

BY ALDS. COGGS, PEREZ, HAMILTON, BOHL, STAMPER, BORKOWSKI, WITKOWSKI, LEWIS, RAINY, JOHNSON

Resolution expressing condolences to the friends and family of Carrie B. Miles.

WHEREAS,

CARRIE B. MILES

entered into eternal life at the age of 98, and funeral services were held on Saturday October 14 at the Metropolitan Missionary Baptist Church on W. Burleigh St.; and

WHEREAS, *Carrie B. Miles was born to parents Jesse James and Carrie Butcher on January 29, 1919 in Grady Arkansas, and she moved to Milwaukee in 1953, and married Charles Miles in November 1954 and they were married for more than 64 years, to this union they were blessed with two daughters; and*

WHEREAS, *Carrie B. Miles and her family lived in their home at 3405 N. 11th St. until Mr. Charles Miles passed on May 31, 2014, and they had lived independently in their home caring for one another and maintaining a quality of life, and they received beautification awards for their landscaping; and*

WHEREAS, *Their door was always opened to the neighborhood children, and being civic minded they were celebrated as bless historians, community advocates, history makers, and wonderful neighbors; and*

WHEREAS, *Mrs. Miles served as a mentor in and outside of the church, as a member of the Neighborhood Block Club she was concerned about her neighbors until she moved into assisted living five months before her passing; and*

WHEREAS, *In 2009, The Black Women Fifty-Plus Health and Lifestyle magazine showcased her in an article entitled; 'Carrie Miles, a Witness to History;' now therefore, be it*

RESOLVED, *That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith expresses its condolences to the friends and family of Carrie B. Miles, and hereby honors her for her dedication to her family and community, and be it*

FURTHER RESOLVED, *That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to the family of Carrie B. Miles.*

Introduced by Common Council members Milele A. Coggs, José G. Pérez, Ashanti Hamilton, Jim Bohl, Russell W. Stamper, II, Mark A. Borkowski, Terry L. Witkowski, Chantia Lewis, Khalif J. Rainey and Cavalier Johnson and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on October 17, 2017.