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Student Government Association

*“Your Voice is  
Our Priority”*

**Hello Vaquer@s,**

As your student body president, I promised to engage you in campus matters. I ask that you get informed about the [referendum](#) and cast your vote Nov. 8-10. Your voice is your vote and your vote, has the power to determine the future of our institution for generations to come.

Every student at UTRGV defines our institution; our diversity, the difference in our experiences is what makes our university so unique. We are, and will continue to be united however, by the bonds of our legacy institutions, our vibrant and engaging campus life experiences, and your pride in UTRGV.

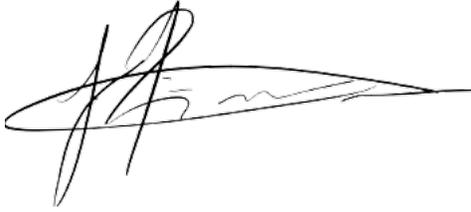
The referendum proposed by the department of Intercollegiate Athletics and the Division of Strategic Enrollment & Student Affairs requests an increase to the Intercollegiate Athletics fee of \$11.25 per credit hour to the existing \$15 per credit hour (capped at 12 hrs.) starting Fall 2022 for new incoming students to support the:

- Establishment of a Women’s swimming and diving team,
- Creation of marching bands,
- Establishment of a football program, and
- Expansion of the spirit program

UTRGV Community, if you wish to **support** or **not support** the proposed referendum- **it is your right**. Every student vote counts and I encourage you to cast yours Nov. 8-10.

Regardless of the outcome, we must stand together and continue to strive for the betterment of UTRGV.

Sincerely,



José Pablo Rojas  
President, Student Government Association

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