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Resolution congratulating Samuel Sims on receiving the Community Servant Award from the Knights of Peter Claver & Ladies Auxiliary.

WHEREAS,

SAMUEL SIMS

was recognized for his contributions to the City of Milwaukee upon receiving the Community Servant Award at the Knights of Peter Claver & Ladies Auxillary's 31st Annual Mardi Gras Scholarship Ball on March 2, 2019; and

WHEREAS, Samuel Sims proudly served his country in the U.S. Army, performing as a courier in Germany during WWII and in the Middle East Peace Keeping Force, and continued his service through the Five Points Neighborhood Association, formerly the Triangle Block Club, where he helped to lift the spirits and properties to make his neighbors feel safe, secure, and proud of their community; and

WHEREAS, Samuel Sims has long worked with and for Black Catholics through the National Office of Black Catholics and the Knights of Peter Claver & Ladies Auxiliary, giving his time and heart to compassionate service and betterment of Black Catholics in Milwaukee; and

WHEREAS, Samuel Sims has earned the Community Servant Award, which recognizes an individual in the Milwaukee area who has demonstrated unwavering dedication to providing human services and ongoing advocacy for the rights and welfare of individuals and families; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates Samuel Sims for his reception of the Community Servant Award, extends its appreciation for his exemplary service, and commends him for his dedication to the greater Milwaukee community; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Samuel Sims, an outstanding citizen.

Introduced by Common Council members Milele A. Coggs, Ashanti Hamilton, Russell W. Stamper, II, Mark A. Borkowski, Terry L. Witkowski, José G. Pérez, Chantia Lewis, Khalif J. Rainey, Cavalier Johnson and Nikiya Dodd and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on March 26, 2019.