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Resolution expressing condolences to the family and friends of Maria Monreal-Cameron who passed from this life on January 18th, 2021.

WHEREAS,

MARIA MONREAL-CAMERON

passed from this life at the age of 75 on January 18, 2021, and services were held on January 22, 2021 at St. Robert Catholic Church, 4019 N. Farewell Ave; and

***WHEREAS,** Maria Monreal-Cameron, cherished her family and was the dear wife to the late Edward Cameron, and loving mother to Kim Sienko (Jim Wesling), Mike (Heather), Becky (Rob) Valcq and Scott (Mary Lou); and*

***WHEREAS,** Maria Monreal-Cameron was born in Texas and moved to Milwaukee where she held the positions of both president and CEO of the Hispanic Chamber of Commerce of Wisconsin. During her time in Milwaukee, Maria helped attract major conventions and events to the city; and*

***WHEREAS,** Maria will be remembered as a passionate contributor and pillar in the community, who helped hundreds of Hispanic entrepreneurs, startups, and college-bound students. To those who met her, she was an inspiration and tireless leader. The impact of her work will be felt for generations to come; and*

***WHEREAS,** Mrs. Monreal-Cameron's achievements include receiving dozens of awards, as well as the TEMPO Milwaukee Mentor Award and the Lifetime Achievement Award from the U.S Hispanic Chamber of Commerce; now, therefore, be it*

***RESOLVED,** That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith expresses its condolences to the family and friends of Maria Monreal-Cameron and offers its deepest sympathies for the loss of this distinguished and valuable member of our community; and, be it*

***FURTHER RESOLVED,** That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to the family of Maria Monreal-Cameron,*

Introduced by Common Council members José G. Pérez, JoCasta Zamarripa, Cavalier Johnson, Scott Spiker, Nikiya Dodd, Mark A. Borkowski, Ashanti Hamilton, Milele A. Coggs, Russell W. Stamper, II, Chantia Lewis and Khalif J. Rainey and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on February 9, 2021.