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*Resolution expressing condolences to the family and friends of Denise Holloway.*

**WHEREAS,**

## **DENISE HOLLOWAY**

*passed from this life at the age of 61, and services were held for family and friends on April 21, 2023 at Golden Gates Funeral Home; and*

**WHEREAS,** *Denise Holloway lived a rich and fulfilling life as a public servant beginning in November 1979 as a clerk stenographer in the Bureau of Engineers in the Department of Public Works, and joined the Office of the City Clerk on December 30, 1990 as council secretary to four Common Council members – Alderman Paul Henningsen, Alderman Robert Anderson, Alderwoman Mary Ann McNulty and Alderman Michael McGee; and*

**WHEREAS,** *In September 1999, Denise Holloway was appointed as legislative assistant to 1st District Alderman Marvin Pratt, was promoted to executive administrative assistant to Common Council President Marvin Pratt in July 2001, and continued in that role for President Willie L. Hines, Jr. and President Michael J. Murphy until the time of her retirement; and*

**WHEREAS,** *Denise served the residents of Milwaukee well, and she possessed extensive institutional and historical knowledge/context about the Common Council and the city, and she was instrumental in helping newer staff learn the very many facets of city government, including which department (and person) to call to solve specific problems, where things are located in the office, how to troubleshoot a problem, how to solve complicated constituent complaints, and she was always ready to answer a question in a helpful manner; and*

**WHEREAS,** *Denise Holloway will be remembered by her family, friends, and co-workers as someone who cared deeply about others, and was always willing to go above and beyond to help those around her; now, therefore, be it*

**RESOLVED,** *That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith offers its sincere condolences to the family and friends of Denise Holloway who will be remembered fondly for her loving and caring nature; and, be it*

**FURTHER RESOLVED,** *That a suitably engrossed copy of the resolution be presented to the family of Denise Holloway, a remarkable woman and an outstanding person.*

**Introduced by Common Council members Milele A. Coggs, Mark A. Borkowski, Khalif J. Rainey, José G. Pérez, Mark Chambers, Jr., Jonathan Brostoff, Robert J. Bauman, JoCasta Zamarripa, Scott Spiker, and Russell W. Stamper, II, Lamont Westmoreland, Larresa Taylor and Andrea Pratt and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on May 9, 2023.**