

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

*Resolution expressing condolences to the family and friends of Bernard Joseph Wawrzyniak, Sr., who passed from this life on April 14, 2018.*

**WHEREAS,**

## **BERNARD “BERNIE” JOSEPH WAWRZYNIAK, SR.**

*passed from this life on April 14, 2018, and services were held for family and friends on April 18, 2018 at Witkowiak Funeral Home, 529 W. Historic Mitchell St.; and*

**WHEREAS,** *Bernard Joseph Wawrzyniak, Sr. was born on September 21, 1951 in Wausau, Wisconsin, to his parents Walter and Anna Wawrzyniak, and he later moved to Milwaukee, where he remained a lifelong resident; and*

**WHEREAS,** *Bernard Joseph Wawrzyniak, Sr. was a loving and devoted father and friend to those in his community and was always willing to share a smile or a laugh with his neighbor; and*

**WHEREAS,** *Bernard Joseph Wawrzyniak, Sr., preceded by the death of his daughter Jill Ann Wawrzyniak, leaves to cherish his memory children BJ Wawrzyniak Jr. and Chad Wawrzyniak, step-children Robert, Kenneth and Troy Whitaker, seven grandchildren, brother Peter Wawrzyniak, sisters Mary (Jack) Battles, Victoria Wawrzyniak, Katherine (Thomas) Ehlert, and foster brothers Albert (Christine) Schaubel and Harry Schaubel Jr.; now, therefore, be it*

**RESOLVED,** *That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith expresses its condolences to the family and friends of Bernard Joseph Wawrzyniak, Sr., 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 Bernard Joseph Wawrzyniak, Sr.*

**Introduced by Common Council members José G. Pérez, Ashanti Hamilton, Milele A. Coggs, Jim Bohl, Russell W. Stamper, II, Mark A. Borkowski, Terry L. Witkowski, Chantia Lewis, Khalif J. Rainey, and Cavalier Johnson and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on May 8, 2018.**