

Redevelopment Authority of the City of Milwaukee

Resolution No.: 9963
Adopted on: October 18, 2007
Project Area: Administration
Aldermanic District: N/A

Resolution commending Joel T. Brennan for his service to the Redevelopment Authority of the City of Milwaukee.

Whereas, Joel T. Brennan has served with distinction as Assistant Executive Director - Secretary of the Redevelopment Authority since 2004; and

Whereas, Joel T. Brennan has left his mark on catalytic neighborhood projects and has spurred downtown growth in the City of Milwaukee through such projects as Manpower, Milwaukee Intermodal Station, Job Corps, Direct Supply, The Brewery and The Menomonee Valley, along with dozens of other land sales, developments and TIF districts; and

Whereas, Joel T. Brennan's dedication and vision helped eliminate various blighted areas in many parts of the City of Milwaukee to facilitate new investment in such areas as the Park East, Third Ward and The Bronzeville Cultural and Entertainment District, along with many other market driven developments throughout the City of Milwaukee with exemplary enthusiasm, patience, dedication and leadership that will be missed by the Redevelopment Authority; and

Whereas, During Joel T. Brennan's tenure, Milwaukee neighborhoods and the downtown have benefited from the creation and retention of jobs and housing units, that together have added millions of dollars to the tax base and leveraged other revitalization projects and investments; and

Whereas, Joel T. Brennan will always be remembered for his discontinuation of donut day, insistence that he was never invited to social gatherings of his staff, his love of Shah Jee's lunch and his great sense of humor he brought to the workplace; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the Redevelopment Authority of the City of Milwaukee Joel T. Brennan be commended for his distinguished years of service to the Authority that has led to improvements in the overall quality of life for the residents of the City of Milwaukee extend its sincere appreciation to Joel T. Brennan for his service to the Redevelopment Authority and honorable commitment to the City of Milwaukee; and, be it

Further Resolved, that the proper officers of the Redevelopment Authority do hereby express their sincere gratitude and wishes for Joel T. Brennan's continued success and Joel T. Brennan's service and civic commitment to add value and make Milwaukee a better place to live, work and play. The Commissioners and staff of the Redevelopment Authority of the City of Milwaukee extend best wishes for continued success in his future endeavors; and, be it

Further Resolved, That Joel T. Brennan was an excellent public servant and wonderful human being, and that this resolution shall become part of the permanent record of the Redevelopment Authority.

CERTIFICATION

I certify that the forgoing is a true and exact copy of a resolution adopted by the Redevelopment Authority of the City of Milwaukee, WI on the date set forth above.

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Elaine M. Miller
Special Designee to the Executive Director-Secretary
