



**United States Vice President Joe Biden
speaks out against violence against women.**

On March 31, Vice President Joe Biden attended the Center for Prevention of Abuse's annual Partners for Peace event sponsored by the Center for Prevention of Abuse. Vice President Biden, who helped create the Violence Against Women Act when he was a Senator, asked for increased funding for sexual assault and domestic violence agencies and an increased recognition of the issue of violence against women.

Pictured at the event, from left to right, Vice President Biden, U.S. Transportation Secretary Ray LaHood, Center for Prevention of Abuse Executive Director Martha Herm and U.S. Senator Dick Durbin.