BY ALDS. KOVAC, DUDZIK, BOHL, HAMILTON, COGGS, WADE, DONOVAN, WITKOWSKI,

Resolution congratulating Mark Horowitz on his retirement from the Milwaukee Public Schools.

WHEREAS.

MARK HOROWITZ

retired with pride and satisfaction as an educator with Milwaukee Public Schools on June 14, 2013 after more than 45 years of dedicated service to the City of Milwaukee; and

WHEREAS, Mark Horowitz's passion was to serve students of Milwaukee, and for 45 years he has successfully managed to do so at various Milwaukee Public Schools, demonstrating his dedication to children by taking his class to Denmark every year since 1995, running a chamber music group and taking his class on camping trips; and

WHEREAS, Mark Horowitz received his bachelor's degree from the University of Rochester in 1966, subsequently served VISTA in Milwaukee, completed graduate work in Psychology at the University of Minnesota and he obtained a master's degree in Education from the University of Wisconsin – Milwaukee in 1972; and

WHEREAS, Mark Horowitz began his career as an MPS educator as an intern at Keefe Avenue School in 1968 and taught there for 10 years, then served at Golda Meir School for 35 years, served as the east side regional director for the Milwaukee Kickers Soccer Club for more than 25 years and coached and refereed youth soccer for more than 30 years; and

WHEREAS, Mark Horowitz 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 Milwaukee Public Schools and to the City of Milwaukee, and leaves a memorable legacy; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates Mark Horowitz on his retirement from Milwaukee Public Schools, 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 Mark Horowitz.

Introduced by Common Council members Nik Kovac, Joe Dudzik, Jim Bohl, Ashanti Hamilton, Milele A. Coggs, Willie C. Wade, Robert G. Donovan and Terry L. Witkowsi and approved by all members of the Milawukee Common Council on July 2, 2013.