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Resolution congratulating Karen Kamlah on her retirement from the Department of Employee Relations.

WHEREAS,

KAREN KAMLAH

retired with pride and satisfaction as the Certification Services Specialist for the Department of Employee Relations on July 19, 2017 after 50 years of dedicated service to the City of Milwaukee; and

WHEREAS, Karen Kamlah began her career in city service in 1967 as a Clerk Stenographer with the Budget Office where she was promoted steadily through the ranks of Clerk Stenographer until 1977 when she joined the clerical pool where she worked until 1989; and

WHEREAS, Karen Kamlah started work in the Department of Employee Relations in 1989 and was promoted to Program Assistant in 1999 and lastly to Certification Services Specialist in 2010; and

WHEREAS, During her many years of distinguished service, Karen Kamlah has served under four mayors and has overseen the implementation of two different computerized applicant tracking and code enforcement systems; and

WHEREAS, Karen Kamlah was an upstanding employee, coworker and citizen, tirelessly outfitting the office for every season, reporting improvements needed throughout the city, helping those with her encyclopedic memory of departmental and city-wide history, and filling the air with humor and the candy dish with sweets; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates Karen Kamlah on her retirement from the Department of Employee Relations, extends its appreciation on behalf of the community, and wishes for her a happy and healthy retirement; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Karen Kamlah, an outstanding employee.

Introduced by Common Council members Mark A. Borkowski, Jim Bohl, Ashanti Hamilton, Milele A. Coggs, Russell W. Stamper, II, Terry L. Witkowski, José G. Pérez, Chantia Lewis, Khalif J. Rainey and Cavalier Johnson and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on July 31, 2017.