

ALDS. MURPHY, ZIELINSKI, WITKOWSKI, BOHL, DUDZIK, COGGS, KOVAC, BAUMAN, DONOVAN, PUENTE

Resolution honoring Susan E. Lappen for 25 years of dedicated service to the city of Milwaukee.

WHEREAS,

SUSAN E. LAPPEN

was honored for 25 years of service as a dedicated public servant and attorney for the City of Milwaukee; and

WHEREAS, *Susan E. Lappen served with distinction for 25 years as an assistant city attorney; and*

WHEREAS, *Susan E. Lappen has represented the City of Milwaukee in numerous proceedings and negotiations, has provided invaluable training and instruction to the Milwaukee Police Department, has represented five consecutive Chiefs of Police for the City of Milwaukee and has represented and appeared in the federal and state courts in five hundred and fifty lawsuits, trying numerous cases to juries in regard to complex issues that include, among other matters, the constitutional rights of citizens in regard to police practices, policies and procedures, and the actions of individual officers in 1987; and*

WHEREAS, *Susan E. Lappen has enriched the City Attorney's Office as well as the City, not only with her legal abilities, but with her care and concern for her fellow human beings; and*

WHEREAS, *Susan E. Lappen has established a sterling reputation for forthrightness, honesty, and a scholarly and extremely thorough approach to the law; now, therefore, be it*

RESOLVED, *That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee hereby recognizes Susan E. Lappen on the occasion of her 25th anniversary with the City of Milwaukee, congratulates her on this milestone and commends her for selfless service to the citizens of the community; and, be it*

FURTHER RESOLVED, *That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Susan E. Lappen, a truly exemplary citizen of the City of Milwaukee.*

Introduced by Common Council members Michael J. Murphy, Tony Zielinski, Terry L. Witkowski, Jim Bohl, Joe Dudzik, Milele A. Coggs, Nik Kovac, Robert J. Bauman, Robert G. Donovan and Robert W. Puente and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on November 25, 2014.