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Dear Students, Faculty and Staff,

Our colleges and the people living in our communities, state and nation are hurting. We are deeply saddened and appalled by the senseless, brutal murder of George Floyd. It is a stark reminder of all lives lost to system racism. The news and videos of these lost lives have further thrust the issues of injustice, racism and hatred into our collective view and consciousness.

These issues have been with us for a long time. This college is not new to this fight. The work done over the decades, and the work over the last 90 days speak to who we are as a community of colleges. We can make a difference. In fact, as students and educators we have an immutable rw e2(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(6)0dteveaa0dveiouss states and educators we have an immutable rw e2(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)(1)0.8(-)