

BY ALD. DUDZIK

Resolution congratulating John and Patricia Annis on their 65th wedding anniversary.

WHEREAS,

JOHN AND PATRICIA ANNIS

were married on June 19, 1948 at St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church in Milwaukee and celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary on June 19, 2013; and

WHEREAS, John Annis and Patricia Hammond sparked a romance while both worked at Milwaukee Stamping as timekeepers, and during an office Christmas party he pulled her into a nurses office and kissed her under mistletoe; and

WHEREAS, Their first date was on New Year's Eve (December 31, 1947), and on Valentine's Day, one and 1/2 months later, John gave Patricia a beautiful Valentine's card with an engagement ring tucked in a satin heart on the front; and

WHEREAS, John and Patricia were married June 19, 1948 at St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church at N. 31st and W. Michigan Streets, and although some at the time said it could never last because they only knew each other six months, here they are 65 years later they are still just as much in love as they were way back then; and

WHEREAS, Daughter Kathy was born in February 1951 and son Jim was born in September 1953, and John and Patricia have been blessed with five grandchildren and eight great grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, John and Patricia Annis have gained the respect and admiration of their family and friends for the love they have shown each other and the loyalty they have brought to each other and their marriage; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates John and Patricia Annis on 65 years of marriage, and extends sincere wishes for continued happiness; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to John and Patricia Annis in celebration of their 65th anniversary.

Introduced by Common Council member Joe Dudzik and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on July 2, 2013.