# Carterville-Parkway Village Plaza Trail

Connecting the Upper and Lower Carterville Neighborhood: Giving People More Freedom of Choice to Get to Where They Want to Go

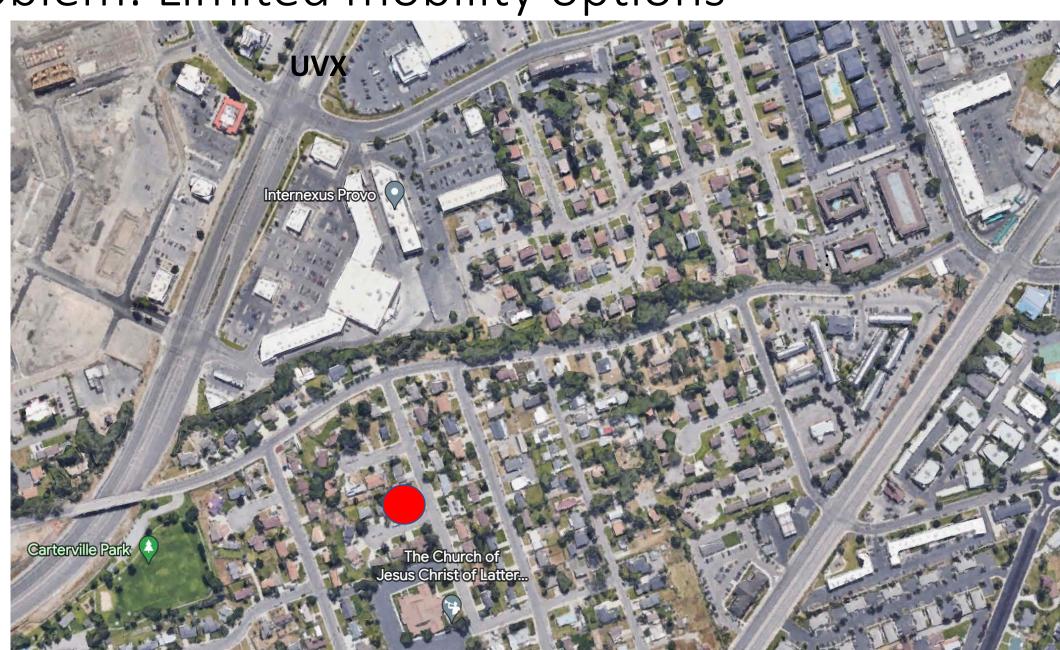
#### The Problem: Limited mobility options

Distance from middle of the upper Carterville Neighborhood to the "Neighborhood" Walmart

By car via 1720 N & 550 W: 1.2 miles

By bike via College Connector Trail: .9 miles

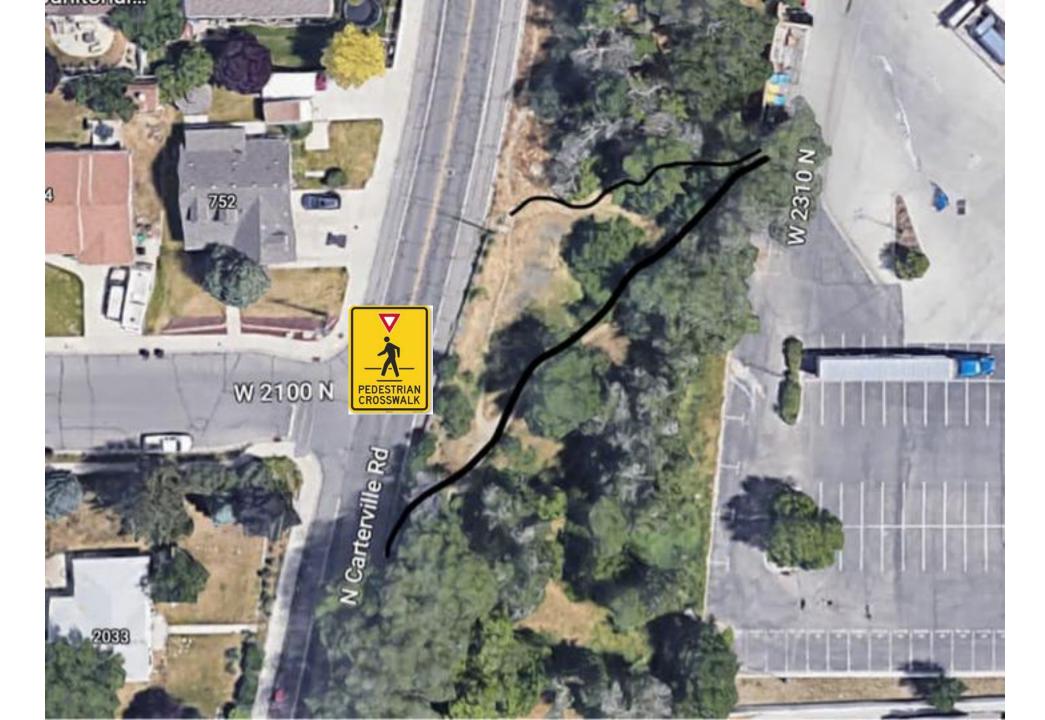
By foot via trail: .3 miles

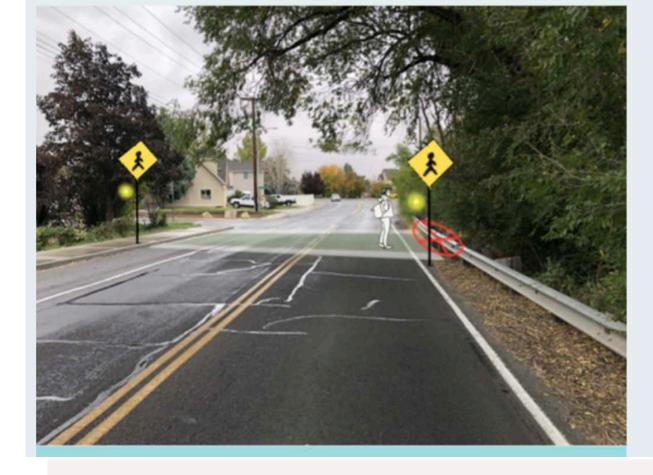


# The Solution: Improve the route that people had shown by their actions that they desire









When the Carterville Access Trail is installed, a crosswalk connecting the Carterville neighborhood to this path will be needed. Currently, pedestrians must step over a guardrail to access the pedestrian made footpath (see Figure 6). A crosswalk leading to the footpath directly would enhance this connection and increase the safety for the pedestrians that use it.

**Step 1:** Create access point through the existing guardrail

**Step 2:** Cut the curbs

**Step 3:** Paint the crosswalk

**Step 4:** Install HAWK lights (High Intensity Activated CrossWalk) which will increase pedestrian visibility along the densely vegetated Carterville Road

### Overwhelming support: A win-win for everyone

#### To Whom it May Concern:

As a homeowner in the lower Carterville neighborhood, I am writing to express my strong support for improving the trail that connects the lower and upper parts of our Carterville. Unfortunately, I am unable to attend the neighborhood district meeting in person, but I wanted to make my voice heard on this important issue.

The path in question is an essential part of our community. It links those in upper Carterville to nearby shopping and restaurants, and it links those in lower Carterville to the park and church building. Improving this path will provide a safe and convenient route for pedestrians and cyclists to travel throughout our neighborhood.

My wife and I have used this path hundreds, if not thousands of times over the seven years we've lived in our home. Improving it would allow us to use it even more. We take our dog on walks along Carterville road, bring our daughter to Carterville park, and walk to church via this path. Improvements would encourage to do so more often and allow others to do so.

Overall, I believe that improving this trail would have a significant positive impact on our community, promoting healthy living, providing easier access to local amenities, and improving safety for all residents. I encourage the community to prioritize this project and to invest in improvements to make this trail a true asset for our neighborhood.

Thank you for your time and consideration on this matter.

Sincerely, Adam R. Carmack

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