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Resolution congratulating Sebastian Raclaw on his retirement from the Milwaukee Police Department.

WHEREAS.

SEBASTIAN RACLAW

retired with pride and satisfaction as a police lieutenant with the Milwaukee Police Department on March 28, 2017 after more than 20 years of dedicated service to the City of Milwaukee; and

WHEREAS, Sebastian Raclaw began his career at the Milwaukee Police Department as a police aide and was later promoted to police officer, detective, sergeant and lieutenant and played a key role in protecting the safety of the citizens of Milwaukee; and

WHEREAS, Sebastian Raclaw's responsibilities over the years have included property control, human resources, internal affairs, the narcotics division and more; and

WHEREAS, Sebastian Raclaw excelled in all of his positions with the Milwaukee Police Department, demonstrated great skill at finding common ground with others and bringing people together and took pride in his work; and

WHEREAS, Sebastian Raclaw was diagnosed with a rare form of abdominal cancer in 2012, bravely fought this life threatening illness and created the Sebastian Raclaw Abdominal Cancer Research Fund to help other patients, raise awareness and fund research with the support of the Milwaukee Police Supervisors' Organization and the Milwaukee Police Endurance Club; and

WHEREAS, Sebastian Raclaw looks forward to spending more time with his wife Angie and his children Bella and Noah; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates Sebastian Raclaw on his retirement from the Milwaukee Police Department, extends its appreciation on behalf of the community and wishes for him a happy and healthy retirement.

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