



Greg Hughes, *Chair*
Utah Board of Trustees



Greg Hughes, current Chair of the Utah Transit Authority (UTA) Board of Trustees, was appointed February 2006 and elected Chair June 2010. Appointed by the municipalities of Salt Lake County.

Initially a transit skeptic, Hughes was appointed by his peers to, “get UTA under control.” His initial skepticism has evolved to passionate transit supporter. Hughes has been heard saying, “I’m drinking the transit punch.” He has led an important, and oftentimes ignored, discussion regarding the relationship between conservative principles and transit support, highlighting the reality of economic development and regional mobility.

Greg Hughes was elected to the Utah State House of Representatives in 2002 and was subsequently elected by his colleagues to serve as the House Majority Whip. He recently served as the chairman of the House Conservative Caucus, Utah’s largest and most influential group of representatives in the Legislature. Additionally, he serves as on the House Education Committee and Executive Appropriations Committee. He also serves on the board of directors for the Summit Academy Charter School, the Utah Sports Commission, and the United Way of Salt Lake City. In his spare time, he is a small business owner working in real estate development and property management. Hughes resides in Draper, Utah with his wife Krista and their three children.