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Mr. Keith Famie Executive Producer/Director Detroit: Our Greatest Generation Visionalist Entertainment Productions 28345 Beck Road, Suite 404 Wixom, MI 48393

Dear Keith:

It is our great pleasure to congratulate you on the premier of your film "Detroit: Our Greatest Generation," and we want to thank you for recognizing and paying tribute to the contributions and sacrifices made by Detroit's WW II veterans.

Everyday, more than one thousand World War II veterans pass away, and in less than a decade, nearly all of these brave souls will be gone. As their voices fall silent, so do their stories. That is why your film, which captures their memories in their own words and preserves them for generations to come, is so important.

More than 60 years ago, these brave men and women defended democracy in a critical fight for freedom; and today, they continue to make our country and our state proud. Certainly, these patriots have earned and deserve our highest praise.

On behalf of the citizens of Michigan, we humbly salute Our Greatest Generation.

Sincerely yours,

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