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WHEREAS, the *Brave Women Project* was created to develop opportunities for women of diverse backgrounds to move into brave action through conscious choice and intentionality within our sphere of influence. and,

WHEREAS, the *Brave Women Project* uses the 5 E's for life- Engage, Encourage, Empower, Educate, Evolve- as a guide for women to promote equity through developing in four core areas: relationships, profession, impact, and wellness. and,

WHEREAS, As the founder of the *Brave Women Project*, Holly McIlwain shifted her focus from doing one scary thing everyday to having the courage to do one brave thing every day instead. In doing this, Ms. McIlwain was able to build a strong network of professional women supporting each other, and existing in kindness, generosity, and encouragement. and,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby recognize and congratulate the *Brave Women Project* on their 2nd Annual Pillar Awards, recognizing one woman for each of their categories. and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby declare, Friday, November 15th, 2024, to be "**Brave Women Project Day**" in the City of Pittsburgh.