

RESOLUTION 2008-10

WHEREAS, Halien R. Besaw has conscientiously completed four years of service to the City of Cedarburg, Wisconsin as 3rd District Council Member from 2004-08; and

WHEREAS, Halien R. Besaw previously was a citizen member of the Board of Appeals from 2003-04; and

WHEREAS, Halien R. Besaw, as Council Member, has served on the following, as well as various ad hoc committees, with dedication and distinction, marked by exemplary and energetic leadership:

Landmarks Commission	2004-05	Design Review Board	2005-06
Mid-Moraine (Alt.)	2004-06	Personnel Committee	2006-08
Sewerage Commission	2004-08		

WHEREAS, the services of Halien R. Besaw have been a positive influence for progress of this Community; and

WHEREAS, Halien R. Besaw, as Council Member, was influential in completion of the following projects: facilitating several annexations and rezonings, including annexation of the property north of the City to facilitate a business park; the hiring of a City Administrator, City Administrator/Treasurer, City Clerk, and Director of Parks and Recreation; adoption of Intergovernmental Agreements; expansion of the Cedar Creek Walkway; the creation of Tax Incremental District #2; financing of a new public library, and adoption of the Smart Growth Comprehensive Land Use Plan – 2025; and

WHEREAS, Halien R. Besaw, during her tenure with the City demonstrated and encouraged a proactive approach in dealing with municipal government issues, and citizens have greatly benefited from her commitment;

WHEREAS, Halien R. Besaw made conscientious efforts to control spending and keep taxes low in the City; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Common Council of the City of Cedarburg hereby joins the citizens of the City of Cedarburg and City Staff in publicly honoring, commending and expressing their sincere appreciation to Halien R. Besaw for her admirable public service and her many contributions to the cause of representative local government.

Passed and adopted this 31st day of March 2008.

Gregory P. Myers, Mayor

Attest:

Constance K. McHugh, City Clerk