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A CEREMONIAL RESOLUTION

<u>24-52</u>

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

June 1, 2021

To recognize and celebrate the Adam's Inn for providing 38 years of hospitality and comfort to visitors to the District in the Adams Morgan Neighborhood.

WHEREAS, Adam's Inn was founded in 1983 in Lanier Place NW in Adams Morgan as a 27-room Inn welcoming visitors from around the country and world;

WHEREAS, Adam's Inn provided affordable lodging to visitors, who came back multiple times after being welcomed into the intimate and kind space, and neighborhood;

WHEREAS, more than 50% of those who visited Adam's Inn were from international destinations, who found a home away from home in this Inn and in the Adams Morgan neighborhood;

WHEREAS, the owner of Adam's Inn since 2001, Adam Crain, has served as a core member of the community, including 13 years on the Adams Morgan Business Improvement District Board;

WHEREAS, Adam's Inn employed a staff that reflected the Inn, as well as the neighborhood's values, comprising of mostly international and immigrant staff members through the years from over 15 different nations;

WHEREAS, one employee, Mario Lopez from Mexico, truly exemplified the values of Adam's Inn and the area, by supporting an atmosphere of respect and excellence in the service he provided, and the way he treated both employees and guests;

WHEREAS, Adam's Inn's culture was one fully ingrained with the diversity and openness of the Adams Morgan neighborhood, exemplifying the phrase "No matter where you are from, we're glad you're our neighbor";

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the "Adam's Inn Recognition Resolution of 2021."

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Sec. 2. The Council of the District of Columbia recognizes and celebrates the Adam's Inn for providing 38 years of hospitality and comfort to visitors to the District in the Adams Morgan Neighborhood.

Sec. 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately.