



**AAPRCO 2010 Convention
Pueblo, Colorado
September 20-22, 2010**



Join us aboard the private rail car *The Virginia City* on Monday, September 13th in Oakland, CA for one-of-a-kind experience as we travel down the Pacific Coast to Los Angeles, then onto the Southwest Chief to Albuquerque for APPRCO's thirty-third annual convention to be held in [Pueblo, Colorado](#) on September 20-22, 2010. We will join AAPCO's special train, The San Juan Limited, from [Albuquerque, New Mexico](#) to the convention and return, operating on BNSF and the San Luis & Rio Grande.

There are several activities planned for the special train:

- The first is a trip on the San Luis & Rio Grande Railroad train with domes to Antonito, ride the Cumbres & Toltec Scenic RR parlor cars to Chama, then bus back to Alamosa on Saturday, September 18th. The cost is \$175.00 per passenger. This includes lunch at Osier.
- The second is a trip by mini-train: Some of the cars in the special train will travel to the Association of American Railroads' [Transportation Technology Center Inc. \(TTCI\)](#) for some "rare mileage" on the TTCI's trackage, and then return to Pueblo. There will be an additional cost of \$150 per person for this trip which runs from 8 am to 6 pm.

- There will be a Car Party in Alamosa on Friday, September 17th and a second Car Party in Pueblo on Monday, September 20th. There will be meetings and seminars on the 20th and on Wednesday, the 22nd, including the Annual Meeting and board of directors meeting in the afternoon. This will be followed by dinner and dancing at Union Station. Convention registration will be \$200 per person.

The special train will depart Pueblo on September 23rd; spend the night of September 23rd parked in Amarillo, Texas and return to Albuquerque on September 24th. If these dates remain the same, we would plan to depart Los Angeles on Sept. 27th on the Northbound Coast Starlight, with arrival in Oakland in the early evening.

As for the cost, it will be **\$4,350.00** per person. In order to ride the AAPRCO Special Trains, you must be a member in good standing. For a membership application form, please visit www.aaprc.com, or contact Ms. Diane Elliott at (202) 547-5696. (membership fee \$90.00)

All double bedroom accommodations are based on double occupancy. Those who would be willing to share a double accommodation with another passenger should contact Wade at (650) 369-5405, and we will see what can be arranged.

The fare includes meals in the dining room and full beverage service all day. However, it does exclude gratuity. All fares will be refunded in full should the trip be cancelled due to insufficient bookings.

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Limited to 6 passengers. Reserve now by contacting Trish at 650.454.5561 or email vcrail@sbcglobal.net

We look forward to welcoming you aboard for what will prove to be another memorable adventure aboard the private car *Virginia City*!

Looking forward to seeing you in September!