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

Resolution congratulating Reggie Moore on his achievements as the director of the Office of Violence Prevention within the Milwaukee Health Department.

WHEREAS,

REGGIE MOORE

left his position in city service in May 2021 to take a new position with the Medical College of Wisconsin, becoming its first Director of Violence Prevention Policy and Engagement, and will continue his important violence prevention work at the state and national level; and

WHEREAS, Reggie Moore began his service as Executive Director of the Milwaukee Health Department's Office of Violence Prevention in 2016, and has since worked to help prevent deadly violence across Milwaukee, while also helping to comfort numerous families who have experienced grief, loss and trauma linked to unnecessary violence; and

WHEREAS, Reggie Moore was the founder and executive director of two organizations, the Center for Youth Engagement, which focused on advancing quality youth development policies and practices in the U.S. and across the world, and Urban Underground, which promotes a new generation of young leaders committed to building safe and sustainable communities through community organizing and civic engagement; and

WHEREAS, Reggie Moore exemplified leadership on all fronts at OVP and worked tirelessly during the COVID-19 pandemic to ensure that people could mourn, protest, and heal in the safest ways possible, while often putting his own health at risk; and

WHEREAS, Reggie Moore has served on several boards, including the Milwaukee Public Schools Foundation, Funders Collaborative on Youth Organizing, and Scaling Wellness in Milwaukee; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates Reggie Moore on his new position with the Medical College of Wisconsin, thanks and recognizes him for his dedicated service to the Office of Violence Prevention and to the City of Milwaukee, and extends wishes for his continued success; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED That suitably engrossed copies of this resolution be presented to Reggie Moore, an outstanding public servant.

Introduced by Common Council members Robert J. Bauman, Cavalier Johnson, Michael J. Murphy, Scott Spiker, Nikiya Dodd, Mark A. Borkowski, Ashanti Hamilton, Milele A. Coggs, Russell W. Stamper, II, José G. Pérez, Chantia Lewis and Khalif J. Rainey and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on May 4, 2021.