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## **University of Colorado Student Union**

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## **Bill History**

In 1997 a referendum with the question, "Would you be willing to support a student fee of 75 cents/semester for Boulder Greenbucks Program, an organization that produces free concerts to reward students for community service through local volunteer organizations, for the next four years?" was passed. Unfortunately, due to unforeseen circumstances, the Boulder Greenbucks Program has remained inactive since the spring of 2000. However, there is approximately \$14,000 left in their account – it is currently inaccessible to anyone but them, and as such is being wasted in financial and practical terms. The Environmental Center, itself a UCSU cost center, is an institution dedicated to extremely similar goals as the Boulder Greenbucks Program, and has a track record of maintaining active, and of improving the quality of life on campus through various campaigns.

## **Bill Summary**

As members of the University of Colorado Student Union, we are the body which students trust to ensure that their student fee and referendum monies are being wisely managed. We must ensure that the referendum money students passed for the Boulder Greenbucks Program will continue to effectively be used for the same purpose for the duration of time that the referendum allotted. Moreover, Finance Board passed a motion suggesting that the Environmental Center use the remaining funds for the original referendum intent. Thus, this bill shall designate an Environmental Center employee a co-signer for the Boulder Greenbucks Program account such that the funds allotted to the Boulder Greenbucks Program can be used to hold one or two concerts during 2001-2002 to promote environmental volunteerism by students.

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

**Section 1:** An authorized representative designated by the Environmental Center shall be officially added as a signer to the Boulder Greenbucks Program account in order to access unused funds.

**Section 2:** The individual incharge of Greenbucks funs through the Environmental Center will report to Legislative Council; Will present a progress report prior To the concert.

**Section 3:** This bill shall be passed special order.

**Section 4:** This bill takes effect upon passage.