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Resolution expressing condolences for the family and friends of Michael Blake.

WHEREAS,

MICHAEL BLAKE

passed from this life on June 4, 2025 at the age of 69 and services were held for family and friends on June 14, 2025 at the Holy Redeemer Institutional Church of God in Christ, 3500 W Mother Daniels Way; and

***WHEREAS,** Michael Blake dedicated his life to serving others, tirelessly advocating for justice, equity, and compassion, and inspiring those around them to strive for a better future, and served as a beacon of hope and a pillar of strength, demonstrating exceptional leadership and integrity in his roles within various community organizations and initiatives; and*

***WHEREAS,** Michael Blake's contributions have profoundly impacted countless lives, leaving behind a legacy of positive change and a community that is stronger and more resilient; and*

***WHEREAS,** Michael Blake was not only a community leader but also a beloved friend, mentor, and family member, whose warmth and kindness touched everyone he encountered; now, therefore, be it*

***RESOLVED,** That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith offers its sincere condolences to the family members and friends of Michael Blake, and mourns the passing of this dedicated community member and upstanding man; and, be it*

***FURTHER RESOLVED,** That a suitably engrossed copy of the resolution be presented to the family of Michael Blake.*

Introduced by Common Council members Andrea M. Pratt, José G. Pérez, DiAndre Jackson, Mark Chambers, Jr., Robert Bauman, Milele A. Coggs, Lamont Westmoreland, JoCasta Zamarripa, Sharlen P. Moore, Scott Spiker, Alex Brower and Russell W. Stamper, II and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on June 24, 2025.