

Tri-Canyon Trails Master Plan



**SUSTAINING DIVERSE RECREATION
IN A HEALTHY WATERSHED**

Why Create a Tri-Canyon Trails Master Plan?

Purpose: Watershed protection and diverse recreational opportunities

Goal: A plan to guide us

Direction: Wasatch-Cache National Forest Plan



Quantitative Analysis

Understand Trail Network & Use

Field Data Collection

2020 | User-created trail inventory
Trail counter project

2021 | System trail inventory,
Trail counter project



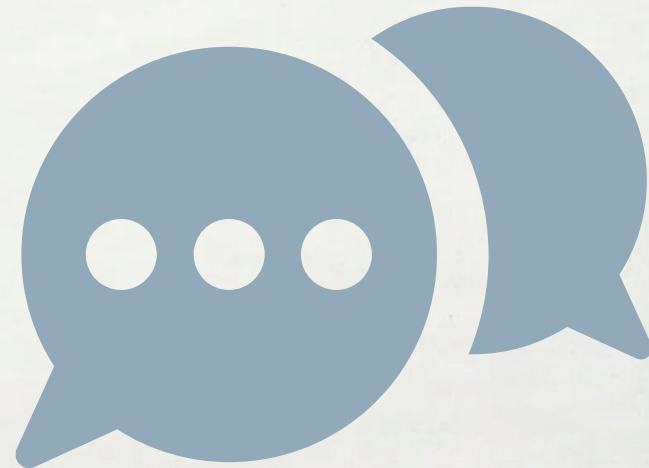
Qualitative Analysis

Community Engagement

Understand Needs & Values

2022 | Situation assessments, listening sessions

2023-2024 | Draft 1 Review, Draft 2 Review, Final Plan



Plan Implementation

Action Items

Realizing the Vision in the Plan Master Plan

2024+ | Trail maintenance,
phased implementation,
environmental review



Planning Process Overview

1

FIELD DATA COLLECTION

Trail Inventories
Visitation Patterns

Summer 2020 - Present

2

SITUATION ASSESSMENTS

Local Governments
Stakeholders/ Partners

Summer/ Fall 2022

3

LISTENING SESSIONS

Local Governments
Stakeholders/ Partners

Public
Winter 2022/2023

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DRAFT 1 REVIEW

Local Governments
Stakeholders/ Partners

Public
Summer 2023

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DRAFT 2 REVIEW

Local Governments
Stakeholders/ Partners

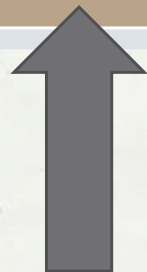
Public
Winter 2024

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FINAL PLAN ADOPTION

Chapter of Salt Lake County
Regional Trails Master Plan

2024



We are here



What We Have Heard So Far

- 60+ interviews
- Local government representatives, stakeholders and partners
- Areas of agreement, areas of difference, and suggested solutions

We're still listening!



What We Have Heard So Far

Areas of Agreement: Shared Concerns

- *Year-Round* Visitation is Increasing
- Transit Options are Inadequate
- Watershed & Ecosystem Impacts
- Equity in Access & Options
- Aging/Inadequate Infrastructure
- Impacts of Climate Change & Wildfire
- U.S. Forest Service Capacity



What We Have Heard So Far

Areas of Difference:

Management Approach

Visitation Management

Roadside Parking

System Approach

Improve Existing Trail System

Allowing Future Uses

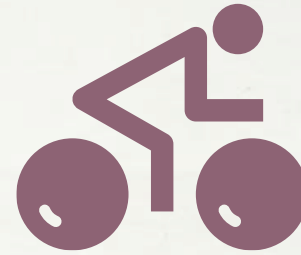
E-Bikes



What We Have Heard So Far

Suggested Solutions:

- Better Transportation Options
- Improve Trail Network
- Disperse Visitors
- Concentrate Visitors
- Ski Areas
- User Group Options
- Signage System Improvements
- Forest Service Transparency

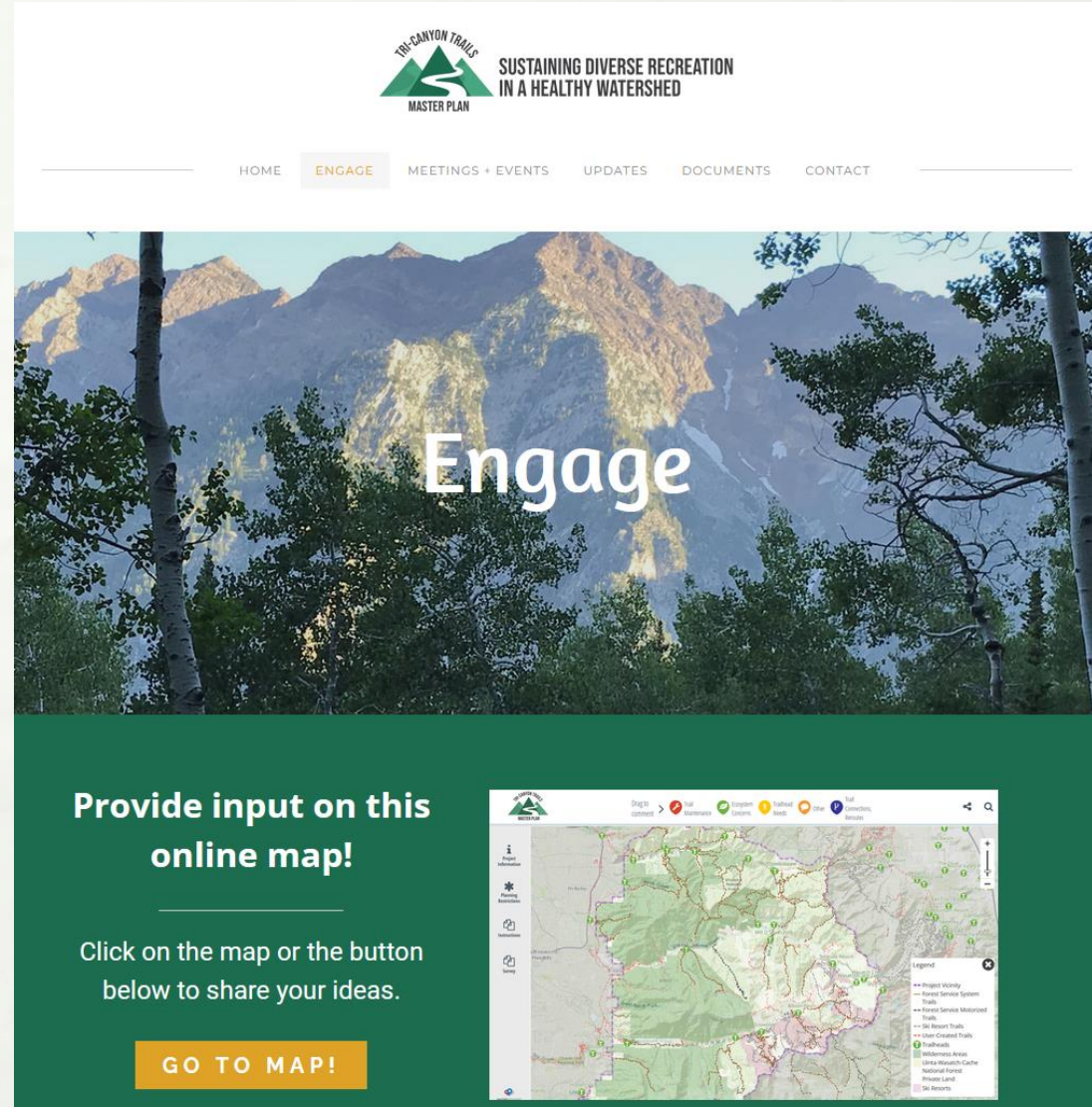


How to Get Involved!

Project Website:

hub for information and input

www.TriCanyonTrails.org



The screenshot shows the website for the TriCanyon Trails Master Plan. At the top, the logo features a green mountain with a white trail, with the text "TRI-CANYON TRAILS" above it and "MASTER PLAN" below it. To the right of the logo is the tagline "SUSTAINING DIVERSE RECREATION IN A HEALTHY WATERSHED". Below the header is a navigation bar with links: HOME, ENGAGE (highlighted in orange), MEETINGS + EVENTS, UPDATES, DOCUMENTS, and CONTACT. The main content area has a background image of a mountain range seen through evergreen trees. The word "Engage" is written in large white text over the image. Below this is a green banner with the text "Provide input on this online map!" and "Click on the map or the button below to share your ideas." followed by an orange button that says "GO TO MAP!". To the right of the text is a screenshot of an online map interface showing a topographic map of the TriCanyon area with various trail types and land management zones marked. A legend on the right side of the map lists categories like Project Boundary, Forest Service System, Trails, Forest Service Maintained Trails, Ski Resort Trails, User-Created Trails, and various land ownership types.



Engage:

1. Social Pinpoint
2. Survey
3. Contact us

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Take the survey!

Take a short survey on recreational values for Tri-Canyons.

TAKE THE SURVEY!

Ideas or Questions?

Share your thoughts with us.

CONTACT US



Questions?

