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Resolution congratulating Bernice Flemming on her retirement from the Milwaukee Water Works.

WHEREAS,

BERNICE FLEMMING

retired with pride and satisfaction as a water claims specialist with the Milwaukee Water Works on July 6, 2019 after more than 21 years of dedicated service to the City of Milwaukee; and

WHEREAS, Bernice Flemming began her city employment in September 1988 with the Milwaukee Public Library as a clerk typist; and

WHEREAS, Bernice Flemming rose in the ranks at the library to office assistant in June 1994, and later transferred to the Milwaukee Police Department as a police officer in April 1996 until May 1998 when she transferred back to the Milwaukee Public Library as a personnel payroll assistant; and

WHEREAS, Bernice Flemming joined the Milwaukee Water Works as a water claims specialist in November 2005 where she managed claims levied by and against Milwaukee Water Works, conducted thorough investigations, and gathered relevant documentation and coordinated the Water Works response.

WHEREAS, Bernice Flemming was also responsible for responding on behalf of the Milwaukee Water Works to the City Clerk, City Attorney's Office and Department of Public Works, and she richly and justly earned the praise and respect of her family, friends, coworkers, and the community for her dedication to the City of Milwaukee and the Milwaukee Water Works; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates Bernice Flemming on her retirement from the Milwaukee Water Works, extends its appreciation on behalf of the community, and wishes for her a happy and healthy retirement; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Bernice Flemming, an outstanding employee.

Introduced by Common Council members Ashanti Hamilton, Milele A. Coggs, Russell W. Stamper, II, Mark A. Borkowski, José G. Pérez, Chantia Lewis, Khalif J. Rainey, Cavalier Johnson and Nikiya Dodd and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on July 9, 2019.