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It's a city where anything can happen So what could go wrong or right as I hit up L A unscripted from the TCL Chinese theater in Hollywood from the embellished entrance guarded by a 30 ft dragon to the four court of foot and hand prints from TV And films most famous at almost a century old The TC Chinese theater is a marvel of design and movie memories Hi and no it is not Hollywood Magic We are really going off script inside the legendary landmark with one of my favorite co stars My best Eat Doug Cole Oh Dana I can never get enough of the history The beauty Are you talking about me or the theater You are quite the antique good one All right Well there really is a reason why the TC theater is a must see stop on any Hollywood tour but there are lots of other gems around town to get to So I've got one thing to say that the show begin Shadow is a new platform that enables anyone to be able to put content on large digital billboards and other public screens Right now We're at over 500,000 screens on the platform And so literally anywhere you are you be able to click on the map see the screen upload your content and place your order It's really that easy And so for your husband or your kids you can actually show how much you love them on a billboard for 45 bucks That is a \$45 that's it \$45 in a five minute process You can choose a template upload your photo change the text put your credit card in and then take your friends and family to see the billboard and literally enjoy it Like a really really fun experience Turn around turn around turn around look up there And what's the reaction been like Oh it's been unbelievable I mean we launched last Mother's Day So that was our big debut and there was about 5000 people around the country that put up their moms Then we did Father's Day and about 12,000 people put up their dads and it's been evolving to being not just for holidays it's for everyday events birthdays Anniversaries there are like endless possibilities for this I mean you could like this you could have a bachelorette party or a bachelor party I mean you could congratulate someone you could announce your baby I mean there's endless possibilities right Yeah I mean the limits are just people's imaginations So right after you place your order we'll send a confirmation email that has a Google Maps link So the day of your shouts you would click on the link open your navigation and be able to drive or walk to the location We also provide a rendered mock up So if you somehow do miss going to the location you will still have a real world image of the actual billboard that you can then share to social media and event that you are not able to get a good photo Ok So I decided to send a

personal message of love to my family They're probably kill me But it's cute It's funny and it's like a living breathing Hallmark card for only \$45 Here's your own personal board Ok So this one to my daughter it says hey I mean you clean up good now if you could just clean your room love mom I mean it's true You come on you got to me So this was to my son Cole to shout out to my two favorite Children Get it My two dogs and my son Sorry cold Just kidding Just kidding To joke I love you This one is to my husband I love you but your story is killing me and it is but it's also a joke Love you baby I have to say we live in the coolest and most creative city Well Dana did you know that the TCL in TC stands for the creative Life No I actually did not But Bravo on that transition Now Jasmine Simpkins has something else to keep you in the know the FCC has allocated a record \$42 billion to eliminate the digital divide But according to the internal services department that funding may not even go to those who need it Most the internal services department is sort of the backbone for the county of Los Angeles We provide all the services that support all the other departments in the county ranging from building maintenance to uh purchasing and contracting environmental fleet services mail services you name it we do it But most importantly we also handle support of information technology for the county from A to Z So in Los Angeles County there are literally estimated to be over 416,000 households that don't have the internet In addition to that there's about 1.1 million households that have an annual household income of less than \$50,000 So when you combine you know the cost of living implications as well people have to make choices What do I spend my money on Is it rent Is it food Is it clothing Is that the internet delete The divide is an initiative led by the County of Los Angeles to advance digital equity and underserved communities through partnerships infrastructure investments and technology resources that empower residents and small businesses So what is is D's plan to make sure everyone in Los Angeles County has access to the internet When the federal government releases this historic amount of money we were very fortunate that the board of supervisors allocated \$56 million for this initiative but it's not enough in order to really provide the level of access that people are going to need So we wanted to depend on the federal dollars and one of the major ones is \$42 billion that the FCC is releasing throughout the nation to build broadband infrastructure in order to close the digital divide Well it's based off of priority maps The maps show that over 97% of Los Angeles County is ok They don't need the funding Their maps also identify priority areas and it leaves out many of the historically

disadvantaged communities within Los Angeles County Their maps do not include South L A East L A Southeast L A Why does it leave those areas out It's based off of the data that they use which mostly is was provided by internet service providers saying that there is access and there's sufficient access for people to have the internet We don't deny that there's not infrastructure we know that but affordability is the issue and it's important that people see these maps you go to delete the dot org we have the maps posted and it shows you how you can write in and provide your feedback or challenge the maps for where you live without that voice it will continue this way and the funding will go to communities that may not have as much need as we have here in these disadvantaged communities while they're there they'll also be able to see that deletes divide and is D offers other assets and programs for them Correct Yes So in addition to getting the internet and getting the high speed quality internet that communities need there are a number of resources We have laptop giveaways free laptops If people sign up for subsidy programs we have outreach programs We help small businesses in getting an online presence Those are things we're offering to the community now in addition to getting them the internet So it's a holistic approach It's not just one thing people need help in a lot of different ways And so however we can help them to get assistance now is where our focus is And how's that for a first act Dougie Fresh And we didn't have to sit through any of the trailers to get to the good stuff Some of those trailers are way too long Just saying well this plot is full of more unscripted twists and turns So don't go anywhere Welcome back to L A in scripted from the TCL Chinese theater I'm David Devin and check out this snack Join me Thank you Dana But I consider myself more of a milk I call you double D But for this instance it's M and M you know cinema has such a been a big part of my life But now being a dad there's only one film in our house that matters and it's not frozen It's frozen two I knew it I knew it Ok I have a question for you Why can't you give Elsa a balloon Why don't let it go Where will it go into the unknown frozen two joke right there Olivia take it away Everyone knows I am not a great dancer but let's see if Robin Anton of the pussycat dolls and playground L A can change That dance is good for your mind your body and your soul And that is like that's a fact Playground L A is community I own playground L A with my partner Kenny War Mold It's really all about empowering inspiring no judgment Um We have classes for everyone literally everyone Like if you've never danced in your life this is the place I've seen people come here and not know how to put you know one step in

front of the other And then all of a sudden I'm like oh my God look at them pussycat dolls was and is truly a movement that started everything I mean now when I see these heels classes it really all sort of derived from pussycat dolls Pussycat dolls to me is like you always want to dance you know you want to wake up with the morning to pussycat dolls music you wanna you know be getting dressed to pussycat dolls music you want to be you know taking a shower and have on pussycat dolls music And so it's kind of the gift that keeps on giving and kind of like the the you know it's trending always I love unscripted First of all it's my favorite show of all time It's like my background show at my house Are you ready to dance with the girls on playground Yes So I have my heels on I have my playground shirt I'm such a bad dancer I don't think you understand Robin how bad of a dancer I am Push push hold So you don't topple over You're gonna start on your right leg and you're just gonna take two steps forward Three and a and a 123 right We're all born with different bodies You know what I mean And it's just about owning that body that you have and that's what we're all about So wine and heels Robin and I started because we just wanted to bring a fun and powerful and flirty element to dance because a lot of people think of dance classes people can get stressed out or it's scary to them But we just wanted to bring fun girls night out you know instead of going to the bar the clubs or whatever come get a workout dance feel sexy There's a beautiful community that we've created here This toast is to you coming in thinking that you couldn't dance and you're leaving being a playground dancer So I am I part of the group I do play the play So Doug we may not have any special effects or CGI but I'd say this content is pretty five star worthy No argument for me And I'm a harsh critic You are actually a harsh critic Well our big finale is coming up after this short intermission So don't go anywhere as L A unscripted from the TCL Chinese theater will be right back Welcome back to the TCL Chinese theater in Hollywood From show business to small business Now this local find from our sponsor is ready for its close up coffee We're a family owned business in Huntington Beach We have catering service we offer and then we have our coffee shop and then we do bakery as well Are we gonna decorate cookies We are Oh my God I feel like I'm in preschool So my mom Alicia created all the recipes We make everything in house We have a really good cinnamon roll pecan sticky bun We have blueberry chocolate chips cinnamon spo muffins Our most popular bakery item I would say is our pecan sticky bun So it's a maple glaze with pecans and it's soft gooey Super delicious It's not the most even I've ever seen but

we're learning yellow yellow we offer catering service in Orange County We do corporate events parties kids' parties all different kinds of things Moon wood coffee actually started with one trailer that we purchased and a coffee bar and we come out to your event If it's a home a company a wedding we can go anywhere We're completely mobile The trailers are super super cute and they just warms up the environment for the party and makes it just awesome So our main goal is to raise awareness for sex trafficking We do have my sister Emily she was abused It really hits home for me You guys actually have a real mission behind what you do Can you tell me about that Yes So Moon Movement is part of our business here and it's really just to bring awareness to childhood sexual abuse that's happening We want to be a place of safety and just teaching the decorating and baking It's very soothing and that's your ultimate goal is to eventually bring in victims of sexual assault people that suffer from mental illness and train them in here We are hoping to partner with non profits or foundations that are looking for businesses that will again help someone get to that next step in their professional career You know I'm just really full today So I'm not gonna I'm not gonna eat a lot Oh my God Oh my God I'm just gonna you know sample some stuff I'm not gonna eat a lot Oh my God I'm just gonna try one more and then that's it Oh my God It's tart ok maybe just one more I mean I feel like it's an odd number so I need to even it out here But then this row is kind of full and there's nothing here So I need to eat you know eat one of these So maybe one more This is carrot cake Yes I mean I've never made a carrot cake I didn't like we have all different types of coffee beans We have our M blend which is our most popular blend You can also order and customize any type of order So we have the capability of doing that as well I've made an Lau cookie Do you want to see my lau cookie Du du du What do you think That's ok But we did for you We can customize any logo for any company on school A wedding If you want to put your own photos on there A baby shower The edible images are made of rice paper Yes All edible Royal We've done work with Amazon and Lamborghini and compared to L A unscripted No Dana what are you doing Nothing All right Dana You know what I really love about L A the traffic love the traffic love it But almost every block has a different vibe and each person has a unique story Oh my God That's so artistic Exactly And that's why we love sharing those stories right here on our stage Hi we're about to reach a milestone of 5000 kids this year Hopefully And we've so far helped kids from 70 countries Where are you from And where is that Mending kids is a non profit that provides critical

surgical care to Children in the United States and all over the world We've done about 152 surgical missions over the last 18 years to different countries The Children that we can't reach on missions families or other doctors might reach out to us and say I have a child in Mali that has heart disease I have a child in uh Cameroon like Elise who has uh who's in need of a scoliosis surgery Elise came in with us in December and we're expecting the procedure to happen this month and then going back to Cameroon in April So being a host family is really about um supporting being matched with a particular child and then essentially being their home away from home while they're going through their procedure Elise has scoliosis And so she's going to be able to get a procedure that will ensure that her back grows straighter Oh yeah And it ensures that she has um strong lung development and that she has strong heart development when we meet a patient or we're I always feel like we're exactly where we need to be and it's we we meet at the intersection of hope and life saving Hi My name is Jorge Trejo Jorge's case is a perfect example Of why the mend Us program was developed was because it took literally three hometown missions to mend him My son was born with a birth mark right here around this area Um it was growing and it was getting darker Started to worry Me and my wife The doctors told me at that time that it was a cosmetic um issue that he was not you know sick or nothing He didn't need any medical treatment Yeah I always saw like I don't know washing it would get rid of it or just trying to peel it off we'll get rid of it Did you try to like scratch it off Yeah I try to stretch it off didn't it hurt Yeah So between five and six that's when he he lost interest in going to school and into talking to other people even friends family friends or or family members He was not happy anymore He knew that he was different to other kids This is where some of these kids fall through the cracks because we you know there's a sense that if it's not threatening an organ then you know it's not really necessary But if it's we're not doing surgery on Children to make them um meet some societal you know latest Instagram view of beauty We're trying to take someone who has a a condition and try to restore them as much as possible to their highest functioning self It's really about um making the child feel whole when the doctors deny me for surgery At that time I felt like like I couldn't do nothing for him And and I thought about about get the same birth mark and go to a tattoo place and put it on my face just for him But then I saw many kids and I talked to them and they they came and helped us Now his life is is is he's a happy boy We can't do it without the dedication of our pediatric surgical teams We can't do it without like sound partnerships

with organizations like Schriener or or surgical centers who give up their facility for us to have the hometown mission and host it Um We can't do it without obviously without donors and special host family It's been so incredible and really meaningful and profound It's been an honor to have Elise in my life We help kids from six months to 18 years of age and it falls in the outpatient category and they don't have the funds Um We can start a conversation to see what the scope of the case is and whether it's something we can help with I just feel that any child mended is an opportunity to save the world and the universe that comes with it Thank you so much for making an appearance and thank you to the TCL Chinese Theater for letting us go off script where will we be next You never know we'll see you next time What do you think about one more movie Only if you buy you buy you buy you buy