

RESOLUTION NO. 130408

Honoring Qiana Thomason for being a highly accomplished African American female recognized as one of Ingram's magazine Forty Under 40, Class of 2013.

WHEREAS, Qiana demonstrates excellence in both business and in the community and is Vice President of Clinical Operations for Blue Cross Blue Shield; and

WHEREAS, Qiana is an accomplished administrator with a wealth of knowledge of health and human services with a background in behavioral health and social work and strategically assisted BlueCross Blue Shield in transitioning to an altered health care delivery and payment system during the nation's health care reform; and

WHEREAS, Qiana demonstrates a team win spirit with a unique ability to record, retain, recall and apply accordingly and has leadership, enterprise integration, healthcare quality improvement and training and resource procurement with an astute knowledge of policymaking from grassroots and a congressional prospective; and

WHEREAS, Qiana is a loving wife and a devoted mother with strong core family values and is grounded by her faith in God which infuses her everydayness; and

WHEREAS, is an active member of Sheffield Family Life center and along with her husband, she leads the pre-marital ministry; and

WHEREAS, Qiana believes in healthcare is where you find the human jewel among us and aspires to improve the quality of life in others; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF KANSAS CITY:

That the Mayor and Council hereby honor Qiana Thomason for being a highly accomplished African American female recognized as one of Ingram's magazine Forty Under 40, Class of 2013; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution be spread upon the Minutes of the Council in testimony thereof and that a copy hereof be presented to Qiana Thomason with the appreciation of the Mayor and Council for her dedication and service to our community.

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