

S.B. 006

State Capital Development Recommendations for the 2034 Winter Olympic Games

The Organizing Committee for the 2034 Olympic and Paralympic Winter Games is a 501c(3) non-profit organizing committee responsible for hosting the 2034 Olympic and Paralympic Winter Games. The committee is designed to be privately funded, not relying on local or state taxpayer dollars, in order to put on the games. Utah 2034 collaborates with private partners and state and local government in planning for the games. As part of this collaboration, the committee is currently meeting with transportation agencies, public safety entities, local governments, venues, and others to assess current capacities and identify the potential upgrades or changes needed to support the games. Those agencies and municipalities will determine the needed investments within the scope of their current processes. The organizing committee insists that investments not be made solely for the purpose of Utah 2034.

The Utah Olympic Legacy Foundation and Utah 2034 are distinct and separate entities connected only as partners to host an event. Utah Olympic Legacy Foundation does a great job in its mission of maintaining Olympic and Paralympic venues as community assets with youth sports programs, athlete training, and hosting annual national and international competitions. It is an entity that has pre-dated Utah 2034 and will last long past the dissolution of Utah 2034.

Utah 2034 Olympic and Paralympic Winter Games will be held at existing venues, which are as follows:

Utah Olympic Legacy Foundation Soldier Hollow Nordic Center Utah Olympic Park Utah Olympic Oval	Privately Owned Delta Center Snowbasin Resort Park City Mountain Resort Deer Valley Resort Block 85	University of Utah Owned Rice-Eccles Stadium Olympic and Paralympic Village
Provo City Owned Peaks Ice Arena	West Valley City Owned Maverik Center	Salt Lake County Owned Salt Palace Convention Center

DFCM RECOMMENDS ANNUAL REPORTING THROUGH THE END OF 2032 THEN QUARTERLY REPORTING THROUGH THE WINTER OLYMPICS IN 3034.

Olympic Grant Funding Use

H.B. 003, Item 156, 2025 General Session

Peaks Ice Arena (Provo)

Peaks Ice Arena (Provo) was funded \$3,000,000 along with \$950,000 in prior funding with a total of \$3,950,000. Peaks has contracted \$485,289 with Becker Arena Products for the fabrication and replacement of the board and glass for the north ice sheet that will be the main ice sheet for the 2034 games. As of April 2026, Becker visited Peaks to gather measurements, and the design process is underway. Construction of the new NHL-sized arena boards and accompanying glass, benches, timekeeper area, and protective netting is scheduled to commence in August 2026 and be completed by September 2026. The remaining \$3,701,985 will be used on additional phases of work that will address expanded spectator seating, upgraded locker room facilities, and other critical improvements.

Weber County Sports Complex

Weber County Sports Complex was funded \$3,800,000. The scope of the remodel of the Weber County Sports Complex encompasses thirteen areas of project concentration along with ancillary work to create a seamless finished product. This multi-faceted project will allow the facility to accommodate public use and events while being more efficient and sustainable for decades to come. The project is 75% complete with \$2,768,177 currently expensed, \$312,021 encumbered and a balance of \$719,802 to be encumbered by July 2026. Project Completion is expected in August 2026. This venue held the LGT World Men's Curling Championship April 2026.

West Valley City (Maverick Center)

West Valley City (Maverick Center) was funded \$500,000 for the replacement of the Maverik Center exterior LED boards and Design and Feasibility Initiative costs to determine the proper scope and scale of a necessary major renovation. These projects have been completed.

Olympic Grant Funding Use

H.B. 003, Item 158, 2022 General Session & S.B. 002, Item 47 2023 General Session

Utah Olympic Legacy Foundation (UOLF) was funded \$53,100,000, which funded ten projects. Four of these projects have been completed and six are underway. To date, \$46,934,836 has been spent. Completion of all projects is anticipated by April 2028. UOLF has been appropriated \$3,000,000 in ongoing funding, which has allowed them to complete many projects at the Utah Olympic Oval, The Utah Olympic park and Soldier Hollow.

Utah Olympic Legacy Foundation

Project	Budget	Status
Utah Olympic Park West Peak Mountain Expansion	\$10,000,000	Complete
Soldier Hollow Nordic Center Competition Management Building (CMB), Nordic Center Expansion, and indoor training space	\$14,500,000	Complete
Utah Olympic Park Advanced Snowmaking System Capacity Improved Water Delivery & Storage	\$3,300,000	December 2027
Soldier Hollow Nordic Center Advanced Snowmaking System Distribution & Storage	\$3,500,000	December 2026
Utah Olympic Park Performance & High-altitude Training Center	\$2,000,000	April 2027
All Host Venues Updated Venue and Community Signage	\$500,000	Complete
Utah Olympic Park Sliding Track Shading	\$750,000	April 2028
Utah Olympic Park Ramps & Jumps Renovation	\$750,000	April 2028
Athlete Services Support UOP Residences Debt Service	Remaining P&I \$16,000,000	Complete

Projects continue with \$3,000,000 of ongoing funding each year and an additional \$1,800,000 in one-time grant funding.