BY ALDS. ZIELINSKI, MURPHY, BOHL, COGGS, PEREZ, DUDZIK

Resolution congratulating Saint Augustine of Hippo Parish on its 125th anniversary.

## WHEREAS,

## SAINT AUGUSTINE OF HIPPO PARISH

celebrated 125 years of faith, service and aid to the community with a dinner on November 9, 2013 in the Parish Hall and a Mass on November 3, 2013 at 2530 S. Howell Ave., with Archbishop Jerome Listecki presiding; and

**WHEREAS**, The parish of St. Augustine of Hippo was founded in the late 1880s to serve the community now known as Bay View and operated as both a church and school offering valuable educational and stewardship resources to its community; and

WHEREAS, In 1908, the building known today as St. Augustine of Hippo church was dedicated and on August 28, 1988, the Bay View Historical Society designated the original church/school building of St. Augustine of Hippo as a community landmark; and

WHEREAS, Today, St. Augustine's is a small but vibrant faith community that performs many charitable acts in the surrounding community and is comprised of 1,429 individuals and 698 families and has been witness to many of the most important moments in its parishioners' lives, and during its 125 year history the parish has celebrated: 9,308 baptisms, 5,962 confirmations, 3,016 marriages and 3,660 funerals; and

**WHEREAS**, For 125 years, the parish community of St. Augustine of Hippo has provided outreach and community sustaining resources to Bay View, the City of Milwaukee, and the State of Wisconsin; therefore

**RESOLVED**, That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates Saint Augustine of Hippo Parish on its 125th anniversary, thanks it for its positive impact on the community and wishes for its continued success; and, be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED,** That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Saint Augustine of Hippo Parish.

Introduced by Common Council member Tony Zielinski, Michael J. Murphy, Jim Bohl, Milele A. Coggs, José G. Pérez and Joe Dudzik and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on September 24, 2013.