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*Resolution thanking Diana Guadalupe for her service to the Mitchell Street neighborhood and citizens of Milwaukee at Impact Seven.* 

WHEREAS,

## **DIANA GUADALUPE**

has served as a manager at the Mitchell Street Market Lofts location of Impact Seven for two years, and her service was recognized at a special ceremony on May 19, 2017 at this apartment complex, 1948 W. Mitchell St.; and

WHEREAS, Diana Guadalupe was born in Puerto Rico, was raised in Central America during her parents' time as missionaries in Panama and Nicaragua, graduated from West Coast Christian College and is an ordained minister of the Church of God, TN; and

**WHEREAS,** After arriving in Milwaukee, Diana Guadalupe met a retired Catholic religious sister, served community members in need alongside her and promised to continue her mission; and

**WHEREAS**, Impact Seven is a certified community development financial institution and a non-profit developer of affordable housing in Wisconsin, and Diana Guadalupe has supported the organization's mission of strengthening the local economy and improving lives through socially-motivated investments and service; and

**WHEREAS**, Diana Guadalupe has been actively involved in educational, anti-cancer and other causes through her church, Upper Room, and has also organized community events such as providing free breast exams and helping to bring bread to the UMOS Latin Resource Center; and

*WHEREAS*, Diana Guadalupe has provided many resources to neighborhood residents and served as a strong advocate for the local Latino community; and

*WHEREAS*, Diana Guadalupe is bravely battling cancer and will step down from her manager position after providing valuable help to the community; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith thanks Diana Guadalupe for her service to the Mitchell Street neighborhood at Impact Seven, extends its appreciation on behalf of the community and wishes her healing and recovery.

Introduced by Common Council members José G. Pérez, Terry L. Witkowski, Jim Bohl, Mark A. Borkowski, Milele A. Coggs, Ashanti Hamilton, Robert G. Donovan, Tony Zielinski,

Chantia Lewis, Khalif J. Rainey, Cavalier Johnson and Russell W. Stamper, II and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on May 9, 2017.