**Proclamation**

Sisterhood Day  
March 3rd, 2008

WHEREAS for over 150 years the Panhellenic Community has contributed to the growth of women at Marietta College both academically and morally; and

WHEREAS the bonds formed through involvement in the Panhellenic Community form close bonds of friendship and sisterhood that last far beyond the years at college and provide personal and professional support through alumnae activities and networking; and

WHEREAS sorority life at Marietta College has contributed to the greater Marietta Community through countless community service projects and has thus contributed to the unity of the Marietta Community through mutual respect and helpfulness; and

WHEREAS the mantling surrounding the National Panhellenic Conference shield is the protecting cloak that education gives us, and a protective influence of organization; and

NOW, THEREFORE, the City of Marietta, Ohio does hereby proclaim the day of March 3rd, 2008 as Sisterhood Day.