Resolution expressing condolences to the family and friends of Marietta Washington, who passed from this life on June 25, 2013.

## WHEREAS,

## **MARIETTA WASHINGTON**

passed from this life on June 25, 2013, at the age of 79, and a memorial service was held on July 6, 2013 at New Testament Church of Milwaukee, 10201 W. Bradley Rd.; and

**WHEREAS**, Marietta Washington was born February 19, 1934 to the union of Lott and Mary E. Brooks in Sayre, Ala., a twin and the third of seven children, and attended Praco High School in the Jefferson County School System; and

WHEREAS, The loving wife of Herbert Washington for 59 years and a faithful member of Kingdom Business Community Church, Marietta Washington worked as a paraprofessional for the Milwaukee Public Schools and loved children, socializing, making hats, canning, sewing, knitting and crocheting; and

WHEREAS, Marietta Washington leaves to cherish her memory her husband Herbert, her sisters Ruby Howell and Rosa Carr, her brothers Willie Brooks and Roosevelt Brooks, her children Norbert Washington, Eric Washington, Dennis Parker, Marian Washington, Melinda Laster, George Washington, Charles Washington, Rosa Washington-Cox and Maurice Washington, her best friend Juanita Mitchell and a whole host of loving friends and family; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED,** That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith expresses its condolences to the family and friends of Marietta Washington, and mourns with deep sorrow the passing of this fine woman; and, be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED,** That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to the family of Marietta Washington.

Introduced by Common Council member Milele A. Coggs and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on July 23, 2013.