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RESOLUTION NO. 1910.04

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING AMTRAK TO PROVIDE DAILY SERVICE TO OR NEAR THE CITY OF SAN ELIZARIO, OF THE SUNSET LIMITED.

WHEREAS, while the City of San Elizario ("City") incorporated in 2013, it is one of the oldest communities in the State of Texas; and

WHEREAS, the community has been serviced by nearby railroad service since the late 19th century; and

WHEREAS, San Elizario is located in a rural area of El Paso County and can be considered a remote rural location of the State of Texas; and

WHEREAS, the Sunset Limited is a part of Amtrak's basic national train network connecting Louisiana, Texas, New Mexico, Arizona and California; and

WHEREAS, Amtrak is the most cost effective and safest mode of transportation for passengers traveling in America and for enhancing connectivity.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of San Elizario, Texas, that:

1. The foregoing recitals are hereby found to be true and correct and are approved and are incorporated into this Resolution.
2. The City Council of the City of San Elizario hereby confirms its support of Rail Passenger's Association's request for Amtrak to increase the frequency of the Sunset Limited to provide daily service.
3. The City Council of the City of San Elizario hereby confirms its support of federal

funding to support long distance railroad service that includes the Sunset Limited and Texas Eagle.

4. This resolution shall become effective upon passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this, the 12 day of February 2019, by a vote of 5 (ayes) to 0 (nays) to 0 (abstentions) of the City Council of San Elizario, Texas.

CITY OF SAN ELIZARIO, TEXAS



Antonio Araujo, Mayor

ATTEST:



Nancy Montes, City Clerk

