Resolution expressing condolences to the family and friends of Lillie Myzennie Williams.

WHEREAS,

LILLIE MYZENNIE WILLIAMS

passed from this life on September 22, 2016 at the age of 96, and memorial services were held on September 28, 2016 at Union Cemetery, 3175 N. Teutonia Ave.; and

WHEREAS, Lillie Myzennie Williams was born on October 11, 1919 in Marietta GA to Odessa Slocum Lowe and Alfred Lowe; and

WHEREAS, Lillie Myzennie Williams was first married to Ruben Jackson Sr. in December, 1936, and they were blessed with three children: Gracie Mae Bentley, Margie K. Jackson and Ruben Jackson Jr., and later in life she was united in marriage with the late Robert S. Williams, and was blessed with more children: Cheechee Williams, Melody Williams and Robert "Squid" Williams; and

WHEREAS, Lillie Myzennie Williams worked at the University Club of Milwaukee in her early years until her and her husband, Robert Williams, became the proprietors of Towne Cleaners, where she worked as a master seamstress and presser until her retirement in 2003; and

WHEREAS, Lillie Myzennie Williams leaves to cherish her memories three daughters, eight grandchildren, many great grandchildren, as well as a host of cousins, nephews, nieces and many friends; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith expresses its condolences to the family and friends of Lillie Myzennie Williams and mourns with deep sorrow the passing of this fine woman; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to the family of Lillie Myzennie Williams.

Introduced by Common Council members Khalif J. Rainey, Milele A. Coggs, Jim Bohl, José G. Pérez and Mark A. Borkowski and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on October 11, 2016.