



September 20, 2017

Dear University of New Hampshire Community:

On behalf of the Sisters of Alpha Phi, please accept our sincere apology for the behaviors exhibited in the video shared on a member's social media accounts and broadcast on the Facebook page, "All Eyes on UNH."

Alpha Phi does not condone or endorse this type of behavior and we will work to educate our membership on the societal implications and the impact that these types of incidents have on our communities.

We appreciate and understand the discontent and unease that the use of such words can inflict on a community and we are deeply sorry for this act of willful ignorance and lack of consideration for our peers and colleagues. These actions do not represent Alpha Phi's values and we do not condone this type of behavior by our members.

Alpha Phi sisters share a commitment to excellence and a strong desire to support one another and their communities. We believe in ensuring that all members of the communities that we represent feel safe and respected. Alpha Phi will continue to investigate this incident and we ask that the University of New Hampshire community respect the confidential nature of our process and the rights of our members to due process.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Megan Shields". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Megan Shields
Eta Alpha Chapter President
Alpha Phi Fraternity