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Resolution recognizing the PowHer Network on the occasion of its 10th anniversary

WHEREAS,

POWHER NETWORK

celebrated its 10th anniversary on January 30, 2026 and was recognized for this achievement at the annual MKE Business Now Entrepreneurship Summit on January 31, 2026; and

WHEREAS, *The PowHER Network, founded by Chauntel McKenzie Forbes, is the only minority and woman-owned social and event architectural firm that focuses on entrepreneurship, business consulting, and organization development; and*

WHEREAS, *The PowHER Network has facilitated countless free community-focused events, as well as entrepreneurial, leadership, goal-setting, and branding workshops, which have helped launch or re-launch over hundreds of businesses in the City of Milwaukee; and*

WHEREAS, *The PowHER Network collaborated with many non-profit organizations and corporations to facilitate strategic planning, institute organizational development practices, create diversity and inclusion training, emerging leadership training, and created social architecture framework to improve their workspaces; now, therefore, be it*

RESOLVED, *That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates the PowHER Network on its 10th anniversary and thanks Chauntel McKenzie Forbes for her dedication to the community; and be it*

FURTHER RESOLVED, *That a suitably engrossed copy of the resolution be presented to the PowHER Network for this exciting achievement.*

Introduced by Common Council members Milele A. Coggs, Lamont Westmoreland, José G. Pérez, JoCasta Zamarripa, Robert J. Bauman, Sharlen P. Moore, Mark Chambers, Jr., Andrea M. Pratt, Larresa Taylor, Scott Spiker, and Russell W. Stamper, II, and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on February 10, 2026.