

**VIDEO AUDITION FOR ROGUE ONE-ACTS:** Please submit two videos– both the two-person side (with an off-camera scene partner) and one of the monologues.

***I DREAM BEFORE I TAKE THE STAND SIDE:***

**HE:** Did you speak to anyone else in the park?

**SHE:** No.

**HE:** Why not?

**SHE:** No one else spoke to me.

**HE:** But when a strange man said hello you smiled and nodded at him.

**SHE:** Yes. There were lots of people—

**HE:** Did you stop to smile and nod?

**SHE:** What?

**HE:** Did you stop still in front of the man to smile at him?

**SHE:** No. I kept walking.

**HE:** Why didn't you stop?

**SHE:** I didn't think about it. It was just a casual hello. I just kept walking. It was nothing.

**HE:** Not really. (Pause.) What were you wearing?

**SHE:** What?

**HE:** What were you wearing?

**SHE:** I told you.

**HE:** You have to answer. What were you wearing?

**SHE:** A skirt and a top.

**HE:** To go to work?

**SHE:** I had a jacket in the office.

**HE:** What kind of skirt?

**SHE:** A printed one.

**HE:** A red and black print.

**SHE:** Yes.

**HE:** Was it long or short?

**SHE:** What?

**HE:** The skirt. Was it below your knees?

**SHE:** No.

**HE:** It came above your knees.

**SHE:** Yes.

**HE:** It was tight. It clung to your body?

**SHE:** No. It was gathered. A full skirt.

**HE:** So it might have moved when you walked.

**SHE:** I don't know.

## **THEY FLOAT UP MONOLOGUES:**

### **JOAN**

I saw an ad, I came down here, I thought I'd get a job. (He nods.) Okay, maybe it wasn't really an ad. I mean, it's something I always wanted to do, but I waited. Maybe too long. I do that, I wait too long. I think that's a basic difference between people: the ones who wait too long, versus the ones who just go. Where was I? Off the track, I do that, why not? I mean, the track is never going where you think it's going, no matter how hard you try to stay on it, so why bother. (A beat.) Would you spend a dollar to see my tits?

### **DARNELL**

Try leaving the Quarter. You been to the places where the tourists ain't at? I'll give you a tour. Then tell me if it's better. You know how many homeless people we got? The unlucky ones dying in the street. The government even tried to take back the damn trailers. But you think it's over. History. Something that happened. Cause the restaurants are open. They're making TV shows here now. And the Saints won the Superbowl. Why, in a way, it helped get us a new president. Things must be better. If he's our president. Right? (a beat) Maybe you do need glasses. Cause you're not seeing so good.