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Resolution recognizing Chris Rassette for an act of bravery, saving several people from a house fire.

WHEREAS,

CHRIS RASSETTE

performed an act of bravery on March 12, 2018, when he and Brian Pape and Jack Schoeppe rescued several people from a house fire at 653 S. 69th St., aiding Milwaukee Fire Department emergency responders; and

WHEREAS, *Chris Rassette and his coworkers from Roman Electric Company, Brian Pape and Jack Schoeppe, saw the house fire from a nearby parking lot and noticed a man attempting to open a first-floor window, and the three employees ran to the home to help the people inside; and*

WHEREAS, *Chris Rassette and Brian Pape rushed to the now-open window and helped the man and a baby out through the window, aiding in their escape from the dangerous smoke and blaze; and*

WHEREAS, *As a result of his bravery, toughness and quick-thinking, Chris Rassette and his coworkers Brian Pape and Jack Schoeppe saved the lives of several people, including a young child, and went above and beyond to ensure the safety of city residents; now, therefore, be it*

RESOLVED, *That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith recognizes Chris Rassette for his act of bravery, thanks him for helping make the City of Milwaukee a safer place, and wishes for him continued health and happiness; and, be it*

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

Introduced by Common Council members Michael J. Murphy, Robert G. Donovan, Ashanti Hamilton, Milele A. Coggs, Jim Bohl, Russell W. Stamper, II, Mark A. Borkowski, Terry L. Witkowski, José G. Pérez, Chantia Lewis, Khalif J. Rainey, and Cavalier Johnson and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on May 8, 2018.