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Resolution recognizing Katrina Hunt for her winning entry in the eighth annual Freedom Scholarship Essay Contest.

WHEREAS,

KATRINA HUNT

has distinguished herself through her written essay on the subject of freedom and what it means to her, representing Milwaukee students as a winner in the annual Freedom Scholarship Essay Contest; and

WHEREAS, Katrina Hunt, is a Milwaukee native, born and raised by her mother and has three brothers, attended Milwaukee Lutheran High School graduating in 2013, was raised in an artistic household, became an artist, and passed down from her mother and older brothers her visual art including drawing, painting, and sketching, and also as a hobby, music composition and creative writing; and

WHEREAS, Katrina Hunt, graduated from Public Allies Milwaukee, a national AmeriCorps program in July 2017 where she served at the Urban Economic Development Association of Wisconsin (UEDA) as a program coordinator, worked on the Take Root Milwaukee program assisting with website and social media outreach and homeowner events, and she also worked with P3 Development Group on "Collabs and Convos" and the MKE United initiative with her major focus on assisting Milwaukee's Bronzeville Week, working alongside many Bronzeville stakeholders and founders, including Alderwoman Milele A. Coggs and her office, Deshea Agee of Historic King Drive BID, business owners, community organizations and local artists; and

WHEREAS, Katina Hunt, with love for the Bronzeville community, projects, and partners, is planning to move into the area and will attend the University of Wisconsin Milwaukee in the Community Engagement and Education (CEED) program to further her work in community development, and will stay connected with all of her peers and mentors that she has met this year through Public Allies and UEDA, and Katrina Hunt is clearly an exemplary student and young woman, who never fails to reach for and embrace the educational opportunities presented to her, like the Freedom Scholarship Essay Contest; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith recognizes Katrina Hunt for her thoughts on freedom, her participation in the Freedom Scholarship Essay Contest and her dedication as a student, and wishes for her continued success and prosperity; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Katrina Hunt, an exemplary student.

Introduced by Common Council member Milele A. Coggs, Jim Bohl, Mark A. Borkowski, José G. Pérez, Cavalier Johnson and Chantia Lewis and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on September 6, 2017.