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Resolution recognizing Hans Billerbeck for his 45 years of successfully owning and operating Billerbeck's Tailor Shop.

WHEREAS,

HANS BILLERBECK

retired and closed Hans Billerbeck's Tailor Shop on May 20, 2017 after 45 years of service to the City of Milwaukee; and

WHEREAS, *Hans Billerbeck moved to this country from Germany in 1959, earning his citizenship in 1964 while serving as the tailor for St. John's Military Academy; and*

WHEREAS, *Hans Billerbeck purchased the tailor shop located at 3118 S. Kinnickinnic Avenue from Alois Bucher in 1972, opening Hans Billerbeck's Tailor Shop; and*

WHEREAS, *Hans Billerbeck served the residents of the community and organizations such as the Air National Guard 128th Air Refueling Wing, Bay View U.S. Navy ROTC, Bradley Tech U.S. Air Force ROTC, Marquette University U.S. Army ROTC, Midwest Express Airlines, Bay View High School Band and others; and*

WHEREAS, *Hans Billerbeck has been a welcome and enjoyed staple of the Bay View community for 45 years; now, therefore, be it*

RESOLVED, *That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith recognizes and thanks Hans Billerbeck for his years of dedication to his customers, his accomplishments and contributions to our community and wishes him continued success and happiness in his retirement; and, be it*

FURTHER RESOLVED, *That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Hans Billerbeck.*

Introduced by Common Council members Tony Zielinski, Ashanti Hamilton, Milele A. Coggs, Jim Bohl, Russell W. Stamper, II, Mark A. Borkowski, Terry L. Witkowski, José G. Pérez, Chantia Lewis, Khalif J. Rainey, and Cavalier Johnson and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on May 31, 2017.