



Grant Resolution Summary 4/23/2025

Midvalley Express - MVX Operations – Project code MSP253

Midvalley Express (MVX) is a 7-mile bus route that connects local destinations and planned developments across Murray, Taylorsville, and West Valley city.

Wasatch Front Regional Council (WFRC) has awarded \$2,300,000 in Congestion Mitigation Air Quality (CMAQ) funds with a UTA local match of \$167,018. The match ratio is 93.23% federal 6.77% local.

The award supports 3 years of operation costs.

The funds may be used over a 5-year period and allow for UTA to choose to offset the project costs to allow for free fare. This project is also funded with a Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Small Starts Grant which has been obligated to provide free fare.

Davis Salt Lake Community Connector – Project Code MSP202

The Davis-Salt Lake City Community Connector is a proposed Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) system that connects communities in southern Davis County to northern Salt Lake County. UTA leads this project in collaboration with local cities, Davis and Salt Lake counties, UDOT, WFRC, and the University of Utah. This project is in the “Project Development” phase of an FTA Small Starts process, which may provide funding to complete the project.

The project covers a 26-mile route, that connects Farmington FrontRunner Station to Research Park in Salt Lake.

WFRC has awarded \$750,000 Surface Transportation Block Grant (STBG) funds for both Ogden/Layton and Salt Lake Urbanized Areas for a total of \$1.5M to design the new service. Match for the project is \$108,924 and comes from UTA local match. The match ratio is 93.23% federal 6.77% local.

Rideshare/Vanpool - Project Code REV232 & Ops Budget

WFRC has awarded UTA’s Rideshare/Vanpool program CMAQ and Carbon Reduction Program (CRP) funds to support the procurement of 15 replacement vanpool vehicles and funds to provide support for the management of the program.

The Rideshare/Vanpool program encourages the use of vanpools to reduce single occupancy vehicle use and promotion of UTA solutions for commuting options.

The total award for the vehicles and program management is \$883,059 federal and \$64,125 local UTA match. The match ratio is 93.23% federal 6.77% local.