used in this analysis is of a broader group of payment types. Considering the limitations of the ridership data, UTA has also compiled and presented the locations where individual riders have initiated their trip and gathered the demographic information of those locations with a one quarter mile walkability radius using the same parameters stated above.

<u>Route 834</u>

Low-Income Analysis - Addition



Low-income System Average	
Total Population:	2,243,746
Low-income Population:	457,949
Percent low-income:	20.4%

Route 834 – Increased Access		
Total Population:	1,704	
Low-income Population:	591	
Percent low-income:	34.7% (14.3%)	

The table and figure above show the stops and distribution of low-income populations that are *gaining access* as a result of the proposed changes. The low-income populations *benefitting from* this addition is 14.3% above the system average.

Minority Analysis - Addition



Minority System Average	
Total Population:	2,277,455
Minority Population:	499,870
Percent Minority:	21.9%

Route 834 – Increased access	
Total Population:	1,729
Minority Population:	472
Percent Minority:	27.3% (5.4%)

The table and figure above show the stops and distribution of minority populations that are *gaining access* as a result of the proposed changes. The minority populations *benefiting from* this addition is 5.4% above the system average.

Analysis of Lost Access



Minority Population Losing Access		
Total Population:	1,112	
Minority Population:	147	
Percent Minority:	13.2% (-8.7%)	

Low-income Population Losing Access		
Total Population:	1,059	
Minority Population:	296	
Percent Minority:	27.9% <mark>(7.6%)</mark>	

As stops have been eliminated, the map above show those who have both gained and lost access, with the table specifically focusing on those *losing access* to previous stops. The minority populations impacted by this addition is 8.7% below the system average and low-income is 7.6% above the system average.

<u>Route 864</u>

Low-Income Analysis



Low-income System Average	
Total Population:	2,243,746
Low-income Population:	457,949
Percent low-income:	20.4%

Route 864	
Total Population:	583
Low-income Population:	72
Percent low-income:	12.4% (-9.5%)

As expressed in the table and figure above, the low-income populations impacted by this addition is 9.5% below the system average.

Minority Analysis



Minority System Average	
Total Population:	2,277,455
Minority Population:	499,870
Percent Minority:	21.9%

Route 864	
Total Population:	583
Minority Population:	91
Percent Minority:	15.7% (-4.7%)

As expressed in the table and figure above, the minority populations impacted by this addition is 4.7% below the system average.

Removal of Fare Media

Low-Income Analysis



Low-Income Analysis Continued



Low-Income Analysis Continued



Minority Analysis



Minority Analysis Continued



Minority Analysis Continued



Findings of Analysis

Routes 834 – Addition to Route

There were no findings of a disparate impact in this analysis, rather that minority populations would benefit by the rerouting and addition of service. The data did indicate that those potentially losing access to a stop were 7.6% greater than the system average, but the number of low-income populations that benefit from the addition is almost double the number of those losing access to a quarter mile walk radius. While the low-income populations may be required to travel further to a stop, the access to the route has not been altogether eliminated. With these considerations, UTA has determined that there were no disparate impacts on low-income populations from these changes.

Routes 864 – Addition of Route

<u>There were no disparate impacts or disproportionate burden found in the analysis of this</u> <u>service change</u>. While route 864 did have 9.5% less low-income in the impacted populations than the system average, UTA has determined that the addition does not meet UTA's policy on disparate impact. The policy states that the changes must have a "5% worse" effect on protected populations. This addition does not *negatively* impact minority populations since there was no adverse effect such as a decrease in service to fund this new route.

Removal of Fare Media

In examining the demographics of the surrounding population around all of the stop locations where this method of payment was used, there *may* be a disparate impact but there was no indication of a disproportionate burden. As shown below, the low-income population is above the system average by 4.3%, whereas the minority population is 5.3% above the system average.

Minority Populations		
Total Population:	1,130,915	
Minority Population:	307,981	
Percent Minority:	27.2% <mark>(5.3%)</mark>	

Low-Income Population		
Total Population:	1,109,296	
Low-Income Population:	291,009	
Percent Low-Income:	26.2% (4.3%)	

While the demographic information indicates a disparate impact, there are several factors that UTA must account for before concluding there is a disparate impact, especially when examining stop-based demographic data. As mentioned previously, the actual number of people who use this method of payment is an average of 709 people a month with no way of differentiating

how many of these 709 people use a mobile phone app versus a contactless bank card on a bus, which is the only type of payment method that does not have a direct replacement with a TVM or UTA's GoRide phone app.

The only data specific to this payment method available are the locations the card is being used. However, the usage location does not exclusively indicate the rider's origin where demographics could potentially show ridership. The locations are mapped any time this payment method was used in the system, which includes any place of transfer and/or the start of a return trip. While this is the only data available, it does not show the actual rider's demographics and casts too broad a net throughout the system to be reliable for such a small number of riders.

In UTA's most recent ridership survey, where this fare payment method was classified as "Other electronic fare payment", the demographics of those respondents using other electronic fare payment was 22.9% minority. There are, however, many other types of payment that could fall into this category and may not be a direct reflection of the proportionately small subset of those using mobile wallet applications and contactless bank cards. However, as a comparison group of the demographics of those that use electronic fare media, the results of the survey are included below. Note that ridership data is not compared to the system average as defined by the populous of the service area, but that it is compared to the demographics of our ridership data as collected from the survey.

Other EFC Ridership - Minority Populations		
Total Population:	3,274	
Minority Population:	671	
Percent Minority:	20.5% (-4.4%)	

Other EFC Ridership – Low-income Population		
Total Population:	2,617	
Low-Income Population:	843	
Percent Low-Income:	32.2% (-12.3%)	

If this data were to reflect the demographics of those using the payment method proposed to be eliminated, this would indicate that electronic fare media is used less by minority and low-income populations than the ridership average.

In spite of the tap location demographics, the small number of people using this fare payment method (0.15% of ridership) and the general demographics of riders who use other electronic fare media, <u>UTA has determined that there is no disparate impact or disproportionate burden</u> <u>borne by minority or low-income populations</u>.

Appendix A - April 2018 Change Day Public Comment Report

Utah County Routes 833, 834, 840 and 864

Comment Period: 1/4/18-2/13/18

Prepared by Erika Shubin, UTA Public Hearing Officer

For April 2018 Change Day, the UTA Timpanogos (Utah County) Business Unit proposed changes for routes 833, 834, 840 and 864. The proposal for routes 833 and 834 included the elimination of two weekday trips due to schedule changes related to the implementation of Positive Train Control on FrontRunner and a discontinuation of all Saturday trips due to low ridership. The route 840 (a seasonal route) proposal called for the route to be discontinued and replaced by adding additional route 841 trips, and the route 864 is a proposed new route to serve the west side of I-15 near the Lehi Station.

Public Comments and Outreach

In accordance with UTA policy, a public comment period was held from Jan. 4 through Feb. 13, 2018. Several activities were conducted during this period to inform riders and the public and to obtain feedback:

- The public hearing notice was published in the *Provo Daily Herald*, on the state's public notice website and on rideuta.com. Information on the comment period and hearing was also published on UTA's social media channels. In addition, the UTA's Special Services business unit sent postcards to each impacted paratransit customer or to the customer's caregiver.
- Two formal public open houses were held. One open house took place Jan. 18 at the Provo City Library (550 North University Avenue in Provo, Utah), and the second took place Jan. 29 at the Provo Recreation Center (320 West 500 North in Provo, Utah). A total of 28 people attended the two hearings.
- Fliers were posted on select Utah County buses and on Utah County paratransit vehicles.
- Comments were accepted via UTA's website, via email at <u>hearingofficer@rideuta.com</u>, through the mail and by phone.

Overall, seven comments were received on all proposals. One commenter (received via email) provided feedback in regards to the proposed new route, route 864. The commenter suggested some adjustments to the proposal in order for transit to better accommodate his growing business. The commenter also offered to provide bus turnaround and pull out locations near his office building.

A total of six comments were received regarding the service proposals for routes 833 and 834 – four via email, one at the public hearing and one via telephone. All comments were in opposition to the elimination of Saturday service on these routes, mainly due to the negative impact this change would have on area paratransit customers. Additionally, at the public hearing held on Jan. 29, those who attended were generally opposed to the changes for route 833.

No comments were received regarding the proposed cancellation of route 840.

The proposed changes were as follows:

(From the public notice)

- Route 833: Elimination of two weekday trips due to schedule changes. All Saturday trips will be discontinued due to low ridership.
- Route 834: Elimination of two weekday trips due to schedule changes. Route will be extended to the intersection of Orem Center Street and State Street to allow for transfers to route 850 near Orem City Offices. All Saturday trips will be discontinued due to low ridership.
- Route 840: Route to be discontinued and replaced by adding additional route 841 trips. Proposed change will provide customers with more seat availability between the Orem FrontRunner Station and Utah Valley University.
- Route 864: This is a proposed new route to serve the west side of I-15 near Lehi Station. Route will be interlined with route 863 and will only offer weekday peak hour service.
- The proposed fixed bus route changes should be of interest to paratransit eligible riders. UTA is required to provide paratransit at a comparable level of service as to what is provided by the fixed route system. The public transportation guidelines of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) require UTA to provide paratransit services only within a ¾ mile service corridor on either side of a fixed bus route and around a light rail (TRAX) station. UTA Paratransit must provide services during the same days and hours of operation as these fixed route services. Areas that would no longer have fixed bus routes would no longer have direct curb-to-curb paratransit services.

Outcome:

Based on the feedback received and other factors, the proposal for route 833 will not go forward. For route 834, the proposed alignment changes will proceed, but Saturday service will not be eliminated. Route 840 is seasonal service, and the route will be discontinued for the season but will not be permanently eliminated at this time as proposed, and the addition of route 864 will proceed as outlined. Service changes will begin April 8, 2018.

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE UTAH TRANSIT AUTHORITY APPROVING THE PROVO – OREM BUS RAPID TRANSIT TITLE VI EQUITY ANALYSIS

R2018-03-05

March 28, 2018

WHEREAS, the Utah Transit Authority (the "Authority") is a public transit district organized under the laws of the State of Utah and was created to transact and exercise all of the powers provided for in the Utah Limited Purpose Local Government Entities – Local Districts Act and the Utah Public Transit District Act; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Authority (the "Board"), in keeping with the Federal Transit Administration's requirements for public transit agencies and the Civil Rights Act of 1964 has considered and reviewed the Provo – Orem Bus Rapid Transit Title VI Equity Analysis ("Title VI Equity Analysis") prepared by Authority staff; and

WHEREAS, the Board has desires to approve the Title VI Equity Analysis.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of the Authority:

- 1. That the Provo Orem Bus Rapid Transit Title VI Equity Analysis prepared by Authority staff, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A, is hereby approved by the Authority.
- 2. That the Board hereby ratifies any and all actions taken by the Authority's President/CEO, General Counsel, and staff in furtherance of and effectuating the intent of this Resolution.
- 3. That a copy of this Resolution shall be submitted to the Federal Transit Administration.
- 4. That the corporate seal be attached hereto.

Approved and adopted this 28th day of March 2018.

Greg Bell, Chair Board of Trustees

ATTEST:

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Robert K. Biles, Secretary/Treasurer

(Corporate Seal)



CERTIFICATE

The undersigned duly qualified Chair of the Board of Trustees of the Utah Transit Authority certifies that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted at a legally convened meeting of the Board of Trustees held on the 28th day of March 2018.

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Exhibit A



Executive Summary

RE: Title VI Analyses for April Change Day and Provo-Orem BRT

Introduction

Two service and fare equity analyses were conducted to review the proposed changes for April change day and the proposed changes associated with the Provo-Orem Bus Rapid Transit. The analysis was performed in accordance with Federal Transit Administration's Circular 4702.1B, which outlines the Title VI requirements and guidelines for recipients of Federal Transit funds. Service and fare equity analyses are conducted to ensure that proposed changes to service and fares do not inadvertently negatively impact minority or low-income populations. All major changes, even if they appear to be neutral, are analyzed.

UTA has specific parameters set in policy to define the parameters used to determine the demographics of those impacted by the proposed fare and service changes. Impacted populations are compared to the population of the service area to measure whether minority and/or low-income populations are negatively impacted at a greater rate. If negative impacts exceed 5% of the comparison group, UTA takes all prescribed and prudent steps to ensure services are equitable and compliant with federal guidelines and requirements. The Authority has defined the parameters for what would trigger additional steps as a 5% negative impact and analyzes the impacts on minority and low-income populations separately. A greater than 5% impact would trigger a finding of either a Disparate Impact, which would be if the finding is regarding minority populations.

Proposed Changes – April Change Day

Major Changes

Route	Change	
834	Extend route from Riverwoods to State St/Center St in Orem	
864	New route serves Thanksgiving Point area	
Fares Change	Eliminate contactless bank cards and NFC-enabled mobile wallet	
	applications (Apple Pay, Google Pay, etc.) as payment method on	

card readers. Accounts for only .15% of fare revenue.



Proposed Changes – Provo-Orem Bus Rapid Transit

Changes to Parallel or Connecting Service

Route	Change
811	Route will no longer service Mt. Timpanogos Transit Center
821	Route will serve State St, 300 South in Provo instead of East Bay area
830	Route replaced by BRT
838	Route replaced by BRT
840	Route acts as a UVU campus shuttle. Proposed to be eliminated. All
	stops covered by route 841
850	Route will no longer service Mt. Timpanogos Transit Center
862	Route extended to Orem FrontRunner Station; route will no longer
	service Mt. Timpanogos Transit Center

Additional Proposed Changes

Route	Change	
821	Route serves Payson, Salem, Spanish Fork, to Provo via I-15	
	(Springville portion of route to 823)	
823	Route serves Springville, South Provo (created from 821)	
846	Route will serve Orem 800 East, Orem 800 North, Geneva Rd,	
	Vineyard (created from 862)	
849	Route will serve UVU, Orem 1200 West, Orem 1600 North (created	
	from 862)	
862	Split into routes 846, 849	

Findings – April Change Day

The service and fare equity analysis of the proposed addition to route 834, the addition of route 864, and the removal of a fare media *resulted in no findings*.

Findings – Provo-Orem Bus Rapid Transit

The proposed changes for the Provo-Orem BRT system will not be implemented until August change day. However, the FTA requires that these proposed changes be analyzed for Title VI prior to the beginning of revenue operations. Therefore, the following routes have had a service and fare equity analysis conducted in anticipation of the August change day schedule. Some of these changes are dependent on available funding and may or may not be implemented depending on the actions of the UTA Board of Trustees.

The service and fare equity analysis of the Provo-Orem BRT replacement of route 830 and 838 *resulted in no findings*. Of the other proposed changes, there were findings on the following routes:



<u>Route 821 Realignment</u> – Disparate impact *and* disproportionate burden. The realignment removes service from an area with a large percentage of low income and minority populations. However, the new route increases the population with access to the route 13 times. Those with increased access are more than twice the system average in low-income and 10.5% over the system average for minority populations. Additionally, the populations losing access to the 821 would gain access to the Provo-Orem BRT which connects them to the new alignment.

<u>Route 840 Elimination</u> –There is a finding of disproportionate burden. The low-income population in the area is 16.2% greater than the system average. The 840 route is a shuttle service that circulates around the campus of Utah Valley University. This route does, however, have low ridership and the plan to reallocate the operations budget from the 840 into the 841, which stops at all the same stops, is a substantial and legitimate business reason to proceed with the proposed changes. The 841 has 12 times the amount of ridership and brings riders from the Orem Central Station onto the UVU campus instead of only running on campus as the 840 does.

<u>Creation of two routes from Route 821</u> – There is a finding of disproportionate burden. The proposal is to eliminate 9 stops in a low-income population in an area that is 16.2% greater than the system average. The underutilization of the stops being eliminated and the potential gains by offering more expedited service and more service in Spanish Fork was determined to be a substantial and legitimate business reason to proceed with the proposed changes.

Title VI Service and Fare Equity Analysis

Provo-Orem Bus Rapid Transit

Utah Transit Authority

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Introduction

Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, and national origin in programs and activities receiving federal financial assistance. The Utah Transit Authority has committed to the Federal Transit Administration's (FTA) Title VI objectives set forth in Circular 4702.1B ensuring that FTA-assisted benefits and related services are made available and are equitably distributed without regard to race, color, or national origin.

The following analysis is of proposed changes to be implemented in August of 2018. These changes are being proposed to improve service delivery and connectivity throughout Utah County locations, including two major universities. Though the proposed changes are facially neutral, this analysis, in accordance with FTA requirements, will ensure that these changes will not have disproportionately negative impacts on minority and low-income populations within UTA's service area. If these changes are found to be discriminatory, UTA will take all prescribed and prudent steps to ensure services are equitable and compliant with federal guidelines and requirements.

FTA Circular 4702.1B specifically requires "transit providers that have implemented or will implement a New Start, Small Start, or other new fixed guideway capital project *shall conduct a service and fare equity analysis. The service and fare equity analysis will be conducted six months prior to the beginning of revenue operations* [emphasis added], whether or not the proposed changes to existing service rise to the level of 'major service change' as defined by the transit provider. All proposed changes to parallel or connecting service will be examined. If the entity that builds the project is different from the transit provider that will operate the project, the transit provider operating the project shall conduct the analysis. The service equity analysis shall include a comparative analysis of service levels pre-and post- the New Starts/Small Starts/new fixed guideway capital project. The analysis shall be depicted in tabular format and shall determine whether the service changes proposed (including both reductions and increases) due to the capital project will result in a disparate impact on minority populations. The transit provider shall also conduct a fare equity analysis for any and all fares that will change as a result of the capital project."

Pursuant to this guidance and requirement, UTA has conducted this Service and Fare Equity Analysis for the Provo-Orem BRT fixed guideway project and related changes. It is with the express permission of the Federal Transit Administration that UTA brings the analysis before the board five months prior to the beginning of revenue operations.

Summary of Proposed Changes

Provo-Orem Bus Rapid Transit:

Utah Transit Authority will begin operation of the Provo-Orem Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) in August of 2018. The proposed Provo-Orem BRT will serve Utah Valley University, Brigham Young University, Downtown Provo, two malls, two commuter rail stations and several other key locations throughout Provo and Orem. Peak headways are proposed at 6 minutes and will have increased amenities both at stops and on the transit vehicle itself.

Changes to Parallel or Connecting Service

As the Provo-Orem BRT is completed, it will replace the existing routes 830 and 838's. It will also absorb their operational budget. The 830 presently runs nearly the exact routing as the proposed BRT line from the Orem FrontRunner commuter rail station to the Provo station. The 830 has 15 minute headways. The 838 runs from the Provo station and connects the University mall and the East Bay Technology Park and runs three times in the morning and three times in the evening. The transition will decrease the number of stops on both of these routes.

Routes 830, 811, 850 and 862 currently service the Mount Timpanogos Transit Center, which is a quarter mile away from a proposed BRT Station. The 830 stop at this location will not be replaced by the Provo-Orem BRT. Routes 811, 850 and 862 will be moving stop locations to more efficiently interface with the new BRT station. Route 862 had s proposed alignment change to better interface with the Provo-Orem BRT and provide better service.

Additional Proposed Changes

The Utah Transit Authority has proposed two other changes that may be approved to come into service at the same time that the Provo-Orem BRT will. These changes are pending budgetary approval, but are included in this analysis in order ensure Title VI requirements are incorporated in the decision making process. They will increase and target service to communities in the Utah Valley in an effort to increase access and ridership.

Fare Considerations

There is a proposal from the Mountainland Association of Governments to provide a sponsored fare for the Provo-Orem BRT which would be at no cost to the individual rider. Sponsorship would pay what would have been collected through farebox recovery.

UTA Policy and Definitions

UTA has developed corporate policy 1.1.28 Title VI Compliance Policy to define and evaluate the impacts of proposed major services changes on minority and low-income populations in conjunction with a public outreach process. In developing this policy, UTA solicited feedback through newspapers within the service area, published on UTA's website (rideuta.com), and Utah's government website in the public notices section (Utah.gov) which provides translation options. In conjunction with the Salt Lake County Office of Diversity Affairs, which maintains an email list of local entities and individuals with interest in diversity issues, UTA sent an email notification soliciting feedback in the development of this policy. Additional targeted outreach was done, which included mailing a letter and the policy or sending emails to community organizations that work with minority or low-income populations.

The following references to policy are from subsections of corporate policy 1.1.28 and were created to ensure that all equity analyses are performed using the same parameters and are in line with FTA Circular 4702.1B.

Definitions

- A. "Disparate Impact" refers to a facially neutral policy or practice that disproportionately affects members of a group identified by race, color, or national origin, where the recipient's policy or practice lacks a substantial legitimate justification and where there exists one or more alternatives that would serve the same legitimate objectives but with less disproportionate effect on the basis of race, color, or national origin.
- B. "Bus Rapid Transit (BRT)" refers to a high-quality bus-based transit system that delivers fast and efficient service that may include dedicated lanes, busways, traffic signal priority, off-board fare collection, elevated platforms and enhanced stations. Since BRT contains features similar to a light rail or subway system, it is often considered more reliable, convenient and faster than regular bus services. With the right features, BRT is able to avoid the delays that can slow regular bus services, like being stuck in traffic and queuing to pay on board.
- *C. "Disproportionate Burden"* refers to a neutral policy or practice that disproportionately affects the low-income population more than non-low-income populations.
- D. "Low-income Population" refers to any readily identifiable group of low-income persons who live in geographic proximity, and, if circumstances warrant, geographically dispersed/ transient persons (such as migrant workers or Native Americans) who will be similarly affected by a proposed FTA program, policy or activity.

- *E.* "*Minority Person*" include the following:
 - 1. American Indian or Alaska Native, which refers to people having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America), and who maintain tribal affiliation or community attachment.
 - Asian, which refers to people having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent, including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.
 - 3. Black or African American, which refers to people having origins in any of the Black racial groups of Africa.
 - 4. Hispanic or Latino, which includes persons of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.
 - 5. Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander, which refers to people having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.
- *F.* "*Minority Population*" means any readily identifiable group of minority persons who live in geographic proximity.
- *G.* "*National Origin*" means the particular nation in which a person was born, or where the person's parents or ancestors were born.
- H. "System Average" The system average is the averages of minorities and low-income persons within the total populous of the geographic regions UTA serves. The present system averages are expressed below in tabular format using 2011-2015 5-year population estimates provided by the American Community Survey (ACS).

Low-Income System Average:	
Population: 2,243,746	
Low-Income Population:	457,949
Percent Low-income:	20.4%

Minority System Average:	
Population:	2,277,455
Minority Population:	499,870
Percent Minority:	21.9%

Major Service Change

UTA will consider the following types of changes to be "major changes", which require public input and a Title VI equity analysis in compliance with FTA's Circular 4702.1B

- a) The Addition of Service;
- b) A proposed service level reduction in miles, hours, or trips of thirty three percent (33%) or more of any route;
- c) The elimination of all service during a time period (peak, midday, evening, Saturday, or Sunday);
- d) A proposed twenty-five (25%) or greater change in route alignment;
- e) A proposed fare change.

Evaluation and Analysis of Service and Fare Changes

- 1. UTA will analyze proposed major changes to service and any proposed fare changes in accordance with FTA's Circular C 4702.1B as amended.
- 2. UTA will evaluate the impacts of all major service changes cumulatively when there is more than one route being affected for a service change period
- UTA will primarily utilize American Community Survey (ACS) Data, block group data and/ or ridership data to evaluate and analyze any proposed major service and fare changes. This data will be analyzed with Geographic Information System (GIS) software.
- 4. UTA will rely on population data and use the smallest geographic area that reasonably has access to the stop or station effected by the proposed major service change. This will be translated into a one-quarter mile radius to a bus stop, one-half mile to a light rail station and three miles to a commuter rail station.

Disparate Impact and Disproportionate Burden

- UTA will measure the burdens of service and fare changes on minority riders to determine when minority riders are bearing a disparate impact from the change between the existing service or fare and the proposed service or fare.
- UTA will measure the burdens of service and fare changes on low-income riders to determine when low-income riders are bearing a disproportionate burden of the change between the existing service or fare and the proposed service or fare.
- 3. A threshold of 5% will be used to determine disparate impact on minority populations and disproportionate burden on low-income populations. This 5% is based on the margin of error from the US Census data that UTA uses to determine the populations in the service area. This means that if the burden of the service or fare change on minority or low-income populations is more than 5% worse than it is for the non-protected populations, then the change will be considered either a disparate impact or a disproportionate burden.

Finding a Disparate Impact

 At the conclusion of UTA's Analysis, if UTA finds a disparate impact on the basis of race, color, or national origin, UTA shall seek to modify the proposed changes in a way that will mitigate the adverse effects that are disproportionately borne by minorities. Modifications made to the proposed changes must be reanalyzed in order to determine whether the modifications actually removed the potential disparate impacts.

- 2. If UTA chooses not to alter the proposed services changes despite the potential disparate impact on minority populations, or if UTA finds, even after the revisions, that minority riders will continue to bear a disproportionate share of the proposed service or fare change, UTA may implement the change only if:
 - a. UTA has substantial legitimate justification for the proposed change; and
 - b. UTA can show that there are no alternatives that would have a less disparate impact on the minority riders but would still accomplish the transit provider's legitimate program goals. In order to show this, UTA must consider and analyze alternatives to determine whether those alternatives would have less of a disparate impact on the basis of race, color, or national origin, and then implement the least discriminatory alternative

Finding a Disproportionate Burden

If at the conclusion of the analysis, UTA finds that low-income populations will bear a disproportionate burden of the proposed major service change, UTA will take steps to avoid, minimize, or mitigate impacts where practicable. UTA will also describe alternatives available to low-income passengers affected by the service changes.

Proposed Changes

Provo-Orem BRT Replacement

Route 830 - Removal

Route 830 runs from the Orem Central Station, which is serviced by the commuter rail FrontRunner, through Orem and Provo connecting Utah Valley University and Brigham Young University and ends at the Provo Central Station. According to the 2015-2016 on board survey conducted by UTA, this route is largely ridden by students going to and from class (54% of riders surveyed). 73% of riders also reported that transit was their only method of travel other than walking to get where they were going, making this route crucial for many people. In calendar year 2016, this route averaged 2,380 boardings per day and is the second most utilized route in the Timpanogos Bus Unit. This route will be eliminated and immediately replaced with the Provo-Orem BRT.

Route 830-Provo/Orem FrontRunner Connector



Route 838 – Removal

Route 838 runs six times per day, three in the morning and three in the afternoon. The schedule is shown below. This route averages 42 boardings per day and is primarily focused on connecting the FrontRunner station to shopping and employment destinations. The 838 will be replaced by the Provo Orem BRT. The route of the Provo-Orem BRT will not follow the exact path of the 838 it is replacing, but it will provide ample opportunity through similar stop locations and an additional stop on the southern end of the East Bay Technology Park to get to and from the same locations with increased service.

Route 838-East Bay



Provo Central Station	Provo Towne Centre Mall	East Bay	Provo Towne Centre Mall	Provo Central Station
747a	751a	753a	756a	800a
817	821	823	826	830
847	851	853	856	900
429p	433p	435p	438p	442p
459	503	505	508	512
529	533	535	538	542

Provo-Orem BRT - Addition

The proposed Provo-Orem BRT will serve Utah Valley University, Brigham Young University, Downtown Provo, two malls, two commuter rail stations and several other key locations. Residential density in key sections of the project is the highest in Utah outside downtown Salt Lake. However, the area was designed with insufficient highway capacity, and what capacity exists is now overwhelmed. At peak hours, University Parkway and University Avenue both have very long wait times, with traffic waiting 2-4 cycle lengths just to reach the front of the line. In that environment sits Route 830, the most heavily used in the county in terms of passengers per mile, but it is stuck in the same traffic.



There is market demand to intensify and redevelop the corridor. There is room to widen, and giving another lane to vehicles is one option for creating capacity needed to serve emerging redevelopment, but this is a temporary solution that may encourage more auto dependency. The more sustainable solution is the congestion free transit that bus rapid transit would offer. 51% of the Provo-Orem BRT's route will offer dedicated lanes that regular traffic will not be

able to access. In addition, UTA will include GPS in the buses that will interface with stop lights that will prioritize any transit vehicles running behind schedule. In a travel forecasting report conducted jointly by Metro Analytics and the Wasatch Front Regional Council, it was estimated one-way boardings will be around 12,000 per day which will greatly benefit both the community utilizing the Provo-Orem BRT and decrease traffic for those not riding this service.



In addition to a dedicated lane, UTA will be constructing stations much like a light rail which will decrease wait time. An artist's rendering is shown above of the Provo Library Station concept. This illustration shows seating, shelter, garbage receptacles, card readers and TVMs. The Authority has also ordered 25 articulating buses, 18 of which will be in service at any time. These buses will provide ample seating and near level-boarding from stations. As shown in the image below, they have five doors to accommodate center platform stations in the middle of the road (as shown in the image above) and side platform stations with one station on each side of the road.



Fare Considerations

Mountainland Association of Governments (MAG) has expressed interest in allocating funding to sponsor the fare of the Provo-Orem BRT. This fare sponsorship would require no fare to be paid by the individual rider, but would be paid on their behalf by MAG. If this proposal is not approved, UTA may offer no cost to riders as a promotional fare with no plans to have this exceed the six month promotional fare period. If, for any reason, the promotional fare period is going to be exceeded, UTA will conduct a fare equity analysis before it becomes the permanent fare in accordance with UTA policy and FTA requirements.

Mt. Timpanogos Transit Center – Stop Relocation

The Mount Timpanogos Transit Center is located at 1145 South 750 East, just east of the University Place Mall. The routing requires the present service on the 830 to divert from University Parkway, turn at the light, stop at the transit center, then proceed south ultimately taking another turn to get back onto University Parkway. A map is shown below. Eliminating this detour will make the Provo-Orem BRT more efficient. A station will be placed on University Parkway less than a quarter mile away from the Mt. Timpanogos Transit Center.



In response to this, there will also be a need to modify other routes servicing the Transit Center in order to increase connectivity to the Provo-Orem BRT. Routes 811, 850 and 862 will have their trips to the Mount Timpanogos Transit Center adjusted to meet the nearest Provo-Orem BRT station. The 811 will stop along University Parkway and *not* proceed north to the transit center. The 850 will stop at the BRT station and not turn into the transit center. The 862 will proceed south on 800 East, West on University Parkway and go around the block utilizing State Street and 800 South. UTA considers these changes included in the stop to station comparative analysis of the 830 removal as these other routes have the same populations impacted as those of the 830. Additionally, stops along the 862 are listed as mitigation in this area as it connects northern riders to the new BRT Station. See below for a map illustrating the new routing.



Route 821 – Realignment

It is proposed to realign route 821 in the northern section of its route, specific to how it approaches the Provo Central Station where Frontrunner and the Provo-Orem BRT have stations. The route will remain on State Street until it can approach the Provo Central Station from the north where riders can connect with the Provo-Orem BRT and reach destinations previously directly reached by the 821 such as the East Bay Technology Park.

Route 862 – Addition to Route

On the northern end of the proposed Provo-Orem BRT route, there are some proposed changes to the route 862 which would add service to the Orem FrontRunner station. These stops are included as a mitigating factor as they provide some connectivity that may have been lost to those in the area who were accustomed to accessing the 830 on one of the stops on Geneva Road. Additionally, there is some rerouting, as shown in the image below, on the east side of the route that will eliminate the Mount Timpanogos Transit Center from the route then connect the 862 to the BRT station on University Parkway then go around the block.



Route 840 – Elimination

Route 840 follows nearly the same routing as the 841 but only runs around the UVU campus. It is proposed to eliminate service to this route due to low utilization and reallocate the resources to and increase capacity on the 841 by providing up to three buses at stops during high demand periods.



The ridership of the 840 averages 88 boardings per day during spring semester at UVU and 117 times during the fall. In comparison, the 841 has 1,142 average boardings per day in the spring and 1,403 in the fall. The difference shows that there is higher ridership demand from the Orem Central Station going to the UVU campus than going around the campus itself. There will be a reduction in the number times a bus will stop at each stop as combined 841 and 840 headways will be reduced, but the highest demand is for capacity when a FrontRunner train stops and riders are seeking to get to campus. The 841 headways would be 30 minutes.

Additional Proposed Changes

In addition to the changes listed above, the Timpanogos business unit has proposed additional improvements to service. These proposed service changes are in conjunction with the Provo-Orem BRT and therefore are added to this analysis per the FTA Circular 4702.1B's requirement that "all proposed changes to parallel or connecting service will be examined." These changes are pending budgetary approval and may not be put into service, but will be analyzed here in order to ensure both compliance with FTA requirements and that they are not inadvertently discriminatory to minority and/or low-income populations.

Route 821 – Split into two routes

As shown in the image to the right, it is proposed to take the existing 821, shown as a dotted line. and turn it into two routes. At present, this route takes people North and South between Provo Central Station the cities of Spanish Fork, Salem and Payson. In an effort to expedite the time spent in transit, it is proposed to divert what would be the new 821 after passing through Spanish Fork on to the freeway directly and up to the Provo Central Station. The proposed new route 823 would serve more of Springville and take the new northern routing previously explained for the 821. The stops being eliminated between Springville and Spanish Fork are, by in large, unused. The most used stop averages eleven boardings



per day, but is 1,085 feet from a stop that will be kept. Of the remaining eight stops, four of them average zero boardings per day, two average three boardings and the remaining two stops average 1 and 2 boardings per day respectively. The proposal would increase headways to 30 minutes during peak times on the weekdays and 60 minute peak headways on Saturday.

Route 862 – Split into two routes

It is proposed to take the existing 862 route with the proposed alignment changes previously explained and create two new routes. The proposed route 846 will follow the eastern edge of the existing 862 and will take a western course that will provide additional service to Orem and Vineyard as it continues past the freeway and provides new service on the west of the Freeway. The proposed route 849 will continue on the alignment of the 862 and carries it all the way down through Orem, UVU and ends at the Provo Central Station. Both the 846 and 849 will have 30 minute peak headways on the weekdays and 60 minute peak headways on Saturday.



Analysis of Proposed Changes

UTA is required to analyze the potential impacts of any major service change as it relates to Low-income populations and minority populations. Pursuant to this requirement, UTA has created the following maps, tables and related data. The data in this section was compiled utilizing American Community Survey (ACS) 2011-2015 5-year estimates, which was dispersed into census blocks, in lieu of the larger block groups. This was done in order to use the smallest geographic area possible for the analysis. The distribution was dictated by population ratios from 2010 Census Data. Analysis was done based on the stops of the route. All stops have had a one quarter mile radius applied to them based on the actual accessibility of the route by road. Any census block that is overlapped by this "walkability radius" has its population included as those effected by the proposed changes. These aggregated numbers are compiled as a comparison group to the service area's average to determine disparate impact and disproportionate burden.

When analyzing a bus stop, UTA uses a one quarter mile walk radius from the stop. However, since the transit behaviors of a BRT more closely resemble a light rail platform than a traditional bus stop, UTA conducted further research and consultation with the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) to determine if the half mile metric was applicable to bus rapid transit. We considered many factors in regards to the decision of what is a reasonable distance someone would walk to ride the Provo-Orem BRT. The place of boarding is in a dedicated station where the amenities are comparable to a light rail station. The proposed headways, at 6 minutes, are less than half of that of the rail system in Salt Lake City. The transit vehicles are large, articulating and have five doors that resemble level boarding. In light of these differences, UTA has determined that a half mile walk radius is the appropriate measure for this mode of transportation, which is the standard practice in many studies and corroborated by the FTA.

Please note that any disparity in population size between Low Income and Minority Populations is due to the way in which American Community Survey counts low income populations. "Group quarters", a type of housing, is eliminated from low income ACS data, resulting in the reduced population for that demographic. Group quarters includes residential treatment centers, group homes, military barracks, correctional facilities and college residence halls.

The maps in this section will show the route, individual stops with a walkability radius, and census blocks with concentrations of low-income individuals or minority individuals above the system average, which are shaded according to density.

<u>Route 830</u>

Low-Income Analysis



The total impacted population compared to the system average are shown below in tabular format below.

Low-income System Average		
Total Population:	2,243,746	
Low-income Population:	457,949	
Percent low-income:	20.4%	

Route 821 – Increased Access		
Total Population:	29,571	
Low-income Population:	7,171	
Percent low-income:	24.3% (3.9%)	

As expressed in the table above, the total low-income population impacted by this elimination is 3.9% greater than the system average.

Minority Analysis



The total impacted population compared to the system average are shown below in tabular format below.

Minority System Average		
Total Population:	2,277,445	
Low-income Population:	499,870	
Percent low-income:	21.9%	

Route 821 & 823 – Increased Access		
Total Population:	36,159	
Low-income Population:	6,858	
Percent low-income:	19% (-2.9%)	

As expressed in the table above, the low-income population impacted by this elimination is 2.9% below the system average.

<u>Route 838</u>

Low-Income Analysis



The total impacted population compared to the system average are shown below in tabular format below.

Low-income System Average		
Total Population:	2,243,746	
Low-income Population:	457,949	
Percent low-income:	20.4%	

Route 821 – Increased Access		
Total Population:	1,546	
Low-income Population:	785	
Percent low-income:	50.8% <mark>(30.4%)</mark>	

As expressed in the table above, the total low-income population impacted by this elimination is 30.4% greater than the system average.

Minority Analysis



The total impacted population compared to the system average are shown below in tabular format below.

Minority System Average		
Total Population:	2,277,445	
Low-income Population:	499,870	
Percent low-income:	21.9%	

Route 821 & 823 – Increased Access		
Total Population:	1,519	
Low-income Population:	928	
Percent low-income:	58.3% <mark>(36.4%)</mark>	

As expressed in the table above, the low-income population impacted by this elimination is 36.4% above the system average.

Proposed BRT

Low-Income Analysis



The total impacted population compared to the system average are shown below in tabular format below.

Low-income System Average		
Total Population:	2,243,746	
Low-income Population:	457,949	
Percent low-income:	20.4%	

Route 821 – Increased Access		
Total Population:	45,479	
Low-income Population:	24,647	
Percent low-income:	53.9% (33.5%)	

As expressed in the table above, the total low-income population impacted by this addition 33.5% greater than the system average.

Minority Analysis



The total effected population compared to the system average are shown below in tabular format below.

Minority System Average		
Total Population:	2,277,445	
Low-income Population:	499,870	
Percent low-income:	21.9%	

Route 821 & 823 – Increased Access	
Total Population:	53,882
Low-income Population:	11,816
Percent low-income:	21.9%

As expressed in the table above, the minority population impacted by this addition is at the system average.

Comparative Analysis of Route 830 & 838 to Provo-Orem BRT



Low-Income Population:	
Population:	1,470
Low-Income Population:	365
Percent Low-income:	24.8% (+4.4%)

Minority Population:	
Population:	1,599
Minority Population:	279
Percent Minority:	17.4% (-4.5%)

As expressed in the table above, the number of people excluded from the impacted populations is numerically a small (less than 3% of the BRT's service area). Low-income people negatively impacted by this replacement are 4.5% more than the system average while the minority population is 4.5% less than the system average. It also completely mitigates route 838.

Route 830 & 838 Removal – Mitigating Stops

Low-Income and Minority Analysis with mitigation from routes 831, 811 and an extended 862



The total effected population by the proposed elimination of Route 830 and not covered by the Proposed BRT or mitigating stops are shown below in tabular format below.

Low-Income Population:	
Population:	406
Low-Income Population:	105
Percent Low-income:	25.9% <mark>(+5.5%)</mark>

Minority Population:	
Population:	441
Minority Population:	77
Percent Minority:	17.5% (-4.4%)

As expressed in the table above, the total low-income population negatively impacted by this elimination and with the addition of mitigating stops and an increased BRT access is 5.5% greater than the system average. The minority population is 4.4% less than the system average. The total population not covered represents 28% of the non-mitigated areas and .8% of the BRT's service area.

Fares Consideration

The FTA Circular 4702.1B states that transit providers "shall analyze any available information generated from ridership surveys" when choosing datasets for fare changes. In the 2015 and 2016, UTA conducted an On-Board Survey of over 16,000 people where demographics were collected and compiled based on several factors, route being one of them. Route 830 had 210 respondents and will be the dataset used in examining the possibility of a sponsored fare. 27 of the respondents selected, "prefer not to answer" on the income question. That difference is shown in the tables below. The sponsored fare that may be contributed by Mountainland Association of Government is designed to cover the portion of the operation budget that is anticipated to be covered by fare collection revenue and would cover the rider's fare. The individual rider would not be expected to pay a fare.

Average from all Surveyed

Low-Income Pop. (Under 10k annual):	
Population:	13,306
Low-Income Population:	1,601
Percent Low-income:	12%

Low-Income Pop. (Under 20k annual):	
Population:	13,306
Low-Income Population:	3,531
Percent Low-income:	26.5%

Low-Income Pop. (Under 10k annual):	
Population:	183
Low-Income Population:	38
Percent Low-income:	20.8% (+8.8%)

Average from all surveyed on 830

Low-Income Pop. (Under 20k annual):	
Population:	183
Low-Income Population:	78
Percent Low-income:	42.6% (+16.1%)

Low-Income Pop. (Under 30k annual):	
Population:	13,306
Low-Income Population:	5,915
Percent Low-income:	44.5%

Population:	183
Low-Income Population:	114
Percent Low-income:	62.3% (+17.8%)

Low-Income Pop. (Under 30k annual):

Minority Population:	
Population:	16,408
Low-Income Population:	4,081
Percent Low-income:	24.9%

Minority Population:	
Population:	210
Minority Population:	61
Percent Minority:	29% (+4.1%)

Route 821 – Realignment

Low-Income Analysis



Low-income System Average		Route 821 – Increase	d Access
Total Population:	2,243,746	Total Population:	
Low-income Population:	457,949	Low-income Population:	
Percent low-income:	20.4%	Percent low-income:	42.3% (2

As expressed in the table and figure above, the low-income populations impacted by this addition is 21.9% above the system average.

8,813

3,727

42.3% (21.9%)

Minority Analysis



Minority System Average		
Total Population:	2,277,455	
Minority Population:	499,870	
Percent Minority:	21.9%	

Route 821 – Increased access		
Total Population:	8,888	
Minority Population:	2,875	
Percent Minority:	32.4% (10.5%)	

As expressed in the table and figure above, the minority populations impacted by this addition is 10.5% above the system average.

Analysis of Lost Access



Minority Population Losing Access		
Total Population:	680	
Minority Population:	437	
Percent Minority:	64.3% <mark>(42.4%)</mark>	

Low-income Population Losing Access		
Total Population:	670	
Minority Population:	356	
Percent Minority:	53.9% <mark>(33.5%)</mark>	

As stops have been eliminated, the map above show those who have both gained and lost access, with the table specifically focusing on those *losing access* to previous stops. The minority populations impacted by this addition is 7% above the system average and low-income is 24% above the system average.

<u>Route 840</u>

Low-Income Analysis



Low-income System Average		
Total Population:	2,243,746	
Low-income Population:	457,949	
Percent low-income:	20.4%	

Route 821 – Increased Access		
Total Population:	3,629	
Low-income Population:	1,327	
Percent low-income:	36.6% <mark>(16.2%)</mark>	

As expressed in the table and figure above, the low-income populations impacted by this addition is 16.2% above the system average.

Minority Analysis



Minority System Average		
Total Population:	2,277,445	
Low-income Population:	499,870	
Percent low-income:	21.9%	

Route 821 & 823 – Increased Access		
Total Population:	3,683	
Low-income Population:	916	
Percent low-income:	24.9% (3%)	

As expressed in the table and figure above, the minority populations impacted by this addition is 3% above the system average.

Route 821 – Split into 821 & 823

Low-Income Analysis



Low-income System Average	
Total Population:	2,243,746
Low-income Population:	457,949
Percent low-income:	20.4%

Route 864 – Increased Access		
Total Population:	9258	
Low-income Population:	3,776	
Percent low-income:	40.8% (20.4%)	

The table and figure above show the stops and distribution of low-income populations that are *gaining access* as a result of the proposed changes. The low-income populations *benefitting from* this addition is 20.4% above the system average.

Minority Analysis



Minority System Average	
Total Population:	2,277,445
Low-income Population:	499,870
Percent low-income:	21.9%

Route 821 & 823 – Increased Access		
Total Population:	9,321	
Low-income Population:	2,813	
Percent low-income:	30.2% (8.3%)	

The table and figure above show the stops and distribution of minority populations that are *gaining access* as a result of the proposed changes. The minority populations *benefiting from* this addition is 9.8% above the system average.

Analysis of Lost Access



Minority Population Losing Access		
Total Population:	1,794	
Minority Population:	519	
Percent Minority:	28.9% <mark>(7%)</mark>	

Low-income Population Losing Access		
Total Population:	1,740	
Minority Population:	772	
Percent Minority:	44.4% <mark>(24%)</mark>	

As stops have been eliminated, the map above show those who have both gained and lost access, with the table specifically focusing on those *losing access* to previous stops. The minority populations impacted by this addition is 7% above the system average and low-income is 24% above the system average.

Route 862 – Split into 845 & 849

Low-Income Analysis



Low-income System A	verage	Route 864 – Increased Access	
Total Population:	2,243,746	Total Population:	15,54
Low-income Population:	457,949	Low-income Population:	4,87
Percent low-income:	20.4%	Percent low-income: 31.49	6 <mark>(10%</mark>

The table and figure above show the stops and distribution of low-income populations that are *gaining access* as a result of the proposed changes. The low-income populations *benefitting from* this addition is 10% above the system average.

Minority Analysis



Low-income System Average		
Total Population:	2,243,746	
Low-income Population:	457,949	
Percent low-income:	20.4%	

Route 821 & 823 – Increased Access		
Total Population:	18,404	
Low-income Population:	4,542	
Percent low-income:	24.7% (4.3%)	

The table and figure above show the stops and distribution of minority populations that are *gaining access* as a result of the proposed changes. The minority populations *benefiting from* this addition is 4.3 % above the system average.

Analysis of Lost Access



As the changes were analyzed, the map above shows those who have both gained and lost access. There is only one census block that does not have access to the route when it used to, but there is nobody living in the census block. As such, nobody would lose access due to this proposed change.

Findings of Analysis

Replacement of Route 830

There were no findings of a disparate impact or disproportionate burden in the removal of the 830. The BRT covers all of the routing of the 830 with one exception at the Mount Timpanogos Transit Center. Though the number of stop to stations is not the same, the increased amenities, travel time and headways would drive people to travel farther to access the new service. When the comparison of stops with a quarter mile radius are overlaid with the new stations having a half mile radius, the populations excluded from this radius is minimal and within UTA's threshold for Disparate Impact and Disproportionate burden. When mitigating stops from the 826, 850 and 811 are added, the number of people that do not fall within a quarter mile to a mitigating stop and/or a half mile to a BRT station decreases 82%. There is, however, a shift in demographics that may indicate that the low-income populations exceed the threshold set by the Authority in regards to disproportionate burden. However, considering the population size and the demographics of those directly impacted by the replacement being within the threshold, UTA has determined that this would *not* be considered a disproportionate burden.

Replacement of Route 838

There were no findings of a disparate impact or disproportionate burden in the removal of the <u>838.</u> In examining the new stops with a half mile walk radius, we actually find that the numbers this route could serve is 51% low-income and 61% are minority. Close to 400 additional people fall within this new expanded walk radius and those who were added have a greater concentration of low-income and minority populations. Below are tables showing the demographics of those in the BRT as compared to the 838. There were no census blocks excluded from the comparison and there is likely a net gain for protected populations as shown in the tables below.

Provo-Orem BRT Stops covering the 838:

Low-Income Population:	
Population:	1866
Low-Income Population:	967
Percent Low-income:	51% (+30.6)

Route 838:

Low-Income Population:	
Population:	1,546
Low-Income Population:	785
Percent Low-income:	50.8% (+30.4%)

Minority Population:	
Population:	1914
Minority Population:	1174
Percent Minority:	61% (+39.1%)

Minority Population:	
Population:	1,519
Minority Population:	928
Percent Minority:	58.3% (+36.4%)

862 Alignment Changes

<u>There were no findings of a disparate impact or disproportionate burden in the proposed</u> <u>alignment changes to the 862.</u> The changes on the east side of the 862 will not provide any stop changes, excluding the Timpanogos Transit Center stop shifting to one that will connect riders to the Provo-Orem BRT. These changes have been determined to not detrimentally impact riders. The riders on the west side will benefit from the proposed addition of routing connecting Utah Valley University to the FrontRunner Station. The populations now receiving access to this route are listed below and are not outside of the UTA threshold for disparate impact or disproportionate burden in that they do not *negatively* impact low income and minority populations in excess of 5%, whereas the addition *positively* impacts the population below.

Low-Income Population:	
Population:	2559
Low-Income Population:	609
Percent Low-income:	25.5% (+5.1%)

Minority Population:	
Population:	3577
Minority Population:	609
Percent Minority:	17% (-4.9%)

Mt. Timpanogos Transit Center

In examining the changes being made to the Mt. Timpanogos Transit Center, it is clear that this detour would not have been efficient when trying to run the kind of service that the BRT will run. It requires light dependent left hand turns and a station is proposed to be built within one quarter mile of the Transit Center. Excluding this stop is easily mitigated by nearby route 862 stops where the route 862 will provide a connection to the Provo-Orem BRT station. The other changes being made to connect riders to the BRT instead of detouring to the Mt. Timpanogos Transit Center are required to access the new service and be effective. When considering the demographics of those being impacted, UTA <u>does not identify any disproportionate burden or disparate impact in this change.</u> The new station and mitigating stops provide adequate service to connect those used to boarding the 830 or other routes at this center.

Fare Considerations

The low-income and minority riders on the 830 are greater than the system average established by the most recent ridership survey. In consideration of this, UTA does <u>not find a</u> <u>disproportionate burden or disparate impact</u> on protected populations if the fare were sponsored as has been proposed. All riders, regardless of their status, would equally have access to the sponsored fare and the geographic and ridership data both indicate that this sponsored fare would be offered to minority populations equally or in excess of the system average and far exceed the system average for low-income populations.

Route 821 – Realignment

According to ACS data, the proposed changes would result in direct access to *this route* being eliminated to 680 people. The demographics of those individuals <u>does result in a disparate impact and a disproportionate burden</u> as more than half of those impacted have been identified as minority and/or low income. The proposed reroute would, however increase the number of people with a quarter mile walk access to this route by 13 times. Those with increased access are more than twice the system average in low-income (21.9%) and 10.5% over the system average for the minority population. In addition to the increased access brought by the 821 proposed realignment, those that live in the area where the route currently runs have access to the Provo-Orem BRT which will have increased service and will bring a direct connection to the proposed alignment of the 821. With the increased service on the BRT in the area and the added populations with access to the 821, it would appear that there is an actual net gain for minority and low-income populations than if service were not changed in the area. As this analysis is being performed prior to a public comment period, the feedback of the public will be accounted for as prior to this proposal being implemented.

Route 862 – Addition to Route

<u>There were no findings of a disparate impact or disproportionate burden in the realignment of</u> <u>the 862.</u> This does not exclude any populations from the change, but adds service and stops that mitigate some of the stops excluded in the 830 to Provo-Orem BRT replacement.

Route 840 – Elimination

There were no findings of a disparate impact in the proposed elimination of the 840. The data does indicate a disproportionate burden. In reviewing the proposal UTA has determined that in
removing this route from service in order to allocate resources to the much more heavily used 841, which services all the same stops, that the riders using this route will have an adequate mitigation in place to which they can plan their transit needs and would benefit from the increased capacity from the Provo Central Station to locations around campus.

Additional Proposed Changes

Route 821 – Split into 821 & 823

The northern realignment of the 821 was reviewed in the previous section and those concerns were addressed in that section of the analysis. When reviewing the additional proposal to realign the route to exclude stops between Spanish Fork and Springville, the data below shows the number of people excluded by this proposal not already analyzed in the 821 realignment.

Minority Population Losing Access		
Total Population:	1,114	
Minority Population:	82	
Percent Minority:	7.3% (-14.6%)	

Low-income Population Losing Access		
Total Population:	1,070	
Minority Population:	416	
Percent Minority:	38.9% <mark>(18.5%)</mark>	

As the table above indicates, <u>there is a finding disproportionate burden, but no disparate</u> <u>impact</u> on those that would lose access from the proposed change. It is worth noting again that the stops the proposal would eliminate, the most used stop averages 11 boardings per day and is 1,085 feet from a stop that will still be serviced. Of the remaining eight stops that would be eliminated, half of them average zero boardings per day and the other half do not exceed three average boardings per day. UTA is yet to go to public comment regarding this proposal and has not received budgetary approval to proceed, but will consider the feedback received regarding the change prior to implementation. Steps will be taken to avoid, minimize or mitigate any potential impacts that may be brought to light through the public comment period.

Based on ridership and the projected benefits UTA, has determined that there is a legitimate business justification to proceed with changes if approved.

Route 862 – Split into 846 & 849

<u>There were no findings of a disparate impact or disproportionate burden in the proposal</u> to create two routes out of the 862. There were no populated census blocks removed from a quarter mile walk access to current service and the populations with added service by the proposal are above both the low-income and minority system averages.

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE UTAH TRANSIT AUTHORITY APPROVING THE AUGUST 2018 CHANGE DAY TITLE VI EQUITY ANALYSIS

R2018-06-06

June 27, 2018

WHEREAS, the Utah Transit Authority (the "Authority") is a public transit district organized under the laws of the State of Utah and was created to transact and exercise all of the powers provided for in the Utah Limited Purpose Local Government Entities – Local Districts Act and the Utah Public Transit District Act; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Authority (the "Board"), in keeping with the Federal Transit Administration's requirements for public transit agencies and the Civil Rights Act of 1964 has considered and reviewed the April 2018 Change Day Title VI Equity Analysis ("Title VI Equity Analysis") prepared by Authority staff; and

WHEREAS, the Board has desires to approve the Title VI Equity Analysis.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of the Authority:

- 1. That the August 2018 Change Day Title VI Equity Analysis prepared by Authority staff, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A, is hereby approved by the Authority.
- 2. That the Board hereby ratifies any and all actions taken by the Authority's Interim Executive Director and staff in furtherance of and effectuating the intent of this Resolution.
- 3. That a copy of this Resolution shall be submitted to the Federal Transit Administration.
- 4. That the corporate seal be attached hereto.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 27th day of June, 2018.

Greg Bell, Chair Board of Trustees

ATTEST:

Robert K. Biles, Secretary/Treasurer

(Corporate Seal)



CERTIFICATE

The undersigned duly qualified Chair of the Board of Trustees of the Utah Transit Authority certifies that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted at a legally convened meeting of the Board of Trustees held on the 27th day of June, 2018.

Greg Bell, Chair Board of Trustees

Robert K. Biles, Secretary/Treasurer

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Exhibit A





Title VI Service Equity Analysis

August 2018

Utah Transit Authority

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Introduction

Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, and national origin in programs and activities receiving federal financial assistance. The Utah Transit Authority has committed to the Federal Transit Administration's (FTA) Title VI objectives set forth in Circular 4702.1B by ensuring that UTA's services are equitably offered and resources distributed without regard to race, color, or national origin.

The following analysis is of proposed changes to be implemented in August of 2018. These changes are being proposed to protect public funds and improve functionality of the system. Though the proposed changes are facially neutral, this analysis, in accordance with FTA requirements, will ensure that these changes will not have disproportionately negative impact on minority and low-income populations within UTA's service area. If these changes are found to be discriminatory, UTA will take all prescribed and prudent steps to ensure services are equitable and compliant with federal guidelines and requirements.

Summary of Proposed Changes

Routes 39 and 41 – End of Line Changes:

It is proposed to change the end of line (EOL) locations of routes 41 and 39, which would modify the overall length of the routes. This will impact route 39 by increasing the overall length of the route and route 41 by decreasing the overall length of the route. UTA policy states that a proposed twenty-five (25%) or greater change in route alignment is considered a major change and requires a Title VI analysis.

FrontRunner Commuter Rail – Elimination of Station:

It is proposed to eliminate the Pleasant View commuter rail station. Current service runs to this station four times per day and utilizes Union Pacific (UP) rails which requires UTA to pay for their use. With the implementation of Positive Train Control, the costs to have UTA continue to use UP rails would be prohibitively high. These costs, combined with low ridership, has motivated the proposal to eliminate service to this station. Although the elimination *does not* meet UTA's major change policy, UTA will analyze the proposal in order to ensure that the proposed change does not disproportionately negatively impact protected populations.

Provo-Orem BRT – Proposed Adjustment

In conjunction with the Provo-Orem BRT's operation, there is a slight adjustment to a parallel route that is examined in this analysis. The proposed change is *not* considered a major change. The change does not eliminate any stops, but adds five new stops near student housing.

UTA Policy and Definitions

UTA has developed corporate policy 1.1.28 Title VI Compliance Policy to define and evaluate the impacts of proposed major services changes on minority and low-income populations in conjunction with a public outreach process. In developing this policy, UTA solicited feedback through newspapers within the service area, published on UTA's website (rideuta.com), and Utah's government website in the public notices section (Utah.gov) which provides translation options. In conjunction with the Salt Lake County Office of Diversity Affairs, which maintains an email list of local entities and individuals with interest in diversity issues, UTA sent an email notification soliciting feedback in the development of this policy. Additional targeted outreach was done, which included mailing a letter and the policy or sending emails to community organizations that work with minority or low-income populations.

The following references to policy are from subsections of corporate policy 1.1.28 and were created to ensure that all equity analyses are performed using the same parameters and are in line with FTA Circular 4702.1B.

Definitions

- A. "Disparate Impact" refers to a facially neutral policy or practice that disproportionately affects members of a group identified by race, color, or national origin, where the recipient's policy or practice lacks a substantial legitimate justification and where there exists one or more alternatives that would serve the same legitimate objectives but with less disproportionate effect on the basis of race, color, or national origin.
- *B. "Disproportionate Burden"* refers to a neutral policy or practice that disproportionately affects the low-income population more than non-low-income populations.
- C. "Low-income Population" refers to any readily identifiable group of low-income persons who live in geographic proximity, and, if circumstances warrant, geographically dispersed/ transient persons (such as migrant workers or Native Americans) who will be similarly affected by a proposed FTA program, policy or activity.
- D. "Minority Person" include the following:
 - 1. American Indian or Alaska Native, which refers to people having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America), and who maintain tribal affiliation or community attachment.
 - 2. Asian, which refers to people having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent, including, for example, Cambodia,

China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.

- 3. Black or African American, which refers to people having origins in any of the Black racial groups of Africa.
- 4. Hispanic or Latino, which includes persons of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.
- 5. Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander, which refers to people having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.
- *E.* "*Minority Population*" means any readily identifiable group of minority persons who live in geographic proximity.
- *F.* "*National Origin*" means the particular nation in which a person was born, or where the person's parents or ancestors were born.
- *G. "System Average"* The system average is the averages of minorities and low-income persons within the total populous of the geographic regions UTA serves. The present system averages are expressed below in tabular format using 2011-2015 5-year population estimates provided by the American Community Survey (ACS).

Low-Income System Avera	ige:
Population:	2,243,746
Low-Income Population:	457,949
Percent Low-income:	20.4%

Minority System Average	:
Population:	2,277,455
Minority Population:	499,870
Percent Minority:	21.9%

Major Service Change

UTA will consider the following types of changes to be "major changes", which require public input and a Title VI equity analysis in compliance with FTA's Circular 4702.1B

- a) The Addition of Service;
- b) A proposed service level reduction in miles, hours, or trips of thirty three percent (33%) or more of any route;
- c) The elimination of all service during a time period (peak, midday, evening, Saturday, or Sunday);
- d) A proposed twenty-five (25%) or greater change in route alignment;
- e) A proposed fare change.

Evaluation and Analysis of Service and Fare Changes

1. UTA will analyze proposed major changes to service and any proposed fare changes in accordance with FTA's Circular C 4702.1B as amended.

- 2. UTA will evaluate the impacts of all major service changes cumulatively when there is more than one route being affected for a service change period
- UTA will primarily utilize American Community Survey (ACS) Data, block group data and/ or ridership data to evaluate and analyze any proposed major service and fare changes. This data will be analyzed with Geographic Information System (GIS) software.
- 4. UTA will rely on population data and use the smallest geographic area that reasonably has access to the stop or station effected by the proposed major service change. This will be translated into a one-quarter mile radius to a bus stop, one-half mile to a light rail station and three miles to a commuter rail station.

Disparate Impact and Disproportionate Burden

- UTA will measure the burdens of service and fare changes on minority riders to determine when minority riders are bearing a disparate impact from the change between the existing service or fare and the proposed service or fare.
- 2. UTA will measure the burdens of service and fare changes on low-income riders to determine when low-income riders are bearing a disproportionate burden of the change between the existing service or fare and the proposed service or fare.
- 3. A threshold of 5% will be used to determine disparate impact on minority populations and disproportionate burden on low-income populations. This 5% is based on the margin of error from the US Census data that UTA uses to determine the populations in the service area. This means that if the burden of the service or fare change on minority or low-income populations is more than 5% worse than it is for the non-protected populations, then the change will be considered either a disparate impact or a disproportionate burden.

Finding a Disparate Impact

- At the conclusion of UTA's Analysis, if UTA finds a disparate impact on the basis of race, color, or national origin, UTA shall seek to modify the proposed changes in a way that will mitigate the adverse effects that are disproportionately borne by minorities. Modifications made to the proposed changes must be reanalyzed in order to determine whether the modifications actually removed the potential disparate impacts.
- 2. If UTA chooses not to alter the proposed services changes despite the potential disparate impact on minority populations, or if UTA finds, even after the revisions, that minority riders will continue to bear a disproportionate share of the proposed service or fare change, UTA may implement the change only if:

- a. UTA has substantial legitimate justification for the proposed change; and
- b. UTA can show that there are no alternatives that would have a less disparate impact on the minority riders but would still accomplish the transit provider's legitimate program goals. In order to show this, UTA must consider and analyze alternatives to determine whether those alternatives would have less of a disparate impact on the basis of race, color, or national origin, and then implement the least discriminatory alternative

Finding a Disproportionate Burden

If at the conclusion of the analysis, UTA finds that low-income populations will bear a disproportionate burden of the proposed major service change, UTA will take steps to avoid, minimize, or mitigate impacts where practicable. UTA will also describe alternatives available to low-income passengers affected by the service changes.

Proposed Changes

<u>Routes 39 & 41</u>

Presently, route 39 runs from the Wasatch Park and Ride, continues along 3900 South, and into the Meadowbrook Station, which is also serviced by route 41 and the Red & Blue TRAX light rail lines.

The 41's current alignment runs from the Meadowbrook station and proceeds west until Hunter High School. Route 39 buses stop at the End Of Line (EOL) and proceed to run on route 41 and vis-versa.

It has been proposed to change where the EOL on both routes end in order to improve transfers to TRAX Green line. Although the EOL shift triggers UTA's major change policy, there should not be an impact on the community's access to the route. There are no stops



Meadowbrook Station Rt 41 Red & Blue lines

Route 39 - 3900 South



being eliminated nor any realignment of either routes. As in present service, the same buses would run the route of the 41 and 39 and the only adjustment will be where the bus stops for the end of line and the route number changes. There will be some schedule changes on when stops are serviced, but these changes were communicated in the public outreach efforts described in Appendix A and through new printed and electronic schedules.

FrontRunner – Station Elimination

UTA's Commuter Rail runs along the Wasatch Front providing quick travel north and south and is ideal for commuters traveling long distances. The current proposal is to eliminate service to



the northern-most station in Pleasant View, Utah. The train runs only four times per day and, unlike other portions of the line to the south, does not have UTA owned track running directly to it. Instead, UTA must pay for the usage of the Union Pacific railways. With the requirement to participate in Positive Train Control, UTA would need to install Union Pacific positive train control equipment on the commuter rails that would use their rails. The initial cost to install PTC equipment is estimated at \$1.4 million and an annual operating cost of more than \$200,000. Daily ridership between Ogden and Pleasant View has averaged 6 to 8 passengers per oneway trip. After conferring with the Federal Transit Authority, it was determined that it was allowable and in the best interest of UTA to discontinue service to this stop. To review the efforts UTA took to involve the community in this decision, please see Appendix A. UTA is also offering more extensive bus service that provides a way to get from the Pleasant View station to the Ogden station.

Proposed New Options for FrontRunner Riders

The Ogden Business Unit has proposed additional bus service for riders of FrontRunner to travel from the Pleasant View Station to the Ogden station. The bus route 616 has new trips and extended trips that presently do not run the full bus route which will offset the loss of the commuter rail. Although there will not be service improvements to route 630, UTA plans to improve the 630's stops on Highway 89 that are nearest the Pleasant View Station, with curb, gutter, sidewalk, ADA landing pad, and amenities.

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Route 831 – Alignment Change

FTA Circular 4702.1B specifically requires "transit providers that have implemented or will implement a New Start, Small Start, or other new fixed guideway capital project *shall conduct a service and fare equity analysis*. The service and fare equity analysis will be conducted six months prior to the beginning of revenue operations, whether or not the proposed changes to existing service rise to the level of 'major service change' as defined by the transit provider. *All proposed changes to parallel or connecting service will be examined*. [Emphasis added]"

Pursuant to this guidance and requirement, UTA conducted and presented a Service and Fare Equity Analysis for the Provo-Orem BRT fixed guideway project and related changes. In consultation with the public it became evident that changes made to the alignment of route 834 to allow passengers to transfer to the BRT inadvertently eliminated access to transit for some student housing apartment buildings. In order to alleviate this issue, it is proposed to change the alignment of the 831 to service the stops previously serviced by the 834. In consultation with the FTA, UTA determined that in order to fully comply with the sections of the circular cited, the proposed change should be analyzed even though it does not "rise to the level of a 'major service change' as defined by" UTA.

Analysis of Proposed Changes

UTA is required to analyze the potential impacts of any major service change as it relates to low-income populations and minority populations. Pursuant to this requirement, UTA has created the following maps, tables and related data. The data in this section was compiled utilizing American Community Survey (ACS) 2011-2015 5-year estimates, which was dispersed into census blocks, in lieu of the larger block groups. This was done in order to use the smallest geographic area possible for the analysis. The distribution was dictated by population ratios from 2010 Census Data. Proposed service changes were analyzed based on the stops and stations serviced by the impacted route. All bus stop locations have had a one quarter mile walkability radius applied to them and commuter rail stations have had a three mile walkability radius which is based on the actual accessibility of the stop or station by road. Any census block that is overlapped by this radius has its population included as those impacted by the proposed changes. These aggregated numbers were compiled as a comparison group to the service area average to determine whether there would be a disparate impact on minority populations and/or a disproportionate burden borne by low-income populations.

The maps in this section will show the route, individual stops with a walkability radius, and census blocks with concentrations of low-income households or minority individuals above the system average, which are shaded according to density.

Routes 31 & 49

Low-Income Analysis



Low-income System Average	
Total Population:	2,243,746
Low-income Population:	457,949
Percent low-income:	20.4%

Pleasant View Sta	ation
Total Population:	16,608
Low-income Population:	5,792
Percent low-income:	34.9% <mark>(14.5%)</mark>

As expressed in the table and figure above, the low-income populations with access to the stops being shifted from route 39 to route 41 is 14.5% above the system average.

Minority Analysis



Minority System Average	
Total Population:	2,277,455
Minority Population:	499,870
Percent Minority:	21.9%

Route 864	
Total Population:	16,976
Minority Population:	7,636
Percent Minority:	45% (23.1%)

As expressed in the table and figure above, the minority populations with access to the stops being shifted from route 39 to route 41 is 23.1% above the system average.





The image above shows how the 31 and 49 are being modified. The 39 will be extended through all of the line that is dotted and the 41 will be shortened. The route numbers servicing the stops would change due to the shift of the EOL, but no stops will be eliminated nor will actual access to stops be changed. Since there is no change to access, there is no *negative* impact on those with access due to the proposed change. UTA defines a disparate impact and disproportionate burden as a proposed change that causes conditions to be "5% worse" for minority and/or low income populations.

FrontRunner – Station Elimination

Low-Income Analysis



Low-income System Av	erage	Pleasant View Sta	ation
Total Population:	2,243,746	Total Population:	25,233
ow-income Population:	457,949	Low-income Population:	2,669
Percent low-income:	20.4%	Percent low-income:	10.6% (-9.8%)

As expressed in the table and figure above, the low-income populations impacted by this station's elimination is 9.8% below the system average.

Minority Analysis



Minority System Average	
Total Population:	2,277,455
Minority Population:	499,870
Percent Minority:	21.9%

Route 864	
Total Population:	25,861
Minority Population:	2,942
Percent Minority:	11.4% (-10.5%)

As expressed in the table and figure above, the minority populations impacted by this station's elimination is 10.5% below the system average.

Route 831 - Realignment

Low-Income Analysis



Low-income System Average	
Total Population:	2,243,746
Low-income Population:	457,949
Percent low-income:	20.4%

Pleasant View S	Station
Total Population:	2,516
Low-income Population:	1,527
Percent low-income:	60.7% (-40.3%)

As expressed in the table and figure above, the low-income populations benefitting from this alignment change is 40.3% above the system average.

Minority Analysis



Minority System Average	
Total Population:	2,277,455
Minority Population:	499,870
Percent Minority:	21.9%

Route 864	
Total Population:	2,948
Minority Population:	598
Percent Minority:	20.3% (1.6%)

As expressed in the table and figure above, the minority populations benefitting from this alignment change is 1.6% below the system average.

Findings of Analysis

Routes 31 & 49 – Change of End of Line:

<u>There were no disparate impacts or disproportionate burden found in the analysis of this</u> <u>service change</u>. The change of End of Line does not produce any negative impacts on the surrounding population when considering that the only practical change is where the route numbers change and some scheduling changes.

FrontRunner Commuter Rail – Eliminate Station:

<u>There were no disparate impacts or disproportionate burden found in the analysis of this</u> <u>service change</u>. The impacted populations were well below the system averages for both minority and low-income populations.

Route 831 - Realignment

<u>There were no disparate impacts or disproportionate burden found in the analysis of this</u> <u>service change</u>. Since no stops were eliminated in this realignment and the populations now covered by the new stops are close to the system average for minority populations and almost three times the system average for low-income populations this change is likely a net gain for low-income populations.

Appendix A – August 2018 Change Day Public Comment Report

August 2018 Change Day Public Comment Report

Prepared by Andrea Packer, Communications Director & Public Hearing Officer

Timpanogos Business Unit

For August 2018 Change Day, the UTA Timpanogos (Utah County) Business Unit proposed changes to several routes. The proposed changes were as follows:

New Service

• The Provo-Orem BRT, now called the Utah Valley Express or "UVX," will begin operation, replacing the Routes 830 and 838 fixed bus service.

Alignment Changes

- Route 821: realigned near the Provo Towne Center Mall to use University Avenue between East Bay Blvd. and 920 South in both directions in south Provo. Provo Towne Centre Mall will be served by UVX.
- Routes 811/850/862: stop changes in Orem to connect to UVX near Orem University Place Mall.

Connecting changes

- Route 841: more trips to enhance connectivity between Orem Station/UVU.
- Route 840: eliminated around campus (all stops covered by 841).
- Route 862: extended to the Orem Station and replace some Route 830 stops.

Public Comments and Outreach

In accordance with UTA policy, a public comment period was held from April 25 through May 24, 2018. Several activities were conducted during this period to inform riders and the public and to obtain feedback:

- A public hearing notice was published in the *Provo Daily Herald*, on the state's public notice website and on rideuta.com. Information on the comment period and hearing was also published on UTA's social media channels.
- Three formal public open houses were held: on May 15 from 5-7 p.m. at the Provo City Library; on May 16 from 6-8 p.m. at the Spanish Fork Senior Center; on May 17 from 5-7 p.m. at the American Fork Senior Center.
- A total of 10 people attended the two public hearings.
- Comments were accepted via UTA's website, via email at <u>hearingofficer@rideuta.com</u>, through the mail and by phone.

A total of seven comments were received regarding the service proposals. One via email and six at the public open houses. Comments included excitement about the opening of the UVX and support for FrontRunner service and passes for UVU, desire for more bus service overall, and concern/suggestions for improving connections/transfers between FrontRunner and bus. One person commented that it's difficult to go to Salt Lake County for paratransit eligibility.

Based on the feedback received and other factors, the proposed service changes will be implemented on August 13, 2018. In addition, an unrelated comment received regarding Route 831 was adopted by UTA service planners.

Salt Lake Business Unit

For August 2018 Change Day, the UTA Salt Lake (Salt Lake County) Business Unit proposed changes weekday and Saturday changes to Routes 33, 35 and 35M, and changes to Routes 39 and 41. The proposed changes were as follows:

Weekdays

- Route 35M: Begin service at 6 a.m. and end service at 7 p.m.
- Route 33 and 35: Begin service at 4:15 a.m. from Magna and 5:15 a.m. from Millcreek Station. Service would begin early enough from Magna that the existing connection to the first northbound Blue Line TRAX would be maintained. End service at 10:30 p.m. from Magna and 11:30 p.m. from Millcreek Station.

Saturdays

- Route 35M: Begin service at 9 a.m. and end service at 7 p.m.
- Route 33 and 35: Begin service at 6 a.m. and end service at 11 p.m. Service on 3300 South between Millcreek Station and Wasatch Blvd. would largely remain the same.

Routes 39 and 41: to make better connections to the Green Line at West Valley Central Station.

- Route 39: extend west from Meadowbrook Station to West Valley Central Station via the current Route 41 alignment. At West Valley Central Station, Route 39 would turn into Route 41, maintaining a one-seat ride between Wasatch Blvd. and 5600 West.
- Route 41: shorten route to end at West Valley Central Station on the eastern end. At West Valley Central Station, Route 41 would turn into Route 39, maintaining a one-seat ride between 5600 West and Wasatch Blvd.

Public Comments and Outreach

In accordance with UTA policy, a public comment period was held from April 18 - May 17, 2018. Several activities were conducted during this period to inform riders and the public and to obtain feedback:

- A public hearing notice was published in the *Salt Lake Tribune and Deseret News*, on the state's public notice website and on rideuta.com. Information on the comment period and hearing was also published on UTA's social media channels.
- Two formal public open houses were held: on May 3 from 4-6 p.m. at West Valley City Hall; on May 9 from 6:30-8 p.m. at the Magna Library.
- A total of 6 people attended the public hearings.
- Comments were accepted via UTA's website, via email at https://www.hearingofficer@rideuta.com, through the mail and by phone.

A total of five (5) comments were received regarding the service proposals. One via email, one via phone to Eric Callison, and three at the public open houses. Comments included support for the changes to Route 39 and 41, concern about travel time on Route 35 versus Route 35M, concern about connections, and a comment about future plans to extend Route 35M to the top of 3300 South. Based on the feedback received and other factors, the proposed changes to morning service on Route 33, 35 and 35M will not be implemented. The remaining proposed service changes will begin August 13, 2018.

Ogden Business Unit

For August 2018 Change Day, the UTA Ogden (Davis and Weber Counties) Business Unit proposed the following service changes:

- FrontRunner: commuter rail service will be suspended between Ogden and Pleasant View after August 10, 2018.
- Route 616: modified schedule with increased frequency and span of service in conjunction with the FrontRunner changes.

Public Comments and Outreach

In accordance with UTA policy, a public comment period was held from May 1 – June 1, 2018. Several activities were conducted during this period to inform riders and the public and to obtain feedback:

- A public hearing notice was published in the *Ogden Standard Examiner*, on the state's public notice website and on rideuta.com. Information on the comment period and hearing was also published on UTA's social media channels.
- Two formal public open houses were held: on May 16 from 4:30 6:30 p.m. at the Pleasant View Municipal Building; on May 17 from 4:30 – 6:30 pm. at the North Ogden City Council Chambers.
 - A total of 1 person attended the public hearings.
- Comments were accepted via UTA's website, via email at <u>hearingofficer@rideuta.com</u>, through the mail and by phone.
- Two additional open houses were held in advance of the formal public hearings: May 12 in Pleasant View and May 14 in North Ogden.
 - A total of 41 people attended the open houses
- An on-board survey was also conducted of riders on FrontRunner between Ogden and Pleasant View (northbound and southbound) and on Route 616. The survey was also made available at the open houses.

A total of two comments were received regarding the service proposals, both via email. Comments included support for the proposed changes to Route 616 and expressed desire for more bus service – specifically on the west side of I-15 through Farr West - and future long-term improvements to FrontRunner. One comment reflected over-crowding on some trips since the previous change day. Based on the feedback received and other factors, the proposed service changes will be implemented on August 13, 2018.

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE UTAH TRANSIT AUTHORITY APPROVING THE DECEMBER 2018 CHANGE DAY TITLE VI EQUITY ANALYSIS

R2018-10-01

October 25, 2018

WHEREAS, the Utah Transit Authority (the "Authority") is a public transit district organized under the laws of the State of Utah and was created to transact and exercise all of the powers provided for in the Utah Limited Purpose Local Government Entities – Local Districts Act and the Utah Public Transit District Act; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Authority (the "Board"), in keeping with Federal Transit Administration's requirements and the Civil Rights Act of 1964, has considered and reviewed the December 2018 Change Day Title VI Equity Analysis ("Title VI Equity Analysis") prepared by Authority staff; and

WHEREAS, the December 2018 Change Day adds flex route service to Davis County; and

WHEREAS, the Title VI Equity Analysis found no disparate impact and no disproportionate burden; and

WHEREAS, the Board has desires to approve the Title VI Equity Analysis.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of the Authority:

- 1. That the December 2018 Change Day Title VI Equity Analysis prepared by Authority staff, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A, is hereby approved by the Authority.
- 2. That the Board hereby ratifies any and all actions taken by the Authority's Interim Executive Director and staff in furtherance of and effectuating the intent of this Resolution.
- 3. That a copy of this Resolution shall be submitted to the Federal Transit Administration.
- 4. That the corporate seal be attached hereto.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 25th day of October, 2018.

Bell 10/25/18

Greg Bell, Chair Board of Trustees

ATTEST:

Robert K. Biles, Secretary/Treasurer

(Corporate Seal)



CERTIFICATE

The undersigned duly qualified Chair of the Board of Trustees of the Utah Transit Authority certifies that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted at a legally convened meeting of the Board of Trustees held on the 25^h day of October, 2018.

Greg Bell, Chair Board of Trustees

Robert K. Biles, Secretary/Treasurer

Approved As To Form:

Legal Counsel

Exhibit A



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Title VI Service Equity Analysis

December 2018

Utah Transit Authority

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Introduction

Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, and national origin in programs and activities receiving federal financial assistance. The Utah Transit Authority has committed to the Federal Transit Administration's (FTA) Title VI objectives set forth in Circular 4702.1B by ensuring that UTA's services are equitably offered and resources distributed without regard to race, color, or national origin.

The following analysis is of proposed changes to be implemented in December of 2018. These changes are being proposed to best utilize public funds and improve services and the functionality of the system. Though the proposed changes are facially neutral, this analysis, in accordance with FTA requirements, will ensure that these changes will not have disproportionately negative impact on minority and/or low-income populations within UTA's service area. If these changes are found to be discriminatory, UTA will take all prescribed and prudent steps to ensure services are equitable and compliant with federal guidelines and requirements.

Summary of Proposed Changes

Addition of Service – Route F605:

It is proposed to add a flex route in Davis County. The proposed new route would serve locations throughout Woods Cross, West Bountiful, Bountiful and Centerville with limited stops at the Woods Cross Station which is a Commuter Rail and Bus station. The flex route would also provide deviation services within a three quarter mile radius of the route. The addition of service constitutes a major change in accordance with UTA policy and requires a Title VI analysis.

UTA Policy and Definitions

UTA has developed corporate policy 1.1.28 Title VI Compliance Policy to define and evaluate the impacts of proposed major services changes on minority and low-income populations in conjunction with a public outreach process. In developing this policy, UTA solicited feedback through newspapers within the service area, published on UTA's website (rideuta.com), and Utah's government website in the public notices section (Utah.gov) which provides translation options. In conjunction with the Salt Lake County Office of Diversity Affairs, which maintains an email list of local entities and individuals with interest in diversity issues, UTA sent an email notification soliciting feedback in the development of this policy. Additional targeted outreach was done, which included mailing a letter and the policy or sending emails to community organizations that work with minority or low-income populations.

The following references to policy are from subsections of corporate policy 1.1.28 and were created to ensure that all equity analyses are performed using the same parameters and are in line with FTA Circular 4702.1B.

Definitions

- A. "Disparate Impact" refers to a facially neutral policy or practice that disproportionately affects members of a group identified by race, color, or national origin, where the recipient's policy or practice lacks a substantial legitimate justification and where there exists one or more alternatives that would serve the same legitimate objectives but with less disproportionate effect on the basis of race, color, or national origin.
- *B. "Disproportionate Burden"* refers to a neutral policy or practice that disproportionately affects the low-income population more than non-low-income populations.
- *C. "Low-income Population"* refers to any readily identifiable group of low-income persons who live in geographic proximity, and, if circumstances warrant, geographically dispersed/ transient persons (such as migrant workers or Native Americans) who will be similarly affected by a proposed FTA program, policy or activity.
- D. "Minority Person" include the following:
 - 1. American Indian or Alaska Native, which refers to people having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America), and who maintain tribal affiliation or community attachment.
 - 2. Asian, which refers to people having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent, including, for example, Cambodia,

China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.

- 3. Black or African American, which refers to people having origins in any of the Black racial groups of Africa.
- 4. Hispanic or Latino, which includes persons of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.
- 5. Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander, which refers to people having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.
- *E.* "*Minority Population*" means any readily identifiable group of minority persons who live in geographic proximity.
- *F.* "*National Origin*" means the particular nation in which a person was born, or where the person's parents or ancestors were born.
- *G. "System Average"* The system average is the averages of minorities and low-income persons within the total populous of the geographic regions UTA serves. The present system averages are expressed below in tabular format using 2011-2015 5-year population estimates provided by the American Community Survey (ACS).

Low-Income System Avera	ige:
Population:	2,243,746
Low-Income Population:	457,949
Percent Low-income:	20.4%

Minority System Average	:
Population:	2,277,455
Minority Population:	499,870
Percent Minority:	21.9%

Major Service Change

UTA will consider the following types of changes to be "major changes", which require public input and a Title VI equity analysis in compliance with FTA's Circular 4702.1B

- a) The Addition of Service;
- b) A proposed service level reduction in miles, hours, or trips of thirty three percent (33%) or more of any route;
- c) The elimination of all service during a time period (peak, midday, evening, Saturday, or Sunday);
- d) A proposed twenty-five (25%) or greater change in route alignment;
- e) A proposed fare change.

Evaluation and Analysis of Service and Fare Changes

1. UTA will analyze proposed major changes to service and any proposed fare changes in accordance with FTA's Circular C 4702.1B as amended.
- 2. UTA will evaluate the impacts of all major service changes cumulatively when there is more than one route being affected for a service change period
- UTA will primarily utilize American Community Survey (ACS) Data, block group data and/ or ridership data to evaluate and analyze any proposed major service and fare changes. This data will be analyzed with Geographic Information System (GIS) software.
- 4. UTA will rely on population data and use the smallest geographic area that reasonably has access to the stop or station effected by the proposed major service change. This will be translated into a one-quarter mile radius to a bus stop, one-half mile to a light rail station and three miles to a commuter rail station.

Disparate Impact and Disproportionate Burden

- 1. UTA will measure the burdens of service and fare changes on minority riders to determine when minority riders are bearing a disparate impact from the change between the existing service or fare and the proposed service or fare.
- 2. UTA will measure the burdens of service and fare changes on low-income riders to determine when low-income riders are bearing a disproportionate burden of the change between the existing service or fare and the proposed service or fare.
- 3. A threshold of 5% will be used to determine disparate impact on minority populations and disproportionate burden on low-income populations. This 5% is based on the margin of error from the US Census data that UTA uses to determine the populations in the service area. This means that if the burden of the service or fare change on minority or low-income populations is more than 5% worse than it is for the non-protected populations, then the change will be considered either a disparate impact or a disproportionate burden.

Finding a Disparate Impact

- At the conclusion of UTA's Analysis, if UTA finds a disparate impact on the basis of race, color, or national origin, UTA shall seek to modify the proposed changes in a way that will mitigate the adverse effects that are disproportionately borne by minorities. Modifications made to the proposed changes must be reanalyzed in order to determine whether the modifications actually removed the potential disparate impacts.
- 2. If UTA chooses not to alter the proposed services changes despite the potential disparate impact on minority populations, or if UTA finds, even after the revisions, that minority riders will continue to bear a disproportionate share of the proposed service or fare change, UTA may implement the change only if:

- a. UTA has substantial legitimate justification for the proposed change; and
- b. UTA can show that there are no alternatives that would have a less disparate impact on the minority riders but would still accomplish the transit provider's legitimate program goals. In order to show this, UTA must consider and analyze alternatives to determine whether those alternatives would have less of a disparate impact on the basis of race, color, or national origin, and then implement the least discriminatory alternative

Finding a Disproportionate Burden

If at the conclusion of the analysis, UTA finds that low-income populations will bear a disproportionate burden of the proposed major service change, UTA will take steps to avoid, minimize, or mitigate impacts where practicable. UTA will also describe alternatives available to low-income passengers affected by the service changes.

Proposed Changes

Route F605

Current service levels in the Bountiful and Woods Cross areas are limited to inter-county and peak-only routes, which do not provide many local transit options. The proposed addition of a flex route in this service area will add local service. Regional service levels are depicted below.



The F605 will provide a connection from the Lakeview Hospital in Bountiful and up north through Centerville and West Bountiful and select trips to the Woods Cross Station. The route will follow a set route with designated stops as illustrated in the maps included in the analysis portion of this report. The stops will have an approximate schedule as the proposed route has been designated as a flex route. Flex routes are a unique service type in that residents can use the planned, fixed route or they can call to schedule the bus to pick them up or drop them off anywhere within a three quarter $\frac{3}{4}$ mile radius around the fixed route. These scheduled deviation requests are on a first-come, first-served basis and a bus may deviate up to two times each trip with restrictions. Due to the potential of deviations, the fixed route schedule time points may be adjusted 10-15 minutes after the listed time points. The bus, however, will not pass by a time point earlier than scheduled. The fare for a scheduled deviation is the standard fare *plus* \$1.25. The deviation fare covers both a pick-up and a drop-off deviation for one ride.

Analysis of Proposed Changes

UTA is required to analyze the potential impacts of any major service change as it relates to low-income populations and minority populations. Pursuant to this requirement, UTA has created the following maps, tables and related data. The demographic data in this section was compiled utilizing American Community Survey (ACS) 2011-2015 5-year estimates, which was dispersed into census blocks, in lieu of the larger block groups. This was done in order to use the smallest geographic area possible for the analysis. The distribution was dictated by population ratios from 2010 Census Data. Proposed service changes were analyzed based on the stops and stations serviced by the impacted route. All bus stop and station locations have had a one quarter mile walkability radius applied to them which is based on the actual accessibility of the stop by road. Any census block that is overlapped by this radius has its population included as those impacted by the proposed changes. These aggregated numbers were compiled as a comparison group to the service area average to determine whether there would be a disparate impact on minority populations and/or a disproportionate burden borne by low-income populations.

In addition to the stop-based analysis performed, the flex route's three quarter mile radius is applied and the catchment is presented in separate maps and tables. The demographics of those that are within census blocks overlapped by the three quarter mile radius are considered those impacted by the proposed addition. This was examined and compared to the system average to determine the impact of the deviation as well as the fixed route described previously.

The maps in this section will show the route, individual stops with a walkability radius, and census blocks with concentrations of low-income households or minority individuals above the system average, which are shaded according to density.

Route F605

Low-Income Analysis – Stop Based



Low-income System Av	erage
Total Population:	2,243,746
Low-income Population:	457,949
Percent low-income:	20.4%

Impacted Population – Low Income				
Total Population:	13,345			
Low-income Population:	2,071			
Percent low-income:	15.4% (5%)			

As expressed in the table and figure above, the low-income populations with a one quarter mile walk access to the new flex route 605's stops is 5% lower than the system average.

Minority Analysis – Stop Based



Minority System Ave	rage
Total Population:	2,277,455
Minority Population:	499,870
Percent Minority:	21.9%

Impacted Population	– Minority
Total Population:	13,700
Minority Population:	1,529
Percent Minority:	11.2% (10.7%)

As expressed in the table and figure above, the minority populations with a one quarter mile walk access to the new flex route 605's stops is 10.7% below the system average.

Low-Income Analysis – Flex Buffer



Low-income System Av	erage
Total Population:	2,243,746
Low-income Population:	457,949
Percent low-income:	20.4%

Impacted Population – Low Income					
Total Population:	43,710				
Low-income Population:	6,483				
Percent low-income:	14.8% (5.6%)				

As expressed in the table and figure above, the low-income populations with access to deviated service, according a three quarter mile radius to the new flex route 605 is 5.6% lower than the system average.

Minority Analysis – Flex Buffer



Minority System Ave	rage
Total Population:	2,277,455
Minority Population:	499,870
Percent Minority:	21.9%

Impacted Population	– Minority
Total Population:	44,169
Minority Population:	6,483
Percent Minority:	14.8% (7.1%)

As expressed in the table and figure above, the minority populations with access to deviated service, according to a three quarter mile radius to the new flex route 605 is 7.1% lower than the system average.

Findings of Analysis

Addition of Service - Route F605:

<u>There were no disparate impacts or disproportionate burden found in the analysis of this</u> <u>proposed service change</u>. UTA policy states that the impact must negatively impact minority and/or low-income populations beyond a 5% threshold in order to trigger a finding. The proposed addition of route F605's funding would be new and would not detract from other parts of the system. As such, the proposal did not cause any *negative* impacts on the surrounding populations.

Appendix A – December 2018 Change Day Public Comment Report

Special Services Business Unit

For December 2018 Change Day, the UTA Special Service Business Unit proposed implementing a new Flex route, F605, to service the Centerville, West Bountiful, Woods Cross and Bountiful communities. Flex route buses run on a fixed route and schedule, but unlike regular bus routes, passengers can request in advance a deviation or a special stop up to ¾ of a mile from the regular route.

The route is proposed to have a fixed alignment with set time points but will deviate up to $\frac{3}{4}$ mile upon advanced request. The route is also proposed to run select trips to the Woods Cross FrontRunner station. The proposed F605 would operate weekdays from 6:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., with 30-minute frequency all day. No Saturday or Sunday service is proposed.

Public Comment and Outreach

In accordance with UTA policy, a public comment period was held from September 11 through October 10, 2018. Several activities were conducted during this period to inform riders and the public and obtain feedback.

- A public hearing notice was published in the Salt Lake Tribune, Ogden Standard Examiner and the Davis County Clipper. The notice was also published on the State's public notice website and on <u>www.rideuta.com</u>. Information on the comment period was also published on UTA's social media channels.
- One formal public open house was held on September 26, 2018 from 4:30 p.m. until 6:30 p.m. The open house was held at the Davis County Library South Branch.
- Comments were also accepted via UTA's website, email at https://www.hearingofficer@rideuta.com, through the mail and by phone.

A total of three people attended the open house, although none submitted written comment. A total of eight (8) comments were received by email to <u>hearingofficer@rideuta.com</u>, and a total of seven (7) comments were received via UTA's website and Customer Comment system. One of the comment received included a letter from residents of Centerville city accompanied by the names and addresses of 86 residents.

Comments included support for the new route, but concerns were expressed about a section of the alignment along DaVinci Lane between Main Street and 400 West, and the proposed location for a bus stop.

Based on the feedback received and in response to residents' significant concerns about the route along DaVinci Lane, UTA is proceeding with implementing the new route in December, but planners have adjusted the alignment for the F605 to use 400 South instead of DaVinci Lane.

Appendix B – Changes to Proposed Route after Public Comment

Based on the feedback received regarding the F605, as outlined in Appendix A, UTA has integrated the comments received and has proposed a new alignment. The initial proposal proceeded up Main Street and travelled down DaVinci Lane/Bamberger Way. The new proposed alignment will not include the neighborhood road, which was the focus of much of the community's comments, but will instead use 400 South as illustrated below.



These modifications to the route alignment did not drastically impact the number of people served by the route, nor did it have any impact on the final conclusion of this analysis.

Detailed Contract Description & Purpose

Board Review Date:	5/29/2019		Document Type:	Change Order
Action Requested:	Motion to approv	ve the contract or	change order	
<u>Criteria:</u>	Contract is \$200,	.000 - \$999,999		
Contract Title:	On-Call Maintena Task Order #77	ance Contract	<u>Contract #</u>	16-1846TP
Project Manager:	Greg Thorpe		Contract Administrator:	Teressa Pickett
Impacted Areas:	Salt Lake Central	Hub	Included in budget?	Yes
Procurement method:	Best value (RFP)		Contractor:	Stacy and Witbeck
Sole-Source Reason:	N/A		<u>Qty & Unit price</u> <u>Change Order Value</u> Total Contract Value	
Contract term (Months)	12		Contract Start Date	When Executed
Contract options (Months)	N/A		Contract End Date:	12/31/2019
Number of re	sponding firms:	N/A <u>\$ Valı</u>	ue of Next Lowest Bidder	N/A

General Description & Purpose:

UTA contracted with Stacy and Witbeck for a three year on-call maintenance contract on 12/30/2016 to perform pre-construction services, construction management and a variety of maintenance tasks on UTA's transit system. This Task Order is for the installation of electric on-route bus charging equipment at the Salt Lake Central Hub (\$494,917) and preparation of a second location for a future charger (\$78,382), totaling \$573,299 for this task order. The scope includes: field engineering, traffic & pedestrian control, remove PCC (Portland Cement Concrete) pavement , remove concrete curb & gutter, remove sidewalk, install PVC conduit, furnish & install transformer pad vault, provide cast in place foundations for power cabinet & ABB charger pole, CMT (Current Transformer Metering Switchboard) equipment, EVC (Electric Vehicle Charger) power cabinet, pantograph, replace PCC pavement, curb & gutter and sidewalk, heated sidewalk and landscaping rock. The total on-call maintenance contract amount of \$29,585,644 is made up from 76 task orders since 2017. Each task order is covered by multiple project budgets from 2017, 2018 and 2019.

Attachments: Contract routing sheet attached?	Yes
	Task Order Contract,
Other attachments? (list)	Original Contract (uploaded separately)

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TASK ORDER NO. 77

TASK ORDER NAME: E-Bus Charging Equipment Installation at Salt Lake Central Hub PROJECT CODE: MSP162 / ACCOUNT NO.: 40-3162.68912

This Task Order No. 77 to the On Call Maintenance Contract, dated December 30th, 2016, is entered into by and between Utah Transit Authority (UTA) and Stacy and Witbeck, Inc. (Contractor) on May 13, 2019. This Task Order is part of the On Call Maintenance Contract and is governed by the terms thereof. The purpose of this Task Order is to specifically define the scope, schedule, lump sum price, and other terms applicable to the work identified herein.

UTA and Contractor hereby agree as follows:

1.0 SCOPE OF SERVICES

The scope of work for the Task Order #77 is identified in Exhibit 1 – Scope of Work, which includes Stacy and Witbeck's proposal letter dated May 14, 2019 and is hereby attached and incorporated into this Task Order. The work includes the supply of materials, equipment and construction as required per the plans and specifications provided by Spectrum Engineering dated 4/10/19, to complete the installation of an initial on-route charger supplied by NewFlyer/ABB to charge the electric buses at the Salt Lake Central Intermodal Hub and elements for a installing a future second on-route charger to be supplied by ABB per a RMP Grant.

2.0 SCHEDULE

The NTP is proposed to be as soon as the Task Order is approved and signed to order long lead time materials. Construction will begin June 10 with Substantial Completion Date of July 15, 2019 to allow ABB to commission the system by July 22. The Revenue Operations Date for this Task is July 22, 2019. The Final Acceptance Date for this Task is July 31, 2019.

3.0 LUMP SUM PRICE

The price for this task order is a not to exceed \$573,299. Invoices will be billed on monthly basis for work completed to date.

4.0 APPLICABILITY OF FEDERAL CLAUSES

This Task Order does \boxtimes does not \square [Check Applicable] include federal assistance funds which requires the application of the Federal Clauses appended as Exhibit D to the On Call Maintenance Contract.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Task Order has been executed by UTA and the Contractor or its appointed representative

UTAH TRANSIT AUTHORITY:

STACY AND WITBECK, INC.:

By:	By:
W. Steve Meyer, Interim Exec. Director Date	
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May 14, 2019

Mr. Greg Thorpe Project Manager III Utah Transit Authority 669 West 200 South Salt Lake City, UT 84101

Reference: On Call Services Contract No: 16-1846TP

Subject: 19-613 - R1 - Electric On-Route Bus Charging Equipment at SLC Central Station

Dear Greg:

We are pleased to provide the attached cost estimate to construct the on-route bus charging equipment at SLC Central Station per the construction drawings dated 4/10/2019. We look forward to constructing this project for UTA this summer of 2019 at a mutually agreed upon schedule.

The pricing proposal has been separated by the two required chargers, the baseline scope of work is included on the first page he second charging equipment is located on the second sheet along with the combined bid total. The pricing proposal is separated by the scope of work, project indirects are derived based on the percentage of direct work each scope contains. The activities are divided into separate line items to help clarify pricing totals based on UTA funding sources. The work is not separable into separate task orders, work is planned and priced to be completed in sequence as one scope of work.

Exclusions:

- Railroad Protective Insurance
- Davis Bacon Wages
- Buy America Certification
- Quality Control Testing and Supervision
- Permit Fees
- Sales Tax on Permanent Materials
- Off haul of contaminated Materials
- Water Leaks from caulk jointed water lines

Clarifications:

- Please see detailed list of each bid item below.
- The unit costs for each bid item includes the costs of insurance, bond, and risk at the agreed upon rates.
- We are excluding all utility relocations and conflicts from our pricing. Any conflicts or relocations
 will need to be addressed as a change of condition.
- The scope of work is inclusive of only the items and scope that are listed below. Any other items
 of work or changes to the below scope will need to be repriced.
- Assumes the heated sidewalk remove and replace area matches the actual heated zone.

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- Trench Width Clarifications with paving widths 6" wider than neat line trench excavation width:
 Primary power is 36" wide
 - Primary power at utility crossings is 48" for 73 feet, we need to get under utilities so we will be 6 to 8 feet deep
 - o Secondary power is 30" when there are 4 conduits
 - Secondary power in a joint trench is 36", required to get all 8 conduits installed

Bid Item 1000 – Field Engineering and Project Controls – 1 LS – Total of \$62,428.00 – This bid item includes Stacy and Witbeck field support from field engineer to manage construction. The field engineer will also perform pre-task planning and coordination with UTA. This item also includes office manager time for payroll and accounts payable.

Bid Item 2000 – Safety Program and Administration – 1 LS – Total of \$7,074.0D – Cost of Safety Supplies, safety personnel to visit the site, and incidental drug testing.

Bid Item 3000 – Permits and Regulatory Approvals – 1 L5 – Total \$5,495.00 – This bid item includes the cost to obtain a noise permit from Salt Lake County to perform work at night, building permit, and driveway permit from Salt Lake City.

Bid Item 4000 – Contractors Temporary Facilities and Equipment – 1 LS – Total \$12,344.00 – This bid item includes street sweeping, field sanitary expenses, temporary site lighting, field office supplies, and jobsite dumpster.

Bid Item 5000 – Traffic and Pedestrian Control – 1 LS – Total \$19,271.00 – This bid item includes the cost for traffic and pedestrian control within the project site.

Bid Item 9000 – Construction Survey and Layout – 1 LS – Total \$3,030.00 – This bid item includes the cost for construction layout survey.

Bid Item 10000 – Mobilization – 1 LS – Total \$6,155.00.00 – This bid item includes the cost for mobilizing heavy equipment to and from the project site and final project cleanup.

Bid Item 20100 – Remove PCC Pavement – 181 SY – \$98.00 Per SY – Total \$17,738.00 – This bid item includes saw cutting, removal and haul off 12-inch concrete pavement. Provisions have been made to double cut the PCCP to preserve a clean concrete edge to pour concrete back against.

Bid Item 20200 – Remove Concrete Curb and Gutter – 38 LF – \$35.00 Per LF – Total \$1,330.00 – This bid item includes saw cutting, removal and haul off concrete curb and gutter.

Bid Item 20300 – Remove Concrete Sidewalk – 88 SY – \$41.00 Per SY – Total \$3,608.00 – This bid item includes saw cutting, removal and haul off concrete sidewalk.

Bid Item 20400 – Remove Tree – 5 EA – \$509.00 Per EA – Total \$2,545.00 – This bid item includes removal, haul off trees and capping existing irrigation system in the island area.

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Bid Item 30100 – Primary PVC Conduit – 433 LF – \$130.00 Per LF – Total \$56,290.00 – This bid item includes furnish, excavation, installation and backfill of 6-inch PVC conduit with fiberglass sweeps between the existing sectionalizer cabinet and the new padvault. Included is the cost to place spoils in the designated area on site. Conduit will be mandreled and left with a pull tape for RMP.

Bid Item 30200 – Additional Alternate Primary PVC Conduit – 433 LF – \$13.00 Per LF – Total \$5,629.00 – This bid item includes furnish and installation of an additional 6-inch PVC conduit with fiberglass sweeps between the existing sectionalizer cabinet and the new padvault. Conduit will be mandreled and left with a pull tape for RMP.

Bid Item 30300 – Secondary PVC Conduit – 504 LF – \$43.00 Per LF – Total \$21,672.00 – This bid item includes furnish and installation of 2-inch and 1.5-inch PVC conduit between the EVC cabinets and Pantograph. Conduit will not be installed per plan but instead adjusted into a joint trench to minimize PCCP removal and replacement. Included is the cost to place spoils in the designated area on site.

Bid Item 30400 – Transformer PadVault – 1 EA – Total \$9,290.00 – This bid item includes furnish and install of the precast 3-phase transformer PadVault. Included is the cost to place spoils in the designated area on site.

Bid Item 30500 – Power Cabinet Foundation/Vault – 1 EA – Total \$14,561.00 – This bid item includes construction of the cast-in-place foundation. Included is the cost to place spoils in the designated area on site.

Bid Item 30700 – ABB Charger Pole Foundation – 1 EA – Total \$12,042.00 – This bid item includes construction of the cast-in-place foundation for the Pantograph. Included is the cost to place spoils in the designated area on site.

Bid Item 30800 – Removable Bollards – 5 EA – \$1,153.00 Per EA – Total \$5,765.00 – This bid item includes furnish and install of removable bollards to protect electrical equipment.

Bid Item 30900 – CTM Equipment – .5 EA – \$70,885.00 per EA - Total \$35,442.00 – This bid item includes furnish and install of CTM including, foundation, conduit and conductors.

Bid Item 31000 – EVC Power Cabinet – 3 EA – \$9,501.00 Per EA – Total \$28,503.00 – This bid item includes installation and commissioning of owner provided EVC cabinets, includes conduit and conductors.

Bid Item 31100 – Pantograph – 1 EA – Total \$34,199.00 – This bid item includes installation of owner provided pantograph including conductors and commissioning.

Bid Item 40100 – PCC Pavement – 181 SY – \$290.00 Per SY – Total \$52,490.00 – This bid item includes construction of 12-inch concrete pavement, includes grading, 12-inch aggregate base where disturbed, dowels and joint seal.

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Bid Item 40200 – Type A Curb and Gutter – 38 LF – \$95.00 Per LF – Total \$3,610.00 – This bid item includes construction of 30-inch type A concrete curb and gutter in 4 locations, includes grading and backfill.

Bid Item 40300 – Sidewalk – 15 SY – \$190.00 Per SY – Total \$2,850.00 – This bid item includes construction of 4-inch concrete sidewalk in 2 locations, includes grading and backfill.

Bid Item 40400 – Heated Sidewalk – 73 SY – \$401.00 Per SY – Total \$29,273.00 – This bid item includes construction of 4-inch heated concrete sidewalk, includes snow melt system and grading.

Bid Item 40600 – Landscape Rock – 985 SY – \$18.00 Per SY – Total \$17,730.00 – This bid item includes striping and stockpiling the existing rock, remove and dispose of existing landscape fabric. Install new fabric, spread stockpiled rock along with new 1-inch Wasatch Grey for 50% of the area at 4-inches deep. This area includes the island where the electric equipment will be placed, the area disturbed by installation of the primary conduit, and the area utilized to place the contaminated solls.

Bid Item 49999 - Fee (5.25%) - 1 LS - Total of \$24,552.50 - This is the 5.25% GMGC fee.

Base Bid Total \$494,917.00

Bid Item 50010 – Field Engineering and Project Controls – 1 LS – Total of \$10,163.00 – This bid item includes Stacy and Witbeck field support from field engineer to manage construction. The field engineer will also perform pre-task planning and coordination with UTA. This item also includes office manager time for payroll and accounts payable.

Bid Item 50020 – Safety Program and Administration – 1 LS – Total of \$1,151.00 – Cost of Safety Supplies, safety personnel to visit the site, and incidental drug testing.

Bid Item 50030 – Contractors Temporary Facilities and Equipment – 1 LS – Total \$895.00 – This bid item includes street sweeping, field sanitary expenses, temporary site lighting, field office supplies, and jobsite dumpster.

Bid Item 50040 – Traffic and Pedestrian Control – 1 LS – Total \$2,010.00 – This bid item includes the cost for traffic and pedestrian control within the project site.

Bid Item 50050 – Construction Survey and Layout – 1 LS – Total \$493.00 – This bid item includes the cost for construction layout survey.

Bid Item 50060 – Mobilization – 1 LS – Total \$1,002.00 – This bid item includes the cost for mobilizing heavy equipment to and from the project site and final project cleanup.

Bid Item 50100 – Remove PCC Pavement for Future Charger– 23 SY – \$120.00 Per SY – Total \$2,760.00 – This bid item includes saw cutting, removal and haul off 12-inch concrete pavement. Provisions have been made to double cut the PCCP to preserve a clean concrete edge to pour concrete back against.

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Bid Item 50200 – 2 and 1.5" PVC Conduit for Future Charger – 588 LF – \$17.00 Per LF – Total \$9,996.00 – This bid item includes furnish and installation of 2-inch and 1.5-inch PVC conduit between the hand hold pull boxes. Conduit will not be installed per plan but instead adjusted into a joint trench to minimize PCCP removal and replacement. Included is the cost to place spoils in the designated area on site.

Bid Item 50300 – Hand Hold Pull Boxes for Future Charger – 2 EA – \$1,314.00 Per EA – Total \$2,628.00 – This bid item includes furnish and install of the pull boxes associated with the secondary PVC conduits for future use. Included is the cost to place spoils in the designated area on site.

Bid Item 40100 – PCC Pavement for Future Charger– 23 SY – \$339.00 Per SY – Total \$7,797.00 – This bid item includes construction of 12-inch concrete pavement, includes grading, 12-inch aggregate base where disturbed, dowels and joint seal.

Bid Item 30900 – CTM Equipment – .5 EA – \$70,885.00 per EA - Total \$35,442.00 – This bid item includes furnish and install of CTM including, foundation, conduit and conductors.

Bid Item 59999 - Fee (5.25%) - 1 LS - Total of \$4,044.50 - This is the 5.25% GMGC fee.

Future Charger Bid Total \$78,382.00

The total price for this scope of work is \$573,299.00

If additional concrete removal and replacement is requested, unit prices for bid items 20100 and 40100 may be utilized, fee will be added to each unit rate at the mutually agreed rate listed in bid item 100000. It is assumed that the additional concrete removal and replacement will be performed at the same time as the as proposal removal and replacement, utilizing the same saw cut layout. If performed at a later date unit rates will need to be negotiated.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely, Stacy and Witbeck, Inc.

Brian Dagsland Project Manager

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 BID TOTALS

Biditem	Description	Quantity	Units	Unit Price	Bid Tota
1000	Field Engineering & Project Controls	1.000	LS	62,428.00	62,428.0
2000	Safety Program & Administration	1.000	LS	7,074.00	7,074.0
3000	Permits & Fees	1.000	LS	5,495.00	5,495.0
4000	Contractors Temporary Facilities & Equipment	1,000	LS	12,344.00	12,344.0
5000	Traffic & Pedestrian Control	1.000	LS	19,271.00	19,271.0
9000	Survey	1,000	LS	3,030.00	3,030.0
10000	Mobilization	1.000	LS	6,155.00	6,155.0
20100	Remove PCCP	181,000	SY	98.00	17,738.0
20200	Remove Curb	38.000	LF	35.00	1,330.0
20300	Remove Sidewalk	88.000	SY	41.00	3,608.0
20400	Remove Trees	5.000	EA	509.00	2,545.0
30100	6 inch Conduit - Primary	433.000	LF	130.00	56,290.0
30200	Add Alt 6 inch Conduit - Primary	433.000	LF	13.00	5,629.0
30300	2 and 1.5 inch Conduit - Secondary	504.000	LF	43.00	21,672.00
30400	Transformer PadVault	1.000	EA	9,290.00	9,290.0
30500	Power Cabinet Foundation	1.000	EA	14,561.00	14,561.0
30700	ABB Charger Pole Foundation	1.000	EA	12,042.00	12,042.0
30800	Bollard - Removable	5.000	EA		
30900	Furnish and Install CTM		EA	1,153.00	5,765.0
		0.500		70,885.00	35,442.54
31000	Install EVC's	3.000	EA	9,501.00	28,503.0
31100	Install Pantograph	1.000	EA	34,199.00	34,199.0
40100	Concrete Pavement 12 inch	181.000	SY	290.00	52,490.0
40200	Cone Curb & Gutter 30 inch Type A	38.000	LF	95.00	3,610.0
40300	Concrete Sidewalk 4 inch	15.000	SY	190.00	2,850.0
40400	Heated Concrete Sidewalk 4 inch	73.000	SY	401.00	29,273.0
40600	Restore Landscape Rock/Fabric	985.000	SY	18.00	17,730.0
		Base Bid Subtotal			\$470,364.5
49999	Fee (5.25%)	1.000	LS	24,552.50	24,552.5
		Base Bid Total			\$494,917.0

	Description	Quantity	Units	Unit Price	Bid Tota
<u>Biditem</u> 50010	Field Engineering & Proj Controls (Future Charger)				
50020		1.000	LS	10,163.00	10,163.00
50020	Safety Program & Administration (Future Charger) Contractors Temp Facilts & Equip (Future Charger)	1.000	LS	1,151.00	1,151.00
50030	Traffic & Pedestrian Control (Future Charger)	1.000	LS	895.00	895.00
50040	Survey (Future Charger)	1.000	LS	2,010.00	2,010.00
50050	Mobilization (Future Charger)	1.000	LS	493.00	493.0
50100	Remove PCCP (Future Charger)	1,000	LS	1,002.00	1,002.00
50200		23.000	SY	120.00	2,760.00
50200	2 and 1.5 inch Conduit (Future Charger) Handhold Pull Box	588,000	LF	17.00	9,996.00
50300		2.000	EA	1,314.00	2,628.00
50500	Concrete Pavement 12 inch (Future Charger) Furnish & Install CTM (Future Charger)	23.000 0.500	SY EA	339.00 70,885.00	7,797.00 35,442.50
	Future	Charger Subtotal		. Constanting	\$74,337.5
59999	Fee (5.25%) (Future Charger)	1.000	LS	4,044.50	4,044.50
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Detailed Contract Description & Purpose

Board Review Date:	5/29/2019	Document Type:	Change Order
Action Requested:	Motion to approve the o	contract or change order	
<u>Criteria:</u>	Contract is > \$1,000,000		
<u>Contract Title:</u>	On-Call Maintenance Co Task Order #78	ontract <u>Contract #</u>	16-1846TP
Project Manager:	Dave Hancock	Contract Administrator:	Teressa Pickett
Impacted Areas:	Light Rail-Delta Inter Construction	locking Included in budget?	Yes
Procurement method:	Best value (RFP)	Contractor:	Stacy and Witbeck
Sole-Source Reason:	N/A	<u>Qty & Unit price</u> <u>Change Order Value</u> <u>Total Contract Value</u>	
Contract term (Months)	12	Contract Start Date	When Executed
Contract options (Months)	N/A	Contract End Date:	12/31/2019
Number of re	esponding firms: N/A	\$ Value of Next Lowest Bidder	N/A

General Description & Purpose:

UTA contracted with Stacy and Witbeck for a three year on-call maintenance contract on 12/30/2016 to perform pre-construction services, construction management and a variety of maintenance tasks on UTA's transit system. This Task Order #78 is for the removal and reconstruction of the light rail Delta Interlocking. This is a State of Good Repair project of the 20 year old trackwork to ensure against a potential failure and derailment on the system. The rail, switches, frogs and concrete are badly worn and need replacing. Additionally, the new trackwork will be encapsulated to eliminate stray current issues. The project will bring the interlocking, signaling and communications up to current day standards and allow for more efficient train movements. The total on-call maintenance contract amount of \$30,824,030 is made up from 77 task orders since 2017. Each task order is covered by multiple project budgets from 2017, 2018 and 2019.

Attachments:	Contract routing sheet attached?	Yes
		Task Order Contract
	Other attachments? (list)	Original Contract (uploaded separately)

Once approved, please forward to Contract Administrator

CONTRACT ROUTING SHEET

Agenda Item No.: Board Review Date:					
CONTRACT SECTION					
1) Contract/P.O. No. UT16-1846	TP (Assig	ned by Purchesing)		dministrator:	Teressa Pickett
] B. Blanket PO] F. Other	C. Co G. Re	nstruction	ct Manager: D. Goods H. Services	Dave Hancock E. Modification I. Task Orders
3) Procurement Method RFQ (Qu	uote) 🗆 IFB (L 🖸 RFP (I	.ow Bid) 🔲 RF Best-value) 🔲 So	QU (Qualification le source	n)	
4) Contract Title On-Call Ma	intenance	Contract T	ask Order	#78	
5) Description / Delta Inter Purpose (of contract or project)	locking Co	onstruction			
6) Contractor Name Stacy and	Witbeck, I	nc.			
7) Effective Dates Beginning	Execut	ion	Endir	ng: <u>12/31/</u>	19
6) Option to renew? 🗆 Yes 🗹 No		Renewal terms	N/A		
FINANCIAL SECTION			INIA		
9) Total Board Approval Amount:			\$1,238,386		
9a) Current Contract Value:			\$29,585,644		
9b) Amendment Amount:		\$	1,238,38	6.00	
9d) New Contract Value (including a	li amendments)	5			to multiple projects
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		Yes 🗹 No			
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9f) If estimated, how was N/A the estimate calculated?					65
10) Is the amount a one-time purchase of	or annual recu	rring purchase?	☑ One-time	C Recurring	
11) Account Code 40-7385.68	912	(Capital Project	Code SC	GR383
12) Budgeted? 🗹 Yes 🔲 No	Budget amoun	tn \$	1,888,542	.00 This is th	e 2019 budget for SGR385
13) Will this contract require support from	m another dep	artment?	Yes 🛛 No		
14) If so, is the other department(s) awa	re of this conti	act and the requ	ired support?	🗹 Yes 🕻	∃ No
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Over \$100K Executive Director	🛛 Yes	□ No [41	/ Stava Meyer
over \$200K Board Approval	☑ Yes If Yes, rout	□ No □ e to the Sr. Supply	Chain Manager		Approval Date

TASK ORDER NO. 78

TASK ORDER NAME: Delta Interlocking Construction

PROJECT CODE: SGR383 40-7383.68912

This Task Order No. 78 to the On Call Maintenance Contract is entered into by and between Utah Transit Authority (UTA) and Stacy and Witbeck, Inc. (Contractor) as of December 30th, 2016.

This Task Order is part of the On Call Maintenance Contract and is governed by the terms thereof.

The purpose of this Task Order is to specifically define the scope, schedule, lump sum price, and other terms applicable to the work identified herein.

UTA and Contractor hereby agree as follows:

1.0 SCOPE OF SERVICES

The scope of work for the Task Order #75 is identified in Exhibit 1 – Scope of Work, which is hereby attached and incorporated into this Task Order.

2.0 SCHEDULE

The Substantial Completion Date for this Task is December 31st, 2019. The Revenue Operations Dates for this Task is December 31st, 2019. The Final Acceptance Date for this Task is December 31st, 2019.

3.0 LUMP SUM PRICE

The price for this task order is a not to exceed \$1,238,386.00. Invoices will be billed on monthly basis for work completed to date.

4.0 APPLICABILITY OF FEDERAL CLAUSES

This Task Order does \Box does not \boxtimes [Check Applicable] include federal assistance funds which requires the application of the Federal Clauses appended as Exhibit D to the On Call Maintenance Contract.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Task Order has been executed by UTA and the Contractor or its appointed representative

UTAH TRANSIT AUTHORITY:

STACY AND WITBECK, INC.:

By:
W. Steve Mgyer, Interim Executive Director Date
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BY CERK 5-17-17
David Hancock, Director of Asset Management Date
< \$50,000

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Date: Assistant Attoined Gueral

On-Call Maintenance Contract # UT16-1846TP

April 15,2019

Mr. David Hancock, PE Utah Transit Authority 669 West 200 South Salt Lake City, UT 84104

Reference: On-Call Maintenance Contract Contract No.: 16-1846TP

Subject: EST 18-618 – Delta Interlocking Construction

Dear Dave:

Thank you for the opportunity to propose on this project. Attached please find our cost estimate for the removal and reconstruction of the Delta Interlocking Universal #10 Crossover. Stacy and Witbeck has assumed the phasing of construction of the project will take place utilizing four separate weekend shutdowns, along with weekday access to unload, construct, and weld portions of each turnout adjacent to the alignment. We have also made provisions prior to each shutdown to access the site to sawcut and pre-demolition portions of the existing universal to reduce the needed work during the weekend shutdown window. We look forward to constructing this project for UTA the Spring/summer of 2019 with a mutually agreed upon schedule.

Exclusions:

- Railroad Protective Insurance
- Permit Fees
- Davis Bacon Wages
- Buy America Certification
- Quality Control Testing and Supervision
- HAZMAT and Contaminated Material Testing and Remediation
- Railroad Flagging, EIC, or Maintainers
- Cost of UTA bus bridge
- Cost of UTA test trains
- Existing Trackwork Track to Earth Repairs
- Track to Earth Testing
- Over-excavation and Grade Stabilization
- Spare parts- Trackwork, Signal, or OCS
- Additional costs for civil design changes.
- Utility and duct bank conflict resolution
- As-Built Survey of New Trackwork, Signals, or OCS
- In-Line Rail Ultrasonic Testing
- OCS Power down costs
- Sales Tax on Permanent Materials

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- Costs for operating trains for testing
- Infrastructure including but not limited to duct banks and associated pull boxes and/or handholes.
- All OCS work. SWI has the understanding that the scope of work only includes civil, track work, and switch machine upgrades. The existing OCS will remain in place and therefore no costs for OCS adjustments are considered.
- Signal house equipment or wiring modification
- Wayside application software modifications
- Back Office TDX software modifications
- Modifications of system level plans
- Work associated with wayside signals
- Traffic Signal System Modifications
- Utility Fees and Rocky Mountian Power Costs if any
- On-going maintenance after final acceptance
- Public outreach, or project advertising
- Signal house equipment or wiring modifications, except as specifically included in this proposal
- Cost of operating trains used for testing

Clarifications:

- Please see detailed list of each bid item below
- The unit costs for each bid item includes the costs of insurance, bond, and risk at the agreed upon rates.
- Procurement of special trackwork and encapsulation was included as part of Direct Authorization to Proceed (DAP) 2-06-2018 – Delta Interlocking No. 10 SXO Material Purchase. Please refer to scope letter and pricing proposal included as part of task order documents.
- The current OCS configuration and layout is to remain in its existing configuration and setup. No OCS adjustments have been provided in this cost proposal. If adjustments are needed or desired it will be negotiated separate to this pricing proposal.
- SWI has bid this project with no cost for thermite weld testing as UTA is responsible for providing the weld tester and QC for the On-Call Contract.
- SWI has bid all work as being done under shutdown windows.
- The scope of work is inclusive of only the items and scope that are listed below. Any other items of work or changes to the below scope will need to be repriced.
- SWI's Subcontractor has assumed all existing signals and route selectors are to remain.
- Will furnish switch machines that are equivalent to those being replaced
- All Provisional Sum Items are pass though items and do not include, fee, risk, insurance, bond, office overhead, or supervision. Any work under these items will be performed on a time and material (T&M) basis and will need to have fee, risk, bond, insurance, supervision and office overhead added to the actual costs.

Summary of Costs and Scope for each item:

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Bid Item 1000 – Field Engineering and Project Controls - 1.00 LS - Total of \$59,315.00 - This bid item includes Stacy and Witbeck field support from field engineer to manage construction. The field engineer will also perform pre-task planning and coordination with UTA. This item also includes office manager time for payroll and accounts payable.

Bid Item 2000 - Safety Program & Administration - 1.00 LS - Total of \$4,795.00 – Cost of Safety Supplies, safety personnel to visit the site, and incidental drug testing.

Bid Item 3000 – Permits & Fees - 1.00 LS - Total of \$11,693.00 - This bid item includes the cost to obtain a noise permit from Salt Lake County to perform work at night. Item also includes Traffic control permit and encroachment permits from Salt Lake City to perform work. This bid item also includes the cost to purchase the parking stalls along South Temple necessary to shift traffic into one lane.

Bid Item 5000 - Traffic & Pedestrian Control- 1.00 LS - Total of \$19,050.00 - This bid item includes the cost for traffic and pedestrian control equipment and labor for the weekend shutdowns with two flagger onsite through the duration and periodic maintenance.

Bid Item 8000 – Key Personnel and Travel Subsistence - 1.00 LS - Total of \$17,852.00 - This bid item includes the cost to fly in and host key personnel for each weekend shutdown. Costs include flights in/out, hotel accommodations and daily meal allowance.

Bid Item 9000 - Survey - 1.00 LS - Total of \$8,993.00 - This bid item includes the cost for construction layout survey for installing the new Delta Interlocking special Trackwork.

Bid Item 10000 - Mobilization - 1.00 LS - Total of \$9,700.00 - This bid item includes the cost for mobilizing heavy equipment to and from the project site prior to each shutdown, field sanitary expenses, temp site lighting for the shutdown, jobsite dumpster, and final project cleanup.

Bid Item 20000 - Demo Existing Delta interlocking Universal X-Over - 1.00 LS - Total of \$191,295.00 - This bid item includes sawcutting and demolition of approximate 8' sections of the existing track slab (between turnouts) to aid in the removal of the existing embedded track during the shutdowns. This work will be done prior to each shutdown.

This bid item includes the removal of the existing 8 FT wide 20 inch deep track slab within the tub section, turnouts and handwork of removing the existing concrete at the tie-in locations outside the point of switches of turnouts. This items includes the rental of 1 excavator and 1 Loaders.

This bid item includes the removal of the existing center infill, edge fill concrete to subgrade in the center of the intersection. Pavement outside of the special Trackwork limits has not been provided as part of this estimate.

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Bid Item 25000 - Grade Prep & 3 IN Base (No Stabilization) - 1.000 LS - Total of \$11,398.00 - This bid item includes the cost of subgrade preparation of the existing base material and then grading and compacting three inches of new aggregate base course to bring the new track slab depth to 15 inches which is UTA's current design standard.

Bid Item 30000 - Construct Delta Interlocking Universal X-over - 1.000 LS - Total of \$155,235.00 - This bid item includes hauling the tangent rail, turnouts, and frogs from UTA's yard. It also includes distributing the rail, installation of the restraining rail, steel ties, boot, flangeway former, and clips, elevating the rail to design elevation, and lining the rail to designed location.

Bid Item 31000 Thermite Welding - 56.000 EA – \$1,215 EA - Total of \$68,040.00 – This bid item accounts for 56 complete thermite welds within the turnouts, frogs and tangent sections of track.

Bid Item 35000 - Form, Pour, and Delta Interlocking Crossover – 1.00 LS - Total of \$229,682.00 - This bid item includes epoxy coated rebar, forming, installing of expansion joints at approximately 60 FT spacing, expansion joint between infill and track slab, and pouring the new 15 inch deep track and turnouts within the limits of the Delta Interlocking Universal Crossover.

This bid item includes the epoxy coated rebar and pouring the new 15 inch deep center infill and edged fill along the adjacent sides of the track slab.

This bid item includes the joint sealing of the track slab ½ inch x ½ inch deep expansion joints on the edges of the track slab along with the expansion joints in the edge infill at approximately 60 FT spacing to match the track slab joints.

Bid Item 45000 Train Signal & Communications - 1.000 LS – Total \$275,863.00 - This bid item includes the cost for SWI's subcontractor to install and test the new switch machines at Delta Interlocking Crossover. The construction and testing scope is as follows:

- o Furnish and install four (4) new switch machines using existing cabling
- Disconnect and Reconnect track leads to support trackwork replacement as needed
- Traction power bonding
- o Testing and commissioning of four (4) new H&K switch machines
- o Test affected track circuits

Bid Item 50000 Replacement of Switch Heaters & Controller - 1.000 LS – Total \$66,197.00 -This bid item includes the following items:

- Furnish and install four (4) new Thermon / Fastrax switch heater rods with new heater wiring.
- o Furnish and install (1) new Thermon / Fastrax switch heater controller.
- o Repair existing conduit as necessary.
- o Validation of switch heater functionality.

Bid Item 100000 - Fee (5.25%) - 1.00 LS - Total of \$59,278.00 - This is the agreed to CMGC fee that is part of the new On Call Services Contract on the above bid items.

Bid Item 20000 - Remove and Replace Curb (Provisional Sum) - 1 LS - \$50,000.00

The total price for this scope of work is **\$1,238,386.00** If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely, Stacy and Witbeck, Inc.

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Brian Dagsland Project Manager

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18-618R2	Delta Inerlocking Crossover/Heaters	
*** Maverick Gibbons, M	IG	BID TOTALS

Biditem	Description	Quantity	<u>Units</u>	<u>Unit Price</u>	Bid Total
1000	Field Engineering & Project Controls	1.000	LS	59,315.00	59,315.00
2000	Safety Program & Administration	1,000	LS	4,795.00	4,795.00
3000	Permits & Fees	1.000	LS	11,693.00	11,693.00
5000	Traffic & Pedestrian Control	1.000	LS	19,050.00	19,050.00
8000	Key Personnel Travel & Subsistence	1.000	LS	17,852.00	17,852.00
9000	Survey	1.000	LS	8,993.00	8,993.00
10000	Mobilization	1.000	LS	9,700.00	9,700.00
20000	Demolish Existing Delta Universal X-over	1.000	LS	191,295.00	191,295.00
25000	Grade Prep & 3 IN Base (No Stabilization)	1.000	LS	11,398.00	11,398.00
30000	Construct Delta Interlocking Universal X-over	1.000	LS	155,235.00	155,235.00
31000	Thermite Welding	56.000	EA	1,215.00	68,040.00
35000	Form, Pour, and Strip Delta Interlocking X-over	1.000	LS	229,682.00	229,682.00
45000	Train Signal & Communications	1.000	LS	275,863.00	275,863.00
50000	Delta Interlocking Switch Heater Repair	1.000	LS	66,197.00	66,197.00
		Subtotal		\$	1,129,108.00
100000	Fee (5.25%)	1.000	LS	59,278.00	59,278.00
200000	Remove and Replace Curb (Provisional Sum)	1.000	PS	50,000.00	50,000.00
		Bid Total ———	>	\$	1,238,386.00

Detailed Contract Description & Purpose

Board Review Date:	5/29/2019		Document Type:	Change Order
Action Requested:	Motion to approve the contract or change order			
<u>Criteria:</u>	Contract is \$200,	,000 - \$999,999		
<u>Contract Title:</u>	On-Call Mainter Task Orc Change C	der #70	<u>Contract #</u>	16-1846TP
Project Manager:	•		Contract Administrator:	Teressa Pickett
Impacted Areas:	Light Rail-150 S I	nterlocking	Included in budget?	Yes
Procurement method:	Best value (RFP)		Contractor:	Stacy and Witbeck
Sole-Source Reason:	N/A		<u>Qty & Unit price</u> <u>Change Order Value</u> <u>Total Contract Value</u>	
Contract term (Months)	12		Contract Start Date	When Executed
Contract options (Months)	N/A		Contract End Date:	12/31/2019
Number of re	esponding firms:	N/A \$ Val ı	ue of Next Lowest Bidder	N/A

General Description & Purpose:

UTA contracted with Stacy and Witbeck for a three year on-call maintenance contract on 12/30/2016 to perform pre-construction services, construction management and a variety of maintenance tasks on UTA's transit system. Task Order #70 was executed for work on the light rail 150 South Interlocking. This change order #1 to Task Order #70 is to replace four switch heaters and cable for the 150 South Interlocking. The original scope for the 150 South Interlocking project was to reuse the existing switch heaters for this project. During field engineering, it was discovered that the existing switch heaters are worn out and not compatible with the new rail procured for this project. Also the cables are badly damaged and need to be replaced. The total contract amount of \$31,044,440 is made up from 78 task orders (including task order #70) since 2017. Each task order is covered by multiple project budgets from 2017, 2018 and 2019. The current value of task order #70 is \$942,716. With the addition of this change order #1 for \$220,410, the new task order total amount will be \$1,163,126.

Attachments:	Contract routing sheet	Yes
		Task Order #70, Change Order #1,
	Other attachments? (list)	Original Contract (uploaded separately)

CONTRACT ROUTING SHEET

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(Assigned by Purchesing) Contract Administrator: Teressa Pickett Project Manager: Dave Hancock
B. Blanket PO C. Construction D. Goods DE. Modification
] F. Other G. Renewal D. H. Services II. Task Orders
☑ RFP (Best-value) □ Sole source □ Other:
Intenance Contract Task Order #70 Change Order #1
Interlocking Switch Heater & Cable Replacement
Vitbeck, Inc.
Execution Ending: 12/31/19
Renewal terms
amendments) <u>\$ 220,410.00</u> amendments) <u>\$ 31,044,440,00</u> charged to multiple projects Yes INo)
annual recurring purchase? One-time
Capital Project Code SGR383
udget amount: \$1,888,542.00 This is the 2019 budget for SGR3
another department? ^I Yes No
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Utah Transit Author 669 West 200 South Salt Lake City, Utah Phone: (801) 741-88 Fax: (801) 741-8892		No.	CHANGE ORDER
TITLE:	150 S Interlocking Switch Heater and Cable Replacement	DATE:	5/17/2019
PROJECT/CODE:	SGR383 - 150 S and Delta Interlockings	This is a change order to CONTRACT No:	Task Order #70 150 S Main Interlocking
TO:	Stacy and Witbeck, Inc.	-	S Main Interlocking 16-1846TP
ATTN:	Brian Dagsland		

DESCRIPTION OF CHANGE: Brief scope, references to scope defining documents such as RFIs, submittals, specified drawings, exhibits, etc.

The original scope was to reuse the existing switch heaters for this project. During field engineering, it was discovered that the existing switch heaters are not compatible with the new rail procured for this project and also that the cables needed to be replaced. This change order is to replace four switch heaters and cable for the 150 S interlocking.

Direction or Authorization to Proceed (DAP) previously executed: It is mutually agreed upon, there is a schedule impact due to this Change order:

YES NO _X_ YES NO __X_

By:

By:

Date:

The amount of any adjustment to time for Substantial Completion and/or Guaranteed Completion or Contract Price includes all known and stated impacts or amounts, direct, indirect and consequential, (as of the date of this Change Order) which may be incurred as a result of the event or matter giving rise to this Change Order. Should conditions arise subsequent to this Change Order that impact the Work under the Contract, including this Change Order, and justify a Change Order under the Contract, or should subsequent Change Orders impact the Work under this Change Order, UTA or the Contractor may initiate a Change Order per the General Provisions, to address such impacts as may arise.

	Schedule		Contract	Current Change Order	
12/31/2019	Final Completion Date Prior to This Change:	\$942,716	Original Contract Sum:	\$220,410	Lump Sum:
	Contract Time Change This Change Order (Calendar Days):	\$0	Net Change by Previously Authorized Changes:		Unit Cost:
12/31/2019	Final Completion Date as of This Change Order:	\$ 942,716	Previous Project Total:	-	Cost Plus:
		\$220,410	Net Change This Change Order:	\$220,410	Total:
		\$1,163,126	Current Project Total:		
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ACCEPTED:

By:

Date:

David Hancock

By: Date: r Teressa Pickett Procurement

N/A

Director of Assets <\$50,000 By: Date:

Michael Bell Legal Review

Date: W. Steve Meyer

Brian Dagsland

Stacy and Witbeck, Inc.

Interim Executive Director >\$100,000



Change Order Summary Worksheet

Previously Authorized Changes

Contract Task Order #70 150 S

Change Order No	Date	Amount of CO	Running Contract Total	Subject
Original Contract			\$942,716	
Total t	to Date	\$		

April 15, 2019

Mr. David Hancock Director of asset Management Utah Transit Authority 669 West 200 South Salt Lake City, UT 84101

Reference: On Call Services Contract No: 16-1846TP

Subject: 19-614 – 150 S Interlocking Switch Heater and Cable Replacement Change Order

Dear David:

We are pleased to provide the attached cost estimate to replace four (4) switch heaters and cable at 150 South Interlocking on the UTA TRAX alignment. We look forward to constructing this project for UTA this summer of 2019 at a mutually agreed upon schedule.

Exclusions:

- Railroad Protective Insurance
- Permit Fees
- Davis Bacon Wages
- Buy America Certification
- Quality Control Testing and Supervision
- HAZMAT and Contaminated Material Testing and Remediation
- Railroad Flagging, EIC, or Maintainers
- Cost of UTA bus bridge
- Cost of UTA test trains
- Existing Trackwork Track to Earth Repairs
- Track to Earth Testing
- Over-excavation and Grade Stabilization
- Spare parts- Trackwork, Signal, or OCS
- Additional costs for civil design changes.
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- As-Built Survey of New Trackwork, Signals, or OCS
- In-Line Rail Ultrasonic Testing
- OCS Power down costs
- Sales Tax on Permanent Materials
- Costs for operating trains for testing
- Infrastructure including but not limited to duct banks and associated pull boxes and/or handholes.
- All OCS work. SWI has the understanding that the scope of work only includes civil, track work, and switch machine upgrades. The existing OCS will remain in place and therefore no costs for OCS adjustments are considered.

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- Signal house equipment or wiring modification
- Wayside application software modifications
- Back Office TDX software modifications
- Modifications of system level plans
- Work associated with wayside signals
- Traffic Signal System Modifications
- Utility Fees and Rocky Mountian Power Costs if any
- On-going maintenance after final acceptance
- Public outreach, or project advertising
- Signal house equipment or wiring modifications, except as specifically included in this proposal
- Cost of operating trains used for testing

Clarifications:

- Please see detailed list of each bid item below.
- SWI has assumed that this work will take place at the same time as the switch machines are being replaces during the Half Grand Union shut down this year.
- The unit costs for each bid item includes the costs of insurance, bond, and risk at the agreed upon rates.
- We are excluding all utility relocations and conflicts from our pricing. Any conflicts or relocations
 will need to be addressed as a change of condition.
- The scope of work is inclusive of only the items and scope that are listed below. Any other items of work or changes to the below scope will need to be repriced.

Bid Item 1000 – Field Engineering and Project Controls – 1 LS – Total of \$1,214.00 – This bid item includes Stacy and Witbeck field support from field engineer to manage construction. The field engineer will also perform pre-task planning and coordination with UTA. This item also includes office manager time for payroll and accounts payable.

Bid Item 2000 – Safety Program and Administration – 1 LS – Total of \$270.00 – Cost of Safety Supplies, safety personnel to visit the site, and incidental drug testing.

Bid Item 3000 – Permits and Fees – 1 LS – Total of \$2,813.00 – Cost to rent additional parking spaces due to the revised traffic control plans, completely closing the block Main Street from 100 South to 200 South.

Bid Item 6000 -- Replacement of 150 South Switch Heaters, Controller, and Cable -- 1 LS -- Total \$205,119.00 -- This bid item includes the following items.

- Furnish and install four (4) new Thermon / Fastrax switch heater rods with new heater wiring.
- Furnish and install (1) new Thermon / Fastrax switch heater controller.
- Furnish and install new switch heater power cable.
- Repair existing conduit as necessary.
- Validation of switch heater functionality.

Bid Item 100000 – Fee (5.25%) – 1 LS – Total of \$10,994.00 – This is the 5.25% GMGC fee.

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The total price for this scope of work is \$220,410.00

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely, Stacy and Witbeck, Inc.

Brian Dagsland Project Manager

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04/15/2019 11:52 19-614 150 S Interlocking Switch Heater C/O *** Brian Dagsland, BD BID TOTALS

Biditem	Description	Quantity	<u>Units</u>	<u>Unit Price</u>	Bid Total
1000	Field Engineering & Project Controls	1.000	LS	1,214.00	1,214.00
2000	Safety Program & Administration	1.000	LS	270.00	270.00
3000	Permits & Fees	1.000	LS	2,813.00	2,813.00
6000	150 South Interlocking Switch Heater Repair	1.000	LS	205,119.00	205,119.00
		Subtotal			\$209,416.00
100000	Fee (5.25%)	1,000	LS	10,994.00	10,994.00
		Bid Total	>		\$220,410.00

TASK ORDER NO. 70

TASK ORDER NAME: 150 South Main Interlocking Reconstruction

PROJECT CODE: SGR38318 40-7383.68912

This Task Order No. 70 to the On Call Maintenance Contract is entered into by and between Utah Transit Authority (UTA) and Stacy and Witbeck, Inc. (Contractor) as of December 30th, 2016.

This Task Order is part of the On Call Maintenance Contract and is governed by the terms thereof.

The purpose of this Task Order is to specifically define the scope, schedule, lump sum price, and other terms applicable to the work identified herein.

UTA and Contractor hereby agree as follows:

1.0 SCOPE OF SERVICES

The scope of work for the Task Order #70 is identified in Exhibit 1 – Scope of Work, which is hereby attached and incorporated into this Task Order.

2.0 SCHEDULE

The Substantial Completion Date for this Task is June 1st, 2019. The Revenue Operations Dates for this Task is June 1st, 2019. The Final Acceptance Date for this Task is June 1st, 2019.

3.0 LUMP SUM PRICE

The price for this task order is a not to exceed \$942,716.00. Invoices will be billed on monthly basis for work completed to date.

4.0 APPLICABILITY OF FEDERAL CLAUSES

This Task Order does \Box does not \boxtimes [Check Applicable] include federal assistance funds which requires the application of the Federal Clauses appended as Exhibit D to the On Call Maintenance Contract.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Task Order has been executed by UTA and the Contractor or its appointed representative

UTAH TRANSIT AUTHORITY:

By: Robert K. B.T. Meyer, Interim Exec, Director, Acting Date 12 By:

Donald (Eddy) Cumins, Acting VP Opns, Cap & Assets Date

David Hancock, Acting Director of Assets

STACY AND WITBECK, INC.:

By:

Date: 12-18-2018

On-Call Maintenance Contract # UT16-1846TP

September 13, 2018

Mr. David Hancock, PE Utah Transit Authority 669 West 200 South Salt Lake City, UT 84104

Reference: On-Call Maintenance Contract Contract No.: 16-1846TP

Subject: EST 18-628 – 150 South Main Street Interlocking Construction

Dear Dave:

Thank you for the opportunity to propose on this project. Attached please find our cost estimate for the removal and reconstruction of the 150 South Main Street Interlocking Universal #6 Crossover. Stacy and Witbeck has assumed the phasing of construction of the project will take place utilizing four separate weekend shutdowns, along with weekday access to unload, construct, and weld portions of each turnout adjacent to the alignment. We have also made provisions prior to each shutdown to access the site to sawcut and pre-demolition portions of the existing universal to reduce the needed work during the weekend shutdown window. We look forward to constructing this project for UTA the Spring/summer of 2019 with a mutually agreed upon schedule.

Exclusions:

- Railroad Protective Insurance
- Permit Fees
- Davis Bacon Wages
- Buy America Certification
- Quality Control Testing and Supervision
- HAZMAT and Contaminated Material Testing and Remediation
- Railroad Flagging, EIC, or Maintainers
- Cost of UTA bus bridge
- Cost of UTA test trains
- Existing Trackwork Track to Earth Repairs
- Track to Earth Testing
- Over-excavation and Grade Stabilization
- Spare parts- Trackwork, Signal, or OCS
- Additional costs for civil design changes.
- Utility and duct bank conflict resolution
- As-Built Survey of New Trackwork, Signals, or OCS
- In-Line Rail Ultrasonic Testing
- OCS Power down costs
- Sales Tax on Permanent Materials

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- Costs for operating trains for testing
- Infrastructure including but not limited to duct banks and associated pull boxes and/or handholes.
- All OCS work. SWI has the understanding that the scope of work only includes civil, track work, and switch machine upgrades. The existing OCS will remain in place and therefore no costs for OCS adjustments are considered.
- Signal house equipment or wiring modification
- Wayside application software modifications
- Back Office TDX software modifications
- Modifications of system level plans
- Work associated with wayside signals
- Traffic Signal System Modifications
- Spare Parts
- On-going maintenance after final acceptance
- Public outreach, or project advertising

Clarifications:

- Please see detailed list of each bid item below
- The unit costs for each bid item includes the costs of insurance, bond, and risk at the agreed upon rates.
- Procurement of special trackwork and encapsulation was included as part of Task Order #50 150 South Special trackwork Procurement. Please refer to scope letter and pricing proposal included as part of task order documents.
- The current OCS configuration and layout is to remain in its existing configuration and setup. No OCS adjustments have been provided in this cost proposal. If adjustments are needed or desired it will be negotiated separate to this pricing proposal.
- SWI has bid this project with no cost for thermite weld testing as UTA is responsible for providing the weld tester and QC for the On-Call Contract.
- SWI has bid all work as being done under shutdown windows.
- The scope of work is inclusive of only the items and scope that are listed below. Any other items of work or changes to the below scope will need to be repriced.
- SWI's Subcontractor has assumed all existing signals and route selectors are to remain.
- Will furnish switch machines that are equivalent to those being replaced
- All Provisional Sum Items are pass though items and do not include, fee, risk, insurance, bond, office overhead, or supervision. Any work under these items will be performed on a time and material (T&M) basis and will need to have fee, risk, bond, insurance, supervision and office overhead added to the actual costs.

Summary of Costs and Scope for each item:

Bid Item 1000 – Field Engineering and Project Controls - 1.00 LS - Total of \$59,390.00 - This bid item includes Stacy and Witbeck field support from field engineer to manage construction. The field engineer will also perform pre-task planning and coordination with UTA. This item also includes office manager time for payroll and accounts payable.

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Bid Item 2000 - Safety Program & Administration - 1.00 LS - Total of \$4,800.00 – Cost of Safety Supplies, safety personnel to visit the site, and incidental drug testing.

Bid Item 3000 – Permits & Fees - 1.00 LS - Total of \$7,789.00 - This bid item includes the cost to obtain a noise permit from Salt Lake County to perform work at night. Item also includes Traffic control permit and encroachment permits from Salt Lake City to perform work. This bid item also includes the cost to purchase the parking stalls along South Temple necessary to shift traffic into one lane.

Bid Item 5000 - Traffic & Pedestrian Control- 1.00 LS - Total of \$19,074.00 - This bid item includes the cost for traffic and pedestrian control equipment and labor for the weekend shutdowns with two flagger onsite through the duration and periodic maintenance.

Bid Item 8000 – Key Personnel and Travel Subsistence - 1.00 LS - Total of \$17,875.00 - This bid item includes the cost to fly in and host key personnel for each weekend shutdown. Costs include flights in/out, hotel accommodations and daily meal allowance.

Bid Item 9000 - Survey - 1.00 LS - Total of \$9,004.00 - This bid item includes the cost for construction layout survey for installing the new 150 South Main Street Interlocking special Trackwork.

Bid Item 10000 - Mobilization - 1.00 LS - Total of \$9,713.00 - This bid item includes the cost for mobilizing heavy equipment to and from the project site prior to each shutdown, field sanitary expenses, temp site lighting for the shutdown, jobsite dumpster, and final project cleanup.

Bid Item 20000 - Demo Existing 150 South Main Street interlocking Universal X-Over -1.00 LS - Total of \$127,591.00 - This bid item includes sawcutting and demolition of approximate 8' sections of the existing track slab (between turnouts) to aid in the removal of the existing embedded track during the shutdowns. This work will be done prior to each shutdown.

This bid item includes the removal of the existing 8 FT wide 20 inch deep track slab within the tub section, turnouts and handwork of removing the existing concrete at the tie-in locations outside the point of switches of turnouts. This items includes the rental of 1 excavator and 1 Loaders.

This bid item includes the removal of the existing center infill, edge fill concrete to subgrade in the center of the intersection. Pavement outside of the special Trackwork limits has not been provided as part of this estimate.

Bid Item 25000 - Grade Prep & 3 IN Base (No Stabilization) - 1.000 LS - Total of \$8,384.00 -This bid item includes the cost of subgrade preparation of the existing base material and then grading and compacting three inches of new aggregate base course to bring the new track slab depth to 15 inches which is UTA's current design standard.

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Bid Item 30000 - Construct 150 South Main Street Interlocking Universal X-over - 1.000 LS - Total of \$131,779.00 - This bid item includes hauling the tangent rail, turnouts, and frogs from UTA's yard. It also includes distributing the rail, installation of the restraining rail, steel ties, boot, flangeway former, and clips, elevating the rail to design elevation, and lining the rail to designed location.

Bid Item 31000 Thermite Welding - 56.000 EA - Total of \$53,680.00 – This bid item accounts for 56 complete thermite welds within the turnouts, frogs and tangent sections of track.

Bid Item 35000 - Form, Pour, and 150 South Main Street Interlocking Crossover – 1.00 LS -Total of \$170,404.00 - This bid item includes epoxy coated rebar, forming, installing of expansion joints at approximately 60 FT spacing, expansion joint between infill and track slab, and pouring the new 15 inch deep track and turnouts within the limits of the 150 South Main Street Interlocking Universal Crossover.

This bid item includes the epoxy coated rebar and pouring the new 15 inch deep center infill and edged fill along the adjacent sides of the track slab.

This bid item includes the joint sealing of the track slab $\frac{1}{2}$ inch x $\frac{1}{2}$ inch deep expansion joints on the edges of the track slab along with the expansion joints in the edge infill at approximately 60 FT spacing to match the track slab joints.

Bid Item 45000 Train Signal & Communications - 1.000 LS – Total \$276,209.00 - This bid item includes the cost for SWI's subcontractor to install and test the new switch machines at 150 South Main Street Interlocking Crossover. The construction and testing scope is as follows:

- o Furnish and install four (4) new switch machines using existing cabling
- Disconnect and Reconnect track leads to support trackwork replacement as needed
- o Traction power bonding
- o Testing and commissioning of four (4) new H&K switch machines
- o Test affected track circuits

Bid Item 100000 - Fee (5.25%) - 1.00 LS - Total of \$47,024.00 - This is the agreed to CMGC fee that is part of the new On Call Services Contract on the above bid items.

The total price for this scope of work is **\$942,716.00** If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely, Stacy and Witbeck, Inc.

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Brian Dagsland Project Manager

*** Moran,	Mike, MM	BID TOTALS			
<u>Biditem</u>	Description	Quantity	<u>Units</u>	<u>Unit Price</u>	Bid Total
1000	Field Engineering & Project Controls	1.000	LS	59,390.00	59,390.00
2000	Safety Program & Administration	1.000	LS	4,800.00	4,800.00
3000	Permits & Fees	1.000	LS	7,789.00	7,789.00
5000	Traffic & Pedestrian Control	1.000	LS	19,074.00	19,074.00
8000	Key Personnel Travel & Subsistence	1.000	LS	17,875.00	17,875.00
9000	Survey	1.000	LS	9,004.00	9,004.00
10000	Mobilization	1.000	LS	9,713.00	9,713.00
20000	Demolish Existing 150 S Universal X-over	1.000	LS	127,591.00	127,591.00
25000	Grade Prep & 3 IN Base (No Stabilization)	1.000	LS	8,384.00	8,384.00
30000	Construct 150 S Universal X-over	1.000	LS	131,779.00	131,779.00
31000	Thermite Welding	44.000	EA	1,220.00	53,680.00
35000	Form, Pour, and Strip 150 S X-over	1.000	LS	170,404.00	170,404.00
45000	Train Signal & Communications	1.000	LS	276,209.00	276,209.00
75000	Striping	1.000	LS		
		Subtotal			\$895,692.00
100000	Fee (5.25%)	1.000	LS	47,024.00	47,024.00
		Bid Total ———	>		\$942,716.00

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Detailed Contract Description & Purpose

Board Review Date: 5/29/2019

Document Type: Change Order

Action Requested: Motion to approve the contract or change order

<u>Criteria</u>: New total contract value is > \$1,000,000 and Change-order is > 15% or \$200,000

<u>Contract Title:</u>	NoLo Battery Ele Charging Equipn		<u>Contract #</u>	17-2392PP Modification 002
Project Manager:	Greg Thorpe		Contract Administrator:	Pat Postell
Impacted Areas:			Included in budget?	Yes
Procurement method:	Sole-Source		Contractor:	New Flyer
Sole-Source Reason:	Unique or Innov Available from o	•	<u>Qty & Unit price</u> <u>Change Order Value</u> <u>Total Contract Value</u>	
<u>Contract term (Months)</u>	14		Contract Start Date	7/27/2018
Contract options (Months)			Contract End Date:	11/10/2019
Number of re	sponding firms:	0 <u>\$ Val</u>	ue of Next Lowest Bidder	N/A

General Description & Purpose:

UTA was awarded a grant from Rocky Mountain Power of \$500,000, from their Plug-in Electric Vehicle Custom Project, to purchase an On-route Opportunity Charging System. The cost of the unit is \$427,946 and the remainder of the grant will go towards installation of the charger.

This opportunity charging system will be used by Park City for their all electric bus system through an interagency agreement with UTA. The opportunity charger will be purchased through a modification to UTA's existing contract (17-2392PP) for five 40-Foot New Flyer battery-electric buses. The charging system is proprietary to ABB, the subcontractor to New Flyer. UTA's existing contract also includes bus charging equipment that will be located at existing UTA transit facilities. The benefits of awarding this modification will result in significant emission reductions and promotion of alternative fuel vehicles.

Attachments:	Contract routing sheet attached?	Yes	
		Contract Modification, Or	iginal Contract,
	Other attachments? (list)	Approved Sole Source, Gr	ant

CONTRACT ROUTING SHEET CONTRACT SECTION Pat Postell 1) Contract/P.O. No. 17-2392PP-002 Contract Administrator: (Assigned by Purchasing) Project Manager: **Hal Johnson** 2) Contract Type 🗋 A. A&E/Design B. Blanket PO C. Construction D. Goods E. Modification F. Other G. Renewal I. Task Orders E. Option H. Services 3) Procurement Method RFQ (Quote) IFB (Low Bid) RFQU (Qualification) Other: RFP (Best-value) Sole source **NoLo Battery Electric Buses - Charging Equipment** 4) Contract Title 5) Description / Purpose (of contract or project) Additional en-route charging equipment for electric buses New Flyer Inc. 6) Contractor Name 09/15/19 07/27/18 Ending: Beginning: 7) Effective Dates 8) Option to renew? 🗆 Yes 🛛 No Renewal terms **FINANCIAL SECTION** 5,637,592 9a) Current Contract Value: \$ 427,946 9b) Amendment Amount: \$ 9d) New Contract Value (including all amendments) \$ 6,065,538 9e) Is the amount an estimate? 🗆 Yes 🗹 No (Estimate if per transaction cost) 9f) If estimated, how was the estimate calculated? 10) Is the amount a one-time purchase or annual recurring purchase? One-time Recurring 15116218 40-3162.68912 11) Account Code **Capital Project Code** 12) Budgeted? I Yes INo Budget amount: 13) Will this contract require support from another department? Yes 🖸 No No 🗌 Yes 14) If so, is the other department(s) aware of this contract and the required support? 15) If box 2a or 2c is checked, has the Qualified Heath Insurance Certificate been verified? C Yes □ No SIGNATURE SECTION Route to? Print Name **Contract Compliance** ☑ Yes No No Print Name AAG Legal Review C Yes ⊡ No Brvan Steele Accounting Review Yes D No Print Name IT Review (IT software or hardware) 🗌 Yes 🖸 No Up to \$10K Manager/Program Manager ☑ Yes 🗆 No Marv DeLoretto D No Yes Up to \$50K Dir, Sr. Mgr, RGM, or Chief/VP umins Up to \$100K Chief, or Yes No No Dir, Sr. Mgr, RGM (Capital, Maint., Ops. only) Steve Meyer Over \$100K Executive Director ☑ Yes D No Approval Date Over \$200K Board Approval Yes No No

If Yes, route to the Sr. Supply Chain Manager for board meeting agenda and approval

Once approved, please forward to Contract Administrator

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Exhibit 10-C Sole-Source Justification

SOLE-SOURCE PROCUREMENT REQUEST

Today's Date: 2/26/2019

UTA procurement procedures allow a procurement by noncompetitive proposals only when the award of a contract under small purchase procedures, sealed bids, or competitive proposals (or as, applicable statements of qualification) is impractical and not in the best interests of UTA, <u>and</u> at least one of the circumstances below applies. Please identify which of the following exceptions apply to your project. UTA's Chief Procurement Officer will make the final determination if it is a justifiable Sole-source purchase. If this request is not approved, normal procurement procedures will be necessary. Less than \$3,500 = Micro-purchase (Sole-Source Justification is not necessary).

Signed Requisition attached? 🔲 Yes 🗔 No If No please explain: Still in procress.

Source of Funds:	🛛 Local 🖾 Federai	Budgeted? : 🗋 No 🖾 Yes: Cost center:GL #:
Term (incl. option One time purchas	s): <u>6</u> months 🗆 N/A e? 🛛 Yes 🗔 No	Total contract term amount (incl. options) \$427,946.40 Requires Board approval? (Over \$200K) 🛛 Yes 🔲 No
Publication Requi	r ed? (if greater than \$50,000)	Publication is required
Source (vendor prov	iding the product or service):	
Vendor Name:	New Flyer of America	Phone: _256.241.1348
Contact Person:	Sandy Holt	Email Address: Sandy Holt@newflyer.com

Detailed Description of Part Number(s), Product or Service:

HVC450P - 450kW Opportunity Charger including pole, pantograph

and shipping.

SOLE-SOURCE REASON

□ The product or services are available only from a single source because one of the conditions described below is present: (please select only one)

Unique or Innovative Concept - available from only one source

Patents or Restricted Data Rights – patent or data rights restrictions preclude competition.
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- Substantial Duplication Costs in the case of a follow-on contract for the continued development or production of highly specialized equipment and/or major components, when it is likely that award to another source would result in substantial duplication of costs that are not expected to be recovered through competition.
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 - Cost / Benefit analysis must be attached. Sample Cost Benefit Analysis.docx
- Unacceptable Delay in the case of a follow-on contract for the continued development or production of highly specialized equipment and/or major components, when it is likely that award to another source would result in unacceptable delays.

□ The public exigency or emergency for the requirement will not permit a delay resulting from a competitive solicitation:

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FTA has authorized non-competitive negotiations. Identify which of the following FTA determinations apply to your project:

- Consortium, Joint Venture, Team Partnership FTA has approved the participation of a particular firm or combination of firms in the project work including, without limitation, as part of a successful grant application.
- Statutory Authorization or Requirement to comply with DOT appropriations laws that include specific statutory requirements, with the result that only a single contractor can perform certain project work.
- National Emergency to maintain a facility, producer, manufacturer, or other supplier available to provide supplies or services in the event of a national emergency or to achieve industrial mobilization.
- Research to establish or maintain an educational or other non-profit institution or federally funded research and development center that has or will have an essential engineering, research, or development capability.
- Protest, Disputes, Claims, Litigation to acquire the services of an expert or neutral person for any current or anticipated protest, dispute, claim, or litigation.
- International Arrangements when precluded by the terms of an international agreement or treaty between the US and a foreign government or international organization.
- □ National Security when the disclosure of the recipient's needs would compromise national security.
- Public Interest when UTA determines that full and open competition in connection with a particular acquisition is not in the public interest.

Justification:

1) Explain what part(s)/services of the stated specification restricts the requisition to one manufacturer or provider.

A contract was awarded to New Flyer of America, Inc. through the NoLo Grant for the purchase of five (5) electric buses and charging equipment through New Flyer's subcontractor ABB. The charging equipment consists of a 100 kW depot charging system, a 450kW Opportunity Charger, and a Pantograph. Under the Stainable Transportation Energy Plan (STEP) grant, Utah Department of Transportation (UDOT) was awarded the Plug-In Electric Vehicle Custom Project monies for electric charging equipment. The charging equipment must be compatible with the five (5) electric buses we are receiving. UTA will use the grant money from Rocky Mountain Power under the Plug-In Electric Vehicle Custom Project grant to purchase another 450kW Opportunity Charger including pole and pantograph from New Flyer of America through their subcontractor ABB.

2) List any company, other than your suggested source, who supplies a product with similar functions, and the reasons the competing products are not satisfactory. (attach documentation and/or written quotes, if necessary):

None

3) If Item is to be used with existing equipment check the appropriate box below: DN/A

As a 🔲 repair 🔲 replacement part 🗌 new component to be interfaced

a. Give Brand and Model number of existing equipment and why the product/service is the only one that will work properly.

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- 4) (Applies to Federally Funded procurements or when Duplication of Cost is selected)
 - a. Cost/Price Analysis documentation attached? 🖾 Yes A cost analysis should provide sufficient information to determine the reasonableness of the price. If the justification of price reasonableness can be provided based on catalog or market price of a commercial product sold in substantial quantities to the general public, or based on prices set by law or regulation, a Cost Analysis is not required. Federal <u>Sample Cost Benefit Analysis.docx</u> Duplicate cost sample (link)
- 5) Give any additional information or other considerations you feel may aid the Sole-source justification:

From my research and investigation, this is the only product that can be used to accomplish the task necessary in an appropriate manner. This product is available only from the source indicated and there is no other distribution network. I attest that the above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I also attest that I am independent of, and have no conflict of interest in the source recommended above.

801-230-5751 26/2019 Hal Johnson **Requestor: Print Name** Phone Number/Ext. Signature **Requested effective term** 🛛 One-time purchase 🗆 1 Year 2 Year 3 Year Other Reason for requested "other" Term: Pat Postell **Buyer: Print Name** Signature Troy Hamilton Signature Procur **Todd Mills** Signature Sr. Supply Chain Mgr. Review **Robert Biles** Signature Chief Procurement Officer Approval pproved Effective Term UTA Board review and/or approval? (if applicable) 🖾 Yes 🗆 No Date:

Witnessed by



Plug-in Electric Vehicle Custom Project – Incentive Offer Letter

Utah Transit Authority 669 West 200 South Salt Lake City, Utah 84101

Re: EVUT 252139

Rocky Mountain Power Electric Vehicle Program EV@rockymountainpower.net

After reviewing your application, we are pleased to provide you an incentive offer for the successful implementation of your electric vehicle custom project as outlined in your project application (2 - High Power Overhead Chargers and 5 - DC Fast Chargers).

Incentive Estimate

Issue Date: December 17, 2018 Estimated Incentive: \$500,000 up to 26% of total project costs Completion Date: May 1, 2019

For this offer to remain valid and to receive an incentive, it is the responsibility of the participant to:

- 1. Sign and return this offer and revised application to the contact above within 14 days of the issue date.
- 2. Implement the project as outlined in the project plan/application and by the Completion Date.
- 3. Notify Rocky Mountain Power of any changes that materially affect the implementation schedule, project costs or project scope.
- 4. Upon project completion notify Rocky Mountain Power via email project has been completed.
- 5. Provide actual itemized project cost documentation after project completion.
- 6. Provide all required documentation and participate in any required inspections no later than 60 days from the Completion Date

Acknowledgement

I understand: (1) my responsibilities listed above; (2) the incentive offer is an estimate; (3) the incentive paid will be based upon completion of the project as outlined in the project application.

W. STEVE MEY ON Name (please print

INTERIM EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



12/2/18 Date

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of operations,





May 9, 2019

New Flyer of America, Inc. Attn: Nicole Robertus 711 Kernaghan Avenue Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada R2C3T4

Sent by email only to: Nicole.Robertus@newflyer.com

RE: Contract 17-2392PP, NoLo Battery Electric Buses and Charging Equipment

Modification 002 to Contract Notice To Proceed For Five (5) NoLo Battery Electric Buses and Charging Equipment

Dear Ms. Robertus:

This letter will serve as Contract Modification No. 2 wherein the Authority does hereby authorize New Flyer of America, Inc. to, add to the contract, pricing schedule and the notice to proceed an additional ABB Heavy Vehicle Charger (HVC) in accordance with ABB's quote OPP-19-3029466 the refenced contract and the Contractor's Proposal.

The changes are shown below:

Action	Description	Maximum Quantity	Unit of Issue	Unit Price	Total Price
		Buses			

Service R Battery E (includin delivery, Independ Review, I and HVA seating, I interior a signage, changes Preprodu	Lo Forty (40) foot eady 400 kWh lectric Bus g but not limited to Manufacturer's dent Vehicle Safety Propulsion System C system. Operator LED headlights, LED and exterior lighting, electronics. Includes to Bus through action meeting and ons SR-2297	3	EA	\$957,033.00	\$2,871,099.00
Changes Preprodu	to Bus through uction meeting and ons SR-2297	3	EA	\$905.37	\$2,716.11
	to Bus SR-2297 1880 Driver's Mirror	3	EA	\$717.19	\$2,151.57
Subtotal	UTA Bus	3	EA	\$958,655.56	\$2,875,966.68
Forty (40 400 kWh (includin delivery, Independ Review, and HVA seating, interior a signage,	ey of Utah - NoLo) foot Service Ready Battery Electric Bus g but not limited to Manufacturer's dent Vehicle Safety Propulsion System C system. Operator LED headlights, LED and exterior lighting, electronics	2	EA	\$957,033.00	\$1,914,066.00
Preprodu	to Bus through uction meeting and ons SR-2297	2	EA	(\$2,280.56)	(\$4,561.12)
	to Bus SR-2297 1880 Driver's Mirror	2	EA	\$735.75	\$1,471.50
	factory supplied X InCity Z /22.5	2	EA	\$3,852.81	\$7,705.62



 Subtotal for U of U Bus			\$959,341.00	\$1,918,682.00
 Tooling and diagnostics	1	Lot	\$25,000.00	\$25,000.00
Warranty - 5 year/300,000 axle and multiplex warranty				
3 years/150,000 miles	2	Lot	Included	\$0
Training	1	Lot		\$66,000.00
 Publications/Manuals	1	Lot	Included	\$0
 Subtotal NoLo Electric Buses				\$4,885,648.68
	arging Equip	ment		
2 X HVC 100C 100kW depot charging system 5X Depot charging box with CCS type 1 cables. Maximum 65 ft from HVC and Depot charging box				
 UL Certified	1	Lot		\$212,866.00
1 x HVC450P - 450kW Opportunity Charger Maximum 65 ft from HVC and Pantograph UL Certified - Mast UL certification at site	1	Lot		\$400,000.00
Project Management, Freight Packaging, Commissioning and on-Site Training	1	Lot		\$15,000.00
Standard Warranty - 24 months	1	Lot		Included
Extended Warranty to 5 Years Panograph	1	Lot		\$1,980.00
Recommend Spare Parts (Local Funding)	1	Lot		\$37,000.00
Web Solution Operator Pro (per charger per year) - Base Year	2	EA	\$1,800.00	\$3,600.00
1 x HVC450P - 450kW Opportunity Charger				20,000,00
Maximum 65 ft from HVC		1		



	- Mast UL certification at site. Per ABB Proposal OP-19-3029466				
Updated	Subtotal Charging Equipment				\$1,098,392.40
	Web Solution Operator Pro	Option	al Items:		
	(per charger per year) - Second Year through Fifth				
	Year- to be funded each year)	4	Yrs	\$3,600.00	\$14,400.00
Updated	Total Price - NoLo 40 Foot Ba Electric Buses and Charging Equ	0.53			\$ 5,998,441.08

The award of the contract and this Notice to Proceed is hereby increased from \$5,570,494.68 by \$427,946.40 to a new total amount of \$5,998,441.08. Delivery of the NoLo Battery Electric Buses will be later than September 15, 2019. Delivery of the new Opportunity Charger and Pantograph will be no later than November 10, 2019.

If you are in agreement to the above, please sign on the line indicated below and return a copy to Ms. Pat Postell at <u>ppostell@rideuta.com</u>. A fully executed copy will be provided after all signatures are obtained.

NEW FLYER OF AMERICA, INC

Alliper MCDeill Reinted Name: Jemifer Heneill Title: V.P. Sales & Harketing UTAH TRANSIT AUTHORITY

Steve Meyer Executive Director

Eddy D. Cumins Chief Operating Officer

Approved As To Form:

UTA Legal Counsel

From:	Nicole Robertus
To:	Postell, Patricia (Procurement & Contracts Spec)
Cc:	Sandy Holt; Johnson, Hal (Mgr, Project Dev-Systems Plan); Thorpe, Greg (Project Manager III); David Cormack
Subject:	RE: ABB Charger Quote
Date:	Wednesday, May 22, 2019 7:11:31 AM

Good morning Pat,

New Flyer accepts the proposed change below.

Thank you, Nicole

From: Postell, Patricia (Procurement & Contracts Spec) <PPostell@rideuta.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 21, 2019 4:51 PM
To: Nicole Robertus <Nicole_Robertus@newflyer.com>
Cc: Sandy Holt <Sandy_Holt@newflyer.com>; Johnson, Hal (Mgr, Project Dev-Systems Plan)
<HJohnson@rideuta.com>; Thorpe, Greg (Project Manager III) <GThorpe@rideuta.com>; David
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Nicole,

On the modification 002 to the Contract Notice to Proceed there is a word missing from the delivery schedule, page 4. The third line should read: "...the NoLo Battery Electric Buses will not be later than September 15, 2019..."

The word "not" was left out. My recommendation is to just pen and ink the work into the sentence.

Please let me know your acceptance/denial of this ASAP. We are trying to get this through our Board of Trustees.

Thank you,

Pat Postell Procurement & Contract Specialist

From: Nicole Robertus <<u>Nicole_Robertus@newflyer.com</u>>

Sent: Friday, May 17, 2019 2:51 PM

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Good afternoon Pat,



TECHNICAL & COMMERCIAL PROPOSAL

Salt Lake City, Utah Transit Authority Electric Bus Charging Infrastructure ABB Heavy Vehicle Charger (HVC) Revision 0

Inquiry by	New Flyer Industries	ABB ref. No.	OPP-19-3029466
Prepared by	Stephanie Medeiros	Date prepared	March 14, 2019



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1 Executive Summary

The ABB group of companies has been in the electrical engineering business for 125 years. While EV charging infrastructure is a very young market, ABB has been developing EV charging products and solutions for several years. With its acquisition of DC fast charging leader Epyon in 2011, ABB has since deployed more than 5,000 DC fast charging stations around the world, cementing our position as the global leader in multi-standard DC fast charging, and our commitment to the future of vehicle electrification technologies.

ABB has partnered with all major car and busses manufacturers for many years, ensuring that EV charging infrastructure meets the industry demand and leading new technologies and industry standards development. ABB is dedicated to offering high quality, safe and reliable products. Evolving in a fast growing and dynamic market, ABB's charging solutions are designed to conquer time with a future proof and open-standard approach.

In Canada and the US alone, ABB has deployed several hundreds of DC fast chargers and has a robust in-house service team (all across Canada and the US) and service cloud platform to ensure quick response time and increased uptime of the chargers.

This proposal is for ABB's Heavy Vehicle Charger (HVC), a modular fast charging solution that is equipped with either an Automated Connection System (ACS) or satellite depot charge box(es) with CCS connector(s) to fast charge plug in hybrid- and full electric busses with high power on route or at depot. Compliant with both OppCharge and Combined Charging System (CCS) standards, ABB's HVC systems are compatible with almost all major bus OEM and ensure a future-proof infrastructure development because of their systems modularity and upgradability as well as openstandard approach.

The charger and its software are built based on a modular design that gives many advantages for servicing and adding new functionality. As an example, the 150kW charging power of one power cabinet is generated from 3 internal power modules of 50kW, creating redundancy. In case a module should fail, the system can be remotely reconfigured to work with the remaining operative module(s) at any time resulting in increased system uptime. All software and all key hardware modules are developed and produced by ABB itself. This means ABB is able to make diagnosis and changes to the system easier and more in depth. Also spare parts and support can be made available easier and is fully under ABB control.

The HVC products are designed from start to serve as connected charging systems. Charger`s connectivity enables remote service and support. Today, ABB and its customers solve 70% to 80% of their service cases remotely, resulting in very short response times and substantially reducing downtime. Also, connectivity allows remote software updates,

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as for example updates of charging protocols, user interface and payment solutions ensuring minimal on-site maintenance and future-proofing software solutions.

For questions concerning this offer, please contact Stephanie Medeiros, via telephone number: +1 514 216 9748 or via e-mail: <u>stephanie.medeiros@ca.abb.com</u>.

We look forward to working with you.

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Please note that all monetary figures are in USD.

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2 Hardware overview

ABB electric vehicle charging proposed solution is as follow:

Opportunity Charger

2.1 On-route Opportunity Charging System (OppCharge)

The On-route Opportunity Charging System is typically used for end point opportunity charging of electric city buses, enabling zero emission public transport in cities with an attractive Total Cost of Ownership. With its automated rooftop connection and typical charge time of 3–6 minutes the system can easily be integrated in existing bus lines by installing chargers at endpoints and/or terminals. ABB's Automated Connection Systems can be combined with up to 3 HVC power cabinets enabling a charging power of up to 450 kW.



2.1.1 OppCharge interface - Standardization

In the market for charging electric passenger vehicles various IEC standards have been developed in the period from 2008 to 2014, and as such a good framework of rules and practices exists to ensure safety and compatibility (for example IEC 61851-23, ISO 15118, IEC 62196-3). ABB has been a key contributor to the aforementioned standards and continuous to be so.

In the market for charging electric busses global standardization has also begun, and several new standardization groups are being formed at the moment. ABB is part of the most important standardization initiatives to share requirements, experiences and other inputs and formulate proposal documents regarding physical interface, safety systems and communication protocols. For bus charging ABB complies with OppCharge for opportunity charging.

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Until more formal standardization is in place together with 3rd party validation of compatibility ABB offers charging systems that are validated and tested with individual brands/vehicles on the standards mentioned above. This quotation is based on the assumption that the e-bus that will be charged with it has been validated by ABB. A list of validated vehicles is available upon request. If a different e-bus is selected it is possible that additional costs for integration and testing apply.

For more information on the OppCharge interface, please visit oppcharge.org.

2.1.2 Heavy Vehicle Charger (HVC)

The Heavy Vehicle Charger (HVC) is the heart of the charging system. I converts and provide power to the ABB Pole. The HVC offers a modular system consisting of 50kW internal building blocks that can be used to expand up to 150kW of charging power per cabinet.



2.1.3 Available System Power Configurations

HVC-150P	150 kW	1x HVC cabinet (3x internal power modules) + ABB Pole
HVC-300P	300 kW	2x HVC cabinet (3x internal power modules) + ABB Pole
HVC-450P	450 kW	3x HVC cabinet (3x internal power modules) + ABB Pole

2.1.4 ABB Pole Specifications

٠	Weight	1500 kg (including ACS module)
•	Dimensions (footprint)	1040 x 300 mm (W x D)
•	Height	5240 mm
٠	Outreach	4670 mm
٠	Mechanical Impact Protection	IK 10
٠	Distance between HVC(s) & ACS	Max 20 meters. (up to 150 m - Long range option available)

2.1.5 Heavy Vehicle Charger (HVC) Specifications (per cabinet – 150 kW)

٠	Connection voltage:	480 VAC, 3-phase, 60 Hz (for 600 VAC input see 2.1.6)
٠	Max Input current & power:	3x 250A, 173 kVA
٠	System Weight:	1340 kg

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Dimensions:

1170 x 770 x 2100 mm (W x D x H)

Housing: Type 3R (IP54) painted stainless steel enclosure

2.1.6 Step-Up/Step-Down Transformer

ABB[®] s EV chargers require 480V input. If the only existing power available is 600V 3-phase, a step-down transformer is required. Also, ABB offers MV substation for power grid connection of bus charging systems. For proper transformer sizing and for more information on the power grid connection offering, please contact your ABB representative.

2.1.7 Ambient Conditions

The equipment being offered in this proposal is designed for the following ambient conditions without de-rating.

- Operating temperature: -35 to +50 °C (built for icy and cold Canadian climates)
- Humidity: 5 % to 95 %, RH non-condensing

2.1.8 Standards & Certifications

cULus certified

2.1.9 Standard Options

The following options are available on Automated Connection System (ACS):

Long Distance Support Package	To increase distance between HVC and ACS to max. 150 meters.
Enclosure	Color and decals can be customized at additional cost
Other	Contact ABB Sales Department for additional requests

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3 Connectivity

Being the global industry leader in deploying and managing nationwide EV charging networks, ABB has made Internet connectivity a crucial part of its EV charging strategy and offering which ensures:

- Reliable & cost effective way to connect charger to the Internet
- · Minimal upfront investment and customization on customer IT infrastructure and SW solutions
- · Future proof infrastructure with maximum interoperability also with latest EV models
- · Optimized remote service process, reducing time to repair and minimizing need for site visits
- Smart controlled charging to reduce costly demand charges

3.1 Local Service Capability & Robustness

ABB proactively manages its charger network through its on-line, cloud-based monitoring platform. The proactive management and supervision of chargers throughout North America is done by a local service teams in Canada and the US. This team also handles technical support questions with short response times.

More than 75% of charger issues experienced are resolved remotely. With quick response times from ABB personnel and successful remote troubleshooting, the chargers in Canada and the US benefit from robust and greatly improved customer service satisfaction.

3.2 Web Tool Solutions: Operator Pro

ABB Web solution "Operator Pro" is an on-line management tool providing operators of charging infrastructure with real-time status information and usage statistics on their equipment.

Infrastructure providers can now gather detailed charge session statistics, configure HVC chargers on their sites according to their preferences and obtain valuable insights through charger usage statistics. All charge session data can be exported and managed directly from this Internet based application.

This web solution consist of several modules:

Status

The status functionality provides viewing the real-time charger network status via a comprehensive map view. Looking up the actual status per charger or per outlet is also possible. It is even possible to see which outlets are currently charging.

Statistics

The statistics feature is key to gain insight in the usage of the equipment. It provides you with information on the number of sessions and kWh delivered. Statistics can be viewed over the last 7 days per charger and give an excellent

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quick glance on how the network is being used. Discovering more details about your charging sessions over flexible time frames is provided by the export function (for example to an MS Excel file) for further processing. Configuration

The configuration module allows for remotely configuring settings of a charger, remote restarting if needed and disabling or enabling chargers when desired. The latest feature "off-line behavior" allows customers to define how the charger will work in case connection with the back-end system is lost.

Access management

Access control is made easy by allowing infrastructure operators to use and manage RFID cards and PIN codes themselves. All transactions related to an RFID card or PIN code can be exported for further processing. Cases

Cases support issue solving. This functionality helps finding an answer to a problem quickly, raising a case to trigger the service organization and tracking a case to be able to provide the end customers full insight in the progress of a problem.

Notifications

The notifications module offers your driver care center the possibility to receive an alert by e-mail in case a charger reports a certain event, for example when the emergency button is pressed.

For more information on ABB web tools offering, contact your ABB representative.

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4 Installation & Service

4.1 Installation

ABB can provide all types of installation from only delivering the unit (no installation) to turn-key type of installation. Available installation services includes, and is not limited to, the following:

- Electric vehicle charging system
- Civil works
- Grid connection upgrade (if needed)
- Cabling
- Installation
- On-site commissioning
- Training
- Service & Support

ABB has offices all across Canada and the US and works with a network of partners for reliable and effective installation and service. For proper pricing and planning, detailed installation sites survey will have to be carried out. Please contact your ABB representative for pricing.

4.2 Service Level Agreements (SLA)

To get the most out of your charging infrastructure we recommend an SLA (Service Level Agreement) to look after your business critical assets. The exact offer may depend on the region and scope of your project. All ABB Service Level Agreements are configured for EV Charger owners that demand a network of robust, reliable equipment. Benefits include:

- 24/7 SoS call center support
- Assured warranty AND technical support response time
- Free next-day shipments for replacement parts
- 1 preventive maintenance visit per year, scheduled in 12-month cycles from start-up
 - o Includes air filter replacement

Please contact your ABB representative should an SLA be required.

4.3 Recommended Spare Parts

Recommended spare parts kits for onsite. Kit includes:

- Power module 50kW
- 2 x Dust filter set for HVC 50-150
- Auxiliary Power supply 240W

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- Auxiliary Power supply 480W
- AC Contactor
- DC Contactor
- Cabinet Control Board
- Charge Protocol Interface & Isolation Monitor and Interrupter
- Wi-Fi Modem
- AC Fuses
- Cable plus connector CCS/Combo type1.

Please contact your ABB representative should you need any spare parts.

4.4 Extended Warranty

Extended warranty is available when a Service Level Agreement is in place. In case of an extended warranty, the decision for extended warranty must be taken at moment of purchase of the involved fast charging system(s). Please contact your ABB representative for more details.

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5 Commercial Proposal

5.1 Equipment Pricing	
1 x HVC450P – 450kW Opportunity Charger	
Maximum 65 ft from HVC and Pantograph	\$427, 946.40 USD
Mast UL certification at site	Price includes 5% overhead and 20% profit
Project Management	Included
Freight Packaging and transport to site	Included
Onsite Commissioning and unit overview System must be fully installed and ready for startup. Waiting time due to causes out of ABB`s control will be charged as per ABB`s rates.	Included
Standard Warranty (24 months)	Included
Recommended Spare Parts (when purchased with the	e project) \$37,000 USD NOT INCLUDE

5.2 Lead time

After order receipt 6 months

5.3 Extended Warranty (Optional)

Extended Warranty beyond standard 24/30 is available, please contact ABB should this be a requirement.

5.4 Proposal Validity

- Pricing valid for 30 days.
- Pricing assumes equipment delivery will be for a complete system as noted in this proposal.
- ABB reserves the right to adjust prices to reflect changes in raw material costs and/or currency exchange rates should the project be delayed beyond the validity date of the proposal.

5.5 Exclusions and Clarifications

- Interconnecting cables between charger cabinet and mast or depot charger box.
- A step-up or step-down transformer is not included in this proposal.

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- Any other goods and services not specifically stated in this proposal are not included.
- Verify site location to validate SLA at time of order. Response time may vary by region.
- Integration testing support
- Long distance package (upgrade to have a maximum distance of 490ft from HVC and Depot charging box)

5.6 Terms and Conditions

Warranty exclusions are e.g. (but not limited to):a) Used for other purposes than to charge an electrical car; b) vandalism; c) Force Majeure; d) misuse charge cable (cable should be properly stored while not used, do not drive over the cable and connector); e) use outside specified ambient conditions (According to Prod Spec); n) Impacted abovel K rating (According to Prod Spec); g) Overvoltage due to lightning strike or grid imperfections; h) Grid instability; i) Touch screen, scratches, broken glass or other similar damages due to external force j) Air inlet filter, especially important in case a charger is operated in a dusty environment. k) AC power cable and grid connection; h) Unauthorized opening/demounting of the charger; m) Charger is not properly maintained: Keep the charger and screen clean with non-erosive materials/cleaning agentsPricing:In USD, excluding any applicable tax and insurance. Duties are excludedDelivery:DDP site, according to incoterms 2010.Excluded are:Work and connection to an electricity network and a secure network (TCP/IP or ADSL). A back office system for authentication is not part of this offer.Payment condition:Hardware delivery 20% upon order receipt 65% upon hardware delivery 15% upon receipt of signed CAF (customer acceptance form) or 1 month after commissioning and usage of the charger (s) by customer. Service Level Agreement & Extended Warranty Yearly fee to be invoiced on date of commissioningPayment terms:Within 30 days from the date of invoice.Start of project:Upon receipt of signed Purchase Order	Warranty:	Product warranty is 24 months after SAT or 30 months after factory shipment, whichever comes first, on material and labor costs, travel expenses are excluded.
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17-2392PP Forty (40) Foot Electric Transit Buses

BUS PURCHASE CONTRACT 17-2392PP

THIS BUS PURCHASE CONTRACT ("Contract") is entered into effective the 30th day of July 2018 (the "Effective Date") by and between the **UTAH TRANSIT AUTHORITY**, a public transit district organized under the laws of the State of Utah (the "Agency"), and **NEW FLYER OF AMERICA, INC.**, a corporation with a place of business at 711 Kernaghan Avenue, Winnipeg, Manitoba Canada R2C3T4 (the "Contractor").

RECITALS

WHEREAS, on August 12, 2016, the Agency and the Contractor jointly submitted a grant application (the "Application") with the Federal Transit Administration and U.S. Department of Transportation; and

WHEREAS, on August 12, 2016, the Agency was awarded a federal grant (Grant Number 2017-UT012-01-00 and hereinafter the "Grant"); and

WHEREAS, the scope of the Grant included Agency's purchase of five (5) forty (40) foot Electric Transit Buses (the "Buses") from Contractor; and;

WHEREAS, because Contractor's Buses were specifically contemplated and referenced in the scope of the Grant funding for Buses, Contractor is the only available supplier; and;

WHEREAS, the UTA and Contractor have entered into this Contract to define the terms and conditions pursuant to which Contractor will design, manufacture and deliver the Buses (such work, together with the Buses themselves, hereinafter collectively and generically referred to as the "Goods and Services"); and;

WHEREAS, UTA authorized a limited scope Letter to Incur Costs dated February 26, 2018, revised on March 1, 2018, and revised secondly on March 16, 2018.

AGREEMENT

NOW, THEREFORE, on the stated Recitals, which are incorporated herein by reference, and for and in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements hereafter set forth, the mutual benefits to the parties to be derived therefrom, and for other valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which the parties acknowledge, it is hereby agreed as follows:

1. <u>TO BE PROVIDED BY CONTRACTOR</u>

The Agency hereby retains Contractor to furnish the Goods and Services and Contractor will to the best of its ability and in a professional manner, provide the labor, equipment and materials necessary to furnish, deliver, and test the Goods and Services subject to the terms and conditions

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of this Contract and the Grant. This Contract includes an order quantity of five (5) forty (40) foot Electric Transit Buses with the features and options described in Exhibit A.

2. <u>TERM</u>

Subject to the provisions for termination as hereinafter provided, this Contract shall be effective until such time as Contractor has delivered all Goods and completed all Services in accordance with this Contract, as reasonably determined by UTA (the "Term"), and estimated to be September 15, 2019. All warranties, indemnities and other obligations of either party with respect to the Goods and Services shall continue after the Term in accordance with the provisions of this Contract.

3. <u>COMPENSATION AND FEES</u>

For the contract, the Agency agrees to pay Contractor a sum of \$5,565,537.85. This sum includes all hardware, software, equipment, materials, labor, shipping costs, and other items necessary to supply the Goods and complete the Services in a satisfactory manner in compliance with this Contract.

4. **INCORPORATED DOCUMENTS**

This Contract consists of the documents listed below. In case of any conflict among these documents, the order of precedence shall be:

- 1. This form of Contract.
- 2. Attachment 1 Section 4 Special Provisions
- 3. Attachment 2 Section 5 Federal Requirements.
- 4. Attachment 3 Section 6 Technical Specifications
- 5. Attachment 4 Section 7 Warranty Requirements
- 6. Attachment 5 Letter to Incur Costs dated February 26, 2018
- 7. Attachment 6 Revised Letter to Incur Costs dated March 1, 2018
- 8. Attachment $7 2^{nd}$ Revised Letter to Incur Costs dated March 16, 2018
- 9. Attachment 8 New Flyer Revised Proposal dated May 24, 2018
- 10. Attachment 9 ABB Commercial Proposal

A modification or change to any document that is part of this Contract shall take its precedence from the term it amends. All other documents and terms and conditions shall remain unchanged.

5. <u>INSPECTION, DELIVRY AND TRANSFER OF TITLE</u>

Upon UTA's request, UTA's representative shall be provided access to Contractor's facilities to obtain information on production progress and to make inspections during the manufacturing or assembly process. Contractor will make reasonable efforts to obtain, for UTA, access to subcontractor facilities for the purposes described above. If the specifications include pre-shipment inspection requirements, Goods shall not be shipped until UTA or its designee has inspected the Goods or associated certificates as required, and authorized Contractor to proceed with the
INCOTERMS 2010) to the UTA delivery point specified in the Contract (or otherwise designated by UTA), with the risk, liability and responsibility passing to Company in accordance with such delivery term.

Contractor hereby agrees to furnish, deliver, install, and test the Vehicles and provide manuals by September 19, 2019. Contractor shall, no later than ten (10) days after the execution of this Contract, provide the Agency with a proposed delivery schedule that satisfies the requirements of the Grant. Once approved by the Agency's Project Manager, such delivery schedule (including agreed modifications thereto) shall constitute the "Delivery Schedule" against which Contractor's performance shall be monitored

After delivery, the Goods shall be subject to inspection, testing and acceptance by UTA, including any testing or commissioning process described in the Specifications. UTA shall have the right to reject any Goods or Services that are defective or do not conform to the specifications or other Contract requirements. Goods or Services rejected shall be replaced, repaired or re-performed so as to conform to the Contract (and to UTA's reasonable satisfaction). Any inspection and testing performed by UTA shall be solely for the benefit of UTA. Neither UTA's inspection of the production processes, production progress and/or Goods or Services (nor its failure to inspect) shall relieve Contractor of its obligations to fulfill the requirements of the Contract, or be construed as acceptance by UTA.

Contractor warrants that title to all Goods covered by an invoice for payment will pass to UTA no later than the time of payment. Contractor further warrants that upon submittal of an invoice for payment, all Goods and/or Services for which invoices for payment have been previously issued and payments received from UTA shall be free and clear of liens, claims, security interests or encumbrances in favor of Contractor or any subcontractors, material suppliers, or other persons or entities making a claim by reason of having provided equipment, materials, and labor related to the equipment and/or work for which payment is being requested.

6. INVOICING PROCEDURES AND RECORDS

a. Contractor shall submit invoices to UTA's Project Manager for processing and payment in accordance with Exhibit A. If Exhibit A does not specify invoice instructions, then Contractor shall invoice UTA after delivery of all Goods and satisfactory performance of all Services. Invoices shall be provided in the form specified by UTA. Reasonable supporting documentation demonstrating Contractor's entitlement to the requested payment must be submitted with each invoice.

b. UTA shall have the right to disapprove (and withhold from payment) specific line items of each invoice to address non-conforming Goods or Services). Approval by UTA shall not be unreasonably withheld. UTA shall also have the right to offset (against payments) amounts reasonably reflecting the value of any claim which UTA has against Contractor under the Contract. Payment for all invoice amounts not specifically disapproved or offset by UTA shall be provided to Contractor within thirty (30) calendar days of invoice submittal.

7. WARRANTY OF GOODS AND SERVICES

a. Contractor warrants that all Goods and Services shall conform to the specifications, drawings, samples, and other descriptions made a part of (or incorporated by reference into) the

Contract. Contractor further warrants that all Goods and Services shall be of the quality specified, or of the best grade if no quality is specified, and, unless otherwise provided in the Contract, will be new, and free from defects in design, materials and workmanship. See Section 7 Warranty Requirements.

8. OWNERSHIP OF DESIGNS, DRAWINGS, AND WORK PRODUCT

Any deliverables prepared or developed pursuant to the Contract including without limitation drawings, specifications, manuals, calculations, maps, sketches, designs, tracings, notes, reports, data, computer programs, models and samples, shall become the property of UTA when prepared, and, together with any documents or information furnished to Contractor and its employees or agents by UTA hereunder, shall be delivered to UTA upon request, and, in any event, upon termination or final acceptance of the Goods and Services. UTA shall have full rights and privileges to use and reproduce said items. To the extent that any deliverables include or incorporate preexisting intellectual property of Contractor, Contractor hereby grants UTA a fully paid, perpetual license to use such intellectual property for UTA's operation, maintenance, modification, improvement and replacement of the UTA's assets. The scope of the license shall be to the fullest extent necessary to accomplish those purposes, including the right to share same with UTA's contractors, agent, officers, directors, employees, joint owners, affiliates and consultants.

9. <u>GENERAL INDEMNIFICATION</u>

Contractor shall indemnify, hold harmless and defend UTA, its officers, officials, agents, and employees (hereinafter collectively referred to as "Indemnitees") from and against all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, losses, and expenses including without limitation reasonable attorneys' fees and costs, (hereinafter referred to collectively as "claims") for bodily injury, including death, or loss or damage to tangible or intangible property caused, or alleged to be caused, in whole or in part, by the acts or omissions of Contractor or any of its owners, officers, directors, agents, employees or subcontractors. This indemnity includes any claim or amount arising out of or recovered under a workers' compensation law or arising out of the failure of such Contractor to conform to any law, statute, ordinance, rule, regulation or court decree governing workers' compensation matters. It is agreed that Contractor will be responsible for primary loss investigation, defense and judgment costs where this indemnification is applicable. As a condition to the above-described rights, Indemnitees must: (i) notify Contractor of any claim promptly in writing; and (ii) cooperate fully with Contractor throughout the defense of any indemnified claim. In consideration of the award of the Contract, the Contractor agrees to waive all rights of subrogation against UTA, its officers, officials, agents and employees for losses arising from the work performed by the Contractor for UTA. The foregoing obligations and waiver shall not apply to claims that arise from the sole negligence of UTA or any Indemnitee.

10. INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

a. Contractor and subcontractors shall procure and maintain until all of their obligations have been discharged (including satisfaction of all warranty periods under the Contract), insurance against claims for injury to persons or damage to property which may arise from or in connection

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with the performance of the work hereunder by the Contractor, its agents, representatives, employees or subcontractors.

b. The insurance requirements herein are minimum requirements for the Contract and in no way limit the indemnity covenants contained in the Contract. UTA in no way warrants that the minimum limits contained herein are sufficient to protect the Contractor from liabilities that might arise out of the performance of the work under the Contract by the Contractor, its agents, representatives, employees or subcontractors and Contractor is free to purchase additional insurance as may be determined necessary.

c. Contractor shall provide coverage with limits of liability not less than those stated below. An excess liability policy or umbrella liability policy may be used to meet the minimum liability requirements provided that the coverage is written on a "following form" basis.

1. **Commercial General Liability – Occurrence Form -** Policy shall include bodily injury, property damage and broad form contractual liability coverage.

٠	Each Occurrence	\$10,000,000

Products – Completed Operations Aggregate \$5,000,000

The policy shall be endorsed to include the following additional insured language: "Utah Transit Authority shall be named as an additional insured with respect to liability arising out of the activities performed by, or on behalf of the Contractor".

2. Automobile Liability - Bodily Injury and Property Damage for any owned, hired, and non-owned vehicles used in the performance of the Contract.

Combined Single Limit (CSL) \$2,000,000

The policy shall be endorsed to include the following additional insured language: "Utah Transit Authority shall be named as an additional insured with respect to liability arising out of the activities performed by, or on behalf of the Contractor, including automobiles owned, leased, hired or borrowed by the Contractor".

3. Worker's Compensation and Employers' Liability

Workers' Compensation	Statutory
Employers' Liability	
Each Accident	\$100,000
Disease – Each Employee	\$100,000
Disease – Policy Limit	\$500,000

Policy shall contain a waiver of subrogation against UTA. This requirement shall not apply when a contractor or subcontractor is exempt under UCA, AND when such contractor or subcontractor executes the appropriate waiver form.

d. The policies shall include, or be endorsed to include, the following provisions:

1. On insurance policies where UTA is named as an additional insured, UTA shall be an additional insured to the full limits of liability purchased by the Contractor. Insurance limits indicated in the Contract are minimum limits. Larger limits may be indicated after 17-2392PP

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the Contractor's assessment of the exposure for the Contract; for its own protection and the protection of UTA.

2. The Contractor's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance and noncontributory with respect to all other available sources.

e. Insurance is to be placed with insurers duly licensed or authorized to do business in the State of Utah and with an "A.M. Best" rating of not less than A-VII. UTA in no way warrants that the above-required minimum insurer rating is sufficient to protect the Contractor from potential insurer insolvency.

f. Contractor shall furnish UTA with certificates of insurance (ACORD form or equivalent approved by UTA) as required by the Contract. The certificates for each insurance policy are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf.

1. On insurance policies where UTA is named as an additional insured, UTA shall be an additional insured to the full limits of liability purchased by the Contractor. Insurance limits indicated in the Contract are minimum limits. Larger limits may be indicated after the Contractor's assessment of the exposure for the Contract; for its own protection and the protection of UTA.

2. The Contractor's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance and noncontributory with respect to all other available sources.

g. Contractors' certificate(s) shall include all subcontractors as additional insureds under its policies or Contractor shall furnish to UTA separate certificates and endorsements for each subcontractor. All coverage for subcontractors shall be subject to the minimum requirements identified above.

h. Any modification or variation from the insurance requirements in the Contract shall be made by Claims and Insurance Department or the Office of General Counsel, whose decision shall be final. Such action will not require a formal Contract amendment, but may be made by administrative action.

11. <u>OTHER INDEMNITIES</u>

a. Contractor shall protect, release, defend, indemnify, and hold harmless UTA and the other Indemnitees against and from any and all claims of any kind or nature whatsoever on account of infringement relating to Contractor's performance under the Contract. If notified promptly in writing and given authority, information and assistance, Contractor shall defend, or may settle at its expense, any suit or proceeding against UTA so far as based on a claimed infringement and Contractor shall pay all damages and costs awarded therein against UTA due to such breach. In case any Good or Service is in such suit held to constitute such an infringement or an injunction is filed that interferes with UTA's rights under the Contract, Contractor shall, at its expense and through mutual agreement between UTA and Contractor, either procure for UTA any necessary intellectual property rights, or modify Contractor's Goods and Services such that the claimed infringement is eliminated.

b. Contractor shall: (i) protect, release, defend, indemnify, and hold harmless UTA and the other Indemnitees against and from any and all liens or claims made or filed against UTA on account of any Goods or Services furnished by subcontractors of any tier; and (ii) keep UTA

property free and clear of all liens or claims arising in conjunction with any Goods or Services furnished under the Contract by Contractor or its subcontractors of any tier. If any lien arising out of the Contract is filed in conjunction with any Goods or Services furnished under the Contract, Contractor, within ten (10) calendar days after receiving from UTA written notice of such lien, shall obtain a release of or otherwise satisfy such lien. If Contractor fails to do so, UTA may take such steps and make such expenditures as in its discretion it deems advisable to obtain a release of or otherwise satisfy any Such lien or liens, and Contractor shall upon demand reimburse UTA for all costs incurred and expenditures made by UTA in obtaining such release or satisfaction. If any non-payment claim is made directly against UTA arising out of non-payment to any subcontractor, Contractor shall assume the defense of such claim within ten (10) calendar days after receiving from UTA written notice of such claim. If Contractor fails to do so, Contractor shall upon demand reimburse UTA for all costs incurred and expenditures made by UTA arising out of non-payment to any subcontractor, Contractor shall assume the defense of such claim within ten (10) calendar days after receiving from UTA written notice of such claim. If Contractor fails to do so, Contractor shall upon demand reimburse UTA for all costs incurred and expenditures made by UTA to satisfy such claim.

12. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

The parties agree that Contractor, in the carrying out of its duties hereunder, is an independent contractor and that neither Contractor nor any of its employees is or are agents, servants or employees of UTA. Neither Contractor nor any of Contractor's employees shall be eligible for any workers compensation insurance, pension, health coverage, or fringe benefits which apply to UTA's employees. Neither federal, state, nor local income tax nor payroll tax of any kind shall be withheld or paid by UTA on behalf of Contractor or the employees of Contractor. Contractor acknowledges that it shall be solely responsible for payment of all payrolls, income and other taxes generally applicable to independent contractors.

13. <u>USE OF SUBCONTRACTORS</u>

a. Contractor shall not subcontract any services to be performed by it under the Contract other than those previously identified to UTA, without prior approval of UTA.

b. Contractor shall pay all subcontractors for satisfactory performance of their contracts no later than ten (10) days from receipt of each payment UTA makes to Contractor, unless other arrangements are agreed to in writing by the parties involved. UTA shall have no obligations to any subcontractors retained by Contractor.

14. CONTRACTOR SAFETY COMPLIANCE

The Agency is an ISO 14001 for Environmental Management Systems, ISO 9001 Quality and Performance Management, and OSHAS 18001 Safety Systems Management Company. Contractor, including its employees, subcontractors, authorized agents, and representatives, shall comply with all of the Agency's and industry safety standards, NATE, OSHA, EPA and all other State and Federal regulations, rules and guidelines pertaining to safety, environmental Management and will be solely responsible for any fines, citations or penalties it may receive or cause the Agency to receive while working on this project. Each employee, contractor and subcontractor must be trained in the Agency's EMS and Safety Management principles.

15. <u>AUDIT</u>

Contractor shall maintain all books, papers, documents, accounting records and other

evidence to support any cost-based billings allowable under Exhibit A Pricing Sheet (or any other provision of the Contract). Such records shall include, without limitation, time sheets and other cost documentation related to the performance of labor services, as well as purchase orders, receipts or other documentation supporting non-labor costs. Records supporting any cost-based billings shall be retained by Contractor for a period of at least six (6) years, or until any audit initiated within that six-year period has been completed (whichever is later). During this six-year period, such cost records shall be made available at all reasonable times for audit and inspection by UTA and other authorized auditing parties including, but not limited to, the Federal Transit Administration. Copies of requested cost records shall be furnished to UTA or designated audit parties upon request. Contractor shall maintain (and upon request furnish all other records (other than the above-described cost records) related to the performance of the Contract for a period not less than three (3) years. Contractor agrees that it shall flow-down (as a matter of written contract) these records requirements to all subcontractors utilized in the performance of the Contract at any tier.

16. <u>TERMINATION</u>

a. UTA shall have the right to terminate the Contract at any time by providing written notice to Contractor. If the Contract is terminated for convenience, UTA shall pay Contractor: (i) in full for Goods delivered and Services fully performed prior to the effective date of termination; and (ii) an equitable amount to reflect costs incurred (including Contract close-out and subcontractor termination costs that cannot be reasonably mitigated) and profit on work-inprogress as of to the effective date of the termination notice. UTA shall not be responsible for anticipated profits based on the terminated portion of the Contract. Contractor shall promptly submit a termination claim to UTA. If Contractor has any property in its possession belonging to UTA, Contractor will account for the same, and dispose of it in the manner UTA directs.

b. If Contractor materially fails to deliver the Goods in accordance with the Contract requirements, fails to perform any Services in the manner called for in the Contract, or fails to comply with any of its obligations under the Contract, and such failure is not cured or a cure initiated to the satisfaction of UTA within seven (7) days after receipt of written notice from UTA, UTA may, at its discretion:

1. Terminate the Contract (in whole or in part) for default and obtain the Goods and Services using other contractors or UTA's own forces, in which event Contractor shall be liable for all incremental costs so incurred by UTA;

2. Pursue other remedies available under the Contract (regardless of whether the termination remedy is invoked); and/or

3. Except to the extent limited by the Contract, pursue other remedies available at law.

c. Upon receipt of a termination notice as provided above, Contractor shall (i) immediately discontinue all work affected (unless the notice directs otherwise); and (ii) deliver to UTA all data, drawings and other deliverables, whether completed or in process. Contractor shall also remit a final invoice for all services performed and expenses incurred in full accordance with the terms and conditions of the Contract up to the effective date of termination. UTA shall calculate termination damages payable under the Contract, shall offset such damages against Contractor's final invoice, and shall invoice Contractor for any additional amounts payable by Contractor (to

the extent termination damages exceed the invoice). All rights and remedies provided in this Article are cumulative and not exclusive.

d. If UTA terminates the Contract for any reason, Contractor shall remain available, for a period not exceeding 90 days, to UTA to respond to any questions or concerns that UTA may have regarding the Goods and Services furnished by Contractor prior to termination.

17. <u>CHANGES</u>

UTA may direct changes to the Contract. Upon receipt of such direction, Contractor shall prepare an estimate of the cost and schedule impact of the change (if any). No change in the Contract shall be made unless made pursuant to a mutually executed written instrument designated to be a change order or contract amendment. Oral changes to the Contract are not permitted.

18. PROJECT MANAGER

The Agency's Project Manager for this Contract is Greg Thorpe, or designee. All questions and correspondence relating to the technical aspects of this Contract should be directed to Mr. Greg Thorpe, at Utah Transit Authority, office located at 669 West 200 South, Salt Lake City, Utah 84101, office phone (801) 741-8811.

19. <u>CONTRACT ADMINISTRATOR</u>

The Agency's Contract Administrator for this Contract is Pat Postell, Procurement & Contract Specialist, or designee. All questions and correspondence relating to the contractual aspects of this Contract should be directed to Ms. Postell, or designee, phone (801) 287-3060.

20. <u>NOTICES OR DEMANDS</u>

Any and all notices, demands or other communications required hereunder to be given by one party to the other shall be given in writing and will be personally delivered, mailed by US Mail, postage prepaid, or sent by overnight courier service and addressed to such party as follows:

If to the Agency: Utah Transit Authority ATTN: Procurement/Contract Spec. 669 West 200 South Salt Lake City, UT 84101 If to Contractor: Utah Transit Authority Attn: General Counsel 669 West 200 South Salt Lake City, UT 84101

<u>If to Contractor:</u> New Flyer of America, Inc. Attn: Contract Administrator 711 Kernaghan Avenue Winnipeg, Manitoba Canada R2C3T4

Either party may change the address at which such party desires to receive written notice of such

change to any other party. Any such notice shall be deemed to have been given, and shall be effective, on delivery to the notice address then applicable for the party to which the notice is directed; provided, however, that refusal to accept delivery of a notice or the inability to deliver a notice because of an address change which was not properly communicated shall not defeat or delay the giving of a notice.

21. **PROHIBITED INTEREST**

No member, officer, or employee of UTA during their tenure or one year thereafter shall have any interest, direct or indirect, in the Contract or the proceeds thereof.

22. FORCE MAJEURE

Neither party will be liable for any failure or delay in its performance under the Contract due to any cause beyond its reasonable control, including without limitation acts of war, acts of God, earthquake, flood, weather conditions, embargo, riot, epidemic, acts of terrorism, sabotage, labor shortage or dispute, governmental act, or other acts beyond such party's reasonable control, provided that the delayed party: (i) gives the other party prompt notice of such cause; and (ii) uses reasonable commercial efforts to correct promptly such failure or delay in performance.

23. <u>GOVERNING LAW</u>

The validity, interpretation and performance of this Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of Utah, without regard to its law on the conflict of laws. Any dispute arising out of this Contract that cannot be solved to the mutual agreement of the parties shall be brought in a court of competent jurisdiction in Salt Lake County, State of Utah.

24. SEVERABILITY

Any provision of the Contract prohibited or rendered unenforceable by operation of law shall be ineffective only to the extent of such prohibition or unenforceability without invalidating the remaining provisions of the Contract.

25. <u>AMENDMENTS</u>

This Contract sets forth the entire understanding between the parties. Any amendments must be in writing, signed by the party against whom enforcement of the amendment is sought.

26. NO THIRD PARTY BENEFICIARIES

The parties enter in to the Contract for the sole benefit of the parties, in exclusion of any third party, and no third party beneficiary is intended or created by the execution of the Contract.

27. <u>ENTIRE AGREEMENT</u>

This Contract shall constitute the entire agreement and understanding of the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof, and shall supersede all offers, negotiations and other agreements

with respect thereto.

28. <u>COUNTERPARTS</u>

This Contract may be executed in any number of counterparts and by each of the parties hereto on separate counterparts, each of which when so executed and delivered shall be an original, but all such counterparts shall together constitute but one and the same instrument. Any signature page of the Contract may be detached from any counterpart and reattached to any other counterpart hereof. The facsimile transmission of a signed original of the Contract or any counterpart hereof and the retransmission of any signed facsimile transmission hereof shall be the same as delivery of an original.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Contract to be executed by officers duly authorized to execute the same as of the day and year first above written.

NEW FLYER OF AMERICA, INC

Printed Name: Paul Soubry Title: President and LED

UTAH TRANSIT AUTHORITY

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Executive Director

Mary Delloretto Director of Capital Projects

Paul Edwards Director of Asset Management

Approved As To Form:

UTA Legal Counsel

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ltem No.	Description	Maximum Quantity	Unit of Issue	Unit Price	Total Price
	Buses				
1	UTA - NoLo Forty (40) foot Service Ready 400 kWh Battery Electric Bus (including but not limited to delivery, Manufacturer's indepencent Vehicle Safety Review, Propulsion System and HVAC system. Operator seating, LED headlights, LED interior and exterior lighting, signage, electronics	5	EA	\$957,033.00	\$4,785,165.0
2	Changes to Bus through Preproduction meeting and Discussions SR-2297	5	EA	\$905.37	\$4,526.8
2	Tooling and diagnostics	1	Lot	\$25,000.00	\$25,000.0
3	Warranty - 5 year/300,000 axle and multiplex warranty 3 years/150 miles	2	Lot	Included	\$0.0
4	Training	1	Lot		\$66,000.0
5	Publications/Manuals	1	Lot	Included	\$0.0
	Subtotal NoLo Electric Buses				\$4,880,691.8
	Charging Equipment				<u> </u>

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6	2 X HVC 100C 100kW depot charging system 5X Depot charging box with CCS type 1 cables. Maximum 65 ft from HVC and Depot charging box UL Certified	1	Lot		\$212,866.00
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7	1 x HVC450P - 450kW Opportunity Charger Maximum 65 ft from HVC and Pantograph UL Certified - Mast UL certification at site	1	Lot		\$400,000.00
8	Project Management, Freight Packaging, Commissioning and on-Site Training	1	Lot	\$15,000.00	\$15,000.00
9	Standard Warranty - 24 months	1	Lot		Included
	Extended Warranty to 5 Years				
10	Panograph \$1,980	1	Lot	\$1,980.00	\$1,980.00
11	Recommended Spare Parts (Local Funding)	1	Lot	\$37,000.00	\$37,000.00
12	Web Solution Operator Pro (per charger per year) - Base Year	·2	Each	\$1,800.00	\$3,600.00
	Subtotal Charging Equipment				\$670,446.00
Optional	l Items:	Lar	7	1	
10	Web Solution Operator Pro (per charger per year) - Second Year through Fifth Year- to be funded each	4		¢2,600,00	614 400 00
13	year)	4	Yrs	\$3,600.00	\$14,400.00
Total P	rice - NoLo 40 Foot Battery Electric Buses Equipment			\$5,565,537.85	

Detailed Contract Description & Purpose

Board Review Date:	5/29/2019		Document Type:	Pre-Procurement
Action Requested:	Pre-Procurement (information only)	
<u>Criteria:</u>	Contract is \$200,00	00 - \$999,999		
<u>Contract Title:</u>	Coordinated and Comp Specialized Transportat		<u>Contract #</u>	TBD
Project Manager:	Ryan Taylor		Contract Administrator:	Teressa Pickett
Impacted Areas:	Coordinated Mobi	lity	Included in budget?	No
Procurement method:	Best value (RFP)		Contractor:	TBD
Sole-Source Reason:	N/A		<u>Qty & Unit price</u> <u>Change Order Value</u> <u>Total Contract Value</u>	\$250,000
<u>Contract term (Months)</u>	12		Contract Start Date	7/1/2019
Contract options (Months)			Contract End Date:	6/30/2020
Number of re	sponding firms: TB	BD <u>\$ Valu</u>	ue of Next Lowest Bidder	TBD

General Description & Purpose:

Disadvantaged populations, including seniors and people with disabilities, in our community cannot access basic life sustaining goods and services (medical, food, social services) due to lack of affordable and accessible transportation. A comprehensive specialized transportation plan, developed with consensus from key stakeholders across the Wasatch Front, is needed to propose a solution for identified human service transportation gaps for seniors and persons with disabilities. This plan will not focus on low-income populations although many in the cited populations have limited income. The plan will include incremental steps that can be carried out over time with corresponding costs outlined for each step. Many of the tactics in the plan may have the ability to be adapted for rural areas once they are fully implemented on the Wasatch Front. Funding is through a State of Utah Legislative appropriation in the 2019 session. UTA Corrdinated Mobility will procure a contractor to faciltate and assist in this comprehensive plan development. A requisition will be forthcoming.

> Attachments: Contract routing sheet attached? Other attachments? (list)

Detailed Contract Description & Purpose

Board Review Date:	5/29/2019	Document Type:	Pre-Procurement
Action Requested:	Pre-Procurement (information c	only)	
<u>Criteria:</u>	Contract is \$200,000 - \$999,999		
Contract Title:	Provo Intermodal Center Buildings	<u>Contract #</u>	19-03057TP
Project Manager:	Janelle Robertson	Contract Administrator:	Teressa Pickett
Impacted Areas:	Provo Intermodal Center	Included in budget?	Yes
Procurement method:	Lowest Bidder (IFB)	Contractor:	TBD
Sole-Source Reason:	N/A	<u>Qty & Unit price</u> Change Order Value Total Contract Value	\$400,000
<u>Contract term (Months)</u>	12 mo	Contract Start Date	8/1/2019
Contract options (Months)	0	Contract End Date:	8/1/2020
Number of re	esponding firms: TBD \$1	/alue of Next Lowest Bidder	TBD

General Description & Purpose:

UTA will build a small police and security building and a small customer service building, and request pricing for an option to build Pavilion Passenger Canopies at the Provo Intermodal Center. Designs and plans for these structures are complete so UTA will issue an IFB (invitation for bid) to procure a contractor for their construction. The project budget will be coming from FY15-16 5339 Bus and Bus Facilities grant monies. The local match is coming from the safety and security budget. The new buildings are necessitated by the increase in system ridership from the new UVX line, and the closure of the former transit center with customer service building at University Mall in Orem.

Attachments:	Contract routing sheet attached?	N/A (Pre-Procurement)

Other attachments? (list) Requisition

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REQUISITION FOR PURCHASE-RSS

Requis	ition Number 6701 OU	Department		L PROJECTS & OPMENT	Requested By 1331743 Robertson, Janelle L Request Date	Date	5/9/2019
Title	Provo IMC Buildings		Justification	Project budget will be coming from a la grant. The local match is coming from to get requisition approved we used the budget is not finalized. Further, UTA s center to build these buildings, but the the general fund instead of to these pro- existing transit will expire and will be	e IFB to procure construction contractor. eft over 5339 Bus and Bus Facilities the safety and security budget. In order e Provo Orem BRT budget since the 2019 old the existing Timpanogos transit fund from that were distributed into jects. End of 2019 the lease of the		

Line	Description	Qty	UoM Unit Price	Extended	Line Status	Account Number	Subledger-Type	Percent
1.000	Provo IMC Buildings		.0000	400,000.00	Approved	20-1701.60701.14022001	MSP096 C	100.0000
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UTA Grant Review Go/No-Go Determination Decision Form

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Grant Agency:	•	eland Security		ue Date:		May 29, 2019			
Grant Title:	Transit Securi	Transit Security Grant Program (TSGP) Interior FrontRunner Train Cameras							
Award Criteria:	public from a To provide a s	o provide protection of critical transportation infrastructure and the traveling ublic from acts of terrorism and to increase resilience of transit infrastructure. o provide a system to assist in the investigation and resolution of crimes on the ommuter Rail Network.							
Grant Lead:	Tracy Young		Gr	Grant Prep Cost: Staff Time					
Project Mgr:	Lamount Wor	thy							
Chief Officer:	Steve Meyer		СС	O Consulted o	n Proposa	l Y/N	Yes		
Grant Team Members:	Lamount Wor	rthy, Lloyd Davis, R. Fred Ross, Tracy Young, Alma Haskell							
Proposed Project:	Install HD Quality cameras on the interior of the UTA FrontRunner Train Carriages providing visibility of the interior passenger area and to assist Law Enforcement agencies in Intelligence gathering, Incident Investigations, and to act as an Unwanted Behavior Deterrent.								
Project Benefits/ROI:	This project will give the UTA FrontRunner Train Carriages the same type of functionality as the UTA Buses and UTA TRAX Train Carriages. This will show consistency in UTA's camera system and will enhance the security profile of the FrontRunner Trains. This project will allow for investigations into incidents that occur on board the train in the passenger cars. This project improves delivery of service by enhancing the security profile as it relates to investigations and customer complaints. This project will also provide a level of customer service to our riding public that will better enhance their travel on UTA.								
Considerations:	UTA has deployed cameras on all of our Revenue Vehicles to include Buses, TRAX Trains, and FrontRunner Trains that capture the interior passenger area of these modes of transportation. The FrontRunner Train Carriages is the last remaining of the UTA Revenue Vehicles that require cameras in the passenger area.						ea of these remaining of		
Total Cost:	\$2,000,000	Grant Request:	\$2,00	0,000	Local Ma	atch:	\$0		
Source of Local Match:	N/A								
Annual O&M:									
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Contract Authority and Procurement

Board of Trustees Policy No. _____

Application: Board of Trustees and Local Advisory Council

- I. <u>Purpose</u>: The purpose of this policy is to establish the authority, duties, and responsibilities of the Board of Trustees and Chief Procurement Officer related to the Authority's procurement activities. It also establishes contracts, change orders, and disbursements that must be approved by the Board of Trustees.
- II. <u>Definitions</u>:
 - A. "Chief Procurement Officer" means the individual designated by the Board to oversee the Authority's procurement related activity.
- III. <u>Policy</u>:
 - A. <u>Delegation of Authority</u>
 - 1. The Board of Trustees designates the Chief Financial Officer as the Authority's Chief Procurement Officer.
 - 2. The Chief Procurement Officer will establish policies and procedures to ensure the Authority's procurements are carried out in compliance with applicable state and federal laws and the Authority's policies.
 - 3. The Chief Procurement Officer will establish a Code of Conduct to govern the actions and performance of all Authority employees and designated agents of the Authority engaged in procurement activities.
 - B. <u>Procurement Protest Appeals</u>
 - 1. The Chief Procurement Officer will review and decide procurement protests submitted by vendors.
 - 2. An appeal of the Chief Procurement Officer's decision on a procurement protest must be submitted in writing to the Board of Trustees within five business days following the date of the decision.
 - 3. The Board of Trustees will review the appeal and the decision of the Chief Procurement Officer, hear information from the appellant and the Chief Procurement Officer, and issue a final determination in writing to the Chief Procurement Officer and the appellant.
 - C. <u>Former Employees</u>
 - 1. The Authority may procure goods and services from former employees after one year of separation. <u>The Authority may procure goods and services from former</u> employees within the first year of separation under the following conditions:
 - a. There is no personal or organizational conflict of interest

- b. The term of the contract does not exceed six months
- c. The amount obligated does not exceed \$25,000
- d. The procurement conforms to applicable laws
- e. The Executive Director provides <u>written</u> notification to the Board of Trustees <u>in advance.</u>
- 2. <u>The Board of Trustees must approve procurement of any goods or services with</u> <u>entities that hire former employees or who are represented by former employees</u> <u>within the twelve months following the employee's separation from UTA if the</u> <u>situation creates a Conflict of Interest as determined by the Chief Procurement</u> <u>Officer.</u>

D. <u>Contract, Change-order, and Disbursement Authority</u>

- 1. The Board of Trustees will review and approve contracts that exceed a total value of \$200,000 over the life of the contract, including any option years.
- 2. The Board of Trustees will review and approve the following contract changeorders:
 - a. change orders that increase the total contract value to \$200,000 or more
 - b. change orders for contracts with a total value over \$200,000 that increase the total contract by 15% or more
 - c. all change orders over \$200,000
- 3. The Board of Trustees will review and approve payment disbursements with a value of \$200,000 or more. The Board may preapprove disbursements equal to or great than \$200,000 by resolution.
- 4. The Executive Director may approve change orders, contracts, and disbursements described above in order to meet an urgent need for goods and services prior to approval by the Board of Trustees if the Authority will sustain serious injury if the change order, contract, or disbursement is not approved immediately. The Executive Director will report the approval of any change order, contract, or disbursement resulting from an urgent need to the Board of Trustees at its next scheduled meeting.
- IV. <u>Cross References</u>: UTA Policies 1.1.11 Ethics and Ethics Reporting; 1.2.2 Technology Hardware and Software Procurement Policy; 1.2.3 – Purchase Card Policy; 1.2.4 – Health Insurance Requirements in UTA Design and Construction Contracts; 3.1.1 – Spending Authority Policy; 3.1.6 – Contracting Authority Policy; 1.1.7 – Procurement and Contracting Code of Conduct; 1.2.2 – Procurement Standing Operating Procedure.

Revision/Review History:

Local Advisory Council Review	Board of Trustees Review	Resolution	Action



Public Records

Board of Trustees Policy No.

Application: Board of Trustees and Local Advisory Council

- I. <u>Purpose</u>: The purpose of this policy is to describe the Authority's commitment to the Governmental Records Access and Management Act ("GRAMA"), establish the appeals process for GRAMA Requests that have been denied, and identify the provisions of GRAMA that do not apply to the Authority due to its status as a political subdivision.
- II. <u>Definitions</u>:
 - A. "GRAMA Request" means a request for records submitted under the provisions of the Governmental Records Access and Management Act.

III. <u>Policy</u>:

- A. <u>Requests for Records</u>
 - 1. To request records from UTA, a requester must submit a written request to an Authority Records Officer on forms provided by the Authority or submit an electronic request to GRAMA@rideuta.com or openrecords.utah.gov. Requests must include the information required by GRAMA.
 - 2. Requested records will be classified and produced in compliance with the provisions of GRAMA.

B. <u>Appeal Process</u>

- 1. A requester or interested party may appeal the Authority's denial of a GRAMA Request to the Authority's Executive Director within thirty days of the decision.
- 2. If the Executive Director denies the appeal, the requester or interested party may appeal the decision to the State Records Committee within thirty days of the Executive Director's decision.
- C. <u>Fees</u>
 - 1. Changes to the Authority's GRAMA Fee Schedule, available on the Authority's website, will be approved by the Board of Trustees.
 - 2. Individuals requesting records may inspect public records free of charge during the Authority's business hours.
- D. <u>Applicability of GRAMA</u>

As a political subdivision, the following sections of GRAMA do not apply to the Authority.
63G-2-104. Administrative Procedures Act not applicable.

- 2. Title 63G, Chapter 4, Administrative Procedures Act, does not apply to this chapter except as provided in Section 63G-2-603.
- 3. 63G-2-208. Public repository of legislative email.
- 4. 63G-2-702. Applicability to the judiciary.
- 5. 63G-2-703. Applicability to the Legislature.

IV. <u>Cross References</u>: Governmental Records Access and Management Act, Utah Code, §63G-2-101, *et seq*.

Revision/Review History:

Local Advisory	Board of Trustees	Resolution	Action
Council Review	Review		

UTAH TRANSIT AUTHORITY



REQUEST FOR RECORDS

Government Records Access & Management Act (GRAMA) Request

UTA FEE SCHEDULE

(Approved May 25, 2016)

- 1. **Reviewing a record to determine whether it is subject to disclosure**: No Charge unless the quantity of subject records is extraordinary.
- 2. **Inspection of record**: No Charge to requesting person unless records must be produced from a proprietary secure electronic database.
- 3. **Copies for media**: The Authority may fulfill a record request for an employee or representative of the print or electronic media demonstrating proper credentials within 5 working days of the request. If the request is voluminous, extra time may be required. Standard copying fees will be charged.
- 4. **Impecunious**: The Authority to fulfill a record request for Persons without charge when the person making the request: 1) Files a sworn written affidavit with the Authority stating that the person is impecunious and cannot pay the fee or charge; 2) the person making the request is the real party in interest; and 3) that the request is not for a large or voluminous quantity of records; and 4) the request does not require more than 30 minutes of staff time to assemble records responsive to the request.
- 5. **Government Entity**: The Authority may waive the charging of a fee when the requesting person is another governmental entity or quasi-governmental entity with whom the Authority follows the practice, has a policy, or an agreement to waive similar fees on documents requested by the Authority.
- 6. Records and associated fees:

Cost*	Description		
.50 per page	8 ¹ / ₂ " x 11" black and white page of copy		
\$1.00 per page	8 ½" x 11" color copy		
\$1.00 per page	11" x 17" black and white page of copy		
\$2.00 per page	11" x 17" color copy		
\$1.00 per page	Faxing documents		
Staff hourly rate	If research or preparation of information is required (such as redaction, pixilation, voice alterations), exceeding 15 minutes of time, an hourly charge is assessed. The hourly rate will depend upon the lowest hourly rate of the employee with proper security clearance required to perform the task. <i>See</i> Utah State Code §63G-2-203(2) et. Seq.		
Actual cost of reproduction plus staff time to produce	Oversized copy and/or graphics		
Standard U.S. Postage Rates	Standard U.S. Postage Rates will apply to all requests.		
\$2.00	Per certification, if the record is required to be certified.		
\$15.00	Transit Police Report Request: Transit Police Reports primarily contain information classified as private. Secondary classifications may exist depending on the record content. Transit Police Reports will only be provided to the subject of the record, or individuals or entities provided an <u>original notarized release</u> from the subject of the record specifically allowing UTA to provide the private information. Additional fees may apply.		
\$20.00	Video: Additional editing (redaction, pixilation, voice alterations) fees may apply.		
\$20.00	Per USB or Thumb Drive , plus staff time to scan the records to electronic format if necessary.		
\$25.00	Archived records retrieval, for retrieval of record(s) from a Records Retention Center or other storage location removed from the place of business of the department or division, which maintains the record(s).		

*If costs associated with the request are anticipated to exceed \$50.00, pre-payment for the requested documents will be required. If the pre-payment amount exceeds the actual cost of producing the records, a refund of the amount difference will be generated. Additionally, if a requestor has not properly paid for previously received materials, the Authority will hold the current request until the outstanding payment is full for the prior requests is received, pursuant to Utah State Code §63G-2-203(8) et. Seq.

If records are copied at a bonded copy center, the actual cost of copying the document will be charged rather than the published rate above. This option is only available for records classified as "public" that are not subject to Federal regulations mandating the records be maintained on the Authority premises at all times.



BYLAWS OF THE

UTAH TRANSIT AUTHORITY

Approved by Board of Trustees 11-28-2018 Draft May 21, 2019R2018-11-01

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Section 1. Creation.

The Utah Transit Authority (the "Authority") was created pursuant to the Utah Limited Purpose Local Government Entities - Local Districts Act, Title 17B, Chapter One – and the Utah Public Transit District Act, Chapter 2(a), Part 8 of the Utah Code Annotated 1953, as amended (the "Act"), and is a public transit district organized under the laws of the State of Utah. The Authority is comprised of its Board of Trustees, which <u>shall-may</u> hereinafter be referred to as the Board and its appointees shall be referred to as Trustees; the Local Advisory <u>Board of TrusteesCouncil</u>, which shall hereinafter be referred to as the Advisory <u>Board Council</u> and its appointees shall be referred to as Members; officers; management; and employees. It is a political subdivision of the State of Utah with those powers specifically granted in the Act and with implied powers necessary to carry out the objectives and purposes of a public transit district.

Section 2. Duties.

A. Trustees and Members shall act in the best interest of the Authority and in accordance with the Constitutions and laws of the United States of America and the State of Utah, the Act, as well as adopted policies.

B. Trustees and Members have a duty to exercise due care, to act with reasonable skill and diligence, and to perform the duties of their office honestly, faithfully, and to the best of their abilities.

C. Trustees and Members have a fiduciary duty to the entire transit district. They have a duty of loyalty and shall articulate and consider the interests of constituencies in the District and then take actions based on the best interest of the entire transit district.

D. Trustees, Members, and their alternates have a duty to complete an annual Financial Disclosure Report, sign an annual Code of Conduct, provide prompt disclosure of conflict of interests, and recuse themselves from discussing or voting on issues for which they have a conflict of interest.

E. Trustees and Members have a duty to comply with the State of Utah's Government Records Access and Management Act and to maintain records consistent with applicable retention schedules adopted by the Authority.

F. Trustees and Members have a duty to comply with the State of Utah's Public Officers' and Employees' Ethics Act.

G. Trustees and Members have a duty to maintain the confidentiality of non-public information obtained in their official capacities. They shall not disclose or improperly use non-public information for actual or anticipated personal, economic, or political gain, or for the actual or anticipated personal, economic, or political gain of any other person. They shall not rely on non-public information obtained in an official capacity to acquire a pecuniary interest in any property, transaction, or enterprise.

H. Each Trustee and Member shall report the business of the Authority to their appointing jurisdictions.

Section 3. Oath of Office.

The oath of office shall be given to all Trustees and Members before commencing the duties of the office.

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Section 4. Indemnification.

Trustees and Members shall be defended by the Authority against any action, suit or proceeding arising from an act or omission alleged to have been committed within the scope of the individual's official capacity with the Authority to the full extent allowed by applicable law.

Section 5. Attendance.

Each Trustee and Member is expected to serve faithfully, attend all meetings and perform other assignments in compliance with Board<u>of Trustees</u> and Advisory <u>Board-Council</u> policies.

ARTICLE II — THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Section 1. Qualifications, Appointment, Number and Terms of Office.

The required number of Trustees, the terms of office, qualifications, and the process of appointment to the Board of Trustees, shall all be as set forth in the Act, as amended.

Section 2. Powers.

The Board of Trustees shall have the powers provided in the Act, these Bylaws, and other applicable law.

Section 3. Compensation.

The Advisory **Board** Council shall set the compensation of the Board of Trustees.

Section 4. **Board**-Officers.

The officers of the Board of Trustees shall consist of all Trustees of the Board, Secretary,

Executive Director, Treasurer, Comptroller, and Internal Auditor.

Section 5. Appointment of **Board** Officers.

The <u>Board Chair Chair of the Board of Trustees</u> shall be appointed by the Governor of the State of Utah. The Board<u>of Trustees</u> shall appoint an Executive Director by an affirmative vote of a

majority of the Board<u>of Trustees</u>, as well as a Secretary, Treasurer, Comptroller, and Internal Auditor. <u>Officers</u>, with the approval of the Board Chair, may temporarily delegate their responsibilities to another Trustee or administrative staff during a short-term absence of the officer.

Section 6. Responsibilities of Officers.

A. Board Chair.

The Chair shall preside at all Board <u>of Trustee</u> meetings and all joint meetings of the Board and the Advisory <u>BoardCouncil</u>, set the agenda for Board <u>of Trustee</u> meetings in consultation with the other Trustees, coordinate the agenda for Advisory <u>Board-Council</u> meetings with the Advisory <u>Board-Council</u> Chair, and shall establish the duration and timing of public comment. <u>The Chair shall also ensure the proper administration of the Utah Transit</u> <u>Authority Employee Retirement Plan and Trust Agreement.</u>

B. Board Secretary.

The Secretary shall attest to all resolutions, ordinances, or orders passed by the Board <u>of Trustees</u> and shall ensure that all necessary documents are filed with appropriate entities.

C. Treasurer.

The Treasurer may be chosen from among the members of the Board <u>of Trustees</u> except that the Board Chair may not be appointed as Treasurer. The Treasurer shall serve as custodian of all money, bonds, or other securities of the Authority and, in consultation with the Advisory <u>BoardCouncil</u>, shall ensure that the Authority complies with the requirements of the State of Utah's Money Management Act.

D. Comptroller.

The <u>Controller Comptroller</u> shall oversee the Authority's accounting and financial reporting.

E. Internal Auditor.

The Internal Auditor shall objectively review the Authority's key processes and related internal controls; evaluate and improve the Authority's risk management, control, and governance processes; and report assessment results and recommendations as required by the Act. The Internal Auditor shall also serve as the Authority's Ethics Officer and shall investigate complaints of ethical violations. <u>The Audit Committee shall adopt a charter</u> establishing the scope of the Internal Auditor's responsibilities and shall review it annually.

Section 7. Appointment of Staff.

The Board <u>of Trustees</u> shall hire qualified individuals, set salaries, and develop performance targets and evaluations for the Executive Director_a; Chief Internal Auditor_a; <u>and</u> any vice president<u>chief</u> officer level officer; the Chief Safety, Security, and Technology Officer; and the Chief People Officer.

Section 8. Removal of Officers.

Trustees shall serve at the pleasure of the Governor of the State of Utah. The Executive Director may be removed pursuant to the terms of the Act. All other officers serve at the pleasure of the Board of Trustees and may be removed by a majority vote.

Section 9. Voting Rights and Quorum.

Each Trustee may cast one vote on all questions, orders, resolutions, and ordinances coming before the Board. A majority of all Trustees constitutes a quorum for the transaction of Board <u>of</u> <u>Trustee</u> business. Except as otherwise provided in these Bylaws or applicable State law, a majority vote or more of a quorum is sufficient to carry any order, resolution, ordinance or proposition before the Board <u>of Trustees</u>.

ARTICLE III — THE LOCAL ADVISORY BOARDCOUNCIL

Section 1. Qualifications and Appointment.

The required number of Members, the terms of office, qualifications, and the process of appointment to the Local-Advisory Board-Council ("Advisory Board"), shall all be as set forth in the Act, as amended.

Section 2. Powers.

The Advisory **Board-Council** shall have the powers provided in the Act, these Bylaws, and other applicable law.

Section 3. Compensation<u>and Reimbursement</u>.

Advisory Board Council Members shall be compensated in compliance with Utah Administrative Code R25-5 Payment of Meeting Compensation (Per Diem) to Boards. <u>Members</u> shall be reimbursed for mileage associated with travel to official UTA meetings and functions at the Internal Revenue Service rate. Members shall be reimbursed at the State of Utah's reimbursement rate for meals purchased when representing the Authority in their official capacity as Advisory Council Members.

Section 4. Advisory Board Officers.

<u>The officers of the Advisory Board-Council shall consist of a Chair, Vice-Chair, and Second</u> <u>Vice-Chair. Officers, with the approval of the Advisory Council Chair, may temporarily delegate</u> their responsibilities to another Member during a short-term absence of the officer.

Section 5. Election/Appointment-of Advisory Board Officers.

Members of the Advisory <u>Board-Council</u> shall nominate and elect a Chair, Vice-Chair, and Second Vice-Chair by majority vote from among that body.

Section 6. Term of Office for Advisory Board Officers.

Officers of the Advisory **Board** <u>Council</u> shall serve for a period of one year. <u>The Advisory</u> <u>Council Chair may serve a maximum of two one-year terms.</u>

Section 7. Duties of Officers.

A. Advisory **Board** <u>Council</u> Chair.

The Advisory <u>Board-Council</u> Chair shall preside at all Advisory <u>Board-Council</u> meetings. The Advisory <u>Board-Council</u> Chair shall ensure that the Advisory <u>Board-Council</u> carries out its duties under the Act and shall coordinate the agenda with the <u>Board</u> Chair to accomplish this end. The Advisory <u>Board-Council</u> Chair shall serve as the liaison with the Board.

B. Advisory **Board-Council** Vice-Chair.

In the absence of the Advisory **Board**-<u>Council</u> Chair, the Advisory **Board**-<u>Council</u> Vice-Chair shall carry out the duties of the Advisory **Board**-<u>Council</u> Chair.

C. Advisory **Board-Council** Second Vice-Chair.

The Advisory <u>Board Council</u> Second Vice-Chair shall attest to all resolutions, ordinances, or orders passed by the Advisory <u>BoardCouncil</u>.

Section 8. Removal from Office.

Advisory <u>Board-Council</u> Officers may be removed by a majority vote of the Advisory <u>BoardCouncil</u>. Advisory <u>Board-Council</u> Members may be removed by a majority vote of the Advisory <u>Board-Council</u> for ethical violations or criminal conduct.

Section 9. Voting Rights and Quorum.

Each Member may cast one vote on all questions, orders, resolutions, and ordinances coming before the Advisory <u>BoardCouncil</u>. A majority of all Members constitutes a quorum for the

transaction of Advisory **Board-Council** business. Except as otherwise provided in these Bylaws or applicable State law, an affirmative vote by fifty percent or more of a quorum is sufficient to carry any order, resolution, ordinance or proposition before the Advisory **BoardCouncil**. A quorum is not required for the adoption of a motion to adjourn.

Section 10. Alternate **Board**-<u>Council</u> Member Representation.

Each appointing authority shall have the right to select alternative representatives ("Alternate") to the Advisory **Board-Council** so that each appointing authority may be adequately represented. Each appointing authority desirous of selecting an Alternate shall do so in accordance with the procedures for selecting **Board-Council** Members. If the appointing authority's Member is not present at a meeting of the Advisory **Board-Council** or a committee meeting, then a properly designated Alternate may participate in the meeting, make motions, count toward a quorum, and vote in matters before the Advisory **BoardCouncil**. Alternates should take steps necessary to be fully informed on actions to be taken at meetings in which they represent their appointing authority.

ARTICLE IV — EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Section 1. Powers.

The Executive Director shall have all of the powers, duties, and responsibilities granted and imposed by the Act and those assigned by the Board<u>of Trustees</u>. In the event the position of Executive Director is vacant, an Interim Executive Director may be given an interim appointment by the Board of Trustees until the position can be filled.

Section 2. Compensation:

The compensation of the Executive Director shall be established by the Board of Trustees.

Section 3. Removal of Executive Director.

The removal of an Executive Director shall be governed by the Act.

ARTICLE V — COMMITTEES

Section 1. Committees.

The Board <u>of Trustees</u> may establish standing or ad hoc committees ("Committees") deemed appropriate and shall designate their functions. Committees shall be established, amended or disbanded by adoption of a Board Resolution at a duly noticed Board <u>of Trustees</u> meeting. Committees shall meet as needed or as determined by the Board Chair and, once established, by the Committee chair. Members of Committees shall be appointed by the Board Chair and serve at the pleasure of the Board Chair.

Section 2. Committee on Accessible Transportation.

The Authority establishes an advisory committee on accessible transportation ("Committee on Accessible Transportation" or "CAT") to offer recommendations to the Board <u>of Trustees</u> on accessibility issues related to the Authority's facilities, equipment, routes, plans and programs. The CAT serves in an advisory capacity. It shall be governed and membership determined by a charter authorized and approved by the Board <u>of Trustees</u> that is consistent with its charge as an advisory committee to the Authority. The Board Chair shall appoint Members or Trustees to serve as liaison to the CAT.

Section 3. Pension Committee.

The Authority establishes a Pension Committee to manage the Utah Transit Authority Employee Retirement Plan and Trust Agreement ("Plan"). Representation on the Pension Committee shall comply with the Plan and applicable contractual obligations of the Authority.

Section <u>34</u>. Audit Committee.

The Authority establishes an Audit Committee to direct the Internal Auditor to conduct audits determined to be most critical to the organization and <u>to hear the results of those reports from the</u>

<u>Internal Auditor and external auditors</u>. The Audit Committee shall consist of the Board of Trustees, the Chair of the Advisory <u>BoardCouncil</u>, and the Vice-Chair of the Advisory <u>BoardCouncil</u>. The Chair of the Board of Trustees shall serve as the Chair of the Audit Committee. <u>The Audit</u> Committee shall function under the terms of an adopted charter, which it shall review annually.

ARTICLE VI — MEETINGS OF THE BOARD AND ADVISORY BOARDCOUNCIL

Section 1. Open and Public Meetings.

All meetings of the Board<u>of Trustees</u>, its Committees, and the Advisory <u>Board-Council</u>shall be open to the public and comply with the State of Utah's Open and Public Meeting Act.

Section 2. Meeting Schedule.

At the beginning of each fiscal year, the Board <u>of Trustees</u> and Advisory <u>Board-Council</u> shall establish a regular meeting schedule by resolution.

Section 3. Special Meetings.

The Chair of the Board of Trustees shall call Special Meetings of the Board <u>of Trustees</u> and joint Special Meetings of the Board <u>of Trustees</u> and Advisory <u>Board-Council</u> as necessary. The Chair of the Advisory <u>Board-Council</u> shall call Special Meetings of the Advisory <u>Board-Council</u> as necessary.

Section 4. Notice of Meetings.

Notice of all regular meetings, special meetings and emergency meetings of the Board <u>of</u> <u>Trustees</u> and Advisory <u>Board-Council</u> shall be by electronic means to Trustees and Members at electronic mail address as shown in the records of the Authority. Notice of emergency meetings shall be given to Trustees and Members at least twenty-four hours before the meeting, if possible. In the event twenty-four hour notice is not possible, each Trustee and Member shall receive the best notice which practicably can be given. Notice for emergency meetings may be oral, written, or electronic. Notices of meetings shall contain the date, time, place, and an agenda for the meeting. Notice of meetings shall be posted on the Utah Public Notice Website.

Section 5. Minutes of Meetings.

Minutes of meetings shall be prepared and available to the public as required by the State of Utah's Open and Public Meetings Act.

Section 6. Electronic Attendance at Meetings.

A Trustee or Member may attend a meeting via electronic means if the Trustee or Member provides twenty-four hour advance notice to the applicable Chair. A Trustee or Member attending a meeting electronically shall be counted as present for purposes of a quorum and may fully participate and vote. Only one Trustee or Member is required to be physically present for meetings that other Trustees or Members attend electronically.

Section 7. Order of Business.

The business of all meetings of the Board <u>of Trustees</u> and Advisory <u>Board-Council</u> shall be transacted as far as practicable in the order of business set forth in the agenda. At any meeting where a new Trustee and Member is to take the oath of office and be seated, such ceremony shall be conducted prior to the determination of a quorum.

ARTICLE VII — CONDUCTING BUSINESS

Section 1. Resolutions, Orders and Ordinances — Vote Recorded.

Each and every formal action by the Board <u>of Trustees</u> and Advisory <u>Board-Council</u> shall be taken by the passage of a resolution, order or ordinance by the Board <u>of Trustees</u> or Advisory <u>BoardCouncil</u>. Resolutions and ordinances shall be by roll call vote with each affirmative and negative vote recorded. Proposed resolutions and ordinances shall be forwarded to each Trustee and Member by electronic means at least twenty-four hours before the ordinance is presented for adoption. All resolutions and ordinances passed by the Board <u>of Trustees</u> and Advisory <u>Board</u> <u>Council</u> shall be authenticated as soon as practicable after their passage by the signature of the applicable Chair and attested to by the Board Secretary or Advisory <u>Board Council</u> Second Vice-Chair, and kept in the official records of the Authority. A record of meetings of the Board <u>of Trustees</u> and Advisory <u>Board Council</u> shall be made and retained as provided by law.

Section 2. Adoption and Amendment of Bylaws.

These Bylaws may be adopted and amended by an affirmative vote by a majority of the Board <u>of Trustees</u> after consultation with the Advisory <u>BoardCouncil</u>.

Section 3. Fiscal Year.

The fiscal year of the Authority shall commence on January 1 and end on December 31 of each calendar year.

Section 4. Principal Place of Business.

The principal place of business for the Authority, and the location of all offices and departments, shall be determined from time to time by the Board<u>of Trustees</u>. The Board Secretary shall publish the location of the principal place of business in the Government Entity Database maintained by the Division of Corporations of the State of Utah.

Section 5. Budget.

The Authority shall prepare an annual budget for the consideration of the Board <u>of Trustees</u> each year in compliance with applicable law. After analyzing the proposed budget and making any corrections or revisions that it may find necessary and consulting with the Advisory <u>BoardCouncil</u>, the Board <u>of Trustees</u> shall adopt a final annual budget prior to the end of each fiscal year.

Section 6. Audit Reports.

A. Annual Audit.

The Board <u>of Trustees</u> shall cause an annual audit of the Authority's financial statements to be conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards following the end of each fiscal year and in compliance with the Act. The audit shall be performed by an independent certified public accounting firm selected by the Board<u>of</u> <u>Trustees</u>. The auditor shall provide a signed auditor's opinion as to the fair presentation of the financial position of the Authority and the results of Authority operations and changes in its financial position for the fiscal year ended. The audit shall be made available in compliance with the Act.

B. Other Audits.

In consultation with the Advisory **Board**<u>Council</u>, the Board <u>of Trustees</u> may cause audits other than the annual audit to be made, which shall be made available in compliance with the Act.