

**Gustavus Adolphus College Archives**

**St. Peter, Minnesota**

**Letters Regarding Banning and Reinstatement of the Greek System,  
1988-1992.**

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**ABSTRACT:**

The Letters Regarding Banning and Reinstatement of the Greek System collection contains letters written to Gustavus Adolphus College in regards to a decision by the Board of Trustees to ban the Greek system on campus. Letters were sent in both support of the Board of Trustees and of the Greek system. Correspondence was prompted by a letter sent to Greek alumni from the fraternities and sororities of Gustavus Adolphus College, 13 April 1988. The letter explains the Board of Trustees' decision and asks for letters of support before the next Board meeting, when the decision would be finalized. There is also a letter written by Pastor Dan Buendorf of the Student Affairs Committee to President John Kendall that contains a summarization of the alumni letters. Also included is a report from the Ad Hoc Committee to Review the Possible Reinstatement of Fraternities and Sororities at Gustavus Adolphus College, along with some letters regarding the same topic.

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**COLLECTION CITATION:**

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**ACQUISITION:**

Jolene Christensen of the President's Office transferred this collection during November 2010.

**PROCESSED BY:**

Adrianna Darden processed this collection and developed the finding aid during December 2010.

**RELATED COLLECTIONS IN THE ARCHIVES:**

The archives holds collections for many individual fraternities and sororities.

**SUBJECT HEADINGS:**

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Gustavus Adolphus College -- Student organizations.

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Greek letter societies -- Minnesota -- St. Peter.

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