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RESOLUTION NO. 59 - 2024

RECOGNIZING Jeremy Tyler as a 2024 Pride Month honoree and **EXPRESSING** the appreciation of the Mayor and the Council of the City of Cincinnati for his lifelong efforts to uplift workers through the application of a Black queer feminist lens to his work and career, and for his commitment to making Cincinnati an inclusive and equitable place for all people.

WHEREAS, Jeremy Tyler was born on the Southside of Chicago and raised in the South Suburbs, where his family instilled in him the importance of hard work and doing your job well, and where he participated in the Boy Scouts of America from a young age, ultimately achieving the rank of Eagle Scout; and

WHEREAS, Jeremy began his career working with Service Employees International Union as an organizer in the “Fight for \$15,” an impactful effort that provided Jeremy with the opportunity to work directly with the most vulnerable populations and materially impact their lives; and

WHEREAS, Jeremy has also worked with Black Youth Project 100, an organization dedicated to working with and for Black youth across the country, where Jeremy helped organize a community benefits agreement with the Obama Library for the people of Jackson Park and Woodlawn; and

WHEREAS, Jeremy moved to Cincinnati in 2021 to work as a Union Business Representative with the Chicago and Midwest Regional Joint Board for Workers United, where he continued uplifting workers and organizing for safe and fair work conditions, while also ensuring that all people are treated equitably; and


WHEREAS, since moving to Cincinnati, Jeremy has been incredibly active throughout the City, including being an active member of the Black Bear Brotherhood, as well as serving on the boards of Cincy Pride, Cincy Black Pride, the AFL-CIO Executive Board, and the United Way Labor Advisory Committee; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Cincinnati, State of Ohio:

Section 1. That the Mayor and this Council hereby recognize Jeremy Tyler for his lifelong efforts to uplift workers through the application of a Black queer feminist lens to his work and career, and for his commitment to making Cincinnati an inclusive and equitable place for all people.

Section 2. That this resolution be spread upon the minutes of Council and that a copy be provided to Jeremy Tyler through the office of Councilmember Reggie Harris.

Passed: June 12, 2024


Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Attest: 
Clerk

Submitted by Councilmember Reggie Harris