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*Resolution congratulating Velma Jones on her retirement from the Milwaukee Public Schools.*

**WHEREAS,**

**VELMA JONES**

*retired with pride and satisfaction as a secretary with the Milwaukee Public Schools on June 20, 2014 after more than 11 years of dedicated service to the City of Milwaukee; and*

***WHEREAS,** Velma Jones richly and justly earned the enduring praise, respect and gratitude of her coworkers, friends, family and the community at large for her dedication and service to the Milwaukee Public Schools and to the City of Milwaukee; and*

***WHEREAS,** Velma Jones gained and displayed expertise through her work, performed with confidence and skill during her employment, completely meeting the challenges of her responsibilities as a secretary and served as a fine example of a dedicated employee; now, therefore, be it*

***RESOLVED,** That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates Velma Jones on her retirement from the Milwaukee Public Schools, extends its appreciation on behalf of the community, and wishes for her a happy and healthy retirement; and, be it*

***FURTHER RESOLVED,** That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Velma Jones, an outstanding employee.*

*Introduced by Common Council members Robert W. Puente, Ashanti Hamilton, Terry L. Witkowski, Michael J. Murphy, Willie C. Wade, Tony Zielinski, Jim Bohl, Joe Dudzik, Robert G. Donovan, Nik Kovac, Milele A. Coggs and José G. Pérez and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on July 22, 2014.*