BY PEREZ, ZAMARRIPA, WESTMORELAND, BROSTOFF, BAUMAN, COGGS, BORKOWSKI, CHAMBERS, SPIKER, STAMPER, PRATT, RAINEY, TAYLOR,

Resolution recognizing Mitchell Street Arts on the occasion of its grand opening.

WHEREAS,

## **MITCHELL STREET ARTS**

celebrated its grand opening during a special celebration held on August 18, 2023 at 710 W. Historic Mitchell St.; and

WHEREAS, Mitchell Street Arts is a newly formed nonprofit art commons and collective dedicated to promoting equity and abundance in Milwaukee and to giving artists the resources and opportunities they need to flourish; and

WHEREAS, The mission of Mitchell Street Arts is to allow artists from across Milwaukee to pursue their artistic vision and contribute to economic and social equity and stability by sharing resources and sparking conversations across social and cultural differences; and

WHEREAS, Mitchell Street Arts provides artists with residency programs, professional spaces to experiment and create art, workshops, mentorships, and a public space in which to share their creations with the city they are dedicated to improving; and

**WHEREAS**, Mitchell Street Arts also provides resources and opportunities to the city at large, including art classes, an event venue, and a public stage to celebrate and elevate local artists and performances; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED,** That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates Mitchell Street Arts on the occasion of its grand opening, recognizes its positive impact on the community and to the fine arts and offers sincere wishes for its success and prosperity; and, be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED,** That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Mitchell Street Arts.

Introduced by Common Council members José G. Pérez, JoCasta Zamarripa, Lamont Westmoreland, Milele A. Coggs, Russell W. Stamper, II, Andrea M. Pratt, Mark Chambers, Jr., Jonathan Brostoff, Robert J. Bauman, Larresa Taylor, Scott Spiker, Khalif J. Rainey and Mark A. Borkowski and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on September 1, 2023.