

LOOKING FOR GREAT WAYS TO SEE FALL COLORS? BRILLIANT CHANGING COLORS ON THE CUMBRES & TOLTEC SCENIC RAILROAD

Antonito, Colo. & Chama, N.M. – Anyone in search of the rich and vibrant colors of autumn should hop aboard the Cumbres & Toltec Scenic Railroad for the best viewing of the fall foliage in the Rocky Mountains. The colors are bursting and peak foliage season is starting now.

"Autumn is a perfect time of year to experience the Cumbres & Toltec Scenic Railroad," says John Bush, President. "This is when a ride on the Cumbres & Toltec becomes even more



memorable and breathtaking -- alight with the vibrant reds, oranges and yellows of fall."

With the high levels of rain northern New Mexico and southern Colorado have received this summer, the fall leaves will be a spectacular display. This is a great experience for all ages.

"People get closer to nature on the Cumbres & Toltec Scenic Railroad," adds Bush. "The rhythm and speed of the train allows people to slow down and fully enjoy stupendous colors and those 'aha' moments. Riding the train and being outside in what I consider to be the most beautiful landscape in the country at this time of year is very rewarding and relaxing. We invite all of you to jump on the train at either of our depots in Chama, New Mexico, or Antonito, Colorado, for what is sure to be a beautiful fall day."

The Cumbres & Toltec Scenic Railroad is jointly owned and operated by New Mexico and Colorado. The National Park Service recently designated the railroad as a National Historic Landmark. It is the highest and longest authentic steam-powered, narrow-gauge railroad in the U.S. The passenger railroad travels over its historic route between Chama, N.M., and Antonito, Colo.

TICKETS/INFO: Call 1-888-286-2737 to book or online at <u>www.cumbrestoltec.com</u>. *All tickets are subject to a 5% Historic Preservation fee.*

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