

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 478

Approved November 18, 2019

RESOLVED, That the Members of the City Council hereby extend their Sincere Congratulations to the following:

Oluwaseun L. Animashaun, Teachers College, Columbia University, NY, in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Yoruba Elders International Society's Outstanding Emerging Leader and Community Service Award.

Ebunoluwa T. Shittu, (LCSW), Arbour Counselling, in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Yoruba Elders International Society's Outstanding Emerging Leader and Community Service Award.

Jeremy O. Ogungbadero, Video Specialist (IATSE), in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Yoruba Elders International Society's Outstanding Emerging Leader and Community Service Award.

Nkolika Etell Ajakwe-Onye, MA, DC, Providence Public School Department, in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Yoruba Elders International Society's Outstanding Leadership and Community Outreach Award.

Rev. Gladys Olagbegi-Fakunle, Mount Pleasant High School, in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Yoruba Elders International Society's Outstanding Leadership and Community Outreach Award.

Adesina Omodunbi, Artist, Educator, Yoruba Poetry, in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Yoruba Elders International Society's Outstanding Leadership and Community Outreach Award.

Munir D. Mohamed, Co-Founder International Gallery, in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Yoruba Elders International Society's Outstanding Leadership and Community Outreach Award.

Georgina E. Borromeo, PhD, Curator of Ancient Art, RISD Museum, in recognition of their participation in Yoruba Elders International Society's African-American/African Diaspora Arts Immersion Project.

Jan Howard, Chief Curator, RISD Museum, in recognition of their participation in Yoruba Elders International Society's African-American/African Diaspora Arts Immersion Project.

Houghton P. Metcalf Jr., Curator, RISD Museum, in recognition of their participation in Yoruba Elders International Society's African-American/African Diaspora Arts Immersion Project.

Deborah Clemons, Assistant Director, Public and Academic Programs RISD Museum, in recognition of their participation in Yoruba Elders International Society's African-American/African Diaspora Arts Immersion Project.

Thierry Gentis, Curator, Haffenreffer Museum of Anthropology Brown University, in recognition of their participation in Yoruba Elders International Society's African-American/African Diaspora Arts Immersion Project.

Bolaji Campbell, BA and MFA, Obafemi Awolowo University, in recognition of being the Keynote Speaker at the Yoruba Elders International Society's 2019 Awards Gala.

Jean M. Borgatti, Curatorial Consultant, Fitchburg Art Museum, in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Yoruba Elders International Society's 2019 Lifetime Achievement Award for exceptional dedication to Art History and Research.

Matthew Everett Taylor in recognition of the celebration of his 20th Birthday.

Colonel David Tikoian, North Providence Police Department in recognition of his contribution to the Providence community and his interest in supporting sleep breathing pathologies awareness for the health of the Police officers and Firefighters.

Mutual of America in recognition of the celebration of the Grand Opening of their Providence office with a WaterFire Lighting Event.

Cedric Huntley in recognition of the celebration of his retirement from the Met High School.

Chas Walker in recognition of his commitment and dedication for over 15 years of organizing, movement building and building people power for the working people of Providence.

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Inc., Theta Psi Omega Chapter, in recognition of the celebration of their 50th Anniversary.

Melissa Perdomo in recognition of the celebration of her 42nd Birthday on October 21, 2019.

The White Family, Philanthropic Leaders, in recognition of being the recipient of the Honorary Chairs Award for Lifetime Achievement at the Rhode Island Council for Humanities.

Silaphone Nhongvongsouthy, Intercultural Program Developer, in recognition of being the recipient of the Tom Roberts Prize for Creative Achievement in the Humanities Award at the Rhode Island Council for Humanities.

Edible Schoolyard at Green Animals Topiary Garden, in recognition of being the recipient of the Innovation in the Humanities Award at the Rhode Island Council for Humanities 2019 Celebration.

Joe Wilson, Jr., Educator, Advocate and Actor, in recognition of being the recipient of the Public Humanities Scholar Award at the Rhode Island Council for Humanities 2019 Celebration.

Jen Stevens, in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Pyramid of Pride Award for her lifelong commitment to the Rhode Island LGBTQIA community at the Rhode Island Pride Event.

Yolandi, in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Spirit of Pride Award for their continued commitment and dedication to Rhode Island Pride and the Broader LGBTQIA community at the Rhode Island Pride Event.

Paul Biello, in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Volunteer of the Year Award at the Rhode Island Pride Event.

Wini Lambrecht, in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Rookie Volunteer of the Year Award at the Rhode Island Pride Event.

Ostin Linnehan, in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Pride Fest MVP Award at the Rhode Island Pride Event.

Allison Alder, in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Parade MVP Award of the Year Award at the Rhode Island Pride Event.

Unicorn Ink, in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Best Illuminated Award at the Annual Illuminated Night Parade.

Intergalactic Alliance, in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Most Original Award at the Annual Illuminated Night Parade.

Youth Pride Inc, in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Best Use of Theme Award at the Annual Illuminated Night Parade.

Boston Colorguard Pride, in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Best Walking Contingent Award at the Annual Illuminated Night Parade.

Fear Town Haunted House, in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Committee Award at the Annual Illuminated Night Parade.

Moms Demand Action - RI, in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 President's Award at the Annual Illuminated Night Parade.

Erin Clark in recognition the celebration of her 39th Birthday.

Alissa Burgos in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the Woman Development Institute's 2019 Extraordinary Women for the Future event.

Amelia Vargas in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the Woman Development Institute's 2019 Extraordinary Women for the Future event.

Ashley Ipina in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the Woman Development Institute's 2019 Extraordinary Women for the Future event.

Ashley Lopez in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the Woman Development Institute's 2019 Extraordinary Women for the Future event.

Ashley Mosquea in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the Woman Development Institute's 2019 Extraordinary Women for the Future event.

Carla Garcia in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the Woman Development Institute's 2019 Extraordinary Women for the Future event.

Carol Garcia in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the Woman Development Institute's 2019 Extraordinary Women for the Future event.

Chelsea De Leon in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the Woman Development Institute's 2019 Extraordinary Women for the Future event.

Iliany Garcia in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the Woman Development Institute's 2019 Extraordinary Women for the Future event.

Laura Romero in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the Woman Development Institute's 2019 Extraordinary Women for the Future event.

Leoneli Asencio in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the Woman Development Institute's 2019 Extraordinary Women for the Future event.

Leticia Burgos in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the Woman Development Institute's 2019 Extraordinary Women for the Future event.

Luna Almanzar in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the Woman Development Institute's 2019 Extraordinary Women for the Future event.

Madely Diaz in recognition of the celebration of her graduation from the Woman Development Institute's 2019 Extraordinary Women for the Future event.

Sharon Santiago in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Young Latina Inspirational Award at the Woman Development Institute's Extraordinary Woman for the Future event.

The Ureña Family in recognition of being honored as a lovely and inspirational family at the Woman Development Institute's 2019 Extraordinary Women for the Future event.

Cortney Nicolato, President & CEO, United Way of Rhode Island, in recognition of being the Keynote Speaker at Oasis International African Center of Rhode Island's 2019 Victory Celebration Gala.

Cheryl A. Burrell in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Professional Achievement Award at the Oasis International African Center of Rhode Island's Victory Celebration Gala.

Judge O. Rogerie Thompson in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Community Service Award at the Oasis International African Center of Rhode Island's Victory Celebration Gala.

Colonel Hugh T. Clements in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Community Service Award at the Oasis International African Center of Rhode Island's Victory Celebration Gala.

Simon Goudiaby in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Community Service Award at the Oasis International African Center of Rhode Island's Victory Celebration Gala.

Dr. Matthew W. Yangambi in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Community Service Award at the Oasis International African Center of Rhode Island's Victory Celebration Gala.

Omah Bar in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Community Service Award at the Oasis International African Center of Rhode Island's Victory Celebration Gala.

Hilina Ajayiake in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Community Service Award at the Oasis International African Center of Rhode Island's Victory Celebration Gala.

Hamid Akinfolarin in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 Young Professional Award at the Oasis International African Center of Rhode Island's Victory Celebration Gala.

Samuel Abiade in recognition of being the recipient of the 2019 President's Circle Award at the Oasis International African Center of Rhode Island's Victory Celebration Gala.

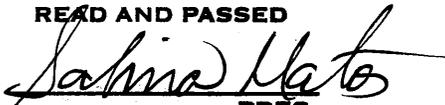
Katia Lugo in recognition of the celebration of her Birthday on November 2, 2019.

Jeanne Oki Founder, Strictly Salsa Productions, in recognition of being honored at the Providence Salsa/Bachata Fest for her continued commitment and dedication in promoting the art of dance.

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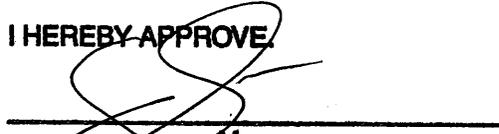
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Mayor
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