

**To:** Theta Tau Convention  
**From:** Michael T. Abraham, Executive Director  
**Date:** March 8, 2019  
**Subject:** Petition received from the UC Santa Barbara Colony of Theta Tau

I am pleased to submit for your consideration the petition just received from the UC Santa Barbara Colony of Theta Tau

*Constitution*, Article VI, Sec.VI.4 and *Policies and Procedures Manual*, Expansion provide: "A four-fifths vote of the Convention shall be required to accept a petition for a charter." "Whenever this Constitution or Bylaws call for a vote taken at a Convention, it is understood that between Conventions a vote may be taken of the chapters, the eligible alumni associations, the Regional Directors, and the Executive Council, and such vote shall have the same force as if taken at a Convention. A favorable vote by four-fifths of the student members of a chapter shall be considered a favorable vote of that chapter. A favorable vote of an alumni association shall be a favorable vote of four-fifths of the members attending that meeting."

**Background:** Please see petition itself.

Each one is urged to make the special effort required to give this proposal the earliest possible consideration, and to complete and mail the ballot without delay.

### B A L L O T

**Proposal:** That the petition received from the UC Santa Barbara Colony of Theta Tau become its newest chapter. -MTA

**Vote:** \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ Abstain

**Comments:**

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Office: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete and mail **promptly** to THETA TAU, 1011 San Jacinto, Suite 205, Austin, TX 78701, **fax to 512/472-4820**, or email to **central.office@thetatau.org**. Thank you!