

BY ALDS. STAMPER, BOHL, WITKOWSKI, COGGS, KOVAC, PEREZ

Resolution recognizing the Great Lakes Beverage Association Charitable Fund Inc. on the occasion of its 27th Annual Scholarship Program.

WHEREAS,

GREAT LAKES BEVERAGE ASSOCIATION CHARITABLE FUND

held its 27th annual scholarship reception and brunch on June 14, 2014 at the North Shore Radisson Hotel, to raise funds to provide financial assistance to young people; and

WHEREAS, *This year's scholarship reception and brunch will be held in memory of Mrs. JoAnn Swan, co-founder and executive director of The Great Lakes Beverage Charitable Fund/Scholarship Program, passed April 21, 2014; and*

WHEREAS, *During the past 27 years, The Great Lakes Beverage Association Charitable Fund has endeavored to give back to its communities through the annual scholarship program, a major fund raiser designed to provide young people of color financial assistance in their educational and career opportunities; and*

WHEREAS, *Through the generous assistance of Milwaukee corporations, distributors, businesses, the GLBA Charitable Fund and individuals in the community, the Great Lakes Beverage Association Charitable Fund has been able to provide scholarships to students who have become leaders and contributing professionals in our community; and*

RESOLVED, *That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith recognizes The Great Lakes Beverage Association Charitable Fund on its 27th annual scholarship reception and brunch, thanks the organization for assisting youth in the community, and wishes for the association continued success and prosperity; and, be it*

FURTHER RESOLVED, *That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to The Great Lakes Beverage Association Charitable Fund.*

Introduced by Common Council members Russell W. Stamper II, Jim Bohl, Terry L. Witkowski, Milele A. Coggs, Nik Kovac and José G. Pérez and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on June 24, 2014.