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Dear Friends:

It is with great pleasure that I extend my warmest congratulations to **SAG-AFTRA** on the occasion of its Inaugural National Convention on September 25 - 29, and welcome delegates from around the nation to Los Angeles.

Since the 1930's, the Screen Actors Guild and the American Federation of Television and Radio Artists has been committed to ensuring the benefits and well being of its members. SAG-AFTRA represents 165,000 media artists in the United States, and partners with fellow unions in the U.S. and around the world to ensure the strongest protections in a changing era. I know that SAG-AFTRA will continue to strengthen the rights and lives of media artists in my district and throughout the entertainment industry.

Best wishes on a memorable event!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Karen Bass".

Karen Bass  
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