

*BY ALDS. STAMPER, HAMILTON, COGGS, BORKOWSKI, WITKOWSKI, PEREZ, LEWIS, RAINEY, JOHNSON*

*Resolution congratulating Damascus Missionary Baptist Church on the occasion of its 60th anniversary.*

***WHEREAS,***

# **DAMASCUS MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH**

*held its 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary on June 24, 2018; and*

***WHEREAS,*** *Damascus Missionary Baptist Church commemorated its 60<sup>th</sup> year anniversary on June 24, 2018, celebrating the continued motto “The Church where Everybody is Somebody and Christ is the Head”; and*

***WHEREAS,*** *Damascus Missionary Baptist Church was originated by reverend Millard Fillmore Shackelford on Wednesday, October 15, 1958 and will continue to thrive under Pastor Dr. Ellis Wilkins; and*

***WHEREAS,*** *Damascus Missionary Baptist Church has come this far by a legacy of unwavering faith, still standing, growing stronger, growing deeper, reaching higher; now, therefore, be it*

***RESOLVED,*** *That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates Damascus Missionary Baptist Church on the occasion of its 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary, thanks the church for its many years of service and outstanding contributions to the community and wishes it many more years of prosperity; and, be it*

***FURTHER RESOLVED,*** *That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Damascus Missionary Baptist Church.*

***Introduced by Common Council members Russell W. Stamper, II, Ashanti Hamilton, Milele A. Coggs, Terry L. Witkowski, Mark A. Borkowski, José G. Pérez, Chantia Lewis, Khalif J. Rainey and Cavalier Johnson and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on June 20, 2018.***