



## ALPHA PHI ALPHA FRATERNITY, INC

DELTA CHI LAMBDA CHAPTER

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Esteemed Members of the Milwaukee Common Council:

The Brothers of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.'s Delta Chi Lambda Chapter stand in support and solidarity with the renaming of Milwaukee's Old World Third Street to Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. The renaming of this street will be an extension of the existing Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd that begins at Capitol Dr. to the north but then ends abruptly at Walnut St. to the south. As a pillar of progress in our communities, Dr. King's legacy demands equal support for pioneering work he has done for our country.

Brother Reverend Doctor Martin Luther King Jr. has a special connection to Milwaukee and Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. Dr. King was initiated into our fraternity at the Sigma Chapter on June 22, 1952. During those college years he was good friends with our esteemed Brother, Dr. William Finlayson, who is the most senior brother in our Milwaukee chapter. Brother Dr. Finlayson has been in our beloved fraternity for 76 years. It was their connection in brotherhood where Dr. Finlayson was instrumental along with others, in Dr. King's visit to Milwaukee.

Brother Reverend Doctor Martin Luther King Jr.'s life was a true testament of the Motto of our great fraternity, ***First of All, Servants of All, We shall transcend all.*** He was devout in his convictions of serving his God, his family, his community, his fraternity, and the world. This gesture allows the City of Milwaukee to continue to pay homage to such a prominent and well-deserved American patriot.

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