**Laramie Project Write-Up**

Extra Credit Assignment

Due: December 2, 2010 (last day of class)

Write about the different levels of influence and how changes in one level could prevent this type of incident from happening again. You must attend two levels beyond the individual. Some options may include the family, community, school, neighborhood, government, society largely, etc. Make sure that each level you address is written in a different section of the paper.

* 1. Start by giving a brief overview of what happened in the movie (1/2 page max). Only reference information that is relevant to understanding the information you discuss later in the paper.
	2. Address the first level of influence. What happened at this level of influence in the play/movie? What types of changes could occur at this level? How would these changes affect future situations like this?
	3. Repeat (b) for your second level of influence.
	4. Give a brief summary of your paper and your take away message.

Formatting: Double spaced, typed, 12 inch font, 1 inch margins, 3-5 pages. Write in paragraph form. Note that a perfect paper will follow ALL of these guidelines.

**Grading**

This assignment is extra credit. It is worth up to 5 points. Grading will follow the rubric below.

**5 points**: Clearly fully addresses the writing assignment instructions. It will be easy to read and understand. It is clearly proof-read. All of the questions and aspects of the assignment are clearly discussed in full detail. The layout of the paper is organized and it is clear that the writer thought about the outline of the paper.

**4 points**: Addresses all aspects of the writing assignment. It is fairly easy to read and understand. It is mostly proof-read. All of the questions and aspects of the assignment are discussed in the paper. The layout of the paper is organized and there is a structure to the paper. The difference between a 4 paper and a 5 paper is the detail of analysis. A 4 paper fails to attend to all the details of the paper and missed a few key points. It is not as clear, organized, or thoughtful as a 5 point paper.

**3 points**: Addresses almost all aspects of the writing assignment. It is fairly easy to read but clearly needs some mechanical and grammatical editing. All of the questions and aspects of the assignment are discussed in the paper. The layout of the paper is organized and there is a structure to the paper. The difference between a 4 paper and a 5 paper is the detail of analysis. A 4 paper fails to attend to all the details of the paper and missed a few key points. It is not as clear, organized, or thoughtful as a 5 point paper.