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Resolution recognizing three Roman Electric Company employees for an act of bravery.

WHEREAS,

ROMAN ELECTRIC COMPANY

is fortunate to have three selfless employees who performed an act of bravery on March 12, 2018, when they rescued several people from a house fire at 653 S. 69th St., aiding Milwaukee Fire Department emergency responders; and

WHEREAS, *Three employees from Roman Electric Company saw the house fire from a nearby parking lot and noticed a man attempting to open a first-floor window, and the employees, Brian Pape, Chris Rasette, and Jack Schoeppe ran to the home to help the people inside; and*

WHEREAS, *Brian Pape and Chris Rasette rushed to the now-open window and helped the man and a baby out through the window, aiding in their escape from the dangerous smoke and blaze; and*

WHEREAS, *Jack Schoeppe thought quickly on his feet and leaned a ladder against the second-floor deck of the home and helped another tenant escape the burning home, and he informed Milwaukee Fire Department firefighters of the last tenant stuck on the second-floor; and*

WHEREAS, *As a result of their bravery, toughness and quick-thinking, the three Roman Electric Co. employees, Brian Pape, Chris Rasette, and Jack Schoeppe, saved the lives of several people, including a young child, and went above and beyond to ensure the safety of city residents; now, therefore, be it*

RESOLVED, *That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith recognizes Roman Electric Company for employing outstanding and selfless citizens Brian Pape, Chris Rasette, and Jack Schoeppe, who with their acts of bravery, have helped make the City of Milwaukee a safer place; and, be it*

FURTHER RESOLVED, *That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Roman Electric Company.*

Introduced by Common Council members Michael J. Murphy, Robert G. Donovan, Ashanti Hamilton, Milele A. Coggs, 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.