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**City of Beverly Hills Installs New Mayor and Vice Mayor
*Mayor Gold, Vice Mayor Mirisch Take Oath of Office***

Beverly Hills, CA – The City of Beverly Hills installed the Honorable Julian Gold, M.D. as the 50th person to serve as mayor on Tuesday at a community ceremony held at the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences. The Academy's Samuel Goldwyn Theatre was provided to the City at no charge.

The Honorable John Mirisch was sworn in as vice mayor. Other members of the City Council include the Honorable William W. Brien, M.D., the Honorable Lili Bosse, who just ended her term as mayor and the Honorable Nancy H. Krasne.

Mayor Gold was elected to the Beverly Hills City Council in 2011 and 2015. He served as vice mayor in 2014. Prior to his election to the council, Dr. Gold served on the Recreation and Parks Commission and on the Traffic and Parking Commission, of which he was chairperson. He is a graduate of Team Beverly Hills class of 2002.

Mayor Gold grew up in New York and graduated NYU School of Medicine. A board certified anesthesiologist for 30 years, Dr. Gold is Co-Chairman of the Department of Anesthesiology at Cedars-Sinai and Co-Managing Partner of General Anesthesia Specialists Partnership Medical Group. He is a Professor of Clinical Anesthesiology at the UCLA School of Medicine and USC Keck School of Medicine. He is a former member of the Board of Directors of Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, and has served on many committees. An active supporter of local youth sports, Mayor Gold was a board member of Beverly Hills Little League and has coached both Little League and AYSO.

The City Council members are elected at large for a four year term and a new mayor and vice mayor are selected each year by a vote of the councilmembers. The mayor serves as the presiding officer and acts as Chair at all City Council meetings; he is the spokesperson for the City Council and is the City's ceremonial representative at public events.

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