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Panel discussion on national security with U.S. Sen. Joe Lieberman and U.S. Rep. Jane Harman, architects of the Department of Homeland Security, to commemorate 9/11

Denver, CO (August 29, 2013) – In honor of the upcoming anniversary of September 11th, Colorado Gov. John Hickenlooper and Denver Mayor Michael B. Hancock, in partnership with The Denver Post and the Counterterrorism Education Learning Lab (CELL), will present *Colorado Remembers 9/11: Looking at the Future of U.S. National Security*.

Following the commemoration, Vincent Carroll of The Denver Post will moderate a panel discussion featuring U.S. Sen. Joe Lieberman and U.S. Rep. Jane Harman. Lieberman and Harman were key contributors to the legislation that created the Department of Homeland Security in the wake of 9/11. Subsequently, Lieberman served as the first Chairman of the Senate Government Affairs and Homeland Security Committee, and Harman chaired the House Homeland Security Intelligence Subcommittee.

The panel discussion will provide a retrospective look at 9/11 and the impact it has had on the nation, as well as discuss current national security concerns, including domestic terrorism, extremism, the evolving threat of al-Qaeda, Syria, and the interplay of these issues with U.S. foreign policy.

Event Details

- Where:** June Swaner Gates Concert Hall in the Newman Center for the Performing Arts at the University of Denver, 2344 E. Iliff Ave., Denver, CO 80208
- When:** 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., Wednesday, Sept. 11, 2013
- Sponsors:** *The Denver Post*, the Counterterrorism Education Learning Lab (CELL), Colorado Oil & Gas Association, FirstBank, University of Denver, and the Newman Center for the Performing Arts.
- RSVP:** Media credentials are REQUIRED for admittance. RSVP to egold@thecell.org required by Sept. 10, 2013. Media registration begins at 5:30 pm.

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