Community and Retention Empowerment (C.A.R.E.) Referendum

Shall the Undergraduate Students Association provide funds to support the efforts of student-initiated community, retention, and outreach programs to increase access to the university and serve the surrounding community by increasing the Undergraduate Students Association membership fees by $5.00 a quarter?

Approval of the referendum would provide:

$0.50/quarter to the Community Service Mini-Fund which provides additional programmatic funding for more than 40 student-run community service projects and programs.

$1.00/quarter to the Community Activities Committee which funds annual base-budgets for the basic operation of more than 40 student-run community service projects.

$1.50/quarter to the Student Initiated Outreach Committee to fund student-initiated outreach programs that serve educationally disadvantaged communities and populations.

$2.00/quarter to the Campus Retention Committee to fund student-initiated and student-run retention projects that have worked for over 10 years to increase the graduation rates of UCLA students.

(For additional information on the CARE Referendum, please consult the supplemental ballot information located in the voting booths and on the polling station tables.)

Yes  No

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Student Programs, Activities, and Resource Complex (SPARC) Referendum

Shall there be an assessment of a new mandatory student fee, projected to be $18.00/quarter, or $54.00/year, for the Student Programs, Activities and Resource Complex (SPARC)? The effective start date of this fee would be the 2002-03 academic year. The revenue generated would be utilized solely for the remodeling and creation of space to house student services and programs in the Men's Gymnasium and the Wooden Center North Expansion. The Student Retention Center and student-initiated community programs will receive expanded space in the Men's Gym. A student majority board will advise the Chancellor and Student Affairs regarding space allocation in these facilities after all existing programs have been returned to the Men's Gym and the women's lockers have been relocated from the Dance Building to the Wooden Center North Building. If needed, there will be incremental increases in the fee every four years for inflation in maintenance and repair costs and there will be a reduction of fees upon full retirement of the long-term debt (estimated to be 27 years) to a fee level required only for continued maintenance and repair purposes.

(For additional information on the SPARC Referendum, please consult the supplemental ballot information located in the voting booths and on the polling station tables.)

Yes  No

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Advisory Vote Only

Shall the Undergraduate Students Association in future elections conduct voting in the following manner (select only one):

Continue voting at on-campus outdoor polling stations

Vote by computer at home

Vote by computer at polling stations on-campus.

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1999 USAC PRIMARY ELECTION RESULTS

Total votes cast: 6,754
Undergraduate voter turnout: 29.21%

Community and Retention Empowerment (C.A.R.E.) Referendum:

YES: 4,371  83.10%
NO: 889  16.90%

Student Programs, Activities, and Resource Complex (SPARC) Referendum:

YES: 2,030  46.17%
NO: 2,367  53.83%

Advisory Vote Only:
Shall the Undergraduate Students Association in future elections conduct voting in the following manner:

Continue voting at on-campus outdoor polling stations: 2,652  59.41%
Vote by computer at home: 1,297  29.05%
Vote by computer at polling stations on-campus: 515  11.54%

President:

Daniel B. Rego  352  5.82%
Mike de la Rocha  2,677  44.30%
Phyllis Feng  1,515  25.07%
Andor Gyulai  1,499  24.81%

Internal Vice President:

Ramon L. Richardson  2,194  38.75%
Nayon Kang  1,478  26.10%
Mark Beck-Heyman  1,990  35.15%

External Vice President:

Sophia S. Paek  3,232  64.43%
Grey Kenneth Frandsen  1,784  35.57%

General Representatives (3 elected):

Meredith Magner  1,810  18.57%
Wendy Sanchez  2,171  22.28%
Katynja McCory  2,221  22.79%
Chris Cheng  1,440  14.78%
Adam Rosenthal  2,103  21.58%