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The New Mexico Film Office Announces "Midnight, Texas" Season One Filming in New Mexico

SANTA FE — New Mexico Film Office Director Nick Maniatis announced today that the NBC television series, "Midnight, Texas," produced by Universal Television and David Janollari Entertainment is filming in October through February 2017 in Albuquerque, Santa Fe, Bernalillo and Belen.

"Albuquerque welcomes the TV series "Midnight, Texas" to our city," said Albuquerque's Mayor Richard Berry. "The film industry provides high-paying, creative jobs to our citizens and many businesses are affected positively by the filming here in Albuquerque."

"Like Midnight itself, Santa Fe is also a 'safe haven' for those who are different. We're very happy to have this production here," said Santa Fe Mayor Javier Gonzales.

"Bernalillo County welcomes the film industry to our community," Bernalillo County Commission Chair Art De La Cruz says. "I encourage more productions to continue to explore Bernalillo County's unique and diverse filming locations, from the mountains to the valley."

The production will employ over 450 New Mexico crew members and approximately 1,800 New Mexico background talent.

Based on the New York Times best-selling book series by Charlaine Harris (author of the novels that inspired "True Blood"), comes a journey into a remote Texas town where being normal is really quite strange and only outsiders fit in. Home to a vampire, witch, angel and hit woman, Midnight, Texas is a mysterious safe haven for those who are different. That is, until the arrival of a powerful psychic and the murder of one of their own. As the town members fight off outside pressures from ever-suspicious cops, deadly biker gangs, and their own dangerous pasts, they band together and form an unlikely but strong family.

Francois Arnaud ("The Borgias"), Dylan Bruce ("Orphan Black,"), Parisa Fitz-Henley ("Luke Cage"), Arielle Kebbel ("Vampire Diaries"), Jason Lewis ("Sex and the City"), Peter Mensah ("True Blood"), Sarah Ramos ("Parenthood") and Yul Vazquez ("Bloodline") star in the series.

Monica Owusu-Breen ("Agents of S.H.I.E.L.D.") and David Janollari ("Six Feet Under") serve as executive producers. The pilot episode was directed by Niels Arden Oplev ("Mr. Robot").

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Directors of the series include: David Solomon ("Buffy the Vampire Slayer"), Steve Shill ("Law & Order: SVU"), Milan Cheylov ("Bones"), Nick Gomez ("Chicago P.D."), Mairzee Almas ("Smallville"), Kevin Tancharoen ("Arrow") and Greg Beeman ("Heroes").

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