32 Legislative Council Resolution #104

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A RESOLUTION

WHEREAS: Almost twenty years ago, more than twenty million Americans joined together on Earth Day in a demonstration of concern for the environment, and their collective action resulted in the passage of sweeping new laws to protect our air, water, and land;

WHEREAS: In the nineteen years since the first Earth Day, despite environmental improvements, the environmental health of the planet is increasingly endangered, threatened by Global Climate Change, Ozone Depletion, growing World Population, Deforestation, Ocean Pollution, Toxic Wastes, Desertification, and Nuclear Waste requiring action by all sectors of society;

WHEREAS: Earth Day 1990 activities and events will educate all citizens on the importance of acting in an environmentally sensitive fashion by recycling, conserving energy and water, using efficient transportation, and adopting more ecologically sound lifestyles;

WHEREAS: Earth Day 1990 activities and events will educate all citizens on the importance of buying and using only those products least harmful to the environment;

WHEREAS: Earth Day 1990 activities and events will educate all citizens on the importance of doing business with those companies that are environmentally sensitive and responsible;

WHEREAS: Earth Day 1990 activities and events will educate all citizens on the importance of voting for those candidates who demonstrate an abiding concern for the environment;

WHEREAS: Earth Day 1990 activities and events will educate all citizens on the importance of supporting the passage of legislation that will help protect the environment;

THEREFORE, Be it enacted by the Legislative Council of the University of Colorado Student Union, THAT:

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SECTION 1:

UCSU will join with other campus groups to proclaim April 20, 1990 as Campus Earth Day 1990, and that time be set aside on that day and every day for activities promoting care of preservation of the environment.

SECTION 2:

This resolution shall take effect upon passage.

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