

A RESOLUTION  
REGARDING THE UTAH DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION’S LITTLE  
COTTONWOOD CANYON ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT

WHEREAS, Little Cottonwood Canyon (“LCC”) is a treasured natural resource;  
WHEREAS, the Utah Department of Transportation (“UDOT”) conducted an  
Environmental Impact Statement regarding transportation improvement alternatives for State  
Route (S.R.) 210 in and near LCC (the “LCC EIS”);

WHEREAS, UDOT issued a Final LCC EIS (the “Final EIS”), in which it identified  
Gondola Alternative B (the “Gondola Alternative”), with proposed phasing (“Phase 1, Phase 2  
and Phase 3”) as shown in Exhibit A, as the preferred alternative to improve transportation in  
LCC;

WHEREAS, UDOT subsequently determined additional analysis was warranted, issued  
supplemental information reports, and conducted additional public review and comment period;

WHEREAS, UDOT issued a Record of Decision in the summer of 2023;

WHEREAS, the undersigned Salt Lake County Mayors believe the transportation  
improvements identified in Phase 1 and Phase 2 will sufficiently satisfy the transportation  
improvement needs in LCC; and

WHEREAS, the undersigned Salt Lake County Mayors wish to articulate their position  
regarding UDOT’s preference to adopt and implement all three phases of the Gondola  
Alternative,

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that the undersigned Salt Lake County Mayors  
support:

1. fully funding and implementing the transportation improvements identified in Phase 1  
and Phase 2 as shown in Exhibit A; and

2. conducting a complete assessment of the effectiveness of the Phase 1 and Phase 2 transportation improvements before funding and implementing Phase 3, i.e., construction of the Gondola, including access road and parking structure as shown in Exhibit A.

APPROVED and ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2023.

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Mayor Mendenhall

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Mayor Zoltanski

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Mayor Smolka

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Mayor Palmer

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Mayor Weichers

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Mayor Hall

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Mayor Bourke

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Mayor Dahle

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Mayor Wood

# EXHIBIT A

## Final EIS: Gondola B Phased Implementation

Little Cottonwood  
Canyon ENVIRONMENTAL  
S.R. 210 | Wasatch Blvd. to Alta  
IMPACT STATEMENT

Transportation Improvement	Phase 1	Phase 2	Phase 3
Increased Bus Service	✓	✓	✗
Mobility Hub at the Gravel Pit	✓	✓	✓
Tolling	✓	✓	✓
Restrict winter roadside parking	✓	✓	✓
Wasatch Boulevard improvements	✓	✓	✓
Snowsheds		✓	✓
Trailhead improvements		✓	✓
Gondola B infrastructure (Includes access road and parking structure)			✓

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