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Resolution congratulating the Sisters of St. Joseph of the Third Order of St. Francis for receiving the 2016 Congressman Clement Zablocki Civic Achievement Award presented by the Wisconsin State Division of the Polish American Congress.

WHEREAS,

SISTERS OF ST. JOSEPH OF THE THIRD ORDER OF ST. FRANCIS

was awarded the 2016 Congressman Clement Zablocki Civic Achievement Award by the Wisconsin State Division of the Polish American Congress on November 6, 2016 at the 20th annual Polish Independence Day/Veterans Day luncheon at the Polish Center of Wisconsin; and

***WHEREAS,** the Sisters of St. Joseph of the Third Order of St. Francis is an order of religious women which was founded in 1901 in Stevens Point, Wisconsin, and this year celebrates its 115th anniversary of community service; and*

***WHEREAS,** the Sisters of St. Joseph of the Third Order of St. Francis was formed as a teaching order for school-aged children of Polish immigrants, and today its members are engaged in the fields of health care, housing for the aged and infirm, and doing respite care work in 14 U.S. states and three countries; and*

***WHEREAS,** the Sisters of St. Joseph of the Third Order of St. Francis are celebrating a special jubilee of 115 years of service, so it is fitting and proper for the Polish American Congress – Wisconsin Division to celebrate them with this acknowledgement; now, therefore, be it*

***RESOLVED,** That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates the Sisters of St. Joseph of the Third Order of St. Francis on being honored with the Congressman Clement Zablocki Civic Achievement Award from the Wisconsin PAC, recognizes it for its dedication to the Polish heritage and wishes for its continued success; and, be it*

***FURTHER RESOLVED,** That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to the Sisters of St. Joseph of the Third Order of St. Francis.*

Introduced by Common Council members Terry L. Witkowski, Tony Zielinski, Jim Bohl, Milele A. Coggs, José G. Pérez and Mark A. Borkowski and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on October 11, 2016.