

Salt Lake County Council of Governments

Quarterly Meeting

Date: Thursday, May 18, 2023

Time: 11:30 networking and lunch for mayors; 12:00 – 1:30 pm meeting

Place: Herriman City Hall

COG Membership:

- ✓ Mayors from each jurisdiction including the Salt Lake County Mayor
- ✓ City Council representative from each city of the First Class (population of 100,000 or more) (Salt Lake City, Sandy, West Valley City, West Jordan) – Salt Lake City Councilmember Dan Dugan; Sandy Councilmember Alison Stroud; West Jordan Council Member Chris McConnehey; West Valley Councilmember William Whetstone
- ✓ Three County Council members – Councilmember Aimee Winder Newton (Alternate), Councilmember Ann Granato, Councilmember Laurie Stringham

COG Membership Attendees: Alta – Roger Bourke; Bluffdale – Mayor Natalie Hall; Copperton – Sean Clayton; Cottonwood Heights – Mike Weichers; Herriman – Mayor Lorin Palmer; Holladay – Mayor Robert Dahle; Magna – Mayor Dan Peay; Midvale – Mayor Marcus Stevenson; Murray – Mayor Brett Hales; Salt Lake City – Dan Dugan; Salt Lake County – Mayor Jenny Wilson Councilmember Ann Granato, Councilmember Laurie Stringham; Sandy – Mayor Monica Zoltanski, Alison Stroud; South Salt Lake – Cherie Wood; Taylorsville – Mayor Kristie Overson; West Jordan – Mayor Dirk Burton; West Valley City – Karen Lang, William Whetstone; Salt Lake County –

Other: Bluffdale – Amanda Luker, Mark Reid; Cottonwood Heights – Tim Tingey; Homeless Services – Wayne Niederhauser; Millcreek – Mike Winder; Murray – Doug Hill; Salt Lake City – Christopher Thomas; Salt Lake County – Brock Damjanovich, Catherine Kanter, David Alvord, David Rogers, Dina Blaes, Elena Parmenter, Erin Litvack, Helen Peters, Jean Hill, Justin Stewart, Kara Trevino, Katherine Fife, Lisa Hartman, Martin Jensen, Robin Chalhoub; Salt Lake Valley Coalition to End Homelessness – Shawn McMillen; Taylorsville – John Hiskey; UCLT – Molly Wheeler; UTA – Carlton Christensen; WFRC – Miranda Jones Cox Steve; Van Maren, Ashley Spatafore, Dave Spatafore

Staff: Lauren Littlefield, Tiffany Marquez, Vanessa Nelson

MINUTES

- 1. Welcome** – Councilmember Dan Dugan
- 2. Approval of January 19, 2023** – Councilmember Dan Dugan

Mayor Burton motioned to approve the Minutes as drafted, Mayor Wood seconded the motion. The January 19, 2023, Minutes were unanimously approved.

- 3. Updates from Salt Lake County Arts & Culture and Parks & Rec– Robin Chalhoub**, Department Director, Martin Jensen, Division Director – Parks & Rec
Robin Chalhoub announced the TRCC application window is open and closes on June 16th. An application workshop for staff and grant writers is scheduled at the Salt Lake County Government Center May 19th and 24th at 1pm. communityservices@slco.org
Martin Jensen gave an update on the Salt Lake County Parks & Recreation Master Plan and asked that each city respond with input for the 10-year master plan.
- 4. Inflation Reduction Act Coordination Opportunities and Programs – Climate Pollution Reduction Grant Program Coordination – Christopher Thomas**, Sr Energy and Climate Program Manager, Salt Lake City
Chris Thomas shared the details of the EPA grant, \$3M is available to Utah with \$1M of that available to Salt Lake City metro areas. Action plans are due March 1st, 2024 and Comprehensive plans are due Summer 2025.
<https://www.epa.gov/inflation-reduction-act/climate-pollution-reduction-grants>
- 5. COG Public Works Committee Report – Salt Lake County Corridor Preservation Fund** recommended allocations Mayor Dahle and David Rodgers
Mayor Dahle reported on the new scoring template the committee is using and the improvements to the application process. He reported this round of applications requested over \$4.7M while only \$3.752M was available. Overall, \$3.24M was funded. Changes to the process also include a timeline for funded applicants to use the funds and calling a meeting every 12 months or when the fund balance reaches the \$3M mark. Mayor Dahle motioned to approve the Public Works Corridor Preservation committee’s funding recommendations, Mayor Wilson seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.
- 6. Winter Overflow Shelter Task Force – Update on Winter Response Plan drafting -** Councilmember Dan Dugan, Katherine Fife, Wayne Neiderhauser
Wayne Neiderhauser informed everyone that a Winter Overflow plan needs to be submitted by COG and Council of Mayor’s by August 1st, 2023 according to HB499. Katherine Fife went over some of the statutes specific need numbers: 600 additional emergency beds, non-congregate shelter options for 100 families and 200 additional beds for code blue situations.
- 7. Special COG July 20 meeting to recommend Winter Response Plan – Councilmember Dan Dugan** proposed the special July COG meeting be online July 20, 2023
- 8. Other Business –** Mayor Monica Zoltanski shared recent developments around the Little Cottonwood Canyon Gondola and suggested COG members consider opposing it with a resolution in the future. The record of decision regarding the LCC EIS will come out summer 2023.

9. **Adjournment** - Councilmember Dan Dugan motioned to adjourn and Mayor Zoltanski seconded, meeting was adjourned.