



WALT DISNEY Studios Motion Pictures

July 1, 2021

Councilmember Mitch O'Farrell
13th District
200 N. Spring Street, Room 480
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Councilmember O'Farrell,

I am writing to ask for your approval of a temporary full closure of Hollywood Blvd., between Highland Avenue and Orange Drive, on Monday, August 16, 2021; to accommodate the world premiere of **Marvel Studios' SHANG-CHI AND THE LEGEND OF THE TEN RINGS** at The El Capitan Theatre & TCL Chinese IMAX. There will be the traditional red carpet limo arrivals and press interviews of celebrities prior to the 6:30 or 7:00 PM start of the show.

Our proposed closure consists of the following streets:

- Sunday, August 15th from 10:00 PM to Tuesday, August 17th at 6:00 AM = Full closure of Hollywood Blvd., between Highland Avenue and Orange Drive
- Sunday, August 15th from 10:00 PM to Tuesday, August 17th at 6:00 AM = eastern most portion of the Hawthorn Ave. north curb parking lane, between Highland Ave. and Orange Dr. for heavy equipment delivery, pickup, and staging. This will not affect MTA bus operations and allows for tour bus parking.

Our proposed closure consists of the following sidewalks:

- *Dates and timing TBD and to be updated soon* = mid-block crosswalk between the Dolby Portal and El Capitan Entertainment Centre.
- Monday, August 16th from 2:00 PM to 8:00 PM = portions of the south sidewalk of Hollywood Blvd. in front of El Capitan Theatre to accommodate arrivals into the theatre & portions of the north sidewalk of Hollywood Blvd. in front of the TCL Chinese IMAX to accommodate arrivals into the theatre. Our plan is to "pulse" pedestrians and premiere guests in this window on both sides of the street.

Thank you for considering our request. We will, of course, pay all applicable fees. Further, we recognize the impact of any street closure on our community and promise to keep residents and businesses informed of our plans and work with all departments of the city to insure a safe and enjoyable event for all.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Troy Knutson".

Troy Knutson
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MARVEL STUDIOS' SHANG-CHI

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