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

Resolution expressing condolences to the family and friends of the Ceasar Stinson.

WHEREAS,

CEASAR STINSON JR.

passed from this life on January 25, 2020 and visitation and funeral services were held for family and friends on February 1, 2020 at Chapel of the Chimes at Wisconsin Memorial Park, 13235 W. Capitol Drive; and

WHEREAS, Ceasar Stinson was born on March 27,1972 to Charles and Sharon Stinson and graduated from the University of Wisconsin-Madison with a law degree; and

WHEREAS, Ceasar Stinson Jr. was a positive community leader in the City of Milwaukee and prominent lobbyist for Milwaukee Public Schools who influenced the lives of thousands and enhanced the Greater Milwaukee Area with a vision for education; and

WHEREAS, Ceasar Stinson Jr. believed in the promise of education, became relentless in his goal of shifting societal stereotypes that surround Black men, and was passionate about improving the lives of young Milwaukeeans while he remained active in the Black Lives Matter movement; and

WHEREAS, Ceasar Stinson Jr. was a friend to many and father who used his life's challenges to change the lives of children and fostered young adults into men and women who became civic leaders, educators, and change makers and became a Milwaukee visionary who believed in service, charity, and community as values that could alter one's life; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith expresses its condolences to the family and friends of the Ceasar Stinson Jr., and mourns with deep sorrow the passing of this upstanding man; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to the family of the Ceasar Stinson Jr.

Introduced by Common Council members Ashanti Hamilton, Russell W. Stamper, II, Milele A. Coggs, Cavalier Johnson, Mark A. Borkowski, Scott Spiker, José G. Pérez, Chantia Lewis, Khalif J. Rainey and Nikiya Dodd and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on February 11, 2020.