Government of the District of Columbia OFFICE OF CABLE TELEVISION FILM, MUSIC AND ENTERTAINMENT



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: February 10, 2020

CONTACT: Michael Mitchell 202-671-2338 michael.mitchell3@dc.gov

OCTFME Recognizes the Perry Belmont House As the February 2020 Location of the Month



Washington, DC – The Office of Cable Television, Film, Music and Entertainment (OCTFME) recognizes the Perry Belmont House as the February 2020 Location of the Month.

Located at 1618 New Hampshire Avenue NW in Washington, DC, this mansion is a film ready property and makes an exciting and exotic DC location for film, television and event productions as well as engagements and corporate events. The rooms range in size and various set ups are available including theatre, boardroom, U-shaped, hollow square, and classroom.

Government of the District of Columbia OFFICE OF CABLE TELEVISION FILM, MUSIC AND ENTERTAINMENT



In fact, the upcoming film "Without Remorse" starring Michael B. Jordan was filmed at the Perry Belmont House. Without Remorse is an upcoming 2020 American action thriller film directed by Stefano Sollima and written by Taylor Sheridan. The film stars Michael B. Jordan and is scheduled to be released in the United States on September 18, 2020.

Without Remorse stars Jordan as John Kelly, a Navy SEAL, who goes on a path to avenge his wife's murder only to find himself inside of a larger conspiracy. (Shared here with permission from Paramount Pictures) **Teaser trailer:** <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UOsC9LsMM3I</u>

The Perry Belmont House is possibly the finest, intact example of a Beaux Arts style mansion in Washington. Beaux Arts translates as "beautiful art", a style-prevalent from 1880-1920 – and is generally related to theatrical or monumental design employing classical details and proportions. Completed in 1909, The Perry Belmont Mansion was built for the specific purpose of entertaining not only notables of Washington, but also dignitaries from all over the world.

"We are honored to be the featured location of the month for February by the DC Office of Cable Television, Film, Music, and Entertainment," stated Lawrence von Weigel, International Headquarters Administrator. "The historic Perry Belmont House is the finest example of Beaux-Arts architecture in Washington, DC and we are thrilled to be recognized by such a great organization and to offer the mansion as a potential filming location."

Each room on the entertaining floor showcases exemplary design from varied architectural styles ranging from; Classic Louis XIV, Italian Renaissance, Austrian Baroque, and English Classism. The rooms are handsomely appointed with period furniture including a gold gilded Steinway grand piano. There simply is no grander film ready space in Washington, DC to capture or shoot any type of production and to entertain on the highest level. The history, architecture and priceless décor are unparalleled.

If architecture is frozen music, surely The Perry Belmont House is one of the greatest symphonies ever composed. It has anchored a prominent location in Washington, DC for over a century a testament to the quality of its construction and to the dedicated stewardship of its residents.

To learn more about the Perry Belmont House and for more information please visit <u>http://www.ihbelmontevents.com/</u> or OCTFME's locations referral resource <u>THE PERRY</u> <u>BELMONT HOUSE</u>. For information about past locations of the month, visit <u>DC Reel-Scout</u> <u>Directory</u>.

Website:

www.ihbelmontevents.com www.perrybelmonthouse.org

Government of the District of Columbia OFFICE OF CABLE TELEVISION FILM, MUSIC AND ENTERTAINMENT



Social Media

Instagram: <u>@theperrybelmonthouse</u> Facebook: <u>The Perry Belmont House</u>

About Location of the Month

The "Location of the Month" initiative is part of the agency's mission to market and support District locales as media production locations, and to bring attention to the wide range of cinematically compelling locations that are available to film and television productions.

If you have a suggestion for a future OCTFME "Location of the Month" we would love to hear from you. If you own or manage a business, venue or location you would like to be featured as a "Location of the Month," or if you are a filmmaker or a fan of local filmmaking with a suggestion for a unique DC location OCTFME could feature in the future "Location of the Month" please use this <u>nomination form</u> and tell us all about it.

About OCTFME

The Office of Cable Television, Film, Music and Entertainment (OCTFME) produces and broadcasts programming for the District of Columbia's public, educational, and government access (PEG) cable television channels and digital radio station; regulates the District of Columbia's cable television service providers; provides customer service for cable subscribers; and supports a sustainable film, music, and entertainment creative economy and labor market in the District of Columbia.

OCTFME operates and manages the District's government television access channels: the District Council Channel (DCC), the District of Columbia Network (DCN), and the District Knowledge Network (DKN). OCTFME's award-winning content provides resourceful information on government activity, education, current events, history, music, arts and entertainment. OCTFME manages and programs DC Radio 96.3 HD4 digital radio station, the District of Columbia's first government radio station in partnership with Howard University's WHUR. It is one of only two full-power, city-owned and managed radio stations in the country

OCTFME provides production support services that advance film, television, video, entertainment, interactive, multimedia, and digital media content creators. These services include: permitting; location scouting; production support; job placement assistance; workforce development; and the DC Film, Television and Entertainment Rebate Fund.

OCTFME supports the creative economy through Mayor Muriel Bowser Presents: 202Creates initiative, administering programs supporting the growth and sustainability of the creative industries in all 8 Wards of the District.

For more information, contact the Office of Cable Television, Film, Music, and Entertainment at (202) 671-0066, visit us online at: <u>entertainment.dc.gov</u>, and follow us on <u>Facebook.com/entertaindc</u>, <u>Instagram.com/entertain_dc</u> and <u>Twitter.com/entertain_dc</u>.