LETTER OF SOLIDARITY

In light of recent events, the Executive board of the USD Law Students for Cross-Racial Understanding stands in solidarity with the Black community within the University of San Diego as well as the nation as a whole. We are deeply saddened and outraged by the heinous murder of George Floyd and the continued acts of violence against Black persons across the nation. We call for the arrest of all the officers who murdered George Floyd and plead for an end to the institutional discrimination and police brutality that have plagued our nation for far too long.

We must not remain silent while our Black community continues to suffer disproportionately as a consequence of our current criminal legal system that targets minorities. We at LS4CRU cannot permit this affront to basic civil and human rights. It is our duty, especially as law students, to utilize our platforms to continue the dialogue on systemic racism and demand for change.

We stand in alliance with USD La Raza, USD WLC, USD APALSA, and USD CLS and encourage other USD organizations to speak out against racial injustice and police brutality. We pledge to fight alongside the Black community for progress until we mend this broken system.

Law Students for Cross-Racial Understanding Executive Board, 2020-2021
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