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*Resolution congratulating and commending Kimberly Beans for her outstanding work and being the first MPS student awarded in the Mary Jo Nettesheim Literary Competition.*

**WHEREAS,**

## **KIMBERLY BEANS**

*was the first Milwaukee Public Schools student to be awarded in the Mary Jo Nettesheim Literary Competition on April 28, 2018; and*

***WHEREAS,** Kimberly Beans entered the Mary Jo Nettesheim Literary Competition that allows students in grades 3 through 12 the opportunity to show off their writing skills and artistic challenges, books are judged on story structure, creativity, originality, spelling, sentence structure, grammar and illustrations; and*

***WHEREAS,** Kimberly Beans is eight years of age and is a third grade student at Hartford Elementary and has become the first Milwaukee Public Schools student to make it through the entire judgment process in the Mary Jo Nettesheim Literary Competition; and*

***WHEREAS,** Kimberly Beans won Third Place for her book and her school held a reward ceremony to honor her accomplishments, and her book was displayed among the other winners at the Spring Sigma State Convention; now, therefore, be it*

***RESOLVED,** That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates and commends Kimberly Beans for being the first Milwaukee Public Schools student awarded in the Mary Jo Nettesheim Literary Competition, recognizes her outstanding work, and extends its appreciation on behalf of the citizens of the City of Milwaukee; and, be it*

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

***Introduced by Common Council members Khalif J. Rainey, Ashanti Hamilton, Milele Coggs, Russell W. Stamper, II, Mark A. Borkowski, Terry L. Witkowski, José G. Pérez, Chantia Lewis and Cavalier Johnson and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on July 10, 2018.***