

*BY ALDS. PEREZ, HAMILTON, COGGS, STAMPER, SPIKER, BORKOWSKI, LEWIS, RAINEY, JOHNSON, DODD*

*Resolution expressing congratulations on the grand opening of Johanna's Cakes and Desserts on Sunday, October 13, 2019.*

**WHEREAS,**

## **JOHANNA'S CAKES AND DESSERTS**

*celebrated its grand opening on Sunday, October 13, 2019 at 1239 S. 11th St. with family and friends, community members, and civic dignitaries in attendance; and*

***WHEREAS,** Johanna Ortiz purchased a blighted building on Milwaukee's south side and renovated the property to include a new kitchen, roofing and siding, and upgrades to electrical and plumbing; and*

***WHEREAS,** Johanna Ortiz operated Johanna's Cake and Desserts inside her home while working as a public school employee but the demanding business led to her purchase of the newly renovated property located in Milwaukee's Walker Square neighborhood; and*

***WHEREAS,** Johanna's Cakes and Desserts is family-owned and operated, offering pastries, delicacies, and delicious desserts to Milwaukee's Hispanic community and the City of Milwaukee's citizens at-large; now, therefore be it*

***RESOLVED,** That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith expresses its congratulations to Johanna's Cakes and Desserts and its owner Johanna Ortiz on the occasion of the restaurant's grand opening; and be it*

***FURTHER RESOLVED,** That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Johanna Ortiz, owner of Johanna's Cakes and Desserts.*

*Introduced by Common Council members José G. Pérez, Ashanti Hamilton, Milele A. Coggs, Russell W. Stamper, II, Scott Spiker, Mark A. Borkowski, Chantia Lewis, Khalif J. Rainey, Cavalier Johnson and Nikiya Dodd and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on October 15, 2019.*