July 10, 2020

Janet Napolitano  
President  
University of California

Dear President Napolitano,

On behalf of the Responsible Administrative Officers from the ten UC campuses, we are pleased to provide this implementation report for the Universitywide Policing Task Force Recommendations.

The 2019 Report of the Presidential Task Force on Universitywide Policing identified 28 recommendations in the areas of community engagement, training, protocols and policies regarding use of force, independent advisory boards, the citizen complaint process and transparency. The final recommendation states: “Each campus shall create an implementation plan to ensure that recommendations from this Report that are accepted by the President are completed in a timely manner.” This report documents the work to implement the recommendations by all ten campuses and the Office of the President.

Thanks to the open and collaborative work by the Responsible Administrative Officers (RAOs) and Council of Chiefs, much progress has been made. The bulk of the work occurred within the first 12 months and has become a part of the normal operations on all of the campuses. A few of the recommendations have a longer timeline, but there is a strong commitment to complete and integrate all of the recommendations into our operations.

It has been our pleasure to serve as the Systemwide Implementation co-chairs for the University of California on this important work.

Sincerely,

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