



Mayor's Message

It is my pleasure to extend greetings to everyone attending the First African Movie Festival in Manitoba.

As the first Festival of its kind in our city, the African Movie Festival will highlight and showcase the diversity of African talent and get Winnipeggers talking about the rich culture and stories that African films portray. From cocktails to cultural activities to academic dialogue, the Film Festival will have something to engage everyone. And with full feature movies, shorts and documentaries from Nigeria, South Africa, Ethiopia, Burkina Faso, Senegal, and Mali, Winnipeg audiences will have the opportunity celebrate the best African cinema from across the continent.

On behalf of the City of Winnipeg and my City Council colleagues, I want to recognize the volunteers, organizers, and film makers whose tremendous work has made the Festival possible. Thank you all for your contributions to the First African Movie Festival and the rich cultural life of our city.

Warmly,

Mayor Brian Bowman
City of Winnipeg