

Conflict of Interest

Sarai Rivera

City Councilor – District 4

City of Worcester

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

PUBLIC EMPLOYEE INFORMATION	
Name of public employee:	Sarraj Rivera
Title or Position:	City Council
Agency/Department:	City of Worcester City Council
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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.	Participation in the Worcester Interfaith Et al V City of Worcester
What responsibility do you have for taking action or making a decision?	Taking a Vote
Explain your relationship or affiliation to the person or organization.	My husband is a Volunteer Board Chair of Worce Interfaith - however there is no financial gain or privilege gained by my vote
How do your official actions or decision matter to the person or organization?	They are a non profit agency that is seeking a vote that would impact community - NOT a financial gain or privilege to the agency

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<p>Optional: Additional facts – e.g., why there is a low risk of undue favoritism or improper influence.</p>	<p>I am not unduly favoring my husband or the organization in work assignments.</p> <p>I am not subjected to improper influences by them</p>
<p>If you cannot confirm this statement, you should recuse yourself.</p>	<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>
<p>Employee signature:</p>	<p><i>Sarah Rivera</i></p>
<p>Date:</p>	

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.