BY ALDS. COGGS, HAMILTON, LEWIS, SPIKER, BORKOWSKI, PEREZ, RAINEY, DODD, STAMPER Resolution recognizing Melissa Nicole Allen on her 40<sup>th</sup> birthday.

## WHEREAS,

## **MELISSA NICOLE ALLEN**

celebrated her 40<sup>th</sup> birthday with friends and family on Saturday, April 9, 2022; and

WHEREAS, Melissa Nicole Allen has made a lasting impact on the Milwaukee community for more than 15 years by committing herself to being a community-minded professional with a demonstrated passion for the intersection of social impact and business, and she used that passion to found Maures Development Group, LLC, one of the first for-profit, minority and woman-owned real estate development firms in Wisconsin, where she has worked on projects including The Good Hope Branch of Milwaukee Public Library, The Historic Garfield Apartments, and America's Black Holocaust Museum, among others; and

**WHEREAS**, Melissa Nicole Allen, outside of her professional career, has worked to better the community through contributions supporting youth via empowerment, education, arts, health, and entrepreneurship, and her non-profit organization, CUPED, commits to promoting and protecting traditional urban neighborhoods through physical, economic, and social transformation; and

**WHEREAS**, Melissa Nicole Allen has continuously demonstrated her passion for uplifting the community in whatever ways possible, and because of this has earned the enduring respect, love, and affection of her fellow Milwaukeeans; now, therefor be it

**RESOLVED,** That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates Melissa Nicole Allen on her 40<sup>th</sup> birthday and extends for her its sincere wishes for continued health and happiness; and, be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED,** That a suitably engrossed copy of the resolution be presented to Melissa Nicole Allen in recognition of her 40<sup>th</sup> birthday.

Introduced by Common Council members Milele A. Coggs, Ashanti Hamilton, Russell W. Stamper, II, Mark A. Borkowski, Scott Spiker, José G. Pérez, Chantia Lewis, Khalif J. Rainey and Nikiya Dodd and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on April 19, 2022.