

MAYOR KEN SIM



November 24th – 26th, 2023

A MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR

On behalf of the citizens of Vancouver and my colleagues on City Council, I want to extend my best wishes to the organizers, volunteers and filmmakers of the 10th Annual Vancouver Turkish Film Festival.

As Mayor, I am proud of our thriving arts community and I am always pleased to see the growth of Film Festivals in the city's arts calendar for the year. The Vancouver Turkish Film Festival aims not only to promote Turkish Cinema by bringing highly acclaimed, award-winning Turkish films, but also to encourage dialogue and cross-cultural understanding among local communities. With so many talented contributors and its mission of bringing people and cultures together, the festival is sure to be a success. I want to thank all of the organizers, volunteers and filmmakers who have worked hard to make this festival a success.

We hope everyone has the opportunity to experience contemporary Turkish Cinema. Have a great Festival!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of several loops and a long horizontal stroke, representing Mayor Ken Sim.

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