

**ACCELERATED REVIEW PROCESS - E**

Office of the City Engineer

Los Angeles California

To the Honorable Council  
Of the City of Los Angeles

MAR 25 2014

Honorable Members:

C. D. No. 13

SUBJECT:

Hollywood Boulevard and Vine Street - Walk of Fame Additional Name in Terrazzo Sidewalk --  
ORLANDO BLOOM

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RECOMMENDATIONS:

- A. That the City Council designate the unnumbered location situated one sidewalk square northerly of and between numbered locations 64K and 64k as shown on Sheet #19 of Plan D-13788 for the Hollywood Walk of Fame for the installation of the name of Orlando Bloom at 6927 Hollywood Boulevard.
- B. Inform the Hollywood Chamber of Commerce of the Council's action on this matter.
- C. That this report be adopted prior to the date of the ceremony on April 2, 2014.

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT:

No General Fund Impact. All cost paid by permittee.

TRANSMITTALS:

- 1. Unnumbered communication dated March 7, 2014, from the Hollywood Historic Trust of the Hollywood Chamber of Commerce, biographical information and excerpts from the minutes of the Chamber's meeting with recommendations.


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DISCUSSION:

The Walk of Fame Committee of the Hollywood Chamber of Commerce has submitted a request for insertion into the Hollywood Walk of Fame the name of Orlando Bloom. The ceremony is scheduled for Wednesday, April 2, 2014 at 11:30 a.m.

The communicant's request is in accordance with City Council action of October 18, 1978, under Council File No. 78-3949. Following the Council's action of approval, and upon proper application and payment of the required fee, an installation permit can be secured at 201 N. Figueroa Street, 3rd Floor, Counter 23.

Respectfully submitted,

  
for Lemuel M. Paco, P.E.  
Central District Engineer  
Bureau of Engineering

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cc: Construction Services Center, Counter 23  
Bureau of Street Services  
Administration

**HOLLYWOOD**  
**WALK OF FAME**

**CONFIDENTIAL!!!**

March 7, 2014

Mr. Gary L. Moore  
Public Works Engineering  
Att: Lemuel Paco  
201 N. Figueroa St., 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, M.S. 503  
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Mr. Moore:

The Walk of Fame Committee of the Hollywood Chamber of Commerce has approved the below listed name for insertion into the Hollywood Walk of Fame:

**ORLANDO BLOOM -Category --(MOTION PICTURES)** Requested star location to be 6927 Hollywood Boulevard, north side of the street in front of Grauman's Chinese Theatre. The star for **ORLANDO BLOOM** will be placed in the second row next to the usual row closest to the building in the second row next to the star of **HERB ALPERT** (This star was relocated and not sure if it has a number) and a blank square, that is not numbered. The star for **ORLANDO BLOOM** will also be located next to those located in the original row and previously dedicated to **JOHN CHARLES THOMAS** which is numbered (64K) to the west and **BRUCE LEE** which is numbered (64k) and faces the east. According to sheet #19 plan 13788, **ORLANDO BLOOM's** star has no designated number. The dedication ceremony is scheduled for **WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2, 2014 at 11:30 a.m.** Thank you for your cooperation in this request. I look forward to a response from your office soon.

The following materials are enclosed: **ORLANDO BLOOM'S** bio and the Board of Director's Minutes.

Sincerely,



Ana Martinez  
Vice President, Media Relations  
Producer Walk of Fame ceremonies

cc:

Mayor Eric Garcetti  
Leron Gubler  
Carmine Goglia  
Hannibal Harris

Councilman Mitch O'Farrell  
Sgt. Lamont Jerrett  
SPEC Security  
Darin Cohen

Emily Zalenski  
Robin Baum  
Top End

## ORLANDO BLOOM BIOGRAPHY

Orlando Bloom was born in Canterbury, England and trained at the National Youth Theatre in London. He later earned a scholarship to study with the British American Drama Academy. Having completed his scholarship, Bloom made his feature film debut in *WILDE*, starring Stephen Fry and Jude Law.

Bloom was next accepted to London's Guildhall School of Music and Drama where he performed in many stage productions, including *PEER GYNT* and *TWELFTH NIGHT*. Upon graduation, a then unknown Bloom was cast in the films that launched his career: Peter Jackson's Academy Award winning trilogy, *THE LORD OF THE RINGS*. Bloom captured the attention of international audiences and filmmakers alike as 'Legolas.'

In the summer of 2003, Bloom starred opposite Johnny Depp and Keira Knightley in the Jerry Bruckheimer-produced Disney hit, *PIRATES OF THE CARIBBEAN: THE CURSE OF THE BLACK PEARL*, directed by Gore Verbinski.

Orlando then worked with Ridley Scott on *BLACKHAWK DOWN* and went on to star in Scott's *KINGDOM OF HEAVEN* for 20th Century Fox. Bloom followed the epic Crusades film with his first contemporary American role starring opposite Kirsten Dunst in Cameron Crowe's autobiographical *ELIZABETHTOWN*, produced by Crowe and Tom Cruise for Paramount Pictures.

Bloom then reprised his role as 'Will Turner' in the box office record-breaking *PIRATES OF THE CARIBBEAN: DEAD MAN'S CHEST*, and *PIRATES OF THE CARIBBEAN: AT WORLD'S END*.

In the wake of those blockbusters, Bloom made his debut on London's West End in a revival of David Storey's 1969 drama, *IN CELEBRATION*. Produced by Sonia Friedman and directed by Anna Mackmin, the production and Bloom were well-received by both critics and audiences alike.

Bloom's additional film credits include *NED KELLY* opposite Heath Ledger; Wolfgang Peterson's *TROY* opposite Brad Pitt; the Cayman Islands ensemble *HAVEN* opposite Zoe Saldana; and *NEW YORK, I LOVE YOU* opposite Christina Ricci. Bloom can also be seen in Mark Ruffalo's directorial debut, *SYMPATHY FOR DELICIOUS* in which he stars opposite Laura Linney. He followed *SYMPATHY* with Horton Foote's *MAIN STREET*, in which he stars opposite Colin Firth and Patricia Clarkson. Orlando made his producorial debut via his Viddywell Production Company in *THE GOOD DOCTOR*, which he also stars in opposite Michael Peña, J.K. Simmons, and Taraji P. Henson. Orlando also starred opposite Academy Award winner Christoph Waltz in Paul W.S. Anderson's *THE THREE MUSKETEERS*.

In 2013, Orlando starred opposite Forest Whitaker in the closing night film of the Cannes Film Festival, Jerome Salle's *ZULU*. He then starred as 'Romeo' in the Broadway production of *ROMEO AND JULIET*, directed by David Leveaux. Orlando then reprised his role as 'Legolas' in Peter Jackson's *THE HOBBIT: DESOLATION OF SMAUG*, which was released in theaters on December 13<sup>th</sup> 2013.

He will next be seen in the final film of *THE HOBBIT* trilogy, *THERE AND BACK AGAIN*, to be released on December 17th 2014.

Hollywood Chamber of Commerce  
BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Wednesday, June 19, 2013

MINUTES

Attending: Heather Cochran, Chair; Barton; Berberi, Assil, Butler, Campbell, Chong, Conti, Gallogly, Gonzales, Folb, Gargano, Goodwin, D. Green, H. Green, Kalantari, Koretz, Logan, Marlis, Mihalka, Sarian, See, Sundher, Zarrinnam.

Honorary Directors present: Arslanian, Cabral-Ebert, Diehl, Farrar, Hines, Morrison, Shelton, Smith.

Staff Present: Gubler, Kiecker, Shahenian

Board Members absent: Abou-Daoud, Dadigan, Druyen, Hart, Keyser, Mann, Massie, Moe, Rheinstein, Saavedra, Savage, Stephan, Taglyan.

I) Call to Order

Chair Heather Cochran called the meeting to order at 4:05 p.m.

V) Walk of Fame Committee Report

D. Green announced the 2014 Walk of Fame honoree recommendation submitted by the Walk of Fame Committee:

**MOTION PICTURES:** Orlando Bloom, Ray Dolby, Sally Field, Jack H. Harris, Jessica Lange, Matthew McConaughey, Liam Neeson, Paul Mazursky, and Tom Sherak

**TELEVISION:** Dabney Coleman, Kaley Cuoco, Claire Danes, Giancarlo Esposito, Deidre Hall, Cheryl Hines, Don Mischer, Tavis Smiley and Phil Hartman (posthumous)

**RECORDING:** Holland Dozier Holland, Jeff Lynne, Mana, Ray Parker Jr., Katy Perry, Rick Springfield and Tupac Amaru Shakur (posthumous)

**RADIO:** Renan Almendarez Coello (El Cucuy)

Motion by Stephan, seconded by Zarrinnam to approve the Walk of Fame committee selections for 2014.

Motion carried.