August 30, 2011

The 2011 Cinch Jeans Rocky Mountain Showdown featuring Colorado State University vs. the University of Colorado will take place Saturday, September 17, 2011, at Sports Authority Field at Mile High in Denver. This highly anticipated event marks the 83rd meeting of these two schools’ football teams.

The Denver Police Department wants to welcome all spectators to our city and is providing the information in this letter to promote a safe and enjoyable environment in and around the event site.

There will be a large contingent of uniformed and plain-clothes officers from the Denver Police Department, University of Colorado Police Department, and Colorado State University Police Department assigned to the event. The primary responsibility of the officers is to maintain a safe environment for everyone attending or participating in the event. Toward that end, officers will be directed to strictly enforce all applicable local and state laws. Special attention will be focused on alcohol possession and consumption. Violators will be cited and/or arrested for violations and individuals found to be under the influence of alcohol who may pose a danger to themselves or others may be placed in a detoxification facility (see attachment). The names of all students cited, arrested, and/or ejected from the property for any reason will be shared with the CU and CSU police departments and students may face administrative sanctions upon their return to campus. No kegs are allowed on any Sports Authority Field property, including all parking lots. Sports Authority Field staff will be in the parking lots and will seize any banned items, including kegs. Sports Authority Field staff may eject unruly patrons from the site, including parking lots, and may seize their event tickets.

The Cinch Jeans Rocky Mountain Showdown provides an opportunity for students, faculty, staff, and fans from throughout the state to demonstrate their pride and support for their teams. Please act responsibly and enjoy yourself while in Denver.

Gerald R. Whitman
Chief of Police

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