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Resolution congratulating Vanessa L. Llanas on her appointment as Executive Director of CORE El Centro.

WHEREAS,

VANESSA L. LLANAS

was named the Executive Director of CORE El Centro in January 2023; and

***WHEREAS,** CORE El Centro, a Milwaukee-based nonprofit that provides holistic health and wellness services to thousands of individuals in both Spanish and English, has been a reliable resource for more than 20 years in Milwaukee's Hispanic community and beyond; and*

***WHEREAS,** Vanessa L. Llanas, a longtime resident of the City of Milwaukee, has been a steadfast advocate of community health and development throughout her career, serving in positions of leadership at the Children's Hospital of Wisconsin, the City of Milwaukee's Department of Administration, the Office of U.S. Senator Tammy Baldwin, and the Office of Governor Tony Evers before joining CORE El Centro as Executive Director; and*

***WHEREAS,** Vanessa L. Llanas has demonstrated, often and effectively, an uncanny ability to build bridges across peoples and communities throughout the City of Milwaukee; now, therefore, be it*

***RESOLVED,** That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates Vanessa L. Llanas on her appointment as the Executive Director of CORE El Centro, commends her for her leadership and outstanding contributions to the Milwaukee community, and wishes for her success in all of her future endeavors; and, be it*

***FURTHER RESOLVED,** That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Vanessa L. Llanas.*

Introduced by Common Council members José G. Pérez, JoCasta Zamarripa, Mark A. Borkowski, Scott Spiker, Khalif J. Rainey, Robert J. Bauman, Milele A. Coggs, Jonathan Brostoff, Mark Chambers, Jr., and Russell W. Stamper, II, Andrea M. Pratt, Lamont Westmoreland, and Larresa Taylor and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on May 9, 2023.