

BY ALDS. WITKOWSKI, HAMILTON, COGGS, BOHL, STAMPER, BORKOWSKI, PÉREZ, LEWIS, RAINEY, JOHNSON

Resolution recognizing and congratulating Esther Gesinski on the occasion of her 100th birthday.

WHEREAS,

ESTHER GESINSKI

celebrated an extraordinary milestone, her 100th birthday, on April 5, 2018, with friends and family at Wilson Commons Community Room, Chopin Building; and

***WHEREAS,** Esther Gesinski was born on April 5, 1918 in Milwaukee where she attended Lincoln Avenue Elementary School, later graduating to enter the workforce in her hometown; and*

***WHEREAS,** Esther Gesinski married her loving husband Harry in September 1941, and the couple enjoyed playing with their nieces and nephews, cooking homemade French fries, and sharing their humor and wisdom with their friends, family, and neighbors; and*

***WHEREAS,** Esther Gesinski loved pruning her yard and garden and baking the best red velvet cake in town, which she shared with family and friends to spread her joy and warmth with her community; and*

***WHEREAS,** Esther Gesinski has discovered the secret to a long, happy life is to live with peace, to try to be nice to one another, and to make it a goal to live for yourself while remembering that family is also important; and*

***WHEREAS,** Esther Gesinski has continued to bring joy to her family and friends each year for the last 100 years while watching her community grow as it welcomed innovations and new community members to Milwaukee; now, therefore, be it*

***RESOLVED,** That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates Esther Gesinski on reaching her 100th birthday and extends for her its sincere wishes for continued health and happiness; and, be it*

***FURTHER RESOLVED,** That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Esther Gesinski in recognition of her 100th birthday.*

Introduced by Common Council members Terry L. Witkowski, Ashanti Hamilton, Milele A. Coggs, Jim Bohl, Russell W. Stamper, II, Mark A. Borkowski, José G. Pérez, Chantia Lewis, Khalif J. Rainey, and Cavalier Johnson and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on April 17, 2018.