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Resolution welcoming Bishop Ruben Gonzalez Medina to the City of Milwaukee.

WHEREAS,

BISHOP RUBEN GONZALEZ MEDINA

celebrated the Solemnity of St. John the Baptist at a mass at St. Francis of Assisi Church, 1927 N. 4th St., on June 23, 2017; and

***WHEREAS,** Bishop Ruben Gonzalez Medina was made Bishop of the Diocese of Ponce, Puerto Rico, when Pope Francis transferred him from the Diocese of Caguas, Puerto Rico, in 2015; and*

***WHEREAS,** Bishop Ruben Gonzalez Medina has made it a mission of his to better all communities throughout the Caribbean and United States and especially the Puerto Rican communities; and*

***WHEREAS,** The Capuchin Friars of St. Francis of Assisi have dedicated themselves to piety and to the people of Milwaukee and in particular the City's Hispanic communities; now, therefore, be it*

***RESOLVED,** That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith welcomes Bishop Ruben Gonzalez Medina to the City of Milwaukee, extends its appreciation to the order of St. Francis on behalf of the community, and wishes for the Bishop a benevolent visit; and, be it*

***FURTHER RESOLVED,** That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Bishop Ruben Gonzalez Medina.*

Introduced by Common Council members José G. Pérez, Ashanti Hamilton, Milele A. Coggs, 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 July 11, 2017.