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Hope Institute of Music 1021 S. Hope St. Los Angeles, CA 90015

Dear Friends:

On the occasion of your 2005 Hope Children's Music Festival, it is my pleasure to celebrate the work of Hope Institute of Music (HIM). This note-worthy organization brings together young children of diverse backgrounds from around the City of Los Angeles to share their musical and artistic abilities. HIM creates an atmosphere that builds self-confidence and self-esteem, while at the same time enriches the lives of these children by giving them an opportunity to perform publicly.

In addition, I applaud HIM for their relentless hard work in bringing children of all backgrounds together to share something they all have in common, their love for music. I join in celebrating this joyous celebration of music and cultural diversity.

Thank you for giving me the opportunity to be a part of this important event. It is truly an honor.

Best wishes for a memorable festival.

Sincerely,

Jan Perry Councilwoman, Ninth District

