MEDIA ADVISORY

Honorary street sign naming ceremony on Friday

Alderman Khalif J. Rainey is inviting the public to an honorary street sign naming ceremony and reception to pay tribute to Milwaukee legend Dr. Lester Carter who has operated his pharmacy, Carter Drug Store, for 50 years.

“Dr. Carter is a trailblazing Black business owner who has dedicated his life in service to others, while improving the health of the community,” said Ald. Rainey. “This honorary street sign naming gives us an opportunity to pay homage to a man that has had such a positive impact on our community.”

The ceremony will begin at 11 a.m. in front of Carter Pharmacy, 2400 W. Burleigh St., on the block that will be renamed in Dr. Carter’s honor. Immediately following, a reception will take place at Moody Park Pavilion, 2201 W. Auer Ave.

What: Honorary Street Sign Naming

When/Where: Friday, May 18

11 a.m. – Noon (Ceremony)
Carter Pharmacy, 2400 W. Burleigh St.

Noon – 2 p.m. (Reception)
Moody Park Pavilion, 2201 W. Auer Ave.

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