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*Resolution congratulating Greater Milwaukee Foundation for being a 2026 Estrella Brillante awardee.*

**WHEREAS,**

## **GREATER MILWAUKEE FOUNDATION**

*was awarded a 2026 Estrella Brillante Award for their immeasurable contributions to Hispanics in Milwaukee, and was recognized at the United Community Center's 56<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration on April 24, 2026; and*

***WHEREAS,** Greater Milwaukee Foundation has been a valued partner in advancing the mission of the United Community Center and expanding opportunity for the community for over 20 years, as an advocate of UCC's early education space, they have brought organizations together to strengthen collaboration on educational access for young learners; and*

***WHEREAS,** Greater Milwaukee Foundation is committed to informing action across the city, they have commissioned research highlighting the vital need for additional early childhood seats to build strong educational foundations at a young age; and*

***WHEREAS,** Greater Milwaukee Foundation's financial support, including the advocacy of donor-advised fund holders who champion UCC's work, have helped make UCC's vision to improve education for the next generation of Milwaukee's Hispanic population a reality; now, therefore, be it*

***RESOLVED,** That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates Greater Milwaukee Foundation on receiving a 2026 Estrella Brillante Award, commends them for their contributions and accomplishments, and wishes continued prosperity, and a successful future; and, be it*

***FURTHER RESOLVED,** That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Greater Milwaukee Foundation.*

***Introduced by Common Council members José G. Pérez, JoCasta Zamarripa, Andrea M. Pratt, Mark Chambers, Jr., Alex Brower, Robert Bauman, Lamont Westmoreland, Milele A. Coggs, Larresa Taylor, Scott Spiker, Sharlen P. Moore, and Russell W. Stamper, II and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on March 24, 2026.***