



USHE VEHICLE EXPANSION REQUEST

HIGHER EDUCATION
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SUMMARY

Each year, the Subcommittee is asked to give approval for the expansion of institutions’ motor pools.

In code it states that Fleet Operations should "coordinate the purchase of all state vehicles". (see <https://le.utah.gov/xcode/Title63A/Chapter9/63A-9-S401.html>).

Institutions of Higher Education in Utah have been delegated authority to purchase new vehicles pursuant to Legislative approval.

For FY 2021, six of the USHE institutions are requesting authorization to expand their fleets. The total increase is 28 new vehicles as shown on the following table.

Utah System of Higher Education Vehicle Expansion Requests FY 2021					
Institution	Operating Unit/Dept.	Vehicle Count	Vehicle Type	Funding Source	Comments
University of Utah	Public Safety	7	SUV	Non-appropriated	Support additional officers
University of Utah	Hospital - Utah Neurological Institute	2	Van	Non-appropriated	Opening additional clinics
University of Utah	Commuter Services	4	1 Van, 2 Sedans, 1 SUV	Non-appropriated	Expanding safe ride program and replacing carts with standard vehicles
University of Utah	Hospital - Rehab Trails	1	Truck	Non-appropriated	Supports the adapted ski program and trails
Weber State University	Automotive Technology	1	Sedan	Appropriated	Ogden and Davis Campus commute
Weber State University	Public Safety	1	SUV	Appropriated	Support additional officers
Weber State University	Facilities Management	1	Van	Appropriated	Support for campus growth
Southern Utah University	Motor Pool	2	Van	Non-appropriated	Expand rental fleet
Southern Utah University	Athletics Dept.	1	Van	Non-appropriated	Athletic team travel vehicle
Snow College	Motor Pool	1	Van	Non-appropriated	Transporting food, equipment, and other goods for events
Dixie State University	Public Safety	2	Sedan	State-appropriated	Increase police presence and mobility due to campus growth
Dixie State University	Campus Store	1	Van	Non-appropriated	Delivery and pickup of Campus Store
Utah Valley University	Facilities/Fleet	1	Sedan	State-appropriated	Expand rental fleet
Utah Valley University	Facilities/Fleet	1	Van	State-appropriated	Increased need for work trucks for staff
Utah Valley University	Facilities/Campus Services	2	Truck	State-appropriated	Custodial Staff carpet cleaning mobile unit