A Message from the President

DATE: September 5, 2017

TO: UTEP's DACA Students

FROM: Diana Natalicio, President

CC: Students, Faculty and Staff

I join your UTEP family in expressing support for you and the achievement of your educational aspirations. We understand and very much regret that, with every breaking news story or rumor, the visa uncertainties that surround you gain new intensity and cause enormous stress and apprehension for you and your loved ones.

What we want to be sure you know is that UTEP stands fully behind you and your dreams of a successful future through the attainment of your UTEP degree. Please know, too, that we will do all within our power to ensure that you have the opportunity to achieve your educational goals on our campus.

I trust that you know about the support services that are available to you at UTEP, and that you won't hesitate to reach out to them. Dean of Students, Dr. Catie McCorry-Andalis (cmandalis@utep.edu or 747-5648), is prepared to provide you with additional information about these services and any other support that you may need.

Your abundant talents, high aspirations and diligence have enabled you to become successful UTEP students and esteemed members of our UTEP family. We look very much forward to our opportunity to celebrate with each and every one of you when you cross the Don Haskins Center stage to receive the UTEP degree that you will earn through your hard work and determination to succeed.

With our most heartfelt good wishes......Go Miners!