### Larry Ellertson - this past weekend

**From:** Bob Bonar <BBonar@snowbird.com>

To: 'mark allen' <markstewartallen@gmail.com>, Bill Lee <williaml@utahcounty...

**Date:** 9/21/2015 2:46 PM **Subject:** this past weekend

CC: Willie Holdman <willie.holdman@gmail.com>, Brad Frost <Bradfrostaf@gmail...

Hello all,

As has been posted on your Facebook page by the individuals riding in Mary Ellen Gulch on Saturday there was no problem or interaction with where and how they were riding. They respected the signage and closures on our private property and we appreciate that very much. We've been discussing with Curt and other members of the Utah 4WD community about improving access to our private property in Mineral Basin that are presently closed. In regards to the "erosion" we will of course reveg and restore Hidden Peak post construction using and exceeding all state and federal requirements for high alpine/ watershed areas.

It's often overlooked but over the last 20 years Snowbird has partnered with the USFS and Trout Unlimited to do more clean-up work improving the watershed in American Fork Canyon than any current or private landowner.

Here are some links for information on the projects we have undertaken:

http://www.nytimes.com/2004/08/18/us/unusual-alliance-is-formed-to-clean-up-mine-runoff.html

http://www.deseretnews.com/article/685192560/American-Fork-Creek-cleanup-is-joint-effort.html?pg=all

http://www.sltrib.com/utah/ci\_4223691

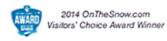
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#### **Bob Bonar**

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From: mark allen [mailto:markstewartallen@gmail.com]

Sent: Sunday, September 20, 2015 10:28 AM

To: Bill Lee; Greg Graves; 'Larry Ellertson'; Bob Bonar

Cc: Willie Holdman; Brad Frost; Don Watkins; Cathy Allred; Jeff Johnson; Marlin Sharp; Kurt Williams; Marc Bryson

**Subject:** We have a problem Houston- passing forward.. motorized access issues.

Gentlemen,

I thought this was important to pass along.

This comment came in from one of our FB friends.

Perhaps Bob Bonar would like to explain his side of the story.

Sept 19th 2015

I was up on Hidden peak yesterday with my daughter and a guy who had been overseeing construction of the giant building on the peak came running around the corner talking on his radio. He said there was an ATV on Sinner's Pass (between Mineral and Mary Ellen) and he wanted a vehicle to go chase them down. It was, of all people Bob Bonar. As we were leaving we saw him ride of in a side by side to chase down the ATV rider. Just an example of how Snowbird is clamping down on users and tightening their grip on access and lands up there.

It was also notable how much of the fragile vegetation around the construction site on hidden peak has been compromised and the amount of erosion and degradation happening on the Utah County side into Mineral Basin is happening. The high alpine is fragile and doesn't hold up well to intensive development like this.

Mark

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### Larry Ellertson - RE: Stagnant

From: "Whittekiend, David -FS" <dwhittekiend@fs.fed.us>

To: Willie Holdman <willie@holdman.com>, "Stansfield, Jon M -FS" <jstansfiel...

**Date:** 9/11/2015 10:43 AM

Subject: RE: Stagnant

Willie, thank you for the note. There are no proposals for any land exchanges in Utah County from Snowbird to the Forest Service. Lacking any kind for proposal, there is nothing to move forward on. Dave



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From: willie.holdman@gmail.com [mailto:willie.holdman@gmail.com] On Behalf Of Willie Holdman

Sent: Friday, September 11, 2015 10:06 AM

To: Whittekiend, David -FS; Stansfield, Jon M -FS; Greg Graves; Bill Lee; 'Larry Ellertson'; Cathy Allred; mark

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Date:

9/11/2015 11:46 AM

Subject: Re: Stagnant CC: Willie Holdm

Willie Holdman <willie@holdman.com>, "Stansfield, Jon M -FS" <jstansfiel...

Thank you Willie for the email, Thank you David for your reply.

Dear Commissioners Lee, Graves, and Ellertson, it seems prudent that private land ownership be determined in AF Canyon with the associated pedigree of land,ie.. minerals mined from a particular claim, so as to better understand risks associated with moving soils around, heavy metals, arsenic etc. There are probably some areas more fragile than others based upon mining history. As you will recall I hired and paid a land expert out of my pocket to get the ball rolling, I would hope that you would be in harmony in getting a land expert to undertake this task, sooner than later is my suggestion. I would appreciate hearing back from the commissioners on a proactive approach to ascertain land ownership. It seem impossible for the commissioners to make informed decisions, if private land ownership records do not show up on the county GIS system.

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Mark

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## Larry Ellertson - Re: Road Closure

From:

mark allen <markstewartallen@gmail.com>

To:

Willie Holdman < willie.holdman@gmail.com>

Date:

8/23/2015 5:44 PM Subject: Re: Road Closure

CC:

Bill Lee <williaml@utahcounty.gov>, Greg Graves <gregg@utahcounty.gov>, ...

Thanks for the update. Pertaining to SB allowing access to motorized vehicles on historic roads, what is the definitive statement there? I have several who are concerned, would be nice to get a written statement from Snowbird and the Forest Service.

#### Mark

On Sun, Aug 23, 2015 at 5:25 PM, Willie Holdman <willie.holdman@gmail.com> wrote:

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### Larry Ellertson - Caring for public lands

From: Karen S McCoy <nsbafc@gmail.com>

To: David Whittekiend <a href="mailto:dwhittekiend@fs.fed.us">dwhittekiend@fs.fed.us</a>

**Date:** 9/7/2015 10:01 PM **Subject:** Caring for public lands

**CC:** <a href="mailto:larrye@utahcounty.gov">, <a href="mailto:gregg@utahcounty.gov">, <williaml@utahcounty.gov">, <williaml@utahcounty.gov</a>...

Dear Mr. Whittekiend,

My name is Karen McCoy. I am a concerned citizen in regards to our National Forest and other natural resources. I am also the one that started stirring the pot in April of this year that got Utah County residents upset. I had no idea that preserving and protecting American Fork Canyon would catch on like wildfire. I guess when someones "home" is threatened, they wake up and take it personal.

None of this was ever meant to undermine the AFCVision process but I truly believe the entire process of AFCVision was handled in a very unprofessional manner. The fact that it seemed to be going through the back door only solidified its demise.

Since the issue of ski resort expansion is more open now and I am guessing the NEPA process has begun, I hope you will keep in mind what the majority of your public wants.

The Forest Service is about "caring for the land and serving the people" so I would think having public support, be it by emails, snail mail, meetings, volunteers, etc., it should make your job a little easier. I apologize for any anger or opposition you may have received but it was nothing more than an entire county of people being left in the dark. After reading concerns from others involved, such as Little Cottonwood Communities, other Salt Lake and Park City residents, it seems they feel they haven't been heard either.

Bottom line, we the people are not as stupid as we look (for the most part). We have had four cities pass environmental stewardships (which are just resolutions and probably mean nothing) but it blows my mind anyone in Utah County even considered this. Please take it as a move in the right direction and know that we support any decisions made that will protect our watershed, protect wildlife and plant habitat, protect recreation areas that belong to all of us and hopefully educate more so they will have respect for our beautiful planet.

One of my main concerns is looking at county maps and records of ownership. It appears Snowbird says they own double the land the county is assessing them on taxes. Since it is buying mining claims be it patented, surface or mineral claims, it appears there is much confusion on this complex part of the puzzle. I think the Forest Service and all counties involved should scrutinize this very carefully and make sure that the resorts aren't trading land they really don't own. I think a mapping/mining expert of sorts is in order.

Looking at My Waters on the EPA site, it shows all rivers in Big and Little Cottonwood have excess pollution but rivers and streams according to the EPA in AF Canyon look OK. Just another view of why the development needs to stop!

When Mayor Gygi of Cedar Hills goes off about First Amendment and property rights I have a hard time with it as well. The resorts knew exactly what they were buying and they took a risk. Want to buy some swamp land in Florida?

In closing I would just ask that from this point forth, all organizations be it Federal, State or local, keep the process open. Please use not only your website (which my 89 year old mother would never be able to navigate) but publish the information in the papers. All three. Salt Lake Tribune, Desseret News and The Daily Herald. Pass it through social media, it works!

Remember, people are ready to stand behind our public lands.

Sincerely,

Karen S. McCoy

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Austin Wiley <wiley490@gmail.com>

To:

<dwhittekiend@fs.fed.us>

CC:

<gregg@utahcounty.gov>, <williaml@utahcounty.gov>, <larrye@utahcounty.go...</pre>

Date:

7/24/2015 6:43 PM

Subject:

Mountain Accord Proposal

Dear Supervisor,

I have recently found that you have direct influence in the matter of American Fork canyon being sold off to Snowbird in order to create more ski resort. This matter disturbs me profoundly and is quickly ruining my faith that the state of Utah or the USFS has any interest in keeping public lands open to the public. I feel that selling such land to a corporation that would bar all land users other than ski patrons from using all the resources (after buying tickets that fund said corporation) would be a huge negative to the public at large. As I'm sure you know already, there are 15 ski resorts currently in the state that are almost never at capacity. The ski community seems to be quite taken care of. I personally take advantage of many of the off highway motorcycle trails that the canyon has to offer and would be very disappointed to see them fenced off in the interest of business. OHV enthusiasts access to public land is dwindling as it is and the proposed land trade will only worsen the matter for Utah County residents. Not to mention all the residents who hike, bike, and enjoy other activities in the canyon. I hope that you will take this into consideration before making a decision that will only benefit one sector of our community that already has 4 ski resorts within 45 minutes of driving. OHV enthusiasts on the other hand will be losing one of the largest motorized single track areas in the state. The next closest area for us to find a similar level of terrain is cherry creek near little sahara sand dunes. This is a 1.5 hour each direction drive and is almost unusable during summer months due to the heat. This type of land deal is a slippery slope that will no doubt be pursued again and again by similar business interests and will end in the destruction of Utahs public land access which is the only thing that makes our state so great.

Thanks for taking the time to read this and I hope you will make a decision that will benefit the public in its entirety.

Austin Wiley
Concerned Utah County resident and taxpayer

### Larry Ellertson - Best interest of the American People

From: Willie Holdman <willie@holdman.com>

To: David Whittekiend <a href="mailto:dwhittekiend@fs.fed.us">dwhittekiend@fs.fed.us</a>, <a href="mailto:gregg@utahcounty.gov">gregg@utahcounty.gov</a>, Bill...

**Date:** 7/8/2015 2:08 PM

Subject: Best interest of the American People

I have been using our national forest lands in AF canyon for 35 years. What makes AF canyon unique to users? Its user base. Where else can you go to ride atv's, motorcycles, jeeps, ski, hike, bike, fish, ride horses, picnic, photography, primitive camping that is free form commerce, eye sores and development? Not in the cottonwood canyons. These are our public lands, to be managed and preserved for the largest user base, the 99%. While it is true snowbird owns land in AF canyon, it still doesn't come close to what the public owns as forest lands. Please do what you can to respect the largest user base and the voice of the people here in Utah County and others. We already have amusement parks established throughout the wasatch mountains at various resorts. How far are we going to have to drive to find true wilderness? Help keep our forest a WILDLAND playground as your new signs suggest scattered throughout the wasatch.

Let's yet the people have a voice who use the canyon.

I know its a tuff call, protecting 1100 acres in LCC for the 416 in AF Canyon, but the surface numbers are misleading. The impact goes way beyond the 416. AF canyon truly is one of the most spectacular view sheds in the wasatch. Keep it eye candy, not eye sores!

Thanks for all you do! You have a tuff job. I'm glad I'm a photographer and only have to deal with mother nature, although at times she can be finicky!



-Willie

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### Larry Ellertson - Thank you Plus

From: Marne Isakson <misakson4@gmail.com>

**To:** <dwhittekiend@fs.fed.us>, <gregg@utahcounty.gov>, <williaml@utahcounty.g...

Date: 7/8/2015 2:34 PM Subject: Thank you Plus

A big thank you to the Utah County commissioners for your strong position in passing the resolution concerning the Snowbird/American Fork Canyon issue.

My husband and I urge Dave Whittekiend to represent the 99% of us over the <1% of Snowbird ownership of land. Please remove all reference to Utah County from the Mountain Accord drafts or proposals.

http://americanforkcanyon.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/07/07-07-2015-Mountain-Accord-Resolution.pdf

Thank you for attending to the greater public good,

Marne and Richard Isakson



Provo, Utah

## Larry Ellertson - Protect American Fork Canyon Now!

From:

Renato Wardle <renatowardle@yahoo.com>

To:

"dwhittekiend@fs.fed.us" <dwhittekiend@fs.fed.us>

Date:

7/8/2015 2:45 PM

**Subject:** Protect American Fork Canyon Now!

CC:

"gregg@utahcounty.gov" <gregg@utahcounty.gov>, "williaml@utahcounty.gov"...

Dear Dave Whittekiend,

I will begin this email by quoting Henry David Thoreau:

"A man is rich in proportion to the number of things which he can afford to let alone."

I am emailing you to insist that you protect American Fork Canyon. As Wasatch-Cache-Uintah Forest Supervisor I am emailing you to insist that the 416 acres of land in American Fork Canyon be removed from the NEPA study. This land is beyond value to all of here in Utah County and must be protected from Snowbird. One overdeveloped blight like Deer Valley is enough. I am part of the so-called 99%. The Forest Service needs to protect the wilds of this great country for future generations. Utah has enough Ski Resorts. This land is for public use. It is not for sale to Snowbird. I want to thank you in advance for the courageous stand you will need to take to push back against the greed of the Snowbird Developers and other corrupt officials and developers in Utah. Please remove all references to Utah County lands from the Mountain Accords draft immediately.

Thank you again.

Sincerely Renato Wardle

From: Ryan Dittmar < RDittmar@smsenergetics.com>

To: "Dwhittekiend@fs.fed.us" <Dwhittekiend@fs.fed.us>, "gregg@utahcounty.gov...

**Date:** 6/19/2015 8:40 AM **Subject:** American Fork Canyon

CC: "comments-intermtn-wasatch-cache-saltlake@fs.fed.us" <comments-intermtn-...

### Mr. Whittekiend and concerned parties,

I am a current resident of Cedar Hills, Utah. I moved to this area over 20 years ago because I love to ski. I have taught skiing at Snowbird, Sundance, and currently at Park City Mountain Resort. I am also a trainer for the Professional Ski Instructors of America (PSIA) in our intermountain division. I came to Utah as a resort skier and my family (wife and 4 kids) all enjoy skiing and snowboarding. We live a mile from the base of American Fork Canyon because we are quietly tucked in away from all the ski resorts and craziness that takes place in the cottonwood canyons.

To get to the point. I have great concerns over the development of American Fork canyon, specifically Snowbird's intent to move into Utah county. American Fork canyon is a delicate and relatively small area that cannot support both public recreation and private business. It seems that Utah County has not been properly educated on the land swap proposals that include our land. I'm not a politician and do not pretend to understand the full complexity of this issue. But I do know that Snowbird is looking to develop AF canyon to expand their business. I have several areas of conern:

- 1. How is the Mountain Accord given authority to vote on Utah County lands without representation?
- 2. If there is a vote July 13-15 it should not be allowed to include Utah County lands until the area has been properly represented in the process
- 3. Utah County leaders need time to gather information and give the citizens meetings and opportunities to voice the opinion of the public.
- 4. It seems that Snowbird is driving this vote . . . they do not have the interests of the public in mind. They are a private company that is driven by profit.
- 5. What would happen to our water shed sources and how could we support increased demand that development of the canyon would bring.

Thank you for your time and concern with these issues. We are in AF canyon several times a week all year long. We live here because of this great area and if this is developed for commercial use we would leave the area.

#### Ryan Dittmar



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<comments-intermtn-wasatch-cache-saltlake@fs.fed.us>, <comment@mountaina...</pre>

Date:

6/19/2015 4:15 PM

Subject:

American Fork Canyon

All,

I've concerned about the proposed changes to American Fork Canyon. I have lived in Utah County for all of my 39 years. I love AF Canyon like a family member. I visit many times a month year round. It's great place to get into nature that is only a few minutes from home. I want it to stay as it is. Commercialization is bad idea. It's pristine and should be left as it is. Yes the roads are narrow. That's part of the appeal. Please do what you can to preserve the canyon.

I don't normally get involved. But this canyon means too much too sit back and do nothing.

#1 The Mountain Accord process never had geographical jurisdiction to vote to include Utah County lands. The Salt Lake County line is the boundary. What grants them authority to include these lands in a Mountain Accord vote?

#2. All Utah County mayors and County Commissioners must be represented on the Mountain Accord Steering Committee and Executive Committee if Utah County lands are part of the voting July 13th-15th.

#3. Mountain Accord should vote on all the other elements in their process and withdrawn the Utah County lands until there has been Utah County representation in the Mountain Accord process.

#4. Utah County Commissioners should host an open meeting for all citizens in Utah County, mayors and other interested parties, and invite all of the Mountain Accord executive board, steering committees to Utah County for a public open meeting before any voting takes place that involve Utah County Lands. MAG should be part of this process. AFCVision should be part of this process.

#5. Snowbird should not be the one to drive the vote. Democracy and openness and integrity in the Mountain Accord process should set the timeline for voting, not a special interest group. The vote should be postponed until Utah County civic leaders have been educated and involved. #6 Utah County elected officials are not aware that a land swap could double the size of Snowbird, could potential cost millions of dollars for infrastructure and support, and that the County Planners should ascertain how and what effect contiguous land would mean for Snowbird. Mountain Accord participants should be educated by Utah County Civic leaders how this land swap could potentially turn Mineral Basin into a ski-in, ski-out community.

#7. What would happen if Snowbird were to annex into SL County?
#8 Watershed concerns / water share concerns and how that affects our gateway communities who rely upon AF Canyon watershed for drinking water.
#9. Measures should be put in place to prevent contiguous lands from Snowbird Hidden Peak to Mineral Basin road to prevent Utah County tax payers from possibly being encumbered by development costs/ taxes.

Thanks, Jason Gillies 1151 Utah Highlands Dr Lehi 84043 UT 801-701-0189

From: Marlyce <marbusand@yahoo.com>

"dwhittekiend@fs.fed.us" <dwhittekiend@fs.fed.us>, "gregg@utahcounty.gov... To:

Date: 6/23/2015 8:58 AM Subject: American Fork Canvon

"mayor@highlandcity.org" <mayor@highlandcity.org> CC:

I have been quite concerned with American Fork Canyon and the possibility of losing public lands within Utah County. Snowbird wants to swap land in the canyon and a vote to recommend this swap is taking place today in an organization called "The Mountain Accord." When looking through their website. The Mountain Accord process never had geographical jurisdiction to vote to include Utah County lands. The Salt Lake County line is the boundary. What grants them authority to include these lands in a Mountain Accord vote?

Is this **illegal** since they did get a grant from the Utah State Government to produce studies in 3 counties but not Utah County?

Also, has there been any environmental studies and public comment about this land swap? What about the impact on the water shed, wild live, environment, economics in Utah County?

**Are you aware** of what is happening in your own backyard.

For more information, please visit

Protect & Preserve American Fork Canyon at https://www.facebook.com/ProtectAmericanForkCanyon?fref=nf

Thank you, Marlyce Andersen

Karen Fugal <fugalk@gmail.com> From:

To: <ajackson@mountainland.org>, <aborgione@snowbird.com>, <bbonar@snowbird....

6/29/2015 7:33 AM Date: Subject: American Fork Canyon

I received an email from a friend with information about plans being looked at for the canyon. Please make sure the county boundries are being respected, and that Utah county Officials are allowed to engage the public in the matter. Please make sure Utah County Officials are doing the negotiations, the land is in this county.

My own opinion is that I don't want the land developed, it is beautiful as is and I would hate to see it spoiled by some one who just wants to put money in their pocket, under the pretense it is good for the community.

Thanks for your time.

Karen C. Fugal Citizen/American Fork City

From: Sarah Blackwell <blackwellsarahc@gmail.com>

To: <ajackson@mountainland.org>, <aborgione@snowbird.com>, <bbonar@snowbird....

**Date:** 6/29/2015 2:51 PM **Subject:** American Fork Canyon

## To whom it may concern,

I am a resident of Highland City. Although I grew up in Salt Lake County, this is where I now call home. I love the canyons. I grew up skiing up Big and Little Cottonwood canyons. I taught skiing at Snowbird. I love to ski. However, I am opposed to this potential land swap. American Fork canyon is like no other canyon along the Wasatch. It has a sense of rawness that has been preserved. I am asking you to allow the democratic process to take full swing by allowing the citizens of this area who use and live next to American Fork Canyon to be able to decide what happens with American Fork Canyon. I am also asking that you respect the county lines and also allow the people of Utah County to be able to decide what takes place within their own county.

Thank you Sarah Blackwell

**From:** dave robinson <dave.ssconsulting@gmail.com>

To: <br/> <br/> <br/> <br/> <br/> <br/> <br/> <br/> <ajackson@mountainland.org>, <aborgione@sno...

**Date:** 6/29/2015 8:56 PM

Subject: Re: American Fork Canyon

Dear Utah County residents,

I applaud your dedication and passion regarding the over-reach by Mountain Accord into your backyard.

I have served on the Mountain Accord Economic team and I believe that you have good reason to be concerned. What could have and should have brought communities together, has divided and puzzled. As Mountain Accord presents themselves to you as a collaborative group, doing what is best for the environment, I encourage you to ask difficult questions. For example:

- National Monument. They state the need for more protection on Federal lands; yet, Salt Lake City refuses to place third party conservation easements on their own lands in the canyons. They reassure us that they can be trusted. Trusted to protect the watershed, while they propose a 2-mile tunnel through the mountain. **Question.** Why don't you be an example, start with additional protection of your own property? It takes no Federal approval, no studies, and no drama.
- Collaboration. They would have you believe that they have worked collaboratively on the Salt Lake side. That of course comes as a surprise to those who Salt Lake City has sued, subpoenaed, attempted to intimidate, etc. regarding lands Salt Lake City wants. This of course has occurred during the Mountain Accord process. One of the last to be sued was an 80-year old grandmother; sued for "trespassing" on property her son has paid approximately 15 years taxes on. She died during litigation with a \$500,000.00 Salt Lake City cloud over her head. **Question.** Why choose litigation, conflict and disputes over sensible conservation? The common factor in all of this is Mayor Becker and Jeff Niermeyer (Public Utilities director).

as Mayor McAdams silently stands by.

Please visit <u>daveformayor.com</u> for additional information. Once on the website, click on the Mountain Accord tab and also the Watershed tab.

Please feel free to contact me if you have additional questions or concerns.

Dave Robinson

801.372.2950

## Larry Ellertson - Protect AF Canyon Selfie Contest

From:

Amanda West <awest@efamilynetwork.com>

To:

<ProtectAFCanyon@gmail.com>

Date:

7/1/2015 4:31 PM

Subject:

Protect AF Canyon Selfie Contest

CC:

<mayor@slco.org>, <BBonar@snowbird.com>, <DFields@snowbird.com>, <larrye...

Attachments: image1.JPG

## WE WILL PROTECT AMERICAN FORK CANYON!

**Date:** 7/1/2015 10:52 PM

Subject: American Fork Canvon land

**CC:** <mayor@slco.org>, <BBonar@snowbird.com>, <DFields@snowbird.com>, <larrye...



My friends and I will do all we can during the democratic process to protect and preserve American Fork Canyon. We use the canyon frequently for cycling, hiking, running, snowshoeing, and camping and are at Tibble Fork multiple times per week. I ask you to not include any Utah County land in the Mountain Accord process. I am encouraged after tonight's meeting and hearing from Commissioner Lee and am thankful for the information he shared regarding Mountain Accord not moving forward until Utah county has a chance to be included in the process. This is a great country and state we live in and I look forward to voicing my opinion further during the upcoming discussions.

Thank you for your time and consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

Patty Rice American Fork, UT

From:

Andrea Crawley <crawleyandrea@yahoo.com>

To:

"ProtectAFCanyon@gmail.com" < ProtectAFCanyon@gmail.com>

Date: Subject: 7/2/2015 1:15 PM American Fork Canvon

CC:

"mayor@slco.org" <mayor@slco.org>, "BBonar@snowbird.com" <BBonar@snowbir...

Attachments: DSC 0444.JPG; DSC 0445.JPG

Please keep our canyon like it is. I have lived by its opening for 38 years and my hope is that it doesn't change at all. I want these kiddos to grow old enjoying this canyon like I was able to and I want them to have children and grandchildren that can enjoy what I have got to.

Thanks,

Andrea Crawley

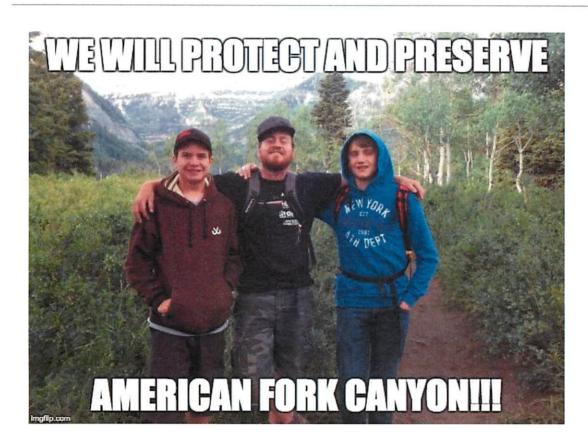
Current Cedar Hills Resident, and past longtime Highland Resident

# Larry Ellertson - honesty is the best policy!

james blackburn <zukijamesoffroad@gmail.com> From:

<mayor@afcity.net>, <clark@perfectlytaylored.com>, <rob@voteshelton.com>... To:

Date: 7/3/2015 10:33 AM Subject: honesty is the best policy!



# Larry Ellertson - Re: Task Force- Protect and Preserve American Fork Canyon 6000 members strong suggests...

From: mark allen <markstewartallen@gmail.com>

To: Greg Graves < gregg@utahcounty.gov>

7/4/2015 1:39 PM Date:

Subject: Re: Task Force- Protect and Preserve American Fork Canyon 6000 members strong

CC: Andrew Jackson <ajackson@mountainland.org>, Gary Gygi <ggygi@cedarhills....

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AM.png; Screen Shot 2015-07-04 at 8.51.23 AM.png; Screen Shot 2015-07-04 at 8.52.12 AM.png; Responses All 150704.pdf; PPAFC- Survey 1 Responses- July 4th

2015.pdf

Dear elected officials and PPAFC team members.

Happy 4th of July! Its nice to have finally have Mountain Accord recognize and afford Utah County a chance to run our own race.

Here is a guick snapshot of the public comments gathered in the past few weeks re: American Fork

This represents close to 700 participants.

Survey data

- 1-What to do about AF Canyon and commercial interests.
- 2- Publics trust in elected officials [see graphics] and PDF

re: The two proposed resolutions being considered for voting by the County Commission vote this next week. I only see Resolution A with a few minor adjustments as being a solution to protect our borders.

I see Resolution B as being what Mountain Accord would probably prefer get passed, the strength of Resolution A is really the only consideration in my view.

The changes I would support in Resolution A - is entirely focused on the steering committee selection process, instead of top down, I suggest bottom up.

The prior AFCVision steering committee was in my view unbalanced, there was really no representation of the people outside of elected officials, I believe that earthy representation is important going forward. A strong grass roots representation on the steering committee be heavily factored in from the onset, then this group reaches out to elected officials adding them to the group, then together they add other representation including from the business sector. It seems that the public was left out of the equation. ie.. ie, high school kid, single parents, college kids, watermaster, 4 x 4 enthusiasts, horsemen, skiers, backcountry, etc. Our PPAFC group has these representations in our nearly 7000 FB participants. We are growing steadily at a rate of 23% and have strong multiple use representation.

#### RESOLUTIONS A AND B

http://americanforkcanyon.com/environmental-stewardship-resolutions/ut-co-working-draft-resolutionversion-a/

http://americanforkcanyon.com/environmental-stewardship-resolutions/mountain-accord-draft-resolution-b-v3/

Thank you,

Mark

Co-Founder Protect and Preserve American Fork Canyon.

P.S. Shawn Seagar, please add these survey results and public comments from our group to the public record.

Also, you mentioned you could compile some of your collection data, which we think would be useful for all to see.

Also, any progress on the map of who owns the land in Mineral Basin?

On Thu, Jul 2, 2015 at 8:58 AM, mark allen < <u>markstewartallen@gmail.com</u>> wrote: Greg,

Thank you for beginning an important dialogue. In response to your comment about our group "working against you"

Our accomplishments in the past 6 weeks. The tone of this is to be warm, yet pointed, please take it as such.

- 1. Created and Organized a grass roots effort to educate the elected officials to a problem that was off their radar.
- 2. Grew from 1 member [me] to 6,235 as of this writing
- 3. Media outreach efforts resulting in press coverage <a href="http://americanforkcanyon.com/recent-media-coverage/">http://americanforkcanyon.com/recent-media-coverage/</a>
- 4. Vetting process resulting in finding things we really didn't want to see.
- 5. Mayor Gygi's social ties <a href="http://americanforkcanyon.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/06/GRAMA7-Snowbird-and-Gygi.pdf">http://americanforkcanyon.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/06/GRAMA7-Snowbird-and-Gygi.pdf</a>
- Snowbirds donations to elected officials in voting capacity
   <a href="http://americanforkcanyon.com/grama-request/possible-conflicts-of-interest-in-mineral-basin-snowbird/">http://americanforkcanyon.com/grama-request/possible-conflicts-of-interest-in-mineral-basin-snowbird/</a>
- 7. Snowbirds donation to Mountain Accord Executive Ben McAdams <a href="http://americanforkcanyon.com/grama-request/3-snowbird-contribution-to-mayor-ben-mcadams-is-it-ironic-he-is-the-chair-of-mountain-accord-land-grab/">http://americanforkcanyon.com/grama-request/3-snowbird-contribution-to-mayor-ben-mcadams-is-it-ironic-he-is-the-chair-of-mountain-accord-land-grab/</a>
- 8. We played a role in the American Fork Resolution process and in Mayor Hadfield being open, honest and transparent as he brought to light his connection to SnowbirdsIronBlossom Lodge [Board of Directors] We applaud that he disclosed, before any voting capacity that he did have close Snowbird ties. It was via our efforts Mayor Hadfield learned of the proposed land swap, about 2 weeks ago.
- 9. We launched our first funding campaign and accomplished raising \$3600 in a 24 hour period to return the money Commissioner Ellertson received from Snowbird. We are working to help public perception of our elected leaders regain ground that was lost by non-disclosure.
- 10. We have an active FB group that is growing at about 25% per week.
- 11. We are aligning the motorized and non-motorized communities to stand alongside mayors,

- county commissioners to enforce our boundaries.
- 12. We have directs thousands to attend the AFCVision open houses.
- 13. We have directed our group to fill out the surveys on AFCVision
- 14. We have aggregated multiple use groups http://americanforkcanyon.com/
- 15. We sponsored and had a live video feed of the Fox Hollow meeting that fortunately Commissioner Lee attended, otherwise it would have been game over before we had gained ample traction to know the size of the threat. https://youtu.be/RtnOSO18xvs? list=PLMRZyGv59-dVj0a5ONbXUr1FDRayGzKMh
- 16. We have an outreach effort beginning this week at the 4th of July- Freedom Festival and will distribute 10,000 flyers to get the word out.
- 17. Our group is looking at zoning ordinances from SL that your commission might want to explore http://slco.org/pwpds/zoning/html/FCOZ Revision.html
- 18. Our group outreach efforts include contacting all water masters to make them aware of efforts to buy water and move it out of the valley.
- 19. Our groups social media outreach is the only reason the land swap has been lulled and Utah County is being given a chance to create our own, clean, clear and transparent process. AFCVision has played no role in this that I am aware of. As late as prior to the final vote, no solutions, no efforts had been made to slow down Mountain Accord. Commissioner Bill Lee and Larry Ellertson at that meeting had a plan to get AFCVision to align with the idea of a resolution. Mayor Gygi turned the tide against that resolution. Given this history, that you were not part of, I will continue to assert that Mayor Gygi should recuse himself from the process. That a new, clean, vetted steering committee be formed.

Those who have our full support - as they jumped into the fray from the beginning include Commissioner Bill Lee, Mayor Hadfield, AF councilman Brad Frost, Mayor Don Watkins. We want to throw our full support behind Commissioner Ellertson and believe raising \$3500 - is part of the solution. We would like to see your strong support for Commissioner Lee as we have asked him to lead out in this effort, he understand the issues, he has worked tirelessly to help Utah County get our one chance. I look forward to throwing my full support behind other elected officials as they take their proper leadership roles forward. We anticipate within the next 30 days we will be close to 10,000 members.

We are fighting for a democratic process that is clean, open and transparent. We have had push back only from MAG and Mayor Gygi - only those two entities, seem to forget that they work for the people as they are the government. For 5 weeks we have asked for [1] map that shows who private landownership belongs to. We are still waiting for the map and hope that will surface soon.

AFCVision as well as Mountain Accord failed to simply start the process in a clean, open, legal and transparent way. We are striving to be part of the solution. I would welcome Commissioner Lee, Mayor Watkins, Brad Frost to add their comments to this thread.

- Mountain Accords persistent efforts to add us to their toxic process like a forced marriageproblematic
- Mountain Accord's architect / planner / Logan Simpson design becomes the same guy on this side of the isle
- AFCVision funded by Snowbird \$50k
- Mountain Accord recently trying to get Utah County participants to be on their steering committee-after repeatedly being told by Commissioner Lee we will run our own race.
- So after all this toxic cross pollination, yeah.. I did spend \$44 to buy the legal entities, and yeah.. I think in our system, the one who has the legal entities, as I recall has voice as to how

that is used. So far, its been a dismal effort. Our FB page started at the same time. We had zero budget. AFCVision last I looked had 152 participants, and no conversations on their FB page <a href="https://www.facebook.com/afcvision?\_rdr=p">https://www.facebook.com/afcvision?\_rdr=p</a>

The list goes on, sufficeth it to say...

As our group sees it, there were three voting members on AFCVision with tight ties to Snowbird. That was problematic. AFCVision has never included the land swap narrative in public outreach, that also problematic. We would have preferred those who were on salary to have brought citizens up to speed and hope that moving forward that will be the case.

It is our desire that going forward a clean, vetted committee will be the result, an open transparent process - the net result. In an effort to align with open, transparent and honest, last night Mayor Gygi again had opportunity to disclose his close social ties to Snowbird executives, he failed to do so, a council member pointed out the mayor had received helicopter rides [CH Councilman Rob Crawley], another made mention of the blacktie event Mayor Gygi attended with Ian Cummings, Dick Bass and Bob Bonar. Given that these instances have come forward, given that these conflicts of interest were not divulged, I believe going forward that perhaps the city manager should be considered for being on the steering committee when it reconvenes.

Our group recommends a clean, vetted process, perhaps with these considerations I have presented to Commissioner Lee in thought, and now, in writing for the full commission to consider. An open call for participants from the MA side, highly problematic and would stack the deck with special interests leanings toward support of the MA agenda. I'm still puzzled AFCVision would not see that when they again crossed into the MA process. Our group wholeheartedly supports Commissioners Lees outline going forward as he presented last evening. For what its worth, I have tried to pen how I see a clean committee could be formed, that would resonate with our 6200 citizens. To do an open call, we would oppose that openly. The process that AFCVision used for the AFCVision steering committee best to not repeat in our view, it resulted in 3 voting members who were tight to Snowbird. One who has a great deal of money for the 1% and who has given little consideration to the 99%.

Must watch videos to see the scope of what our group has brought to light.. how would this encumber Utah County tax payers?

Bob Bonar - I won't postpone the vote. <a href="https://youtu.be/O3vi9e434Z4">https://youtu.be/O3vi9e434Z4</a> Snowbirds plans include Gondola, Housing etc. <a href="https://youtu.be/2gqNsGCyAV8">https://youtu.be/2gqNsGCyAV8</a>

What initated our concerns re; lack of transparency. I still don't know who "we" is, as Mayor Gygi alludes to in the pitch for \$500k. I've not yet met another mayor who had any idea of what transpired and what resulted in \$100k of tax dollars to seat the CEO of Snowbird on a steering committee to decide the fate of AFCanyon.

http://americanforkcanyon.com/watch-video-2/500k-pitch-american-fork-gondola-eis-study-mayor-gygi-representative-kennedy/

Our suggestion for a vetted committee
<a href="http://americanforkcanyon.com/legal/creating-a-steering-committee-vetted/">http://americanforkcanyon.com/legal/creating-a-steering-committee-vetted/</a>

AFCVision narrative- never including Snowbird and the proposed land swap, that should change going forward, and Shawn was good enough to attend our meeting last night, and those elements were mentioned briefly. Many commented last night that this land swap snuck up on them and via the efforts of our group it was made known.

I will say, there are men who are stepping forward to lead their communities to protect our borders, namely Commissioner Bill Lee has made tremendous progress, Commissioner Ellertson left me a message last night just before our meeting in American Fork. [We had a very positive meeting last night sponsored by our group about 300 turned out. Commissioner Bill Lee can bring you up to speed.]

As a side note specific to Commissioner Ellertson, our group raised \$3600 in a 24 hour period so that we can return those funds to Bob Bonar via a charitable contribution in Larry and Bob Bonars name. The public perception is being cleaned up. MAG has done nothing to help clean up public perception. so to suggest we are working against you is not correct. We are a watchdog group and active in helping advance protections. We have felt resistance from Mayor Gygi, and AFCVision. Those relationships need to be looked at from an outside clean perspective going forward.

Commissioner Lee can update you as to the progress made last night. Many elected officials are now working towards crafting resolutions that will allow them to align behind the Commissioners- So to suggest I am working against anything is myopic. We hope that you will lend your full support as we align behind the common purpose of establishing a clean vetted process.

Its been very eye opening how the AFCVision executive committee has been so very imbalanced, not open, no meeting notes, no video taping, no public invitations to meetings. The most recent with a quorum of commissioners at Cedar Hills meeting this past without any public notice. Our public, again, not being invited to participate. We were alerted to the process and attended and taped the meeting.

Our group appreciates those who have championed strong borders, and an open and transparent process and strong resolutions. Perhaps at the end of the day, Snowbird will have a Gondola and 150 multi-millioon dollar homes on Miller Hill, and our 1.2 million visitors will have been impacted by the 1%, but at least now, the commission, and mayors- have one shot at getting this right. That's what I have been doing. I hope that you will align behind Commissioner Bill Lee and Commissioner Larry Ellertson as this moves forth. We hope that language in the resolution will be sharp, strong and enforceable. We will support our elected leaders when the represent the voices of the people, as that is our duty and obligation, one we take seriously and our track record shows such.

- 1. What have the Commissioners done in support of Protect and Preserve American Fork Canyon?
- 2. What has MAG done to support our outreach efforts?
- 3. What has MAG done to inform the public? When Shawn was on the Doug Wright show a few weeks ago, it was a perfect scenario to talk about a land swap that was moving like a locomotive at Utah County.. nothing was said on-air. Those things make us wonder whose side MAG is on, and whose side AFCVision is on.

I welcome comments from those who might see we have added value to the process. I pledge my full support for the plans Commissioner Lee is pursuing and hope that together we can do great things. We look forward to a strong resolution, to continuing our outreach efforts, to growing our support for a clean process, open process. I have accomplished all I intended to do in 6 weeks. There is more to be done, and we are now adding outside the box thinking to potential solutions for consideration. Here is one that was submitted that I will link to for some thought.

http://americanforkcanyon.com/propose-a-solution/federalizing-utahs-canyons-and-water-beckerobama-dream-af-canyon-gift-away/

Kind regards,

Mark Allen
Co-Founder Protect and Preserve American Fork Canyon

P.S. if elected officials want to build up some positive public relations. Show up for the "selfie" campaign we are launching today just outside your administration offices at the Freedom Festival. We will have a booth there for the next 3 days, high traffic. Stop over and get to know the concerns of the citizens, and make yourselves known. That would be a great PR move for all the commissioners and elected officials.

On Thu, Jul 2, 2015 at 7:17 AM, Greg Graves < gregg@utahcounty.gov > wrote:

Mark,

I am a little concerned with this email. First, if we are trying to work together in Utah County to make sure that only we in Utah County decide our issues, then why would you try and work against us as we are working together in a common purpose. Also, just cause you registered a business name does not mean you own it if you took it from an established group. That would be like me buying Disney anything in Utah and telling them they cannot use it. Untrue. There is actual recorded minutes and agenda's stating the use and creation of AFC Vision a few months ago as we attempted to get ahead of this issue. I also received business cards and saw a created page many days before you registered with as a business with our name.

So, I am simply requesting to you that you stop fighting with the same people that are trying to help! You and Brad have had conversations with me and have stated publicly that you would like unity from the commission and community on this issue. (MAG works for us. They take orders from the commissioners and mayors. They are not they enemy in any way.) Does this email and your attempts to stop our attempt to plan on the Utah County side of this promote the unity that you are suggesting? I am asking you to keep in this in mind. You may not agree, but we really are all on the same side and want the same thing. I believe that is to not let anyone outside of our county dictate what WE in this county do at this point or any other point in the future. That's what we are working on. Just because the commissioners may all go about this differently publicly or privately, I can assure you that we are all united in that very common goal! I know we have all stated that.

Thanks,

Greg

On Jul 1, 2015, at 10:15 AM, <a in a square of the square

Dear Mark

Thank you for your time and comments.

### Andrew

Sent from my Verizon Wireless BlackBerry

From: mark allen <markstewartallen@gmail.com>

Date: Wed, 1 Jul 2015 09:36:05 -0600

To: Andrew Jackson<ajackson@mountainland.org>; Bill

Lee<williaml@utahcounty.gov>; Brad Frost<Bradfrostaf@gmail.com>

Cc: Shawn Seager <a href="mailto:sseager@mountainland.org">sseager@mountainland.org</a>

Subject: Re: Task Force- Protect and Preserve American Fork Canyon 6000 members

strong suggests..

Andrew,

Andrew K Jackson, AICP CTP

**Executive Director** 

Mountainland Association of Governments.

Just a side note. The other night I spent \$44 to register the names AFCVision and American Fork Canyon Vision on the Utah State business website.

I don't authorize MAG to use my Utah registered business names at this point in time. Please give consideration to this.

Any use of these business names to solicit members for a steering committee I do not approve of.

I would ask that you remove all reference to AFCVision from the Mountain Accord website.

Thank you.

Mark

On Tue, Jun 30, 2015 at 8:01 PM, <ajackson@mountainland.org> wrote: Hi Mark

I do appreciate your suggestions. Please realize, like any business or agency, we respond to our board of directors which is all of the mayors and three county commissioners/council members from Summit, Utah and Wasatch Counties. They set our budget and direct staff participation through our annual work program.

With all due respect, it is our board who directs staff participation (including Shawn Seager). While we try our best to accommodate public comments and suggestions, ultimately it is our board of directors who decides what we do. I am sure you are aware we live in a republic and we need to follow those who are elected to represent the people.

Thank you for your time and suggestions.

Andrew K Jackson, AICP CTP **Executive Director** Mountainland Association of Governments. Sent from my Verizon Wireless BlackBerry ----Original Message----

From: Shawn Seager < sseager@mountainland.org>

Date: Tue, 30 Jun 2015 18:32:48

To: mark allen<markstewartallen@gmail.com>; Shawn

Seager<sseager@mountainland.org>; cc: To: Commissioner Larry

Ellertson<larrye@utahcounty.gov>; Greg Graves<gregg@utahcounty.gov>; Bill

Lee<williaml@utahcounty.gov>; Gary Gygi<ggygi@cedarhills.org>; Don

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ANDREW JACKSON < AJACKSON @mountainland.org >; Willie

Holdman<willie.holdman@gmail.com>; Marlin Sharp<jeeprassic@gmail.com>

Subject: Re: Task Force- Protect and Preserve American Fork Canyon 6000

members strong suggests..

Mark, How can you ask me for a clean break and invite me to the next event (tomorrow) in the same email?

That does not compute in my tired brain.

I understand the Utah County Mayors and Commissioners would pick the names from the ones submitted to my mail address as I work for all of them. They are my board of directors that I meet with twice a month.

#### Shawn

On Tue, Jun 30, 2015 at 6:25 PM, Mark Allen <markstewartallen@gmail.com>

- > Shawn Bill Lee was going to ask for your participating tomorrow evening. Hope you will join us. Collecting names from Mountain accord website is overreach for MA. I suggest a clean break. Let the mayors pick.
- > Sent via BlackBerry from T-Mobile

- > -----Original Message-----
- > From: Shawn Seager <sseager@mountainland.org>
- > Date: Tue, 30 Jun 2015 18:18:32
- > To: mark allen<markstewartallen@gmail.com>
- > Cc: To: Commissioner Larry Ellertson<<u>larrye@utahcounty.gov</u>>; Greg

Graves<gregg@utahcounty.gov>; Bill Lee<williaml@utahcounty.gov>; Gary

Gygi<ggygi@cedarhills.org>; Don Watkins<adwatkins@alpinecity.org>; J. H.

Hadfield<mayor@afcity.net>; Jeff Acerson<acerson@rocketmail.com>; Mike

Daniels<mayor@pgcity.org>; Steve Farrell<sfarrell@co.wasatch.ut.us>; Mike

Kennedy<mikekennedy@le.utah.gov>; Mike Davis<mdavis@wasatch.utah.gov>;

Garrett, Wade<Wade.Garrett@mail.house.gov>; Brad

Frost<Bradfrostaf@gmail.com>: ANDREW

JACKSON<AJACKSON@mountainland.org>; Willie

Holdman<br/>
willie.holdman@gmail.com>; Marlin Sharp<jeeprassic@gmail.com>

> Subject: Re: Task Force- Protect and Preserve American Fork Canyon 6000

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> members strong suggests..
> Hi Mark and others.
> Mountain Accord did coordinate with Commissioner Graves on the press
> release. I understood the commissioner was happy with its content so I
> allowed it to use my email to collect the names of interested parties.
> I now understand that my name may have AFCVision baggage attached to
> and would be happy to step back at anytime.
> Utah County is in total control of the Task Force. I can't help but
> think this is a positive step in the direction that you wanted.
> Good night everyone, Time to walk the dogs to the river.
> Sincerely, Shawn
> On Tue, Jun 30, 2015 at 5:16 PM, mark allen <markstewartallen@gmail.com>
wrote:
>> Shawn,
>> Commissioner Lee is supportive of a Utah County task force with no ties to
>> Mountain Accord, that was voiced multiple times yesterday. Mayor Gygi tried
>> multiple times to get us to join Mountain Accord process, In our view, that
>> would be highly problematic. Our group suggests a total clean break. That
>> is where I thought we left it. Mayor Hadfield and Mayor Watkins I believe
>> should suggest how they see it.
>> Communications and press releases from MA about our backyard, best to let
>> alone. IF and when our elected officials want to issue a press release...
>> perhaps more appropriate in my humble opinion.
>>
>> I will let our county commissioners decide. I won't send out any press
>> releases to muddy the water. This pattern of Mountain Accord not listening
>> or adjusting things to their control really is out of hand.
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>> Mark
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>> On Tue, Jun 30, 2015 at 4:02 PM, Shawn Seager <sseager@mountainland.org>
>> wrote:
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>>> Mark, Thank for the Ideas and sorry for any additional confusion on this
>>> complex issue.
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>>> As you know I work for the Mayors and County Commissioners in Utah County
>>> on this issue. I will follow their direction and assignment on this and have
>>> offered to collect names for the Utah County Task Force. I was told that the
>>> meeting went well yesterday at MA as I could not attend but I believe
>>> Commissioner Lee and Mayor Gygi did speak in favor of the Task Force.
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>>> If either of them want me to stop communicating with the MA team I am
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>>> happy to do so.
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>>> Sincerely, Shawn
>>> On Tue, Jun 30, 2015 at 3:14 PM, mark allen < markstewartallen@gmail.com>
>>> wrote:
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>>>> Shawn,
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>>>> I am concerned that the press release that is going out will only muddy
>>>> the waters. We desire a clean break from Mountain Accord. Commissioner Lee
>>>> was so very clear about this in the AFCVision meeting. Commissioner
>>>> Ellertson has said the same thing. Mayor Hadfield and Mayor Watkins as well.
>>>> This press release is not representative of what Utah County asked for.
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>>>> Simply put:
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>>>> Mountain Accord can do their thing in SLC.
>>>> We will do our thing in Utah County using the State Auditor to make sure
>>>> its clean, vetted.
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>>>> After we have had our processes, perhaps Utah County can then negotiate
>>>> with Snowbird and involve Mountain Accord, but it will be on our timeframe
>>>> after there is time to gather information. Not a rushed wedding.
>>>>
>>>> That is how we see it should happen. Our processes need to be void of
>>>> special interest groups and void of Snowbirds money. The MA press release
>>>> looks to be an open call for special interest groups to start lining up, not
>>>> really the ideal way to do things in my view.
>>>>
>>>> Yesterday morning Commissioner Lee has made it very clear that Utah
>>>> County will create its own task force. This was restated in the meeting
>>>> several times. Our group of 6000 from Protect and Preserve American Fork
>>>> Canyon, clearly saw conflict on the existing steering committee yesterday,
>>>> and we would like Commissioner Bill Lee to take the lead with the State
>>>> Auditor to clean this up. I believe Commissioner Ellertson would support
>>>> Commissioner Lee taking the lead on this, Commissioner Lee is who we would
>>>> like to see lead out. Commissioner Ellertson and Commissioner Graves were
>>>> unavailable to participate in our meeting tomorrow night, Commissioner Lee
>>>> adjusted his schedule to accommodate.
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>>>> It is so readily apparent that there needs to be a divorce from Mountain
>>>> Accord efforts to wed us. Again, this press release is Mountain Accord
>>>> trying to force a marriage, we don't even want to date. In my view, another
>>>> red flag. Utah County Commissioners should be making the press release.
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>>>> What has been proposed as to the creation of a balanced and fair task
>>> force board, and which I would suggest our Commissioner Lee take the lead
>>> on, with help from State Auditor Dougal and Councilman Brad Frost, perhaps
>>>> as early as tomorrow night at American Fork High School, 6pm-10pm we
could
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>>>> engage this rather than have MA try and dictate that we are doing it their
>>>> way.
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>>>> Talking point.. What might a steering committee process look like?
>>>> Each Mayor in the county has a seat / vote on the steering committee.
>>>> They are all equal. This can help unify mayors that don't know each other.
>>>> Provo Mayor and Goshen Mayor have same 1 vote.
>>>> They come together and sign make full disclosure if they have had
>>>> contributions or gifts from Snowbird. If they want to recuse themselves they
>>>> can. Those who make disclosure, the other members of the committee can
allow
>>>> them to stay in, or ask that they remove themselves and then a city council
>>>> would appoint / vote someone to represent their city.
>>>> After this, the mayors would nominate business leaders to participate-
>>> one per one.. so, now there is balance there. They too would be vetted -
>>>> perhaps against a standard you design.
>>>> After which, nominations from the public would be taken in a public
>>>> meeting and the business community and mayors could affirm or reject the
>>> potential citizens. Hopeful that there would be a water master, a housewife,
>>>> a horseman, a plumber, a teacher, a farmer, a widow, etc.. very broad cross
>>> section which could include representation from motorized, backcountry
>>>> groups.
>>>> Perhaps the citizens give a two minute speech why they would participate.
>>>> After which, they are vetted then there would be a balanced group from
>>>> which valuable progress forward could be made.
>>>> After formation of the committees, a charter is established, rules,
>>>> fundraising figured out and accountability is determined, then the process
>>>> can move forward.
>>>> I would suggest we follow the plan Commissioner Lee has mentioned before,
>>>> to do it the Utah County way, not the Mountain Accord way.
>>>> Please join with us for a open public meeting.
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>>>> American Fork High School
>>>> Tomorrow evening
>>>> Wed July1st 2015
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>>>> 510 North Caveman Blvd,
>>>> American Fork, UT 84003
>>>> July 1st from 6-10 pm.
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>>>> Utah State Auditor- John Dougall
>>>> Utah County Commissioner Bill Lee
>>>> All elected mayors and city councils strongly encouraged to attend.
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>>>> Mark Allen
>>>> co-founder Protect and Preserve American Fork Canyon
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### Larry Ellertson - american Fork Canyon

From:

Wendy Ulrich <wulrich@rbl.net>
"dwhittekiend@fs.fed.us" <dwhittekiend@fs.fed.us> To:

Date: 7/8/2015 1:15 PM american Fork Canyon Subject:

"gregg@utahcounty.gov" <gregg@utahcounty.gov>, "williaml@utahcounty.gov"... CC:

Thank you for your thoughtful oversight of the American Fork Canyon forest lands. I am among many who do not want to see this beautiful canyon compromised. Please keep Utah County out of the Mountain Accord agreements. There are many places for commercial development in Utah County, but this beautiful canyon should not be one of them.

Wendy Ulrich Alpine City resident wulrich@rbl.net

### Larry Ellertson - American Fork Canyon

From: Wendy Hickman < wendyhickman@gmail.com>

To: <dwhittekiend@fs.fed.us>, <gregg@utahcounty.gov>, <williaml@utahcounty.g...

Date: 7/8/2015 1:33 PM Subject: American Fork Canyon

I am just writing as a concerned citizen and user of American Fork Canyon. We love the canyon and want to see it continue to be a non-commercialized haven for this community.

I would like to see the Utah County lands be dropped from the Mountain Accord proposal. In my opinion, Utah County should be the ones making decisions for Utah County lands.

Please don't be swayed by development and dollars.

Thank you, Wendy Hickman American Fork

### Larry Ellertson - Looking forward:

From:

To:

mark allen <markstewartallen@gmail.com> David Whittekiend <a href="mailto:dwhittekiend@fs.fed.us">dwhittekiend@fs.fed.us</a>

Date: Subject: 7/8/2015 1:36 PM Looking forward:

CC:

Brad Frost <Bradfrostaf@gmail.com>, Bill Lee <williaml@utahcounty.gov>, ...

**Attachments:** Trust levels of elected officials grapic view.pdf; Resolution A or B text responses.pdf;

Commission Resolutions Graphic Data.pdf; Trust level of elected officials text

view.pdf; Graveyard Flat YSA Project copy2.pdf

### Dear Dave,

I wanted to send you a short email prefaced as co-Founder of Protect and Preserve American Fork Canyon. You will note our group is now nearly 7500 households, grass roots citizens, professionals, mothers, fathers, hikers, bikers, horseback riders, motorized and non-motorized users of American Fork Canyon.

I strongly urge you to use any and all measures of influence to have Mountain Accord remove references to the 416 acres in Utah County from any drafts or proposals forward, until Utah County elected officials have been able to go through a democratic process here in Utah County. Any inclusion of Utah County lands into a NEPA study at this time, would only add fuel to the fire and become problematic.

Attached you will find about public comments that I would ask you add to the public record re: Protections of American Fork Canyon.

At the end of a democratic and open process in Utah County, and after elected officials and other stakeholders can determine the cost / benefit to a potential land swap and or other options available to the 99%, it would be problematic to afford the 1% to leverage a land swap at the expense of the 99%. At the end of the day, perhaps Snowbird will expand and will have negotiated with the Utah County steering committee, but any efforts on the part of the Forest Service or Mountain Accord participants to expedite on their time frame, while robbing us of due process, is highly discouraged. Please stand with us in protecting these lands for the 99% as we look forward. Please do not include 416 acres in Utah County in any recommendations you make until Utah County has had a voice in the process and citizens are fully engaged. Our group looks forward to working with the Forest Service in projects in the canyon. Its my understanding that Snowbird pays about \$309k yr. to the Forest Service / skier tax of some sort... I am not sure what the fees collected are in American Fork Canvon but would surmise that its probably about the same amount - the citizens of Utah County as well as elected officials have had to take a surprising stand to get forces north of us to allow due process. It is my hope that you will reign the wild horses in and afford our processes to take place. Anything less than that, would be beneath the dignity of any elected official or representative of the Federal Government.

With consideration,

Mark Allen

Co-Founder Protect and Preserve American Fork Canyon

attachments

Service project this weekend by 4x4 club

Survey results comments from citizens about canyon preservation and protection suggestions.

Links

**Utah County Commission Resolution** 

http://americanforkcanyon.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/07/07-07-2015-Mountain-Accord-Resolution.pdf

American Fork City Resolution

http://americanforkcanyon.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/06/2015-06-17R-Environmental-Stewardship-of-AF-Canyon.pdf

Alpine, Highland, Lehi, Lindon seem to be working on resolutions as well. I will update you as versions pass.

Cedar Hills passed a resolution last evening, a hybrid of these two links below.

http://americanforkcanyon.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/07/Cedar-Hills-Environmental-Stewardship-of-AF-Canyon-Final1.pdf

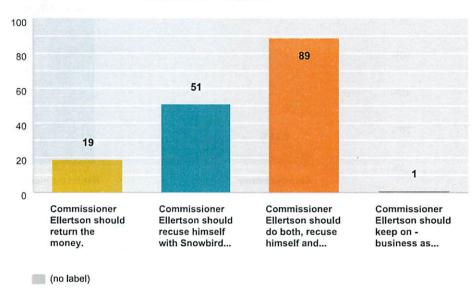
http://cedarhillsblog.org/american-fork-canyon-resolution/

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### Q1 Snowbird's CEO Bob Bonar gave Commissioner Ellertson \$3500 in 2012. Now Snowbird wants to negotiate with our county.

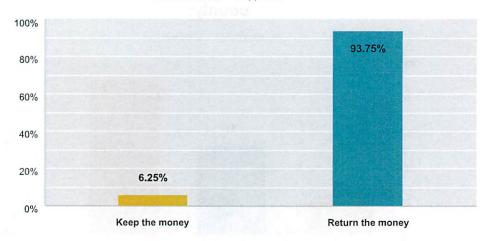




	(no label)	Total
Commissioner Ellertson should return the money.	<b>100.00%</b> 19	19
Commissioner Ellertson should recuse himself with Snowbird or AF Canyon negotiations	<b>100.00%</b> 51	51
Commissioner Ellertson should do both, recuse himself and return the money.	<b>100.00%</b> 89	89
Commissioner Ellertson should keep on - business as usual. Its not a big deal.	<b>100.00%</b>	1

## Q2 AFCVision received \$50k from Snowbird they should

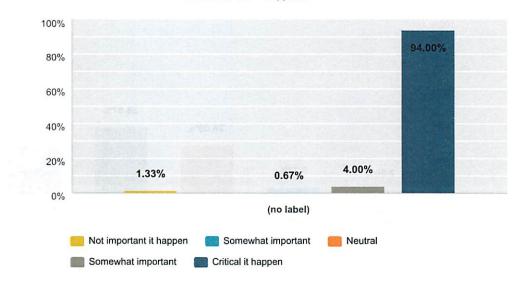




Answer Choices	Responses	
Keep the money	6.25%	9
Return the money	93.75%	135
Total		144

# Q3 How important is it to you that elected officials disclose any conflicts of interest specific to Snowbird

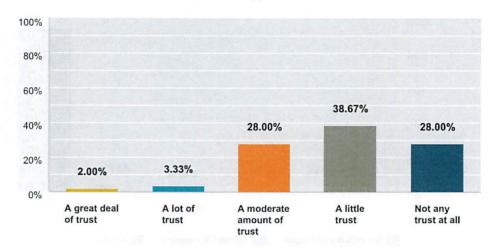




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(no	1.33%	0.00%	0.67%	4.00%	94.00%		
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# Q4 How much trust do you have in elected county commissioners ability to make the right decisions?

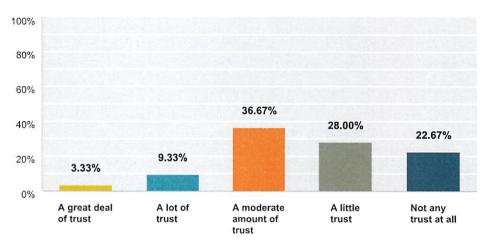
Answered: 150 Skipped: 0



swer Choices	Responses	
A great deal of trust	2.00%	3
A lot of trust	3.33%	5
A moderate amount of trust	28.00%	42
A little trust	38.67%	58
Not any trust at all	28.00%	42
al Control of the Con		150

## Q5 How much trust do you have in elected mayor ability to make the right decisions?





swer Choices	Responses	
A great deal of trust	3.33%	5
A lot of trust	9.33%	14
A moderate amount of trust	36.67%	55
A little trust	28.00%	42
Not any trust at all	22.67%	34
al Control of the Con		150

### Q6 In what city do you live?

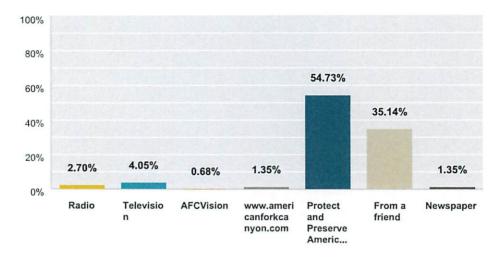
Answered: 143 Skipped: 7

## Q7 What would you like to see happen as the processes move forward?

Answered: 121 Skipped: 29

# Q8 How did you first hear of Snowbirds plans to expand into American Fork Canyon?

Answered: 148 Skipped: 2



swer Choices	Responses	
Radio	2.70%	4
Television	4.05%	6
AFCVision	0.68%	
www.americanforkcanyon.com	1.35%	2
Protect and Preserve American Fork Canyon on FB	54.73%	8
From a friend	35.14%	52
Newspaper	1.35%	2
tal		148

### Q9 What are the challenges facing American Fork Canyon that you would like to see addressed?

Answered: 99 Skipped: 51

# Q10 Is expanding parking at Tibble Fork a good thing or a bad thing? How many vehicles should be limited in that area?

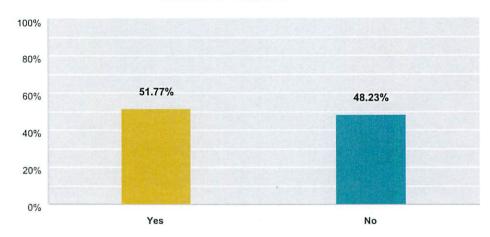
Answered: 116 Skipped: 34

## Q11 Do you have any other comments, questions, or concerns?

Answered: 61 Skipped: 89

### Q12 Will you be attending July 1st 6pm-10pm Public Meeting at American Fork High School with Comissioner Bill Lee and State Auditor John Dougal??





Answer Choices	Responses	
Yes	51.77%	73
No	48.23%	68
Total		141



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PAGE 1: Do you support draft Resolution A or draft Resolution B?

Q1: Which Resolution would you prefer to see the Commissioners pass on Tuesday July 7th 2015? Do you have things that you would like to see modified in either draft?

Resolution A is the best choice

Q2: I believe Resolution A is the better choice.

(no label)

Strongly Agree

Q3: I believe Resolution B is the better choice.

(no label)

Strongly Disagree

Q4: Which Commissioner do you think best represents the concerns of the citizens to help protect American Fork Canyon?

They all should be United in purpose

Q5: How well they understand the concerns of the citizens to help protect American Fork Canyon?

Commissioner Bill Lee

Neutral

Commissioner Greg Graves

Neutral

Commissioner Larry Ellertson

Neutral

Q6: What is your level of confidence in the Commissioner to help protect American Fork Canyon?

Commissioner Bill Lee

Neutral

Commissioner Greg Graves

Neutral

Commissioner Larry Ellertson

Neutral

Q7: The creation of the steering committee should be created in the following manner ...

Grass roots citizens groups invite trusted elected officials and then business leaders to participate on the steering committee. Citizens votes are equal to elected officials and business leaders. But the selection process begins with grass roots organizations.

Q8: Should groups who were on the Mountain Accord steering committee also be allowed on the Utah County steering committee? Save Our Canyons, Snowbird, Forest Service, UTA, UDOT etc.

Not sure.

Concerns? Please share here. Unsure. Will they just push the agenda they already came up with and not be able to see the needs of AF canyon clearly?

Q9: What groups should be represented on the steering committee?

Respondent skipped this question

Q10: Is there any representation on the steering committee that you would suggest recuse themselves? and if so, why?

any that cannot see past their own agendas..and...exclude developers!!!!!

Q11: What cities should be represented on the steering committee?

Respondent skipped this question

Q12: Are there any groups not represented who you think really should be on the steering committee?

Get Robert Redford in there...you need his voice

Q13: Are there any elected officials who you think should not be on the steering committee? gary herbert. Love the guy, but he wants to develop the heck out of everything.

Q14: What would you like to see Protect and Preserve American Fork Canyon do from here on out? be included on all decisions regarding AF canyon. Protect for future generations. Environment should be too priority.

Q15: What did we miss / what can we do better?

Respondent skipped this question

Q16: Did you attend the Fox Hollow public meeting with Bob Bonar, Commissioner Bill Lee and AF Councilman Brad Frost

Respondent skipped this question

Q17: Did you attend the American Fork public meeting July 1st with Commissioner Bill Lee and AF Councilman Brad Frost

Respondent skipped this question



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PAGE 1: Do you support draft Resolution A or draft Resolution B?

Q1: Which Resolution would you prefer to see the Commissioners pass on Tuesday July 7th 2015? Do you have things that you would like to see modified in either draft?

Resolution A is the best choice

Q2: I believe Resolution A is the better choice.

(no label)

Strongly Agree

Q3: I believe Resolution B is the better choice.

(no label)

Strongly Disagree

Q4: Which Commissioner do you think best represents the concerns of the citizens to help protect American Fork Canyon?

Commissioner Bill Lee

Q5: How well they understand the concerns of the citizens to help protect American Fork Canyon?

Commissioner Bill Lee

Fully understands

Commissioner Greg Graves

Neutral

Commissioner Larry Ellertson

Somewhat clueless

Q6: What is your level of confidence in the Commissioner to help protect American Fork Canyon?

Commissioner Bill Lee

Completely confident

Commissioner Greg Graves

Somewhat worried

Commissioner Larry Ellertson

Somewhat worried

Q7: The creation	of the steering committee should
be created in the	following manner

Grass roots citizens groups invite trusted elected officials and then business leaders to participate on the steering committee. Citizens votes are equal to elected officials and business leaders. But the selection process begins with grass roots organizations.

I would suggest the following modification to the choices given.
Involve youth and also old timers.

Q8: Should groups who were on the Mountain Accord steering committee also be allowed on the Utah County steering committee? Save Our Canyons, Snowbird, Forest Service, UTA, UDOT etc.

No,

Concerns? Please share here. They could act as an advisory board, but not a voting member.

Q9: What groups should be represented on the steering committee?

Sundance Resort, Utah Elected Officials,

Timpanogos Cave National Monument,

Central Utah Water Conservancy District,

Utah County, Wasatch County,

Wasatch County State Park,

Protect and Preserve American Fork Canyon

## Q10: Is there any representation on the steering committee that you would suggest recuse themselves? and if so, why?

Mayor Gygi- Cedar Hills Bob Bonar- Snowbird

They didn't disclose their social ties and have conflicts at multiple levels.

Bob Bonar has paid Ben McAdams and Commissioner Ellertson. I have deep concerns and wonder how many others were paid before this happened.

## Q11: What cities should be represented on the steering committee?

Alpine, American Fork, Cedar Hills, Lehi,

Orem, Provo, Saratoga Springs,

Silver Lake Home Owners / Tibble Fork Home Owners

Highland, Eagle Mountain, Pleasant Grove,

Lindon

Q12: Are there any groups not represented who you think really should be on the steering committee?

Youth and elderly

Q13: Are there any elected officials who you think should not be on the steering committee?

Mayor Gygi

Q14: What would you like to see Protect and Preserve American Fork Canyon do from here on out?

Service projects in the canyon.

Outreach to help minority groups, ie, single parents be able to enjoy the canyon. Free passes to the less fortunate.

Q15: What did we miss / what can we do better?

You all rock.

Q16: Did you attend the Fox Hollow public meeting with Bob Bonar, Commissioner Bill Lee and AF Councilman Brad Frost

Respondent skipped this question

Q17: Did you attend the American Fork public meeting July 1st with Commissioner Bill Lee and AF Councilman Brad Frost

Respondent skipped this question



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### PAGE 1: Do you support draft Resolution A or draft Resolution B?

Q1: Which Resolution would you prefer to see the Commissioners pass on Tuesday July 7th 2015? Do you have things that you would like to see modified in either draft?

I would like to see changes made, including: Be nice to include more on the steering committees. How they will be formed.

Q2: I believe Resolution A is the better choice.

(no label)

Strongly Agree

Q3: I believe Resolution B is the better choice.

(no label)

Disagree

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Commissioner Bill Lee

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Fully understands

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Somewhat understands

Commissioner Larry Ellertson

Neutral

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Commissioner Larry Ellertson

Somewhat worried

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Q8: Should groups who were on the Mountain Accord steering committee also be allowed on the Utah County steering committee? Save Our Canyons, Snowbird, Forest Service, UTA, UDOT etc.	Not sure,  Concerns? Please share here.  Forest service yes, others no.
Q9: What groups should be represented on the steering committee?	Sundance Resort, Timpanogos Cave National Monument, U.S. Forest Service, Central Utah Water Conservancy District, Utah County, Others? different user groups
Q10: Is there any representation on the steering committee that you would suggest recuse themselves? and if so, why?	Respondent skipped this question
Q11: What cities should be represented on the steering committee?	Alpine, American Fork, Cedar Hills, Lehi, Orem, Saratoga Springs, Highland, Pleasant Grove, Draper
Q12: Are there any groups not represented who you think really should be on the steering committee?	Respondent skipped this question
Q13: Are there any elected officials who you think should not be on the steering committee?	Respondent skipped this question
Q14: What would you like to see Protect and Preserve continue to voice and act on the voice of the people.	e American Fork Canyon do from here on out?
Q15: What did we miss / what can we do better?	Respondent skipped this question
Q16: Did you attend the Fox Hollow public meeting with Bob Bonar, Commissioner Bill Lee and AF Councilman Brad Frost	Yes, What were your impressions? Bonar wants to develop AF canyon. Others
Q17: Did you attend the American Fork public meeting July 1st with Commissioner Bill Lee and AF Councilman Brad Frost	Yes, What were your impressions from the meeting? bill lee brad frost are for doing the people's will



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PAGE 1: Do you support draft Resolution A or draft Resolution B?

Q1: Which Resolution would you prefer to see the Commissioners pass on Tuesday July 7th 2015? Do you have things that you would like to see modified in either draft?

Resolution A is the best choice

Q2: I believe Resolution A is the better choice.

(no label) Strongly Agree

Q3: I believe Resolution B is the better choice.

(no label) Strongly Disagree

Q4: Which Commissioner do you think best represents the concerns of the citizens to help protect American Fork Canyon?

Commissioner Bill Lee

Q5: How well they understand the concerns of the citizens to help protect American Fork Canyon?

Commissioner Bill Lee Fully understands

Commissioner Greg Graves Fully understands

Commissioner Larry Ellertson Totally clueless

Q6: What is your level of confidence in the Commissioner to help protect American Fork Canyon?

Commissioner Bill Lee Completely confident

Commissioner Greg Graves Completely confident

Commissioner Larry Ellertson Totally worried

Q7: The creation of the steering committee should be created in the following manner ...

Grass roots citizens groups invite trusted elected officials and then business leaders to participate on the steering committee. Citizens votes are equal to elected officials and business leaders. But the selection process begins with grass roots organizations.

Q8: Should groups who were on the Mountain Accord steering committee also be allowed on the Utah County steering committee? Save Our Canyons, Snowbird, Forest Service, UTA, UDOT etc.	Not sure,  Concerns? Please share here. I think Save our Canyons should be there. Forest Service should be there.	
Q9: What groups should be represented on the steering committee?	Save Our Canyons, Sundance Resort, Utah Elected Officials, Timpanogos Cave National Monument, U.S. Forest Service, Central Utah Water Conservancy District, Utah County, Protect and Preserve American Fork Canyon	
Q10: Is there any representation on the steering committee that you would suggest recuse themselves? and if so, why?	Respondent skipped this question	
Q11: What cities should be represented on the steering committee?	Alpine, American Fork, Cedar Hills, Lehi, Orem, Provo, Silver Lake Home Owners / Tibble Fork Home Owners , Highland, Pleasant Grove, Lindon	
Q12: Are there any groups not represented who you think really should be on the steering committee?	Respondent skipped this question	
Q13: Are there any elected officials who you think should not be on the steering committee?	Respondent skipped this question	
Q14: What would you like to see Protect and Preserve American Fork Canyon do from here on out?  Keep the information coming. Continue to lead and participate. Keep our Mayors informed.		
Q15: What did we miss / what can we do better?	Respondent skipped this question	
Q16: Did you attend the Fox Hollow public meeting with Bob Bonar, Commissioner Bill Lee and AF Councilman Brad Frost	No, What were your impressions? I followed it closely. I am pleased Bill Lee and Brad Frost were there and it appears Utah County may get a voice. But not without continued	

pressure.

Q17: Did you attend the American Fork public meeting July 1st with Commissioner Bill Lee and AF Councilman Brad Frost

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PAGE 1: Do you support draft Resolution A or draft Resolution B?

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Resolution A is the best choice

Q2: I believe Resolution A is the better choice.

(no label)

Strongly Agree

Q3: I believe Resolution B is the better choice.

(no label)

Disagree

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Commissioner Bill Lee,

They all should be United in purpose

Q5: How well they understand the concerns of the citizens to help protect American Fork Canyon?

Commissioner Bill Lee

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Commissioner Greg Graves

Neutral

Commissioner Larry Ellertson

Somewhat clueless

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Completely confident

Commissioner Greg Graves

Somewhat worried

Commissioner Larry Ellertson

Totally worried

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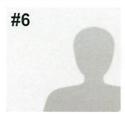
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Q9: What groups should be represented on the steering committee?	Save Our Canyons, Utah Elected Officials,
steering committee:	Timpanogos Cave National Monument,
	U.S. Forest Service,
	Central Utah Water Conservancy District,
	Utah County, Utah Transit Authority,
	Wasatch County, Wasatch County State Park,
	Protect and Preserve American Fork Canyon,
	UDOT - Utah Department of Transportation
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I would like to see changes made, including: Q1: Which Resolution would you prefer to see the It's gOod Commissioners pass on Tuesday July 7th 2015? Do you have things that you would like to see modified in either draft? Q2: I believe Resolution A is the better choice. (no label) Strongly Agree Q3: I believe Resolution B is the better choice. (no label) Strongly Disagree Commissioner Bill Lee Q4: Which Commissioner do you think best represents the concerns of the citizens to help protect American Fork Canyon? Q5: How well they understand the concerns of the citizens to help protect American Fork Canyon? Commissioner Bill Lee Somewhat understands Commissioner Greg Graves Neutral Commissioner Larry Ellertson Somewhat clueless Q6: What is your level of confidence in the Commissioner to help protect American Fork Canyon? Commissioner Bill Lee Completely confident Commissioner Greg Graves Somewhat worried Commissioner Larry Ellertson Somewhat worried Grass roots citizens groups invite trusted elected Q7: The creation of the steering committee should officials and then business leaders to participate be created in the following manner ... on the steering committee. Citizens votes are equal to elected officials and business leaders. But the selection process begins with grass roots organizations.

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Q11: What cities should be represented on the steering committee?	Alpine, American Fork, Cedar Hills, Lehi, Orem, Provo, Saratoga Springs, Silver Lake Home Owners / Tibble Fork Home Owners  Highland, Eagle Mountain, Pleasant Grove, Payson, Genola, Salem, Santaquin, Elk Ridge, Woodland Hills, Springville, Spanish Fork  Draper, Lindon
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