Capital Projects

a. Utah Transit Authority Capital Projects Update



Service Development: Construction and Development

Construction:

Vineyard FrontRunner Double Track/Station

650 South Station

Substation Rehabilitation Project

Development:

South Valley Transit



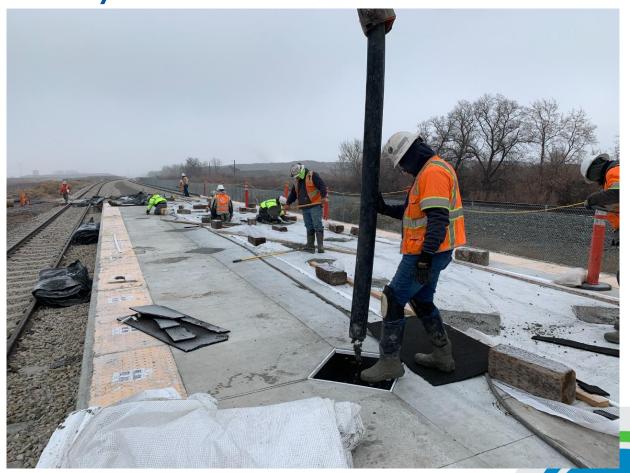
Capital Construction

Vineyard Station and Doubletrack
650 South Station
Traction Power Substation Rehabilitation



Vineyard FrontRunner Double Track/Station

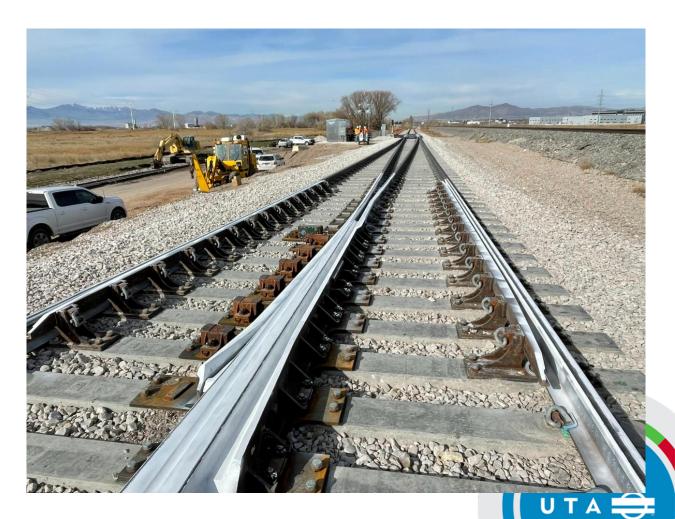
- All concrete work at the station platform is complete
- Work on temporary parking lot and canopies has begun
- Working on getting permanent utilities to the station and site





Vineyard FrontRunner Double Track/Station

- Completed all double track and 1600 North crossing work
- On schedule to open in April on change day



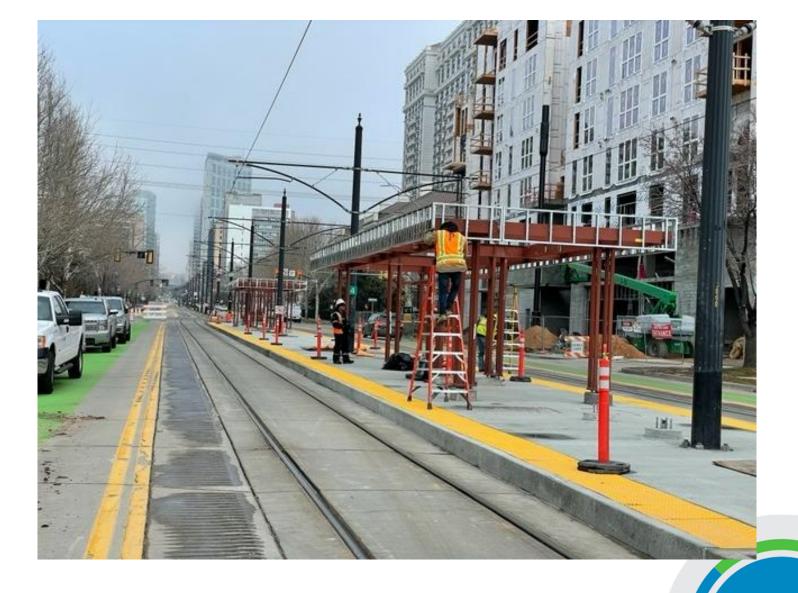
650 Trax Station

- Platform concrete completed
- Canopy construction is ongoing
- Waiting on long lead electrical components and pedestrian signal
- Scheduled to open end of March but may be pushed into April depending on when electrical components arrive.





650 South Station



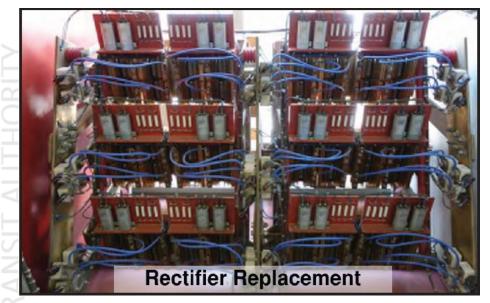


SGR Project- Traction Power Substation Rehabilitation

- This project will provide for the retrofit and rehabilitation of 18 of UTA's oldest substation facilities along the North South Blue line and University Red line
- 10 Locations will be upgraded from 1.5MW to 2.0MW to accommodate UTA's current and future demands.
- All 18 will be upgraded and connected to the UTA network to allow remote monitoring and control to provide a safer, more reliable system
- Design is underway and construction will begin in the summer



SGR Project- Traction Power Substation Rehabilitation









Capital Development

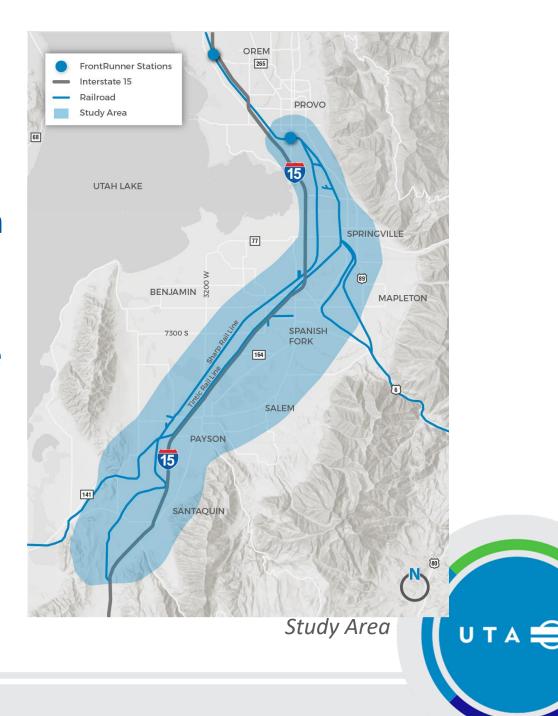
South Valley Transit Study



South Valley Transit Study

Purpose

- Evaluate high-quality transit improvements from Provo to Santaquin
- Select a Locally Preferred Alternative for transit (alignment and mode)
- Provide a transparent and collaborative process between all project partners



Detailed Evaluation – Public Input



Community Events:



➤ Freedom Festival (Provo)

➤ Art City Days (Springville)

➤ Fiesta Days (Spanish Fork)

➤ Utah County Fair (Spanish Fork)

➤ Orchard Days (Santaquin)

Farmer's Market (Provo)

Festival Latinoamericano (Provo)

➤ Virtual Public Meeting October 21st ~50 participants





➤ 1,072 comments

➤ 5,562 website users

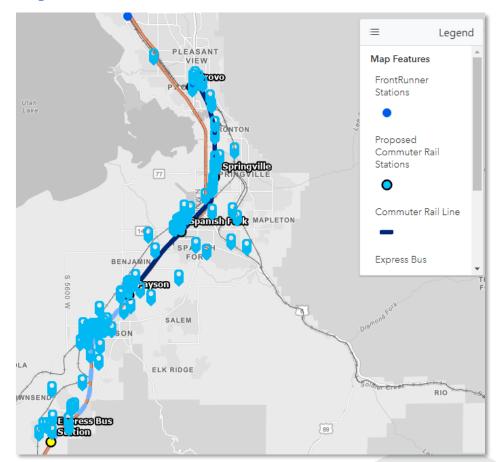
➤ 13,023 pageviews



Detailed Evaluation – Public Input

What did we hear?

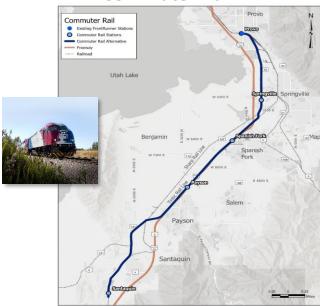
- Very strong support for FrontRunner
- Support for frequent, reliable (transit priority and exclusivity where possible), and affordable service
- Interest in high quality development at station areas with mix of uses
- Support for expanded local bus service throughout south Utah County
 - •Opposition for transit in south Utah County was expressed (small percentage of overall comments)





Detailed Evaluation – Alternatives

Commuter Rail



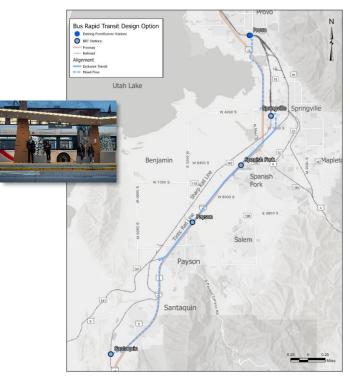
Bus Rapid Transit



Commuter Rail and Bus Rapid

Transit share same
alignment/station locations

Bus Rapid Transit Design Option



Bus Rapid Transit Optional Design developed to reduce costs and impacts



South Valley Transit – Locally Preferred Alternative



Why Commuter Rail?

- Regional travel times
- Ridership
- Capital costs
- Operation and Maintenance costs
- Return on investment
- Construction complexity



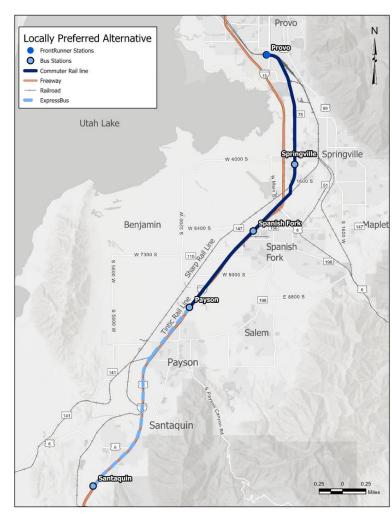
South Valley Transit – Locally Preferred Alternative

• Accomplishments:

- Completed the South Valley Study with our Stakeholders
- Adopted Resolutions in support from:
 - Santaquin, Payson,Spanish Fork, Springville.

Next steps:

- Final resolution from Provo (Scheduled in February 22)
- UTA Local Advisory Council and Board approvals (Scheduled for June 22)
- Procure Environmental team
- Funding





Questions?

