## Dear Campus Colleague:

The restricted center core area of the UC Davis campus is defined as that portion of the central campus that limits vehicular traffic by the use of traffic control gates and bollards. In response to ongoing safety concerns with an increasing number of vehicles traveling within the restricted core, and in efforts to reduce potential vehicle versus bicyclist/pedestrian accidents, access management policies will now be more strictly enforced.

General vehicle access to the restricted campus core, identified at various entry points by mechanical gatearms, is limited to emergency response vehicles, authorized buses, Mobility Assistance Shuttles and authorized vehicles whose heavy loading/unloading needs cannot be met by other feasible parking options. The core may not be used as a short cut to travel to a destination point outside of the campus core. Vehicles entering the core are required to display a "Central Campus" permit and drivers agree to adhere to established central campus access guidelines and regulations in efforts to maintain a safe environment. The speed limit when driving in the core is 15MPH.

Vehicular movement in the center core is prohibited during class breaks/lockdown. When a traffic control gate light is flashing, lockdown is in progress and drivers may not enter the center core during this time. To avoid blocking vehicles that are authorized to move during class breaks (emergency response vehicles, public transit buses and the Mobility Assistance Shuttle), drivers may not pull their vehicle in front of the gatearm until the light has stopped flashing. Drivers may never drive around the bollards or control gates to gain access. Drivers that are already in the core during class breaks are required to park along the curb and stay in the vehicle until lockdown/class break has concluded.

Effective April 27, 2015, the hours of operation for central campus lockdown periods will be extended by three hours each weekday to assist with enforcement of these established policies. New hours of operation will be 7:50am-7:10pm (the existing hours of operation are 7:50am-4:10pm). Currently, the 10 minute lockdown periods occur once every hour. In the morning, lockdowns begin at 7:50am, and at Noon lockdowns begin on the hour. Although this schedule will continue to be in effect for all central campus gatearm mechanisms, three additional lockdown periods will be implemented to correspond with class break schedules, as follows: 10:20am-10:30am, 1:30pm-1:40pm and 4:30pm-4:40pm (Please refer to the new schedule, below). The Central Campus access management policy is administered by Transportation Services (TAPS), and parking violations are enforced by TAPS and the campus Police. Moving violations (exceeding the speed limit, driving during class breaks/lockdown,

disregarding bollards/gates, etc.) will be enforced by the campus Police Department. Citation fines for central campus violations may exceed \$74.

Please visit the TAPS website at <a href="http://taps.ucdavis.edu/parking/information/core">http://taps.ucdavis.edu/parking/information/core</a> to obtain information regarding the restricted central campus access policies or contact TAPS via email at <a href="mailto:parking@ucdavis.edu">parking@ucdavis.edu</a>.

Thank you for your attention and compliance to this important safety policy.

Sincerely,

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## Central Campus Gate Lockdown Schedule Effective April 27, 2015

Lockdown Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday, 7:50am-7:10pm

Lockdown Start Time	Lockdown End Time
7:50am	8:00am
8:50am	9:00am
9:50am	10:00am
10:20am	10:30am
10:50am	11:00am
11:50am	12:10pm
1:00pm	1:10pm
1:30pm	1:40pm
2:00pm	2:10pm
3:00pm	3:10pm
4:00pm	4:10pm
4:30pm	4:40pm
5:00pm	5:10pm
6:00pm	6:10pm
7:00pm	7:10pm