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Resolution congratulating Jeffery "Jeff" Berry on his retirement from the Department of Neighborhood Services.

## WHEREAS,

## **JEFFERY "JEFF" BERRY**

retired with pride and satisfaction as a Plan Examiner on January 22, 2022 after nearly 27 years of dedicated service to the Department of Neighborhood Services; and

WHEREAS, Jeffery "Jeff" Berry started his career in the Department of Neighborhood Services in 1995 as one of the first batch of Code Enforcement Interns through a program created in part with former Alderman Marvin Pratt, the Common Council and AFSCME District Council 48 to hire persons directly out of the central City of Milwaukee to address a specific need of the community; and

WHEREAS, During his career with DNS, Jeffery "Jeff" Berry worked as a Residential Code Enforcement 1 (CE1), Residential Code Enforcement 2 (CE2), Special Enforcement Inspector, Zoning Enforcement Inspector, Drug Abatement inspector, Plan Examiner Specialist, and Plan Examiner II (underfilling as a PEIII); and

**WHEREAS,** Jeffery "Jeff" Berry richly and justly earned the enduring praise, respect and gratitude of his coworkers, friends, family and the community at large for his dedication and service to the Department of Neighborhood Services and to the City of Milwaukee; and

**WHEREAS**, Jeffery "Jeff" Berry gained and displayed expertise through his work and performed with confidence and skill during his employment, completely meeting the challenges of his responsibilities while serving as a fine example of a dedicated employee; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates Jeffery "Jeff" Berry on his retirement from the Department of Neighborhood Services, extends its appreciation on behalf of the community, and wishes for him a happy and healthy retirement; and, be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Jeffery "Jeff" Berry, an outstanding employee.

Introduced by Common Council members Ashanti Hamilton, Mark A. Borkowski, Cavalier Johnson, Scott Spiker, Nikiya Dodd, Milele A. Coggs, Russell W. Stamper, II, José G. Pérez, Chantia Lewis and Khalif J. Rainey and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on March 1, 2022.