


**DISCLOSURE OF APPEARANCE OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST
AS REQUIRED BY G. L. c. 268A, § 23(b)(3)**

| PUBLIC EMPLOYEE INFORMATION | |
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| Name of public employee: | Morris A. Bergman |
| Title or Position: | Worcester City Councilor |
| Agency/Department: | City Council |
| Agency address: | 455 Main Street, Worcester, MA 01608 |
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| | <p>In my capacity as a state, county or municipal employee, I am expected to take certain actions in the performance of my official duties. Under the circumstances, a reasonable person could conclude that a person or organization could unduly enjoy my favor or improperly influence me when I perform my official duties, or that I am likely to act or fail to act as a result of kinship, rank, position or undue influence of a party or person.</p> <p>I am filing this disclosure to disclose the facts about this relationship or affiliation and to dispel the appearance of a conflict of interest.</p> |
| APPEARANCE OF FAVORITISM OR INFLUENCE | |
| Describe the issue that is coming before you for action or decision. | Agenda Item 8 - Resolution to extend time to delay demolition of Notre Dame Church. |
| What responsibility do you have for taking action or making a decision? | City Councilor - vote on this Resolution |
| Explain your relationship or affiliation to the person or organization. | I serve as a member of the board of directors of Preservation Worcester. Board member (Executive) Preservation Worcester Docent - Preservation Worcester |
| How do your official actions or decision matter to the person or organization? | Would support Open Petition / Resolution to delay Demolition. |
| Optional: Additional facts - e.g., why there is a low risk of undue favoritism or | Resolution has no financial bearing on Preservation Worcester or its future success(es) My vote will not affect my position(s) |

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I would support this issue as a supporter of preservation regardless of my involvement w/ preservation

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| improper influence. | ONE OF 11 COUNCILORS TO VOTE ON THIS MATTER AND I VOTE FIRST--SO MY VOTE IS UNLIKELY TO BREAK ANY TIE REGARDLESS OF MY VOTE |
| If you cannot confirm this statement, you should recuse yourself. | <p>WRITE AN X TO CONFIRM THE STATEMENT BELOW.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Taking into account the facts that I have disclosed above, I feel that I can perform my official duties objectively and fairly.</p> |
| Employee signature: |  |
| Date: 3/28/2012 | |

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Attach additional pages if necessary.

Not elected to your public position – file with your appointing authority.

Elected state or county employees – file with the State Ethics Commission.

Members of the General Court – file with the House or Senate clerk or the State Ethics Commission.

Elected municipal employee – file with the City Clerk or Town Clerk.

Elected regional school committee member – file with the clerk or secretary of the committee.