

March 12, 1987

26 EXECUTIVE COUNCIL BILL #44

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BILL HISTORY

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BILL SUMMARY

This Bill allocates \$1,150.60, including GAR, to fund Native American Awareness Week.

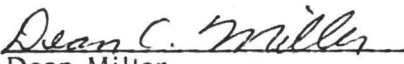
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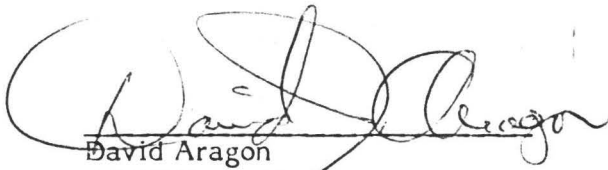
SECTION 1: An amount not to exceed \$1,150.60 be allocated from Central Reserve to fund NAAW.

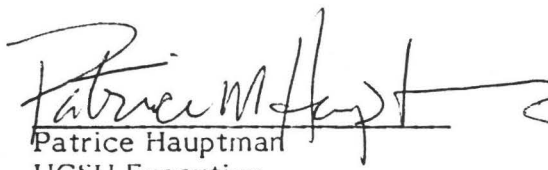
SECTION 2: This Bill takes effect upon passage.

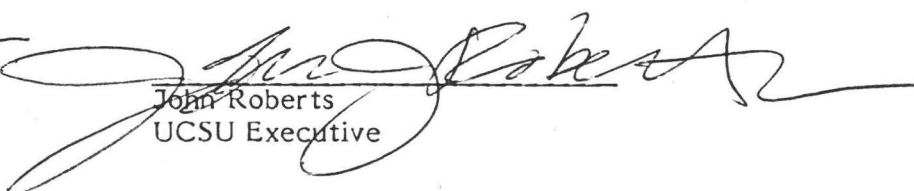
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3/12/87 - PASSES - EXECUTIVE COUNCIL - SPECIAL ORDER - ACCLAMATION

  
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TO: U.C.S.U.  
FROM: THE OYATE INDIAN CLUB  
UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO  
CAMPUS BOX 207, UMC 184  
BOULDER, COLORADO 80309  
RE: PROPOSAL- FUNDING FOR NATIVE AMERICAN AWARENESS WEEK  
DATE: MARCH 10, 1987



The Oyate Indian Club at the University of Colorado in Boulder, is sponsoring a Native American Awareness Week to be held on campus from April 6th. through the 9th. 1987. The purpose of this Native American Awareness Week is not only to provide the students with a unique cultural experience, but also to provide an opportunity for expansion of human relations interactions between various diverse groups within the C.U. student population and interested members of the Boulder/Denver communities at large.

During this Awareness Week contemporary Native American issues will be featured. We will be focussing in on health, law, education, economic development, religion, and of course Native American entertainment provided by Charlie Hill and Floyd Westerman. I have attached a agenda for your convenience. The majority of our speakers are local and will be volunteering their time as well as their expertise. However, we are asking for financial assistance with honorariums. Specifically for Mr. Floyd Westerman. He has agreed to perform for the amount of \$1,000 plus air fare and lodging. Therefore our request to U.C.S.U. would be in the amount of \$1,000.00.

At this time I would like to thank you for your time and cooperation. I have also attached a financial report along with the approved agenda. If you have any further questions or suggestions please feel free to contact me at 492-2237 or 492-2164.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

*Norma Rendon*

NORMA RENDON

OYATE INDIAN CLUB

NATIVE AMERICAN AWARENESS WEEK/  
COMMITTEE

Assets/Other Support

Native American Awareness Week will be conducted with the support of the following organizations:

University of Colorado Cultural Events Board.....	\$1,000.
University of Colorado Indian Advocacy Committee.....	\$ 300.
University of Colorado Ethnic/Minority Steering Committee.....	\$ 200.
University of Colorado CU-OP Program.....	\$3,300.
University of Colorado Multicultural Counseling Center.....	\$ 300.
Native American Awareness Account- Oyate Indian Club.....	\$ 725.67
Total Support .....	\$5,825.67

Oyate is lacking the following honorarium and lodging monies:

Honorarium

Speaker fee for Floyd Westerman.....\$1,000.

Lodging

- 1) Hotel room for one night at the Broker Inn for Charlie Hill.....\$ 50.
- 2) Hotel room for one night at the Broker Inn for Floyd Westerman.....\$ 50.

In summary, Oyate needs to secure a total of \$1,100 in order to underwrite its projected speaker rostrum for April 6-9, 1987. We have submitted our proposal early, with hopes that formal committment can be made by April 1, 1987 in order that Oyate can start final budget preparations for Native American Awareness Week. Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

### COST FOR NATIVE AMERICAN AWARENESS WEEK

As stated earlier during this Native American Awareness Week, contemporary Native American issues will be featured. There are several noted Native American speakers and entertainers which will be present in a joint effort to help us create more positive awareness of the Native American. Some of the issues which will be addressed include the following; holistic religion, law concerning water rights, health issues concerning alcoholism and our youth, economic development, educational issues, and entertainment. Our entertainment segment will feature Ms. Joy harjo and poetry, Mr. Floyd Westerman singing some of his famous Indian folklore ballads. He is very well known throughout Indian territory and we are sure everyone will enjoy his fine presentation. We also have Mr. Charlie Hill providing us with laughter in his comic role. Speaking and entertainment presentations have been scheduled between 6:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. so as to not interfere with most classes and jobs.

\$500.00	....	ADVERTISING
\$300.00		RECEPTION FOR STUDENTS
\$3,300.00		HONORARIUM/TRAVEL FOR COLLEGE PRESIDENTS
\$50.00		ROGER BIRD/MEDICINE MAN TO BLESS WEEK
\$150.00		HONORARIUM FOR MS.JOY HARJO/CREEK POET
\$1,000.00		FLOYD WESTERMAN/LAKOTA FOLK SINGER
\$1,000.00		CHARLIE HILL/ONIEDA COMEDIAN
\$356.00		AIRFARE (ROUND TRIP) FOR CHARLIE HILL
\$356.00		AIRFARE (ROUND TRIP) FOR FLOYD WESTERMAN
\$100.00		LODGING EXPENSES FOR CHARLIE AND FLOYD
<u>\$169.00</u>		DANCE EXHIBITION/ DRUM GROUP AND DANCERS.
\$6,925.00		<u>TOTAL EXPENSES</u>

As you can see from our agenda, the majority of our speakers are local and donating their speakers fee and travel expenses. The amount of their in-kind contributions is very hard to estimate.



NATIVE AMERICAN AWARENESS WEEK

APRIL 6-9, 1987

TENTATIVE AGENDA

MONDAY

APRIL 6, 1987 - 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

U.M.C. Forum

Mr. Dave Getches from C.U. Law School will be speaking on the water right issues concerning reservations.

7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

A panel of attorneys consisting of N.A.R.F. Staff and Mr. Fredericks from the law firm of Fredericks & Pelcyger will be directing their issue toward funding economic development on reservations and the Tax Status Act..

8:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

Mr. Rick Nordwall from the Denver Indian Center Development Corporation will be speaking on economic development concerning Native Americans.

TUESDAY

APRIL 7, 1987 - 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Duane Physics - GO20

Mr. Ben Artichoker will introduce the topic of wholistic religion.

7:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Mr. Harry Folsom from Wesley Cahpel will tell you how Native Americans can and do mix both Christianity and their traditional religion.

8:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

A panel of health specialists from the Denver area will introduce their main area of interest. This panel will consist of: The Womens Support Group, Vision Quest, and Doris Vigil from The Native American Youth Substance Abuse Program.

9:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

A representative from Eagle Lodge will be speaking on the positive efforts Native Americans have made at the attempt to overcome the high rate of alcoholism.

WEDNESDAY

APRIL 8, 1987 - 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Duane Physics - GO20

Ms. Joy Harjo presents another one of her great poetry readings.

7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Mr. Kenny Yachytoohnpah of Title IV in Tempe, Arizona will do a presentation on Indian Education.

8:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

A panel of C.U. Native American Students will be discussing the problems and needs of Native Americans on campus.

9:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

College Presidents from various reservations will speak on student issues.



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APRIL 6-9, 1987

TENTATIVE AGENDA

THURSDAY

APRIL 9, 1987 - 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Duane Physics - G030

Dance exhibition consisting of Title IV Native American youth and community members.

5:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Dennis Small, Third World Center.

Reception with Floyd Westerman and Charlie Hill for C.U. Students and faculty.

8:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Duane Physics - G030

Floyd Westerman will be entertaining us with his (Native American) Folk music.

9:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Charlie Hill will have you rolling over in laughter with his notorious Indian humor.