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Resolution recognizing National Day of Prayer in Milwaukee.

WHEREAS,

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

was celebrated on May 1, 2025 with a special observance at Embassy Center MKE, 3725 N. Sherman Blvd.; and

WHEREAS, *National Day of Prayer was established by federal law in 1952, and in 1988 the law was amended and signed by President Ronald Reagan specifically designating the first Thursday in May as the official National Day of Prayer; and*

WHEREAS, *In 2025, the National Day of Prayer theme is “Pour out to the God of hope and be filled,” and the local observance will honor this theme by sharing united voices in worship and prayer for our nation, its governmental leaders, churches and families both locally and across the globe; and*

WHEREAS, *Faith has played a significant role in American history, encouraging people to strive for unity, guiding countless individuals through good times and bad, and serving as a pillar for decision making and morality; now, therefore, be it*

RESOLVED, *That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith expresses its support and recognition of National Day of Prayer; and wishes all those who observe this day continued peace and prosperity; and, be it*

FURTHER RESOLVED, *That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Rev. Ed Garvin, Vice President of Convoy of Hope, who delivered a message of unity during National Day of Prayer 2025.*

Introduced by Common Council members DiAndre Jackson, Russell W. Stamper, II, Milele A. Coggs, Sharlen P. Moore, Mark Chambers, Jr., Andrea M. Pratt, Lamont Westmoreland, Alex Brower, Larresa Taylor, José G. Pérez, JoCasta Zamarripa, and Scott Spiker and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on May 13, 2025.