



City of Wendover General Plan

Chapter 4: Transportation

4.1. INTRODUCTION

The effectiveness and functionality of the transportation system and how it services population growth has significant impact on the community. The City is currently serviced by an efficient transportation system. With an eye to the future, plans can be developed that will complement and improve the quality of life in Wendover.

Transportation in Wendover includes the local road system with Wendover Boulevard acting as an I-80 loop corridor, the I-80 freeway, the Wendover airport, and the rail system.

The station in Wendover connects the community eastward to Salt Lake City and westward to Elko, Nevada and points in between.



4.2. TRANSPORTATION MASTER PLAN

The City plans to prepare an updated Transportation Master Plan which will act as a vital appendix to this chapter. The chief objective of this plan will be to provide and plan for a safe, convenient and efficient system of transporting people and goods to, from and throughout the community. The purpose of the Transportation Master Plan is to identify assets, needs and goals of the city's transportation systems, which includes streets, train, air travel and recreational trails.

In developing and updating the Transportation Master Plan, the City needs to coordinate with the Utah Department of Transportation. The plan should include planning for the flow of traffic on and the use of city streets, as well as improving connections to all other available transportation systems. Components of the plan should include:

- Policies which foster a safe and effective street system,
- Classification of streets according to their intended function and recommended right-of-way sections,
- Street design standard guidelines,

Key Points:

- Introduction
- Transportation Master Plan
- Goals



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- Identification of needed street improvement areas, including plans to install curb, gutter, and sidewalks throughout the city,
- Identification of future road needs based on projected growth and traffic generation,
- Objectives for effective connections to alternative transportation methods, including rail, recreational trails, etc.,
- Plans for the improvement and maintenance of every available type of transportation,
- Provide for efficient pedestrian and bike path systems to make good connections with other transportation systems,
- Address plans and opportunities to create an additional access to areas north of I-80, and
- Determine and pursue opportunities to improve the railroad station as an effective element and connector to the overall local transportation system.



4.3. TRANSPORTATION GOALS

Goal	Action
1. Maintain a Transportation Master Plan	A. Prepare and update the City Transportation Master Plan (including above listed plan components).
2. Pursue a plan to provide street improvement projects	A. Determine availability and access resources of UDOT in assisting with street improvements and transportation needs in the city.
	B. Improve city entrances from I-80 with signage and landscaping.
	C. Review and maintain a city streets inventory list, establish priorities for improvements, including curb, gutter and sidewalks and fund projects where possible.
	D. Develop a plan to provide updated and improved addressing through the community.