

## Los Angeles Councilmember Paul Koretz presents Certificate of Appreciation to New Media Film Festival

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LOS ANGELES , CA, USA, August 8, 2016 /EINPresswire.com/ -- On opening night of the 7th Annual <u>New Media</u> Film Festival, Councilmember Paul Koretz Fifth District of <u>Los Angeles</u> California, stood before a packed theater of celebrities, emerging and established new media filmmakers, content creators and <u>video</u> artists preparing to present a Certificate of Appreciation to <u>www.NewMediaFilmFestival.com</u>

The New Media Film Festival began in 2009 with a strong slate of films from around the world. Since its inception, the festival has brought thousands of people together to view, discus, buy and sell content across a variety of traditional and new media formats. New Media Film Festival is stronger than ever, at a cross roads of excellence and embodying a potential future that could literally take the world by storm.

As Councilmember Paul Koretz stood at the podium, he shared with the audience, "I am thrilled to be here at an event, New Media Film Festival that celebrates and recognizes the best in new media with over 125 New Media Films and content from 37 countries, many of which are premiering at this festival. I could not think of a better city where this kind of



Founder/Director Susan Johnston and Councilmember Paul Koretz Fifth District

artistic and cultural exchange could take place, other than Los Angeles. This festival brings the globe to Los Angeles and Los Angeles to the globe."

In attendance were an array of talent such as Golden Globe & Emmy Nominee Ed Begley Jr., Golden Globe Winner Sally Kirkland, and 5 time Emmy Winner Paul Wagner. As well as judges from SAG/AFTRA, The Grammys, The Oscars and many more organizations.

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The New Media Film Festival is one of the most unusual yet exciting festivals in the world. New Media Film Festival embodies the transformative power of the cinematic arts as it effectively welds together story and technology for everyone. It is inspiring to think about how new media is rapidly changing the



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film industry today and to seeing where new media will take us in the future.

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Councilmember Paul Koretz Fifth District Certificate of Appreciation is hereby presented to: New Media Film Festival

The City of Los Angeles salutes and celebrates the 7th Annual New Media Film Festival, a celebration of the intersection of new technology and storytelling. In its seventh consecutive year, the New Media Film Festival continues to bring together cutting-edge technology, innovative storytelling, and world-renown talent to the City of Los Angeles. Through caring deeds and steadfast ways, the New Media Film Festival has helped make the City of Los Angeles a better place in which to live and create. Thank you! Paul Koretz Councilmember, Fifth District Los Angeles CA

## ABOUT: www.NewMediaFilmFestival.com

In 2009 New Media Film Festival was announced in Second Life as part of the C3 – United Nations – Millennium Project as an annual event. The Festival brings together the work of established and emerging New Media Content Creators and video artists, from the US as well as internationally.

New Media Film Festival introduces new technology, communication of ideas through panels and Q & A's to implement a more expansive use of 21st technology in storytelling for artists and content creators.

The Goal of New Media Film Festival is to bring the world the Best in New Media – Honoring Stories worth Telling of emerging and established video and new media artists throughout the world. To give the global community at large the chance to experience the latest in technology and innovative storytelling to help define the world of new media.

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