

BY ALDS. DONOVAN, MURPHY, BOHL, DUDZIK, WITKOWSKI, PEREZ, COGGS

Resolution congratulating Julie Smith as Milwaukee's Irish Rose of the year, 2014.

WHEREAS,

JULIE SMITH

has made significant contributions to the Irish community in Milwaukee and has unselfishly devoted her time to the Shamrock Club, and for her dedicated service she was recognized as Irish Rose 2014 at the Meyers Family Restaurant, 4260 S. 76th St. on Sunday, October 5, 2014; and

WHEREAS, *Julie Smith is well known to people in the community for her deep commitment to the values, history, heritage and traditions of the Irish through her many years of contributions and participation as a member and volunteer of the Shamrock Club; and*

WHEREAS, *A native born Wisconsinite, Julie Smith, is a second generation Irish rose after her mother, Mary Stephens, who accepted the honor in 1983; and*

WHEREAS, *Julie Smith is married to Irishman of the Year, Tom Smith, and has four children and seven grandchildren that continue to celebrate the Irish heritage and tradition through participating in Irish dances, athletics, bands, art, and more; now, therefore, be it*

RESOLVED, *That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates Julie Smith on being selected as the Shamrock Club Irish Rose of 2014, recognizes her many contributions to the Irish community in Milwaukee, and wishes for her continued health and happiness; and, be it*

FURTHER RESOLVED, *That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Julie Smith in recognition of this honor.*

Introduced by Common Council members Robert G. Donovan, Michael J. Murphy, Jim Bohl, Joe Dudzik, Terry L. Witkowski, José G. Pérez and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on October 14, 2014.