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C-U AT HOME ONE WINTER NIGHT

Winter is on the way. While most of us have warm homes to peacefully sleep in during the frigid winter months, there are many who do not. They resort to sleeping in any enclosed or partially enclosed space they can find to shield them from the elements. Take a moment to imagine how much more difficult your life would be right now if you did not have a warm, safe place to sleep tonight...

The 2nd Annual **C-U at Home One Winter Night** is a community public awareness event to help the homeless. One Winter Night will take place in <u>two locations</u> this year: in downtown Champaign along Neil Street, and on the Quad at the University of Illinois. Participants will brave the cold for 12 hours, from 6pm-6am on Friday, February 1 – Saturday February 2, 2013. Join **Urbana Police Chief Patrick Connolly**, U of I Gymnastics Coach and **2008 Bronze Medalist**, **Justin Spring**, several area pastors, professionals, students and other public figures, as they spend the night outside, shivering in a cardboard box, in support of the most vulnerable homeless.

Each of the box dwellers will be raising awareness and funds to help the homeless. You can find out more about how to **donate** in support of your favorite participant at **www.cuathome.us**. This year businesses also have an opportunity to sponsor One Winter Night and get their logo on t-shirts and boxes. For more information on being a **business sponsor** to show your support for helping the homeless, please contact us at **217-819-4569** or online at www.cuathome.us. Please consider an end of year tax deductible donation to support C-U at Home. Thank you.

You can be a part of this exciting event by **volunteering**. We need a minimum of 100 volunteers to make this event at two simultaneous locations a success. To sign up for a volunteer shift, please go to **www.cuathome.us**. Thank you for helping us get the word out now about One Winter Night. Additional information, including an up-to-date list of participants and donation information, can be found at www.cuathome.us.

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