



TARAJI P. HENSON TO DIRECT JENNIFER HUDSON & PAULETTA WASHINGTON IN 'TELL IT LIKE A WOMAN'


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Taraji P. Henson has found herself in the director's chair *yet again*. Henson will direct **Jennifer Hudson** and **Pauletta Washington** for Iervolino Entertainment's anthology project, *Tell It Like a Woman*.



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As one of the anthology's seven segments, the women will take on "Pepcy & Kim." According to [Variety](#), the project follows the true story of a former addict, Kim Carter, who used both her story and nonprofit, the Time for Change Foundation, to help homeless women and children break the cycle and reclaim their lives.

"Pepcy & Kim" is the final segment for the *Tell It Like a Woman* project. Made by and about women, the project is comprised of seven segments that are combined into a feature film.

"The talents of Taraji, Jennifer and Pauletta are awe-inspiring and on full display in their adaptation of the amazing Kim Carter story," producer **Andrea Iervolino** said in a statement obtained by [Variety](#). "This trio is a marvelous compliment to the spirited filmmakers and talent banding together for this one-of-a-kind film, and their sincerity in delivering a 'must see' segment is simply moving. We can't wait to show this film to the world."

Chiara Tilesi, producer and founder of the non-profit film production company "We Do It Together," disclosed that the project has been in

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production for nearly six years adding "we couldn't have asked for a better ending segment in 'Pepcy & Kim.'"


The other segments will feature **Eva Longoria**, Cara Delevingne, Marcia Gay Harden, Jasmine Luv, Jacqueline Fernandez, Anjali Lama, Anne Watanabe, and Lucia Bulgheroni.

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