

April 12, 2019

TO: Alysso Satterlund as Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs  
RE: Results of Marshall College Activity Fee Referendum

Students enrolled at UC San Diego voted on a referendum to increase the Marshall College Student Activity Fee during the Spring 2019 General Election that occurred the week of April 8, 2018. The ballot contained the following question:

### Marshall College Student Activity Fee Referendum

Do you approve a \$4.50 increase in the Thurgood Marshall College Student Activity Fee per undergraduate student per quarter effective Fall Quarter 2019 (for a total of \$10.50 per quarter) to improve student events and traditions, increase financial aid for students, and provide services to the students of Thurgood Marshall College of the University of California, San Diego?

The current Thurgood Marshall College Student Activity Fee is \$6.00 and 19.33% of that fee is allocated to financial aid. By approving this referendum, the Student Activity fee will increase to \$10.50 and 29% of the total fee will be allocated to help meet the needs of financial aid of undergraduate students, in accordance with University policy. The Thurgood Marshall College Student Activity Fee increase will support the following:

- Increase the amount of financial aid given to students by increasing the amount of the Student Activity Fee allocated to financial aid from \$1.16 to \$3.045.
- Assist funding for traditional events across Marshall College such as Marshall palooza, Cultural Celebration, and Senior Week.
- Fund resource centers, such as the Triton Food Pantry, and student initiatives to advocate for a larger portion of Marshall college students.
- Open opportunity to plan larger scale events that appeal towards the Marshall student population, such as off-campus trips, concerts, and service projects.

If this referendum is approved and implemented, this will be the first fee increase in Thurgood Marshall College since 2006, when the fee was increased from \$2 per student per quarter to \$6 per student per quarter. The fee will follow annual California Consumer Price Index (CPI) adjustments and will not be assessed during Summer Session. The fee increase will be effective Fall 2019 and no referendum to increase the Thurgood Marshall College Student Activity fee may be proposed until Fall 2022.

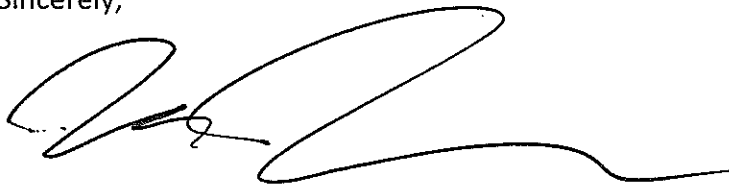
## Certification of Results

For this referendum to be valid, it requires the number of students casting ballots to equal or exceed 20% of the registered, affected student population. It also requires that the number of affirmative votes exceed half the total votes cast on the specific referendum in question.

A total of 4588 students were eligible to vote in this election, and 941 (20.51%) participated. There were 449 (52.45%) affirmative votes, and 407 (47.55%) negative votes.

I hereby certify that the 2019 election has concluded that the Marshall College Student Activity Fee Referendum has passed.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Kyler Vaughn', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Kyler Vaughn  
A.S. Elections Manager  
Associated Students  
UC San Diego