Resolution congratulating Christopher J. Gauthier on his retirement from the Milwaukee Fire Department.

WHEREAS,

CHRISTOPHER J. GAUTHIER

retired with pride and satisfaction as a fire lieutenant on July 26, 2016 after over 19 years of dedicated service to the city and the Milwaukee Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, Christopher J. Gauthier richly and justly earned the enduring praise and gratitude of his family, friends, coworkers and the community at large for his dedication and service to the City of Milwaukee and the Milwaukee Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, Christopher J. Gauthier gained and displayed expertise through his work, performed with confidence and skill during his employment, completely meeting the challenges of his responsibilities as a fire lieutenant during his lengthy term of service to the City of Milwaukee and the Milwaukee Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, Christopher J. Gauthier selflessly served on the Milwaukee Fire Department's Hazardous Materials Team (HAZMAT) for 14 years, which provides level "A" response capability to Milwaukee, Ozaukee, Waukesha, Washington and Jefferson counties; and

WHEREAS, Christopher J. Gauthier also ran the Survive Alive House from 2011 to 2013, which teaches over 13,000 Milwaukee children who visit each year how to survive in the event of an actual fire at their home; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates Christopher J. Gauthier on his retirement from the Milwaukee Fire Department, extends its appreciation on behalf of the community for his exemplary service, and wishes for him a happy and healthy retirement; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Christopher J. Gauthier, an exemplary employee.

Introduced by Common Council members Jim Bohl, Mark A. Borkowski, Milele A. Coggs and José G. Pérez and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on October 11, 2016.