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Cinema's First Out Gay Superhero Flies into Vegas on August 20th ***"Surge of Power: Revenge of the Sequel"***

San Diego, California – August 4, 2017. Surge of Power Enterprises is proud to announce the next screening of the long-anticipated sequel to the groundbreaking, lighthearted superhero movie **"Surge of Power: The Stuff of Heroes."** **"Surge of Power: Revenge of the Sequel"** will screen on Sunday, August 20th at 4:00pm at the Action on Film Festival at The Palms! Critics call the sequel "A leap forward for superhero films," "a positive role model in the LGBTQ community," and "a film everyone can enjoy." Writer/Producer/Lead Actor, Vincent J. Roth along with other cast and crew will be greeting the audience.

With over 50 stars, **"Surge of Power: Revenge of the Sequel"** is jam-packed with Hollywood talent. In addition to Eric Roberts, who played The Master on *Doctor Who*, the film includes notable superhero and sci-fi actors such as Nichelle Nichols (Lt. Uhura in the original *Star Trek*), Linda Blair (Regan MacNeil in *The Exorcist*), Gil Gerard (Buck Rogers in *Buck Rogers in the 25th Century*), Robert Picardo (The Doctor in *Star Trek: Voyager*) and dozens of other quickly recognizable celebrities who have been the backbone of the superhero genre.

The screening will take place on Sunday, **August 20th from 4:00PM-6:00PM** at the Action on Film Festival in the Brenden Theatres at The Palms, 4321 W. Flamingo Road, Las Vegas, NV 89103. Tickets are available at: <https://www.actiononfilmfest.com/product-page/surge-of-power-revenge-of-the-sequel>

The movie's producer, Vincent J. Roth, describes the movie as fun entertainment with a clear message. "As a filmmaker, I am compelled to present our genuinely groundbreaking characters and the fun world we created to a mainstream audience." The movie's inspirational tagline, *"Make a Difference Where You Can"* is the moral of the story, but to get there, a lot of evil and skullduggery has to be dealt with heroically and humorously!

In the sequel, Surge's nemesis, Metal Master, struggles with his estranged parents (Linda Blair and Gil Gerard) and is tempted to continue a life of crime by Augur (Eric Roberts), arch enemy of Omen (Nichelle Nichols and Robert Picardo), who sends Metal Master to Las Vegas for mysterious crystals. Surge pursues in his high-tech car, the Surgemobile (Bruce Vilanch and Shannon Farnon) resulting in a battle on Hoover Dam. This leads to a confrontation between Augur and Omen back in Big City, which alerts The Council, a supervillain community (packed with 9 actors who previously played MARVEL superheroes). Laugh at zany antics, enjoy familiar celebrities, and learn how intolerance can turn you evil!

The first movie, **"Surge of Power: The Stuff of Heroes,"** also a comedy, spoofing the superhero genre, has a cult following and features 20 celebrity appearances, including Nichelle Nichols from *Star Trek*, Lou Ferrigno from *The Incredible Hulk* and the late Noel Neill who

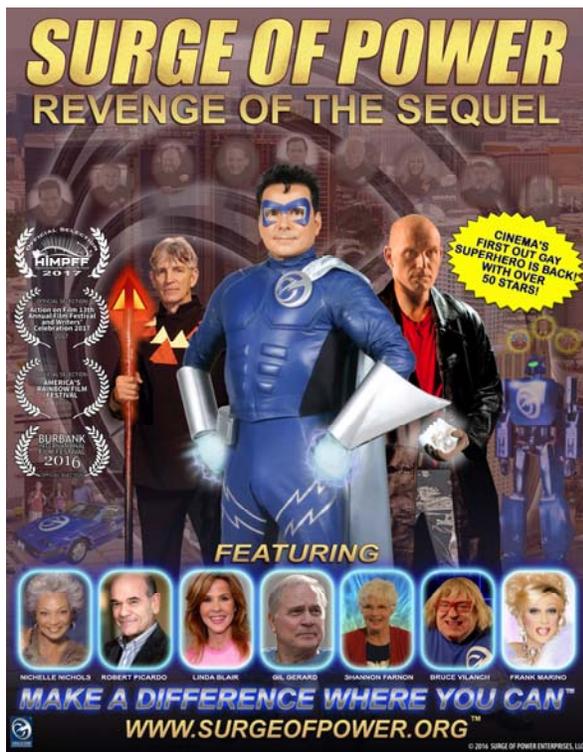
played the original Lois Lane in the *Adventures of Superman*, among others. Critics called the original “fun and campy,” “unique and daring,” and “a lighthearted and fun movie filled with double entendres and hilarious scenes.”

“**Surge of Power: The Stuff of Heroes**” is available for immediate viewing through the website www.surgeofpower.org while “**Surge of Power: Revenge of the Sequel**” is exhibiting at film festivals and conventions around the world. Sequel star Shannon Farnon, Wonder Woman from *Super Friends*, says, “I have no doubt this will be one of the most talked about independent films of the year. Even the title brings laughter. And I know the world is ready for a gay superhero.”

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About Surge of Power Enterprises

Based in San Diego, SOPE is an independent film and video production company creating low-budget SAG entertainment productions in the superhero genre with a humorous flair and lots of celebrity cameos.



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