

Community meetings conducted or scheduled:

In the past 20 months, U.S. Attorney John Suthers has made 86 public appearances to speak about the domestic war on terrorism, including the Patriot Act. He has spoken to over 30 service clubs and over 30 law enforcement groups. The remaining groups have been bar association groups, business groups, teachers and law students. He has a Power Point that he has given on many such occasions. Mr. Suthers has debated the ACLU on approximately a dozen occasions about the Patriot Act. He has done a television debate on the Patriot Act and done a half dozen newspaper interviews concerning it.

Since the initiative was announced Mr. Suthers has scheduled the following events:

1. August 21 - appearance at a public meeting of the Colorado Civil Rights Commission to defend the war on terrorism in general and the Patriot Act in particular.
2. September 8 - Debate the ACLU in front of the entire student body of the University of Denver Law School re: the Patriot Act.
3. September 10 - Presentation on the Patriot Act to the Colorado ATTF and NORTHCOM at a joint meeting in Colorado Springs.
4. September 16 - Speech to 80 rural law enforcement officers from Colorado and Wyoming on the Patriot Act.
5. September 18 - Speech to a women's group in Canon City, Colorado on the Patriot Act, as well as radio appearance and interview with editorial board in Canon City.

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6. September 25 - Speech on Patriot Act to heads of all law enforcement agencies in the Pikes Peak region (Colorado Springs and environs)
7. September 25 - First Assistant Bill Leone will debate the Patriot Act with an ACLU representative at a forum sponsored by Denver law firm Holland and Hart and moderated by Harvard Law professor Arthur Miller.
8. September 30 - Speech on the Patriot Act to the City Club of Denver, largest and most influential luncheon club in Denver. To be shown on cable TV.
9. October 9 - Will defend the Patriot Act as a panel member at a civic forum at the Denver Convention Center at which several thousand people are expected to attend.

Names of Congressional representatives contacted and nature of contact:

Congressman Joel Hefley (R) - in person conversation - sent information on Patriot Act as a follow-up.

Congressman Scott McInnis (R) - telephone conversation - sent information on Patriot Act as a follow-up.

Congresswoman Marilyn Musgrave (R) - she is traveling abroad and Chief of Staff returned my call. Spoke to him and mailed information to Congresswoman.

Senator Wayne Allard (R) - personal conversation and sent information as follow-up.

Senator Ben Nighthorse Campbell (R) - personal conversation and sent information as follow-up.

Congressman Tom Tancredo (R) - waiting for him to return phone call.

Congressman Bob Beauprez (R) - personal conversation and information sent as a follow-up.

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