Letter of Solidarity

Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity’s McCormick Chapter at the University of San Diego School of Law stands firmly in solidarity with BLSA members and the Black community, in their struggle for equal justice. We are devastated by the murders of George Floyd, Breonna Taylor, Ahmaud Arbery, and countless others who have suffered from police brutality and a legal system that does not serve them. We will not be silent while the Black community continues to suffer from the systematic racism that has been present in our nation since its founding. One of Phi Alpha Delta’s primary goals is to promote the principles of liberty and equal justice under law for all citizens. It is essential to recognize justice is not justice when it is unequal. In continuing to work towards true justice for all, we will continue to use our platform for education, service, and to amplify voices in the Black community. It is on us, as future lawyers, to create policies for change in our legal system, to uphold rule of law, challenge racist constructs and ensure equal justice for every American.

We stand in alliance with MELSA, ACE, LS4CRU, USD La Raza, USD WLC, USD APALSA, USD PBLA, and USD CLS, and ask that other USD organizations join us in actively condemning, and educating ourselves on, the racial injustice Black communities face each day. We firmly believe BLACK LIVES MATTER.

In solidarity,

PHI ALPHA DELTA LAW FRATERNITY-MCCORMICK CHAPTER EXECUTIVE BOARD 2020-2021