



HONORARY STREET NAME SIGN APPLICATION

City Hall, Room 205
200 East Wells Street
Milwaukee, WI 53202

PLEASE NOTE: A \$100 PAYMENT MUST ACCOMPANY THIS FORM
(Checks should be made payable to "City Treasurer")

1. Applicant information:

Applicant's Name Tiffany Tatum
Organization or Company _____
Street Address 3132 N. 54th St. City/State Milwaukee, WI Zip 53216
Telephone (414) 313-1347 Fax _____ Email mckenzie97@gmail.com

2. Honorary Street Name Request

Street name requested Willie "Paylew" Mitchell

Location of proposed designation: (for example, West Main Street from North 12th Street to North 15th Street)

N. Dr. M.L.K. Jr. Dr. + West Ring to West Concordia

3. Required Submittals:

- Refer to Chapter 113-3, Milwaukee Code of Ordinances (attached)
- A typed statement containing no fewer than **500 words** describing the significance of the person, place, or event being honored. The statement should indicate why a particular section of street has been requested for the honorary designation.

4. SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT:

My application consists of the following items necessary to complete the application. Please check:

- \$100 fee (check made payable to "City Treasurer").
- Completed Application Form.
- Autobiography or statement regarding the person, place, or event being honored.

Signature Tiffany Tatum Date 05/29/24
Printed Name Tiffany Tatum

To the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee:

My name is Tiffany Tatum of which the eldest of my father Willie "Baylew" Mitchell. My father passed away December 12th, 2023. He was a great pioneer and leader who dedicated over 50 years to serving his community and the youth of Milwaukee, encouraging them to be the best versions of themselves by creating job opportunities. He was a counselor, mentor, coach, referee and administrator working with organizations across Milwaukee. Since his passing, my father has been honored by organizations such as: Fresh Coast Classic, Running Rebels, Boys & Girls Club, Wisconsin Historical Museum & The Common Council of the City of Milwaukee.

My father, Baylew began his basketball career at Victor Burger Elementary School better known now as Dr Martin Luther King Jr School at an early age. Although he was a three-sport athlete, basketball was his love and passion furthering his education at Iowa State on a scholarship. He decided to give back to his community working with Municipal & Children's Courts, MPS recreation, SDC, Project Respect, Northcott, North Division High School & Warning Basketball League which will be celebrating their 50th Year Anniversary this upcoming June. He also created his own organization known as Ghetto Associates and started an adult midnight league.

My father, Baylew's commitment to serving others will always be a loving memory. For all thoughts who have known/know him could contest to him being a pillar to Wisconsin of all races, sex, ages & color. I wanted to honor him with the street name to continue his legacy and encourage all; as my dad would say "Be what you want to see". Although we miss him, he will be in our hearts forever. The love and support from everyone is greatly appreciated, he was truly an inspiration to us all.

Thank you!

BY ALDS COGGS, STAMPER, TAYLOR. PRATT, ZAMARRIPA, SPIKER, BORKOWSKI, RAINEY, CHAMBERS, BROSTOFF, BAUMAN, WESTMORELAND, PEREZ, MURPHY

Resolution expressing condolences to the family and friends of Willie Mitchell.

WHEREAS,

WILLIE MITCHELL

passed from this life on December 12, 2023 at the age of 66 and services were held for family and friends on December 22 at Bethel Tabernacle Church, 5419 W. Hampton Ave.; and

WHEREAS, Willie Mitchell, well known by family and friends as “Baylew,” was born on November 15, 1957 in Mississippi, and his family would relocate to Milwaukee when he was at a young age, and he would go on to receive his formal education from Milwaukee Public Schools, and was well-known as a three sport athlete when he graduated from Bay View High School; and

WHEREAS, Baylew dedicated over 40 years to serving his community and the youth of Milwaukee, encouraging them to be the best versions of themselves by creating job opportunities, and served as a counselor, mentor, coach, referee, and administrator with organizations across Milwaukee; and

WHEREAS, In his spare time, Baylew enjoyed watching sports, fantasy football, listening to Michael Jackson, playing his created game of trivia, his weekly Sunday card games, and spending time with family and friends who loved him dearly; and now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith offers its sincere condolences to the family and friends of Willie Mitchell, who will be remembered fondly for his selflessness and love for others; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitably engrossed copy of the resolution be presented to the family of Willie Mitchell.

Introduced by Common Council members Milele A. Coggs, Russell W. Stamper, II, Larresa Taylor, Andrea M. Pratt, JoCasta Zamarripa, Scott Spiker, Mark A. Borkowski, Khalif J. Rainey, Mark Chambers, Jr., Jonathan Brostoff, Robert J. Bauman, Lamont Westmoreland, Michael J. Murphy and José G. Pérez and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on January 17, 2024.

Receipt of Street Naming Fee

Date:	5/29/24
Received Of:	Tiffany Tatum
Received By:	LME
Check # (If Applicable):	126
Amount Received	\$100.00

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