

DRAFT #3

Colorado State Rail Plan
Preliminary Project List
Passenger Rail Related Projects

	Project Description	Project Source	Property Owner	Notes
A	Existing Passenger Service			
1	Colorado Rail Cars on Zephyr Route Denver to Grand Junction	Stakeholder Group	UP	Amtrak Equipment Issue
2	Preserve Amtrak SW Chief Service on the Colorado Alignment	Workshop	BNSF	
B	Proposed Passenger Service - Commuter Rail			
1	Service downtown Colo Springs to downtown Denver on Existing Track	Stakeholder Group	BNSF/UP	
2	Double Track Palmer Lake to Fountain	Stakeholder Group	BNSF	Considered part of Project #B-8
3	Complete FasTracks (Commuter Rail portions)	Stakeholder Group	RTD	
4	Conduct North I-25 EIS for Rail	Stakeholder Group	?	EIS Completed
5	Develop Commuter Rail Denver to Fort Collins thru Boulder on BNSF and Mason St.	North I-25 Corridor EIS	BNSF	Included in Projects #B-3 and #B-6
6	Develop Commuter Rail from Thornton (North Metro Terminus) to Fort Collins	North I-25 Corridor EIS	RTD/BNSF	
7	Commuter Rail from Fort Collins to Trinidad along Existing RR Right of Way	Individual	?	
8	Commuter Rail, Pueblo - Colorado Springs - Denver - Ft. Collins	Individual	?	Extension of Commuter Rail Denver to Colorado Springs (#B-1)
C	Proposed Passenger Service - InterCity Rail			
1	Provide connection to Amtrak's Zephyr, Pueblo to Dotsero via Tennessee Pass	Stakeholder Group	UP	
2	Rail Service on existing track Cheyenne, Wyoming to El Paso, Texas	Stakeholder Group	BNSF/ UP	
3	Resurrect Pioneer Line (Denver to Seattle) on BNSF along northern Front Range	Stakeholder Group	BNSF	

4	Passenger Rail Link to SW Chief, Denver to La Junta or Trinidad	ColoRail	?	
5	Passenger Rail on Tennessee Pass line Gypsum to Leadville	Individual	UP	
6	Passenger Rail Glenwood Springs to Aspen	I-70 PEIS	RFTA	
7	Passenger Rail Glenwood Springs to Steamboat Springs	I-70 PEIS	UP	
D	Proposed Passenger Service - High Speed Rail			
1	I-70 PEIS HSR - Golden West to Eagle Airport	Stakeholder Group	CDOT	Considered a part of RMRA projects #D-4 and D-6 below
2	Develop greenfield alignment Pueblo to DIA using E-470	Stakeholder Group	?	Considered part of Projects #D-3 and D-9
3	RMRA FRA Developed Option Phase 1 - HSR Denver to DIA and Denver to Colorado Springs	RMRA	?	
4	RMRA FRA Developed Option Phase 2 - HSR Denver to Copper Mt. and Breckenridge	RMRA	?	
5	RMRA FRA Development Option Phase 3 - HSR Denver to Ft. Collins	RMRA	?	
6	RMRA FRA Development Option Phase 4 - HSR Colorado Springs to Pueblo, Copper Mt. to Eagle Airport and Spur to Blackhawk	RMRA	?	
7	High Speed Passenger Rail in I-70 median East of Denver	Individual	CDOT	
8	High Speed Passenger Rail in I-76 median Denver to Julesburg	Individual	CDOT	
9	High Speed Passenger Rail in I-25 median Cheyenne to Albuquerque	Individual	WYDOT, CDOT, NMDOT	