WHEREAS there exists an under-publicized Faculty-Staff Program which provides fixed annual $750 tuition-scholarships to dependents of University of Colorado at Boulder and System Administration staff and faculty who are full-time students at Colorado state-supported institutions of higher education; and

WHEREAS this scholarship is funded by $240,000 annually from vending-machine contracts for machines at the University of Colorado at Boulder from which is subtracted the annually increasing costs of Staff Council operations; and

WHEREAS the current level of funding will soon result in a deficit;

THEREFORE, the Boulder Faculty Assembly moves:

That the scholarship program be appropriately publicized to the benefit of all faculty and staff; and

That the scholarships be increased to at least $1,000; and

That Staff Council be supported by a more appropriate source so that the entire $240,000 can be used for scholarships; and

That the University of Colorado System Administration locate its own source of funds to support the dependents of System staff; and

That during the next five years the percentage of the vending-machine contracts devoted to these scholarships be increased annually until all vending-machine income is devoted to these scholarships so that the size of the scholarships can be further increased to more appropriate levels.

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