

Household Emergency Preparedness Manual

Addendum N: Transportation

Learning Path Reference

Northern Utah / Wasatch Front Edition

Every course, certification, and organization referenced across all four stages of this addendum, gathered into one reference card. See the full addendum for the reasoning and context behind each resource.

Stage 1: Foundations (Awareness)

Resource	Cost / Format	Notes
UDOT Traffic / Traction Law	Free, online	udottraffic.utah.gov. Already cited in Chapter 14; real-time conditions and the actual rule text.
National Weather Service: Turn Around Don't Drown	Free, online	weather.gov/safety/flood-turn-around-dont-drown. Already cited in Chapter 14.
Your vehicle's owner's manual	Free, already owned	Read the maintenance schedule and basic systems sections in full, not just the warning-light glossary.

Stage 2: Applied Practice (Competent)

Resource	Cost / Format	Notes
Utah Safety Council Defensive Driving course	~\$25–\$50, online or in-person	utahsafetycouncil.org. Often qualifies for an insurance discount.
A basic mechanic tool kit sized to your vehicle	\$50–\$150	Already cited in Chapter 14's Tier 2 equipment; many auto parts retailers sell kits matched to common vehicle models.

Resource	Cost / Format	Notes
A manual fuel transfer pump	\$10–\$20	Already cited in Chapter 14; never mouth-siphon fuel.

Stage 3: Self-Sufficiency (Proficient)

Resource	Cost / Format	Notes
Utah automotive technology programs (UVU, SLCC, Southwest Tech, MTECH, USU)	Program fees vary by institution	NATEF-accredited programs preparing students for ASE certification exams.
United Bicycle Institute / Barnett Bicycle Institute	Course fees vary, typically \$1,000–\$3,000 for full programs	bikeschool.com or barnettbicycleinstitute.com. Structured mechanic training and certification.
A detailed regional paper map set	\$20–\$50	Already cited in Chapter 14's Tier 3; covering beyond the immediate county for real land navigation practice.

Stage 4: Mastery & Teaching (Expert)

Resource	Cost / Format	Notes
ASE certification exams	Exam fees apply per certification area	ase.com. Pursued after completing a NATEF-accredited program and/or relevant industry experience.
UBI/Barnett full bicycle mechanic certification	Program fees as in Stage 3; certification testing included	Written and hands-on performance testing for the recognized professional credential.
Community transport roster template and coordination	No direct cost	Model after the responder and repair rosters described in other chapters' Tier 4 guidance.