



Pi Lambda Chi Latina Sorority, Inc.

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Pi Lambda Chi Latina Sorority, Inc. condemns the racism, brutality, and injustice that has been historically prominent in the United States. We stand in solidarity with our Sisters and with the Black community as a whole. We are called, as Hermanas, to use strength, love, friendship, and loyalty to achieve unity within our organization and our communities. It is time we use our strength and platform to hold up our brothers and sisters as well as our privilege to help protect them. We must use our love to sit and hear their pain, provide a space of validation, and act to prevent the perpetuation of these injustices.

We must use friendship to empathize with them if it is needed. We must listen and use our loyalty to each other to stand together in the face of injustice. It is time for us to stand in unity against the injustices our communities are experiencing. It is absolutely unacceptable for a person's life to be taken for merely existing while some have the privilege to not even worry. These injustices negate the opportunity for many marginalized communities to live their life freely and safely.

We, as the governing body, will continue to examine our policies, practices, and programs to better serve our Black Sisters while also supporting all women, no matter their identities. We will also strive to educate our communities to get these conversations started to work towards change and continue them. A conversation of how to best support women on college campuses as well as those in need will be taking place. Stay safe, stay healthy, know that we hear you and know you are loved.

Pi Lambda Chi encourages everyone to take action to make change and support the Black Lives Matter Movement. Please visit the link below to learn, sign petitions, donate, take action, and support.

➤ <https://blacklivesmatters.carrd.co/>

Sincerely,

Lucia Balderas, President of Pi Lambda Chi Latina Sorority, Inc.
National Board 2019-2020 and National Board 2020-2021