Salt Lake County Council April 2, 2019



UTA Service Planning Initiatives

- 1. Service Choices Project Laura Hanson
- 2. Five-Year Mobility Plan Laura Hanson
- 3. Microtransit Pilot Jaron Robertson
- 4. August 2019 Change Day Eric Callison
- 5. Bus Stop Master Plan Eric Callison



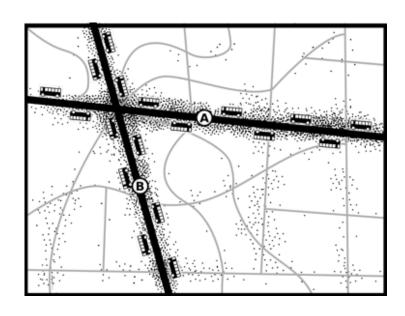
What is UTA Service Choices?

Objectives:

- Define priorities for bus service guided by public input.
- > Develop a bus network plan which incorporates the results of the engagement process.
- ➤ Prioritize future service investments (e.g. 4th quarter) in a way that responds to the transit needs of each community.

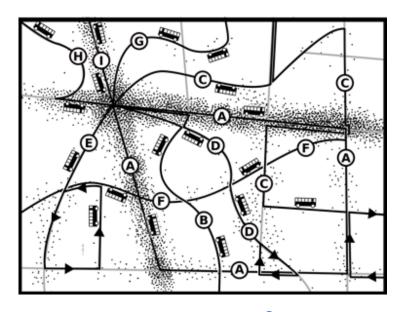


Network Design Tradeoffs



Ridership Goal:

Attracting as many riders as possible



Coverage Goal:

Being available in as many places as possible



Timeline

Spring 2019 Service Choices Public Engagement

Fall 2019 Draft Bus Network Plan

Winter 2019 – 2020 Outreach on Draft Plan

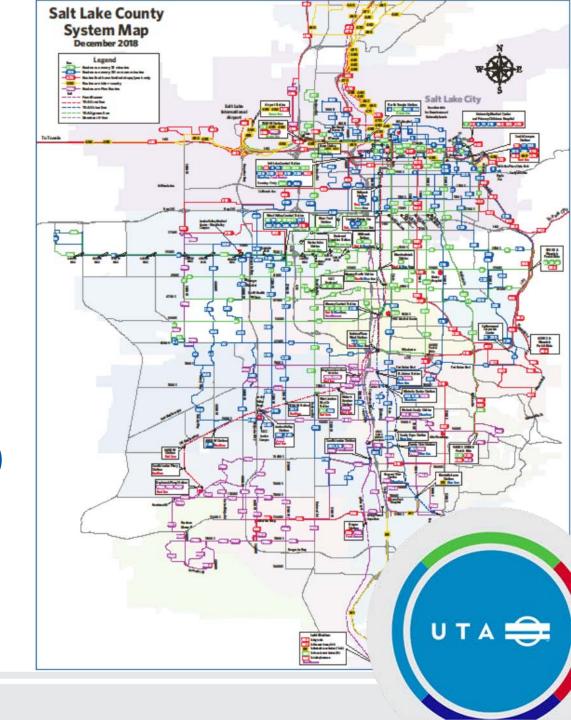
2020 Final Bus Network Plan

Begin Implementation Planning

Fall 2021 Planned Implementation Date



- Annual Work Plans
- Vision-level Plans
- Includes:
 - Micro Transit (DRT)
 - Bus
 - Rail
 - Active Transportation



Five-Year Mobility Plan

2019

- Salt Lake City Transit Master Plan, Phase I
- Cross-county service improvements (Lehi, Tooele)
- Southern SLCO microtransit Pilot

- 2020
- Initiate Bus Stop Master Plan implementation
- Potential microtransit zone expansion

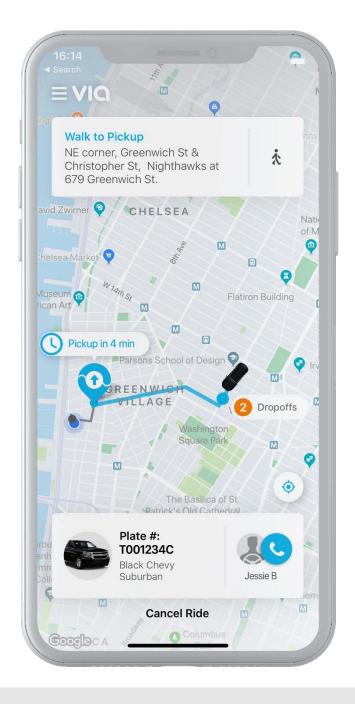
2021

- Salt Lake City Transit Master Plan, Phase I
- 4th Quarter service improvements w/ existing vehicles

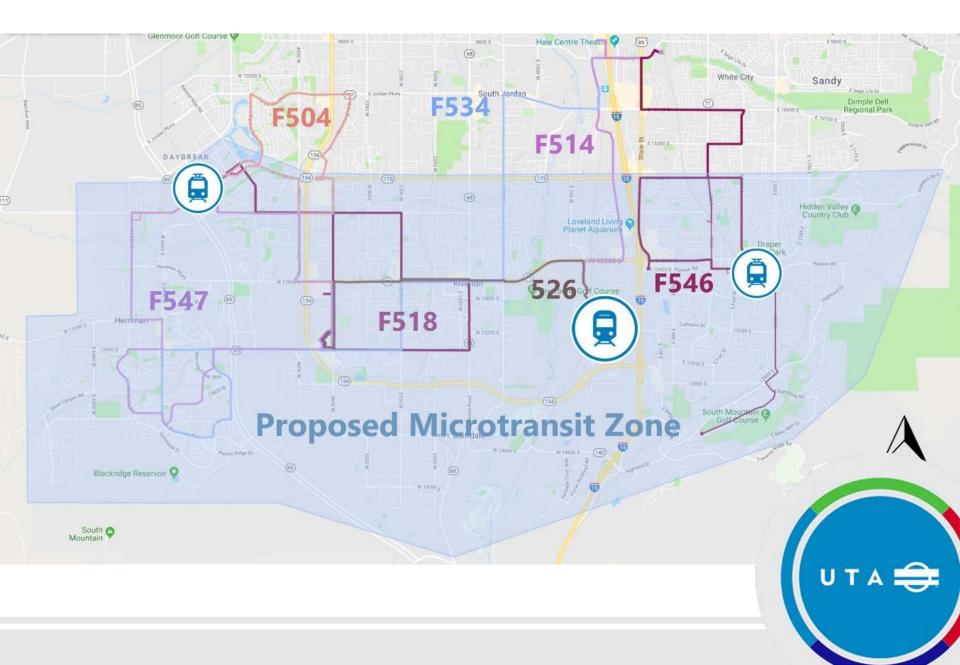
- 2022
- Depot District garage completed
- 4th Quarter service improvements w/ additional vehicles

SLCO Micro Transit Pilot

- Microtransit pilot to demonstrate and test innovative transit services and technologies for improved mobility
- 60 square mile service area in Herriman, Riverton, Bluffdale, and Draper
- Continue existing flex route services during the pilot
- Use Salt Lake County 4th quarter funding
- Begin operations in fall 2019



SLCO Micro Transit Pilot



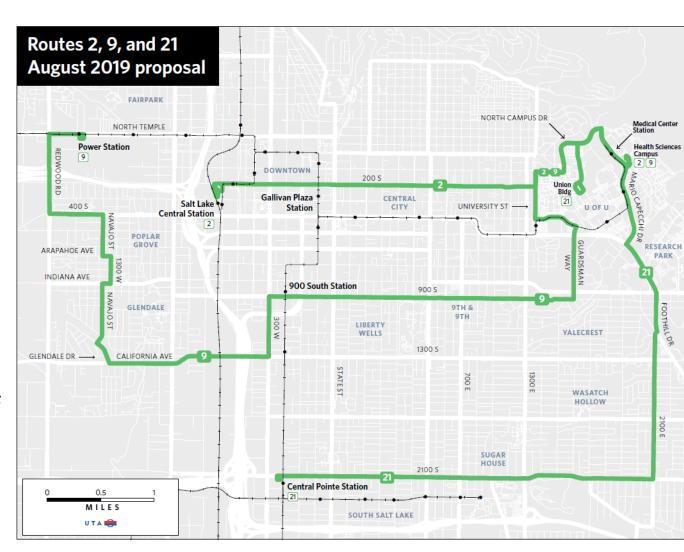
Salt Lake City Transit Master Plan Implementation

Route 2, 9, 21

Mon-Sat: 15-min service

Sunday: 30-min service

- Increased frequency
- Increased hours of service
- Added weekend service



- UTA serves more than 2 million people along the Wasatch Front.
- 44% of that population living within ¼ mile of a bus stop.
- Bus stops are the front door to UTA's transit system.
- As of January 2018 the UTA System has 6,346 total active bus stop locations.



Best Practices:

- Stop Spacing
- Stop Siting
- Amenity Levels
- Federal Regulations

Customer Experience:

- Lighting
- Information
- Visibility
- Accessibility

Standard Designs







Questions?

