

- City Manager Ron Foggin of Kingman sent out invitations for a meeting about the *Southwest Chief* and Amtrak's long-distance trains. 38 people showed up at the Kingman City Council Chamber where the meeting was held. The mayor and city manager appeared, as did Gary Kellogg, the Planning and Economic Development Director. The Lake Havasu newspaper sent a reporter as did the Kingman Miner. The local radio station gave the meeting a lot of free publicity. People were very concerned about what Amtrak was proposing and everyone from train riders to town officials agreed to contact Representative Tom O'Halleran and Senator Krysten Sinema to thank them for their work to keep the trains running. There was also agreement that Sen. Martha McSally needs to hear from her constituents.

- The City of Winslow and Chamber of Commerce organized a meeting held at the Chamber Visitor Center to discuss the future of the *Southwest Chief*. Over 40 people including Mayor Thomas McCauley, City Councilwoman Samantha Crisp, and Holbrook City Manager Ted Soltis attended. Flagstaff City Councilman Jim McCarthy and Mayor Coral want to borrow the All Aboard Arizona™ logo and advertise Flagstaff at the first "All Aboard Arizona City" in the state. The banner would be displayed at the station and at entrances to the town. She also wants to challenge Mayor Christian Price of Maricopa to be the next AAZ City in the state

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- Chip Davis, spokesman for Representative Tom O'Halleran, assured the group of his support for Amtrak.

- Local media and La Posada management were in attendance as well.

- Attendees representing the local governments and Chambers agreed to write letters of thanks to Representative O'Halleran and Senator Sinema; also, a letter asking Senator McSally for her support.