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*Resolution congratulating Carmen Cabrera on receiving the Latino Lifetime Achievement Award from El Conquistador Latino Newspaper.*

**WHEREAS,**

## **CARMEN CABRERA**

*received the Latino Lifetime Achievement Award at the El Conquistador Newspaper's 25th Anniversary Awards Dinner on Friday, July 21, 2023; and*

***WHEREAS,** El Conquistador Latino Newspaper celebrated 25 years of publishing their Latino community newspaper with a special celebration and awards program on Friday, July 21, 2023 at the Italian Community Center that included a variety of awards bestowed to influential leaders; and*

***WHEREAS,** Carmen Cabrera received the Latino Lifetime Achievement Award for her work as a fighter and community leader for change and justice for the Latino Community in Milwaukee and across Wisconsin; and*

***WHEREAS,** Carmen Cabrera was a teenage activist during the Latino civil rights movement and has since served her community in many capacities throughout its growth and development including being appointed Latina liaison to former Mayor Marvin Pratt, being the first Latina assigned to the City of Milwaukee's Election Commission, and was appointed to the Wisconsin Council on Criminal Justice, among other accomplishments; now, therefore, be it*

***RESOLVED,** That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith expresses its sincere congratulations Carmen Cabrera on being recognized as a community champion during the El Conquistador Newspaper's 25th Anniversary Awards Dinner; and, be it*

***FURTHER RESOLVED,** That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution will be presented to Carmen Cabrera.*

***Introduced by Common Council members José G. Pérez, JoCasta Zamarripa, Marina Dimitrijevic, Mark A. Borkowski, Khalif J. Rainey, Mark Chambers, Jr., Jonathan Brostoff, Robert J. Bauman, Scott Spiker, Russell W. Stamper, II, Lamont Westmoreland and Andrea M. Pratt and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on July 31, 2023.***