

LA CUCARACHA

HISTORY

"La Cucaracha" was a Chicano newspaper published in Pueblo, Colorado. It was started by Juan and Deborah Espinosa, David Martinez and Pablo Mora. The founders were students and activists at the University of Colorado Boulder during the Chicano Movement (early 1970s). Juan and David worked together on the "El Diario de al Gente" and "Somos Aztlán" newspaper during their time at the university. After leaving CU, they started publishing "La Cucaracha" in May of 1976 and stopped publication in November, 1983. Topics covered include: Police brutality, education, land rights, healthcare, local, and national news.

This exhibit features some of the top stories and issues from the era - 1976-1983 - from the pages of "La Cucaracha". The panels were designed and coordinated by Juan Espinosa. David Martinez, Pablo Mora, Deborah Mora Espinosa, Rita J. Martinez and Jose Esteban Ortega contributed valuable input.



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