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Gary Herbert to discuss Envision results

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Gary Herbert makes his first trip to Logan as Utah's governor Tuesday to talk about results of the multi-month Envision Cache Valley growth study.

Herbert is scheduled to speak at the Envision Cache Valley Summit, happening from 7 to 8:15 p.m. at the Logan Tabernacle, 50 N. Main St.

The summit caps a series of meetings and surveys that started in February and involved 2,600 residents of Cache County and Franklin County, said Christie Oostema, Envision Utah project manager.

With Cache Valley's population projected to triple in the next 30 years, Oostema said now is the time for residents to tackle questions about how they want the area to develop.

"We're trying to get at what the community values are," she said.

Questions posed include:

- How should we get around?
- What types of communities will best house future generations?
- What lands should be conserved?

A steering committee of locals heads Envision Cache Valley, and Envision Utah is facilitating the effort.

More information about the process and survey results can be seen at www.envisioncachevalley.com.