BY ALDS. COGGS, HAMILTON, BOHL, STAMPER, BORKOWSKI, WITKOWSKI, PÉREZ, LEWIS, RAINEY, JOHNSON

Resolution expressing condolences to the family and friends of Nathan Conyers who passed from this life on April 27, 2018.

WHEREAS,

NATHAN CONYERS

passed from this life on April 27, 2018, and visitation services were held for family and friends on May 6, 2018 at St. Mark A.M.E. Church, 1616 W. Atkinson, Ave.; and

WHEREAS, Nathan Conyers profoundly contributed to Milwaukee during his time as a loving father, devoted husband, intelligent businessman, and strong community voice; and

WHEREAS, Nathan Conyers also kept the Milwaukee community informed with the establishment of his newspaper, the Milwaukee Times Weekly, in 1981, and he continued to use his platform to write about and formulate discussions about all things Milwaukee while maintaining "journalistic excellence, service, integrity, and objectivity, always"; and

WHEREAS, Nathan Convers created the Milwaukee Times Weekly's Black Excellence Awards, recognizing African Americans in the Milwaukee community who are inspiring their community, serving their neighbors, or advocating for a relevant issue; and

WHEREAS, Nathan Conyers leaves to cherish his memory his two daughters Deloris Conyers and Morgan Conyers, his wife Lynda Jackson-Conyers, and numerous friends; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith expresses its condolences to the family and friends of Nathan Conyers, recognizes his lasting impact on the community and mourns with deep sorrow the passing of this fine, upstanding man; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to the family of Nathan Conyers.

Introduced by Common Council members Milele A. Coggs, Ashanti Hamilton, Jim Bohl, Russell W. Stamper, II, Mark A. Borkowski, 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 May 8, 2018.