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Resolution congratulating the distinguished service of Mel Price on the occasion of his medal ceremony.

WHEREAS,

## **MEL PRICE**

was awarded medals earned for serving with bravery and honor as a United States Army Soldier during World War II on November 11, 2018 at Clement Manor, 3939 S. 92nd St. in Greenfield; and

**WHEREAS**, Mel Price was born on November 4, 1925 and raised in Milwaukee; and

WHEREAS, Mel Price Joined the United States Army in 1941 as a Private and served in the Pacific in the Philippines and Japan, rising through the ranks as a dedicated soldier, and earned several medals for bravely carrying out his duties in a manner becoming of a United States soldier while achieving the rank of Technician Third Grade on February 17, 1944; and

WHEREAS, Mel Price remained in loyal service to the United States Army until his honorable discharge on April 1, 1946; and

WHEREAS, After returning home to his four brothers and six sisters in Wisconsin, Mel Price continued his hobbies of riding horses and Mazurka polish dancing and worked as a Pabst Brewery worker in Milwaukee until his retirement at age 65; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates and recognizes Mel Price for receiving the medals earned for his service to our nation in World War II, extends its appreciation for his service to our nation on behalf of the community, and wishes for him continued health and happiness; and, be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Mel Price.

Introduced by Common Council members Mark A. Borkowski, Terry L. Witkowski, Ashanti Hamilton, Milele A. Coggs, Russell W. Stamper, II, José G. Pérez, Chantia Lewis, Khalif J. Rainey, and Cavalier Johnson and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on November 27, 2018.