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Theta Phi Alpha Announces Installation of Delta Iota Chapter at New Jersey City University

BAY VILLAGE, Ohio – The Grand Council of Theta Phi Alpha is pleased to announce the installation of the Delta Iota Chapter at New Jersey City University in Jersey City, New Jersey.

The day of celebration took place on Friday, June 16, kicked off with the initiation of 23 collegians and three alumnae in Hoboken, New Jersey. The chapter installation ceremony and celebratory dinner was held that evening in Jersey City and was attended by more than 50 people, including National Officers, collegians and alumnae, friends, and family members of the newest Theta Phi Alphas.

Leading the day's events were two members of the Grand Council: Nicole Conroy, National Vice President-Extension; and Lauren Svec Gallo, National Vice President-Alumnae. Additionally, many supportive sisters travelled to Hoboken and Jersey City for the day's events, including Terry Kinch, Past National President; Kristin Rodriguez, Director of Colonies; Michelle Coppola LaPlatney, National Panhellenic Conference Delegate; Brandy Americk, Conference Director; and collegians and alumnae from the Beta Gamma, Gamma Chi, and Delta Eta Chapters.

"The founding women of our new Delta Iota chapter are off to an incredible start thanks to the strong local support of our nearby chapters and volunteers as well as our national organization," said Susan Lee, National President. "We're excited to see all that this chapter can do as the first NPC organization on campus, not only for the sisters of Theta Phi Alpha, but for the entire Jersey City community."

Congratulatory notes can be emailed to NJCU@thetaphialpha.org.

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 was founded at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor; today there are 58 active collegiate chapters, 37 alumnae associations and four alumnae clubs in the United States.