

*BY ALD. MURPHY*

*Resolution expressing condolences to the family and friends of Paul F. Illemann.*

**WHEREAS,**

**PAUL F. ILLEMANN**

*passed from this life on June 4, 2015 at the age of 69, and funeral services were held on June 8, 2015 at Schmidt & Bartelt Funeral and Cremation Services, 10121 W. North Ave. in Wauwatosa; and*

***WHEREAS,** Paul F. Illemann served his country as a U.S. Navy Seabee in the Vietnam War, and was a valuable member of Disabled American Veterans (DAV), the American Legion Post in Presque Isle and Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW); and*

***WHEREAS,** Paul F. Illemann was a dedicated City of Milwaukee employee, retiring from the Department of Public Works as a Forestry Division landscape and irrigation specialist in October 2010 after eight years of service; and*

***WHEREAS,** During his career in DPW, Paul maintained and updated the irrigation systems on 120 miles of landscaped boulevards and he was instrumental in designing and building water conserving irrigation systems on 287 new Signature Beds installed in conjunction with the Sustainable Boulevards plan, ultimately saving the city more than \$20,000 annually in water usage charges, and he was a highly skilled Master Plumber with a strong work ethic and friendly personality who motivated and encouraged his coworkers to excel; and*

***WHEREAS,** Paul F. Illemann leaves to cherish his memory his loving wife of 43 years Barbara, his beloved children Kathy Dixon, Peter (Colleen) Sundquist, Susan (Dan) Wildes and Kristin, and nine grandchildren as well as a host of other loving family and friends; now, therefore, be it*

***RESOLVED,** That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith expresses its condolences to the family and friends of Paul F. Illemann and mourns with deep sorrow the passing of this fine leader and man; and, be it*

***FURTHER RESOLVED,** That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to the family of Paul F. Illemann.*

***Introduced by Common Council President Michael J. Murphy and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on June 23, 2015.***