

# Meet the Speaker

## Meg Padjen

Meg Padjen leads planning technical assistance and economic development activity as the Director of Community and Economic Development at the Wasatch Front Regional Council, the metropolitan planning organization for the Salt Lake City, UT, area.

Meg collaborates on policy at the state and local levels. Her work has recently been focused on creating and implementing policies regarding planning around fixed transit stations with a focus on increasing housing availability, and then helping cities to do so. Meg's career is dedicated to helping communities enhance the quality of life available to all current and future residents.

Meg has a Master of City and Metropolitan Planning (MCMP) from the University of Utah with a Graduate Certificate of Real Estate Development. She also serves as the Board Chair for the Seven Canyons Trust non-profit organization which she helped to found, and is routinely involved with various committees of the Utah chapter of the Urban Land Institute.

