

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

June 17, 2021

Dear Colleagues,

I received a phone call this afternoon from our SACSCOC Vice President and Liaison, Denise Young. The Board of SACSCOC meeting in session June 14-17 has approved our Substantive Change request for change of ownership.

This approval allows us to remain accredited as we are established as a UT campus. An onsite committee will visit in mid-November to verify that the change

has been accomplished within the Principles and Standards of Accreditation as set forth by SACSCOC. The Board of SACSCOC did not list any concerns and were very complementary of the comprehensive process of due diligence and the prospectus as a whole.

Dr. Young also shared that the board took into account the excellent result of our recent 10 year reaffirmation.

The Board of Trustees of Martin Methodist College and the UT System are now authorized to proceed.

A special thank you to Dr. George Cheatham and to Dr. Jorge Perez, Associate Vice President for Institutional Effectiveness with the UT System, for their leadership on this.

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