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Theta Phi Alpha Fraternity Announces Closing of Gamma Tau Chapter at Clayton State University

With great sadness, Theta Phi Alpha Fraternity announces the closing of its Gamma Tau Chapter at Clayton State University in Morrow, GA. The Grand Council of Theta Phi Alpha voted to suspend the charter of this chapter effective on January 27, 2013.

"The decision to close our chapter at Clayton State University was not made lightly. Unfortunately, despite numerous efforts and the involvement of many, the chapter was not able to maintain academic and financial standards," says National President Laura Foley.

The members of Gamma Tau Chapter have been granted alumna status and will join the ranks of the more than 28,000 proud Theta Phi Alpha alumnae.

Questions can be directed to the Theta Phi Alpha National Office at (440) 899-9282.

Founded in 1912, Theta Phi Alpha is a women's organization to provide close comradeship; to advance educational, social, and philanthropic interests and leadership training; to encourage spiritual development and adherence to the highest moral standards; and to promote lifelong bonds of friendship; a fraternity for college and university women and alumnae. Theta Phi Alpha Fraternity was founded at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor; today there are 50 active collegiate chapters, 28 alumnae associations and 4 alumnae clubs in the United States.

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