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Resolution recognizing the contributions and talents of Shen Yun Performing Arts.

WHEREAS,

SHEN YUN PERFORMING ARTS

performed its 2014 live program with orchestra at the Milwaukee Theatre on March 5th and 6th, 2014 after their successful 2013 tour of 110 cities; and

WHEREAS, Shen Yun Performing Arts brought to Milwaukee a rich, meaningful and unforgettable cultural event with its live orchestra combining the best of Chinese and Western composition, brilliant choreography, elaborate costumes and state-of-the-art digital backdrops; and

WHEREAS, Shen Yun Performing Arts is the world's premier classical Chinese dance and music company and its rich repertory breaks new ground by focusing on the authentic cultural heritage of classical China and each year Shen Yun premieres an entirely new program of dances, songs, and musical scores; and

WHEREAS, The mission of Shen Yun Performing Arts, a non-profit organization, is to revive the artistic tradition of China and breathe new life into Chinese culture while providing audiences everywhere with an experience of sublime beauty; and

WHEREAS, Shen Yun Performing Arts has grown tremendously since 2006 when leading Chinese artists and several small performing companies joined together to revive an artistic tradition, today the Shen Yun Performing Arts has performed for over one million guests in 110 cities from 25 countries; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee formally recognizes the contributions and talents of Shen Yun Performing Arts and wishes for the group a happy, healthy, and prosperous future as they grow in their mission; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Shen Yun Performing Arts.

Introduced by Common Council member Tony Zielinski and Michael J. Murphy and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on November 26, 2013.