

BY ALDS. MURPHY, COGGS, BOHL, PEREZ, BORKOWSKI, STAMPER

Resolution expressing condolences to the family and friends of Jean Tyler.

WHEREAS,

JEAN TYLER

passed from this life on November 7, 2016 at the age of 86, and memorial services were held on December 15, 2016 at St. John's on the Lake, 1840 N. Prospect Ave.; and

WHEREAS, *Jean Tyler was born on December 17, 1929 in Pittsburgh and earned her bachelor's degree in sociology from the University of Pittsburgh, and later her master's degree in public policy and administration from the University of Wisconsin-Madison (1974); and*

WHEREAS, *Jean Tyler served as the director of the Public Policy Forum for 11 years, where she helped to implement many influential changes, including a name change, obtaining multi-year foundation grant and expanding the Forum's role from government watchdog to other areas like race relations, neighborhood development and education reform; and*

WHEREAS, *Jean Tyler also broadened the diversity of the organization's Board and membership, recruiting women and minority leaders to join the Forum's leadership and launching a special project to attract members under the age of 40; and*

WHEREAS, *Upon her retirement in 1995, Jean Tyler continued her activism, serving on the boards of numerous civic organizations, including UWM's Nonprofit Management Education Project and the Milwaukee Teacher Education Center; now, therefore, be it*

RESOLVED, *That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith expresses its condolences to the family and friends of Jean Tyler and mourns with deep sorrow the passing of this fine woman; and, be it*

FURTHER RESOLVED, *That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to the family of Jean Tyler.*

Introduced by Common Council members Michael J. Murphy, Milele A. Coggs, Jim Bohl, José G. Pérez, Mark A. Borkowski and Russell W. Stamper, II and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on November 22, 2016.