BY ALDS. LEWIS, HAMILTON, COGGS, STAMPER, BORKOWSKI, WITKOWSKI, PEREZ, RAINEY, JOHNSON, DODD

Resolution congratulating Carolyn Bolton on her 75 years of service to the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.

WHEREAS,

## **CAROLYN BOLTON**

celebrated her Diamond year of service in 2019 to the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, Carolyn Bolton was initiated into the Alpha Pi Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. in 1944 while attending Clark College (now Clark Atlanta University) in Atlanta, Georgia; and

WHEREAS, In addition to her years of service to her sorority, Carolyn Bolton became the first African-American teacher in the Beloit, Wisconsin public school system and later became the first African-American guidance counselor at Beloit Memorial High School; and

WHEREAS, Carolyn Bolton and her family moved to Milwaukee, where she was an MPS guidance counselor at both Washington and Marshall High Schools, retiring in 1981; and

WHEREAS, Carolyn Bolton, mother of four children, grandmother of eight, and greatgrandmother of nine, continues to give back to the greater Milwaukee community and the local Epsilon Kappa Omega chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha, Inc. through her volunteer work; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates Carolyn Bolton for being Milwaukee's first Diamond Sorority Sister for her 75 years of service to the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., thanks her for her contributions and dedication to the community, and wishes for her continued health and happiness; and, be it

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

Introduced by Common Council members Chantia Lewis, Milele A. Coggs, Ashanti Hamilton, Russell W. Stamper, II, Mark A. Borkowski, Terry L. Witkowski, José G. Pérez, Khalif J. Rainey, Cavalier Johnson, and Nikiya Dodd and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on May 29, 2019.