



ERIC GARCETTI
MAYOR

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Dear Reader,

As Mayor of the City of Los Angeles, it is my pleasure to introduce you to Los Angeles through *Pride Guide California*. This book showcases the uniqueness and beauty of our LGBT friendly city and California.

Almost 4 million people call Los Angeles home and together create a place with an incredibly rich and diverse cultural tapestry. While millions more from across the globe travel here to enjoy our beaches or see where their favorite stars live, it's that "only in L.A." culture that draws people to our part of the state and causes people to fall in love with this city.

Thank you for exploring Los Angeles. We hope to see you soon.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Eric Garcetti".

ERIC GARCETTI
Mayor