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Resolution congratulating Sid Grinker Restoration on its 60th anniversary.

WHEREAS,

SID GRINKER RESTORATION

saluted 60 years of operation during a special celebration held at its location, 1714 N. Vel R. Phillips Ave., on September 7, 2018; and

***WHEREAS,** the Grinker family had owned a cigar factory which ultimately closed as cigar sales declined in the 1950s, and Sid Grinker began working sales for construction taking good care of clients resulting in repeat business; and*

***WHEREAS,** a previous customer contacted him about fire damage at her home to which Sid's team did an exceptional job in repairing, and this prompted him to found his own business, the Sid Grinker Company, along with a partner; and*

***WHEREAS,** almost from the beginning Sid's son Loyal was involved with the company and took over when Sid passed away in 1972, and in 1993, Mike Grinker took over as the third generation to run the company, eventually adjusting the name to Sid Grinker Restoration in order to better reflect its specialty of restoration following water and fire damage; and*

***WHEREAS,** Sid Grinker Restoration held a 60th anniversary party on September 7, 2018 with food, festivities and a tour of its new space at 1714 N. Vel R. Phillips Ave.; now, therefore, be it*

***RESOLVED,** That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates Sid Grinker Restoration on its 60th anniversary, recognizes its positive impact on the community and offers sincere wishes for its continued success and prosperity; and, be it*

***FURTHER RESOLVED,** That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Sid Grinker Restoration.*

Introduced by Common Council members Milele A. Coggs, Ashanti Hamilton, Milele A. Coggs, Russell W. Stamper, II, Mark A. Borkowski, Terry L. Witkowski, José G. Pérez, Chantia Lewis, Khalif J. Rainey and Cavalier Johnson and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on September 25, 2018.