



# WASATCH CHOICE VISION

Utah is growing... and we have a plan. Our future quality of life depends on the choices we make today. Wasatch Choice Vision is our communities' shared vision for coordinated transportation investments, development patterns, and economic opportunities. The Wasatch Choice Vision map and key strategies show how advancing the Vision can enhance quality of life even as we grow.

## KEY STRATEGIES

Wasatch Choice Vision key strategies for a thriving region and communities:

- Transportation choices**  
Provide people with real choices in how they get around — by driving, transit, biking, and walking — so people can easily reach their destinations.
- Housing options**  
Support housing types and locations that meet the needs of all residents.
- Parks and public spaces**  
Ensure ample and convenient parks, public spaces, and open land for gathering and recreating.
- City and town centers**  
Create and enhance city and town centers as the hearts of our communities — walkable areas where activity is focused, with places to live, work, and play.

## GOALS AND BENEFITS

The Vision is designed to improve quality of life now and for generations to come.

- Livable and healthy communities
- Access to economic and educational opportunities
- Manageable and reliable traffic conditions
- Quality transportation choices
- Safe, user friendly streets
- Clean air
- Housing choices and affordable living expenses
- Fiscally responsible communities and infrastructure
- Sustainable environment
- Ample parks and public spaces

 Scan to View the Interactive Vision Map  
[wasatchchoice.org](https://wasatchchoice.org)

## CENTERS AND LAND USES

A thriving region requires great places where people can live, work, and play - places that vary from city and town centers to parks and public spaces. City and town centers are the hearts of a community - walkable areas where activity is focused, with a mix of community destinations, jobs, and housing.



**METROPOLITAN CENTERS**



**URBAN CENTERS**



**CITY CENTERS**



**NEIGHBORHOOD CENTERS**



**EMPLOYMENT DISTRICTS**



**INDUSTRIAL DISTRICTS**



**RESIDENTIAL AREAS**



**PARKS & PUBLIC SPACES**

## TRANSPORTATION CHOICES

As our region continues to grow, we need choices for how to move around.



**Highways**  
Major Arterial Roads  
Minor Arterial and Collector Roads



**Commuter Rail**  
LRT/Street Car/BRT  
Regional Bus

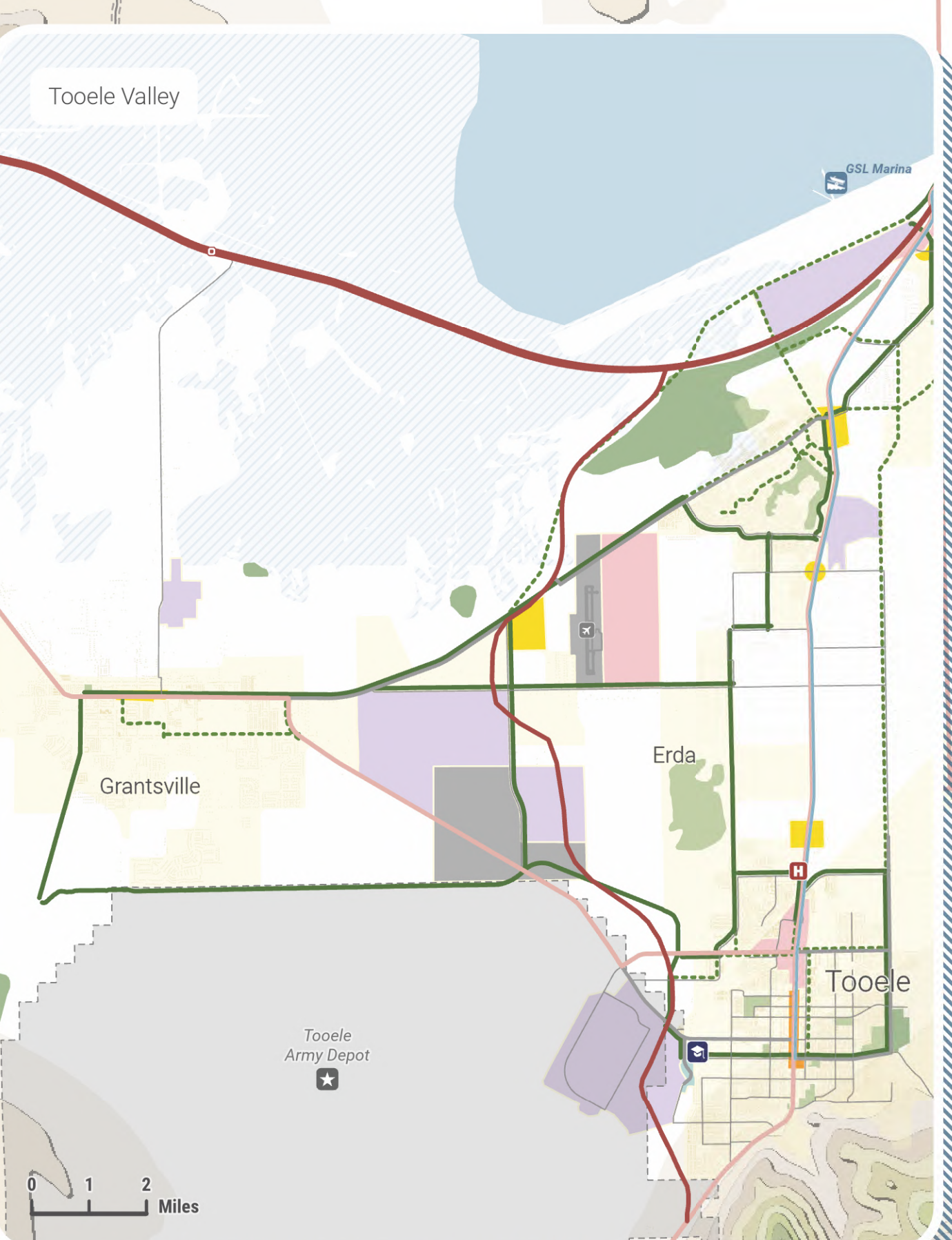
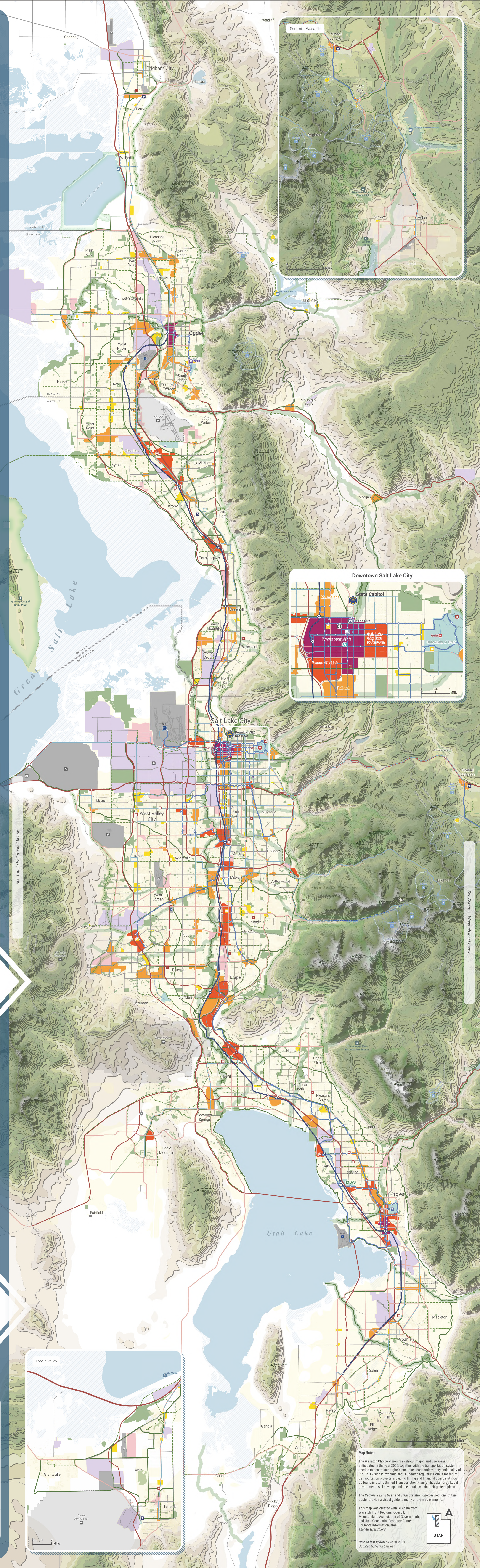


**Major Ped/Bike Routes**  
Bonneville Shoreline Trail  
Minor Routes

## PARTNERS OF THE VISION

The Wasatch Choice Vision is built on community values and public input. The organizations that facilitated this process include:

- Wasatch Front Regional Council
- Mountainland Association of Governments
- Utah Department of Transportation
- Utah Transit Authority
- Utah League of Cities and Towns
- Utah Association of Counties
- Governor's Office of Planning and Budget
- Kern C. Gardner Policy Institute
- Envision Utah
- Salt Lake Chamber and Local Chambers of Commerce



**Map Notes:**  
The Wasatch Choice Vision map shows major land use areas anticipated in the year 2050, together with the transportation system needed to ensure our region's continued economic vitality and quality of life. This vision is dynamic and is updated regularly. Details for future transportation projects, including timing and financial constraints, can be found in Utah's Unified Transportation Plan (envision.utah.gov). Local governments will develop land use details within their general plans.  
The Centers & Land Uses and Transportation Choices sections of this poster provide a visual guide to many of the map elements.  
This map was created with GIS data from Wasatch Front Regional Council, Mountainland Association of Governments, and Utah Geospatial Resource Center. For more information, email [analytics@wfrdc.org](mailto:analytics@wfrdc.org).  
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