

BY THE COMMON COUNCIL

Resolution recognizing the grand opening of Pizzeria San Giorgio, 838 N. Old World Third St.

WHEREAS,

PIZZERIA SAN GIORGIO

was officially opened at 838 N. Old World Third St. during a special ceremony held on January 31, 2017; and

WHEREAS, *Pizzeria San Giorgio was opened by Milwaukee restaurateur Gino Fazzari right next door to his popular longtime downtown restaurant, Calderone Club (842 N. Old World Third St.), and will specialize in preparing Neapolitan pizzas (and other Italian specialty dishes), and the restaurant will be seeking special certification as a Vera Pizza Napoletana, which means it adheres to the “strict requirements that respect the tradition of the art of Neapolitan pizza making”; and*

WHEREAS, *Pizzeria San Giorgio is named in honor of Gino Fazzari’s late cousin, George – his cooking mentor and namesake (George was also called Gino) – as well as in honor of Saint George, who Gino considers is his patron saint; and*

WHEREAS, *Pizzeria San Giorgio will create 50 much needed jobs, and it will be a welcome addition to the area surrounding the future new Milwaukee Bucks arena and Live Block, as well as the existing UW-Milwaukee Panther Arena, the Milwaukee Theatre, and the Wisconsin Center; now, therefore, be it*

RESOLVED, *That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith recognizes and congratulates Gino Fazzari on the grand opening of Pizzeria San Giorgio, thanks and commends him and his team for many delicious contributions to downtown and the city as a whole, and wishes him continued success and prosperity; and, be it*

FURTHER RESOLVED, *That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Gino Fazzari.*

Introduced and approved on February 7, 2017 by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council: Robert J. Bauman, Ashanti Hamilton, José G. Pérez, Robert G. Donovan, Jim Bohl, Mark A. Borkowski, Michael J. Murphy, Tony Zielinski, Milele A. Coggs, Nik Kovac, Russell W. Stamper, II, Terry L. Witkowski, Cavalier Johnson, Chantia Lewis and Khalif J. Rainey.