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33 Representative Council Bill #1

UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO

STUDENT UNION

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A BILL

BILL HISTORY

"Take Back the Night" is a gathering of women who rally and march in the night to empower themselves against male violence. Often women survivors of rape and incest will courageously come forward and share their stories, songs, poetry, etc.

"Take Back the Night" is an annual event that has occurred nationally throughout the United States for around twenty years. This "speak-out" has been a part of the CU campus for approximately twelve years.

This year we hope to march not only on the Hill and Pearl Street Mall (as traditionally done), but also on the Boulder Creek Bike Path where five women were raped this summer.

We are also planning to have a male speaker at the rally, to present men's roles in stopping violence against women. Furthermore, we are involving the surrounding state universities to make this a massive showing of solidarity against what seems to be a tidal wave of violence, as seen through the murder and mutilations of our sister students in Gainseville, Florida.

The march and rally will take place October 18, 1990 at 7:00 p.m.

BILL SUMMARY This bill allocates \$750.00 + GAR to fund this year's "Take Back the Night" in Boulder.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislative Council of the University of Colorado Student Union, THAT:

SECTION 1: That along with the funding of \$750.00 + GAR for this event, we request the presence of UCSU Legislative and Executive Council at the beginning rally of the march at 7:00 p.m. in the UMC fountain area.

SECTION 2: This bill takes effect upon passage.

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Projected Budget

Advertising and Promotions		\$200.00
Candles		25.00
Microphones, speakers and other equipment		525.00
needed for off-campus locations	Total	\$750.00 +
		GAR

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