

BY ALDS. HAMILTON, COGGS, PEREZ, STAMPER, BORKOWSKI, WITKOWSKI, LEWIS,
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Resolution expressing condolences to the friends and family of Bishop Walter Leigh Bates.

WHEREAS,

BISHOP WALTER LEIGH BATES

passed from this life at the age of 64 on October 7, 2018 and services were held on October 19, 2018 at Christian Faith Fellowship Church, 8605 W. Good Hope Rd.; and

WHEREAS, Walter Bates spent his life as a pastor, teaching the Word of God; and

WHEREAS, Walter Bates was a positive and motivational force in the life of the people who attended his services, and is described as a great leader and advisor who helped many through teachings and preaching; and

WHEREAS, Walter Bates was the husband of Pastor Delores Bates, a loving father and a friend to many; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith expresses its condolences to the friends and family of Bishop Walter Leigh Bates, and hereby honors him for his dedication to his family and community; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to the family of Bishop Walter Leigh Bates.

Introduced by Common Council members Ashanti Hamilton, Milele A. Coggs, José G. Pérez, 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 November 5, 2018.