

Statement from the Davis County Commission – Davis Park Golf Course

Davis County has received multiple inquiries regarding a recently circulated General Plan for the city of Fruit Heights. This plan includes alternative uses for many areas of the city for undeveloped and developed land including land owned by private citizens, business and government, including Davis County owned land such as Davis Park Golf Course.

Cities are required by state law to have a General Plan that includes planning for all areas of their city (Utah Code §10-20-401). These plans are intended to provide a vision of many different scenarios to help guide future planning regarding infrastructure, zoning, budgeting and other activities.

However, this is not a proposal for any land purchases, rezoning or development. These plans do not grant any authority to cities to require the sale or development of any land to enact these general plans.

In response to the many inquiries Davis County Commission provides the following clarifications:

- City general plans are developed by the municipalities. It is the municipality's Planning Commissions, City Councils and public input that drive these plans.
- Davis County Commission has not discussed any intention of selling any land that is part of Davis Park Golf Course. Also, Davis County has not engaged with the city of Fruit Heights or any developer regarding the sale of the Golf Course.
- Davis County encourages the public to be aware of the operations and strategic direction of all levels of government (local and national) and be actively engaged in the public input process.