2018 RES-608 CONGRATULATING DANE COUNTY HUMAN SERVICES DIRECTOR LYNN GREEN ON HER RETIREMENT

WHEREAS Lynn Green began her career as a Social Worker for the Dane County Department of Human Services in 1972, became the Administrator for the Division of Children, Youth, and Families in 2000, and ultimately the Director of DHS since 2002; and

WHEREAS in her over 46-year career with Dane County, Lynn has dedicated herself to the department and the residents of Dane County by working tirelessly to provide the highest quality of service to our most vulnerable residents; and

WHEREAS Lynn's accomplishments include overseeing the Children Come First initiative, Joining Forces for Families, Early Childhood Initiative programs and school-based mental health initiative, and the transition to Family Care; and

WHEREAS in her extensive career, which has spanned 23 separate County Boards and every Dane County Executive, Lynn has overseen 17 Human Services Department budgets; and

WHEREAS Lynn is hereby commended for not only her leadership and work building relationships in the community, with staff, and at all levels of government, but also for her commitment to the Department of Human Services and Dane County.

WHEREAS, after years of dedicated service, assistance, professionalism, and commitment Lynn Green has decided to retire from Dane County service.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Dane County Board of Supervisors extends its appreciation to Lynn for her leadership and service to the residents and communities of Dane County who have benefited from her contributions, and wishes her a long and active retirement.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be presented to Lynn Green as a token of the high esteem in which she is held by this Board and all residents of Dane County.