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*Resolution congratulating Rita Saavedra on receiving the Amigos de Nuestra Comunidad Award from El Conquistador Latino Newspaper.*

**WHEREAS,**

## **RITA SAAVEDRA**

*received the Amigos de Nuestra Comunidad 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,** Rita Saavedra received the Amigos de Nuestra Comunidad Award for her demonstrated passion and commitment to making sure that the Latino community is informed, educated, and well represented and understanding that a healthy community is a thriving community; and*

***WHEREAS,** Rita Saavedra is the Marketing Manager Wisconsin-Medicaid is the key to connecting Anthem Blue Cross Blue Shield with the community and has connected many community-based organizations to provide better resources and opportunities to the people they serve; now, therefore, be it*

***RESOLVED,** That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith expresses its sincere congratulations to Rita Saavedra 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 Rita Saavedra.*

*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.*