## Tribute to Mandy Potts Heilers, A commemorative project

As shared in the tribute sent out to the Dallas Deltas Alum group written by Aimee Cole Cali, in partnership with the House Corporation we have selected a commemorative project to leave a lasting legacy with Mandy's name in the SMU Tri Delta house. After reviewing the options and donation amounts needed, we selected "the Front Door" project so that all who enter our Tri Delta home will be welcomed by a new entrance and special plaque in Mandy's memory. We are thinking the plaque would read: All who enter, may we 'steadfastly love one another' in memory of our beloved sister, Mandy Potts Heilers '92

The most pressing is the physical front door which will require us to raise \$5000 to fund. The upgraded door will not only create a more inviting entrance, but is needed to add security features and improve the energy efficiency. The "stretch" project would also replace the railings with something scaled more appropriate to the entry of the house and would require us to raise in total \$10,000-\$12,500 for the door and railings.

It would be amazing if we all came together to fully fund both parts of the project. Please pass along to other Tri Deltas who may love to contribute to beautify our Tri Delta home and honor Mandy. We realize that there are many donation opportunities, so anything you can give big or small will be a wonderful contribution! The door is planned to be replaced in late November, so please provide all donations via check or Venmo by November 15<sup>th</sup>.

Donations may be mailed to the Tri Delta House at SMU with your check made payable to Tri Delta Educational Fund at SMU 3100 University Blvd. Dallas, Texas 75205 designating Mandy's name in the comments line -or- if easier, please Venmo @Lauren-DeCuir-1 and I will provide to the project. If you have any questions, please reach out (972-896-7598).

Delta Love and Mine, Lauren McLain DeCuir SMU Theta Kappa '92