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MAYOR

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Broadway International Film Festival-LA

Dear Friends,

On behalf of the City of Los Angeles, it is my pleasure to welcome and congratulate the members and guests attending the Broadway International Film Festival-LA (BIFF-LA).

History has proven that films and their artists shape and reshape our society. The City of Los Angeles is honored to once again embrace those filmmakers who inspire us with their work and who promote the cultural and artistic diversity that is vital to Los Angeles.

I extend my sincere appreciation to the international film, entertainment industry, and media as they raise awareness and promote the various cultures, people and countries through the art of film. The festival is a multicultural event that celebrates the richness and diversity of our communities.

I extend my best wishes for a memorable event.

Very truly yours,

ANTONIO R. VILLARAIGOSA
Mayor