



COLORADO ALUMNI DEDICATION

AFTER A VERY LONG JOURNEY, GAMMA KAPPA IS extremely pleased and proud to announce that “Sluggo” — the bronze buffalo sculpture, commissioned by over 80 Gamma Kappa alumni donors for the Buffalo Brothers Memorial, has arrived and is now installed in front of the Gamma Kappa chapter house at 1043 Pleasant St.

The delivery and installation occurred on Thursday, September, 11, on a cool, rainy morning in Boulder. A very large “boom truck” was secured to hoist the 750 lb. sculpture and its 2,500 lb. limestone pedestal about 40 feet into the air. This strategy allowed the sculpture to move from the “boom truck” (which shut down Pleasant Street for a couple of hours) over cars, trees and the hedge that surrounds the Gamma Kappa compound and into the chapter’s front yard. It turned out to be quite an event, attended by a majority of our chapter members, alumni officers, and interested neighbors and friends.

The memorial buffalo statue was officially dedicated on October 25th with over 300 alumni, collegiate brothers, family, and friends in attendance. Several family members of deceased alumni who were honored through the memorial statue were also in attendance.

More than 80 Gamma Kappa alumni, spanning five decades of chapter membership, generously contributed over \$27,000 to commission and install this magnificent memorial. ❁



Top: Over 300 alumni, collegiate members, family, and friends gathered for the dedication of the alumni memorial statue on October 25th. **Above:** “Sluggo” the alumni memorial statue is lowered into place in front of the Gamma Kappa chapter home.