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36 Legislative Council Bill #27

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A BILL

BILL HISTORY

The CU Wilderness Study Group was formed in 1970 by students interested in saving the last remnants of a once wild continent for ours and future generations. The Study Group sponsors biweekly educational programs for the University community during the school year, conducts student field research each summer on undeveloped lands and rivers in Colorado in order to assess their qualifications for inclusion in the Wilderness System or the Wild and Scenic Rivers System and maintains an office that is used by student for research projects and wilderness activism.

In the Spring 1979, faced with exclusion from funding, the CU Wilderness Study Group placed a referendum on the ballot asking for funding. The referendum received overwhelming support, with 3,245 yes votes to 645 no votes. Again, in Spring 1984 and 1988, students showed overwhelming support for referendum once again this spring to continue its funding. The group is asking for twenty cents (\$0.20) per student per semester, a zero (0%) increase, from the last referendum.

BILL SUMMARY

The bill directs the Election Commissioner to place a referendum question on the Spring 1992 UCSU Election Ballot regarding the funding of the Wilderness Study Group.

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

SECTION 1: The following question shall be placed on the UCSU 1992 Spring Election Ballot:

"Should the University of Colorado Wilderness Study Group, an organization of students under the Environmental Board who work to study and preserve wilderness in Colorado, continue to be funded \$0.20 (twenty cents) per student per semester (including summer?) to begin FY 92-93."

YES () NO ()

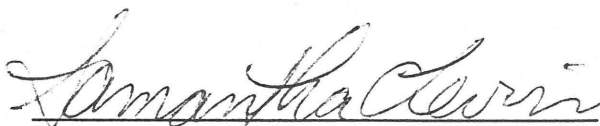
45 **SECTION 2:** This referendum shall be placed on the UCSU 1992
Spring Election Ballot upon passage.

50 **SECTION 3:** This bill takes effect upon passage.

2/12/92 - Passes as amended-Legislative Council-1st Reading-Accl.

2/19/92 - Passes - Legislative Council - 2nd Reading - Accl.

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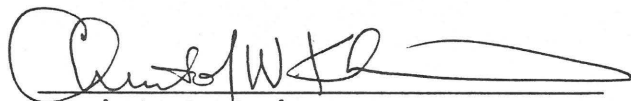


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