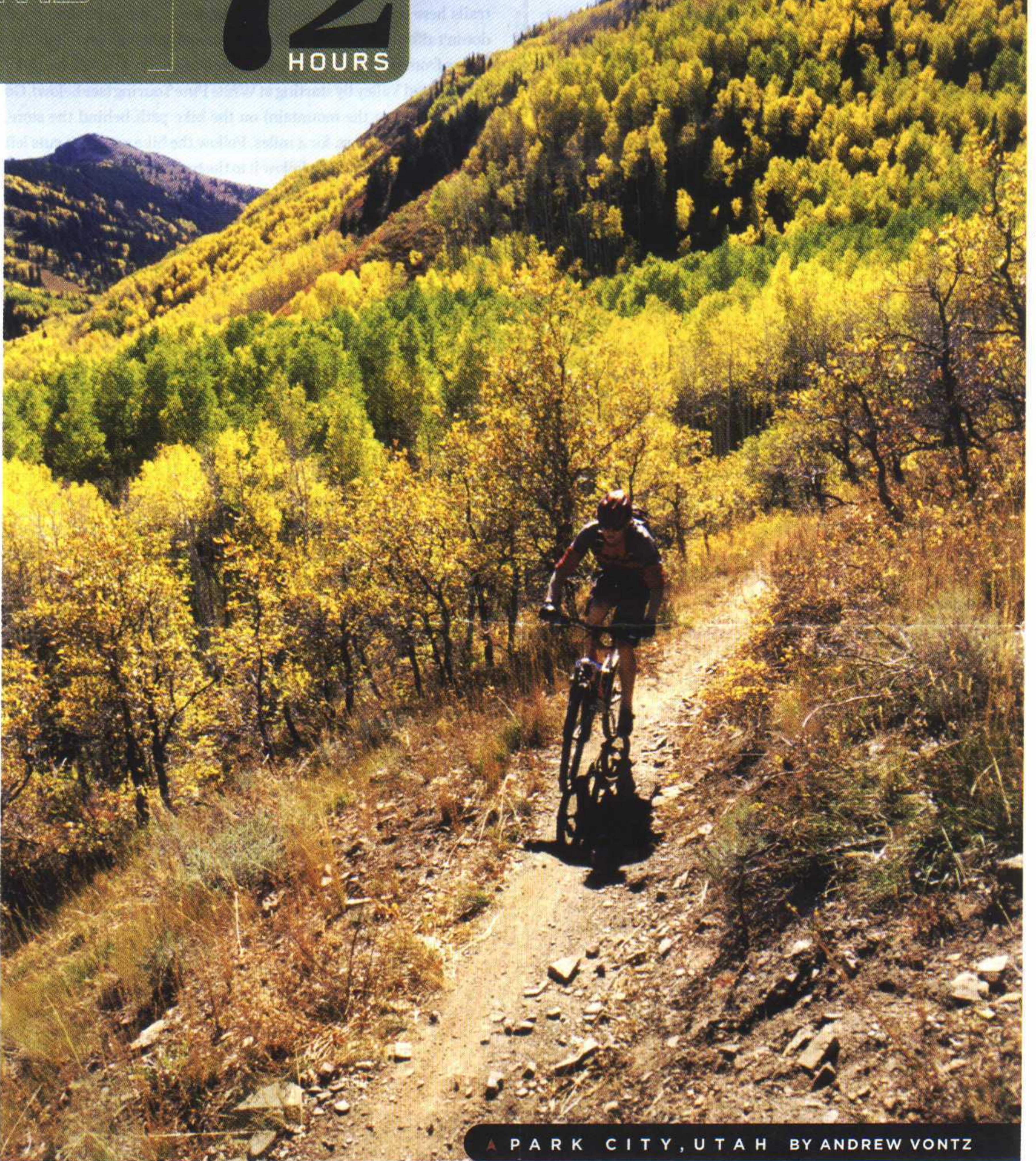


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# Magical Mountain Towns

Mid Mountain Trail, above Park City, Utah.



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**WHY HERE, WHY NOW:** Local law mandates that all real estate developers must also build trails, and the Mountain Trails Foundation has made sure that it happens. Park City now has a whopping 350 miles of singletrack accessible by bike from Main Street. Another reason to visit: June 23 kicks off the three-race **E100 Series** ([thee100.com](http://thee100.com)), which has 12- and 24-hour races for both team and solo riders on the Round Valley loop (see the next page). Last year's 12-hour winners climbed a whopping 18,620 feet. Tip: Nab a copy of Park City's *Prime Cuts*, a thoroughly annotated guide to the best trails in the area by über-loçals Charlie Sturgis and Mark Fischer.

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