



# Utah Waste Management Plan Update



UTAH DEPARTMENT of  
ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY  
**WASTE MANAGEMENT  
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# What is the Utah Waste Management Plan?

Provides an estimate of solid waste capacity needed in the state for the next 20 years.

Assesses the state's ability to minimize waste and recycle.

Evaluates solid waste treatment, disposal, and storage options, as well as solid waste needs and existing capacity.

Evaluates facility siting, design, and operation.

Reviews funding alternatives for solid waste management.

Addresses other solid waste management concerns that the board finds appropriate for the preservation of public health and the environment.

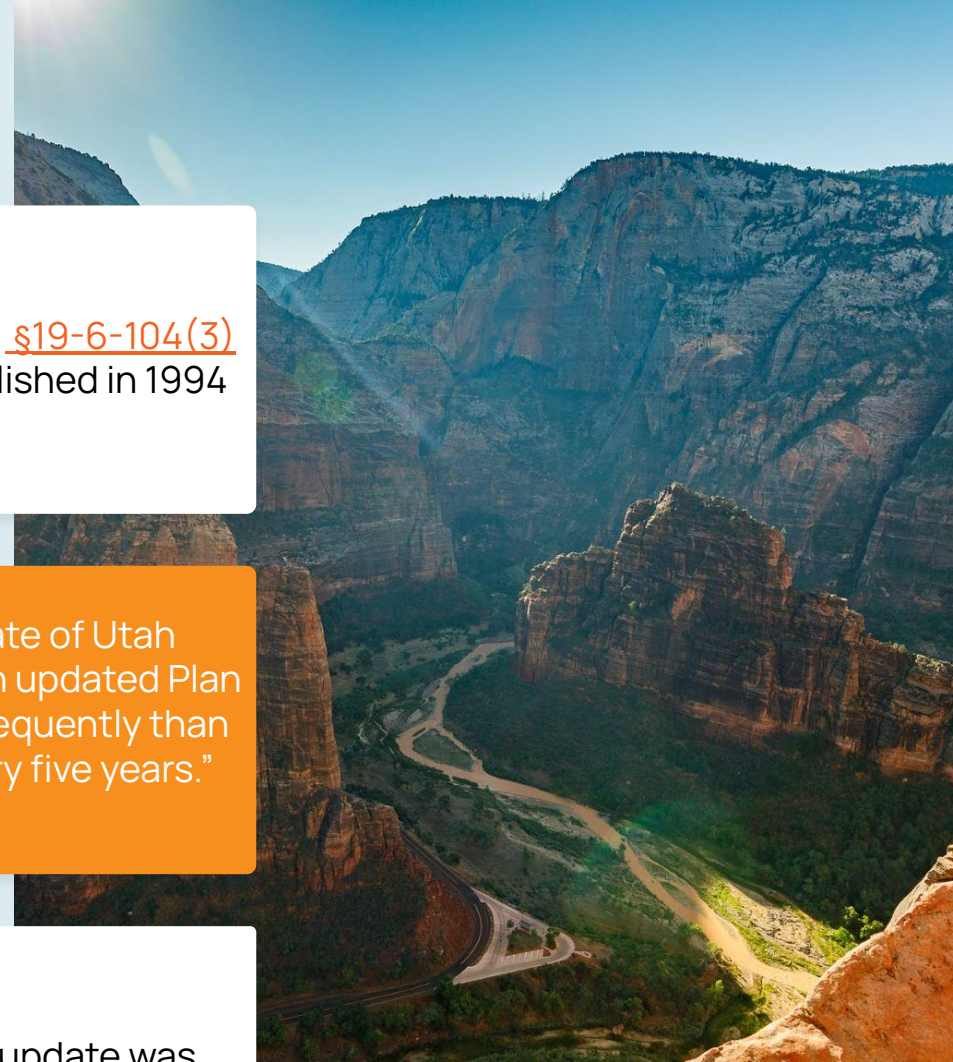
# Utah Waste Management Plan Background

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Utah Code [§19-6-104\(3\)](#)  
was established in 1994

The State of Utah  
requires an updated Plan  
“no less frequently than  
once every five years.”

The last update was  
performed in 2007



# What we do each year to fulfill the needs of the Waste Management Plan:

- ❑ Facility Annual Reports
  - ❑ Permitting
  - ❑ Daily responsibilities of the Solid Waste Program
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# Statewide Waste Characterization Study

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In 2023 the Solid Waste program was awarded one of the EPA's Solid Waste Infrastructure for Recycling grants to conduct a statewide waste characterization study, analyzation of the Utah Recycling Survey and update the Utah Waste Management Plan.



# Waste Characterization







➡ Share this survey with other Utahns!

# How's recycling going?

The Utah Division of Waste Management and Radiation Control wants to know about your practices and opinions on recycling in Utah, and we need your help!

TAKE THE SURVEY AT **RECYCLE.UTAH.GOV**



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**Concluding  
the Solid  
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grant work.**





# Questions

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