



States for Passenger Rail Coalition Statement on Amtrak's Leadership Transition

The States for Passenger Rail Coalition (SPRC) thanks Stephen Gardner for his work to strengthen our passenger rail network during his tenure as Amtrak CEO. A stable and well-functioning Amtrak is critical to our state members who sponsor service and the customers who depend upon state-supported and long distance services. We are committed to our partnerships with Amtrak. During this transition we expect to work in tandem with U.S. Department of Transportation Secretary Duffy, and the Trump Administration, to maintain safety, improve efficiency, and enhance reliability across America's passenger rail network.