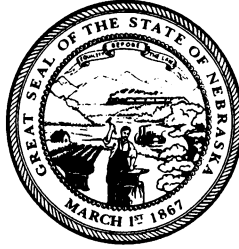


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December 14, 2023

Brinker Harding
2122 S. 109th Street
Omaha, NE 68144

Re: C-2 Potential Conflict of Interest Statement

Dear Mr. Harding,

This will acknowledge receipt of a C-2, Potential Conflict of Interest Statement ("Statement"), which you filed with the Nebraska Accountability and Disclosure Commission ("NADC") on Friday, December 8, 2023.

You are a City Council member in the City of Omaha. Your spouse is a principal in an architectural firm.

On or about December 19, 2023, as you relate in your Statement, "...The City Council of the City of Omaha will vote on a resolution approving the Revised Preliminary Plat for Bluestem Prairie 2nd Addition for redevelopment of the site located north of Forest Lawn Avenue and Newport Avenue."

Under the terms of §49-1499.03(1), you must file a Statement where you would be required, "to take any action or make any decision" in the discharge of your official duties that, "may cause financial benefit or detriment to [you], a member of your immediate family, or a business with which [you are] associated."

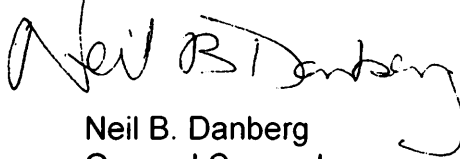
The term "immediate family" is defined in §49-1425, and the definition includes the individual's spouse. In your Statement, you note that your spouse has a potential financial interest in the vote described above. In particular, your Statement says that your spouse, "...is a principal of an architectural firm that will be benefitting from the project."

In view of your spouse's potential financial benefit or detriment with respect to the vote in question, you should recuse yourself from participation in the vote. We note that, as you have said in your Statement, you agree with this conclusion, and you will not participate in the said vote.

Our opinion in this matter is premised upon the material facts which we have outlined above. If any of these facts are inaccurate or incomplete, please contact us immediately.

Thank you for your timely filing of the subject Statement.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Neil B. Danberg". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Neil" being the most prominent.

Neil B. Danberg
General Counsel

NEBRASKA ACCOUNTABILITY AND DISCLOSURE COMMISSION 11 th Floor, State Capitol P.O. Box 95086 Lincoln, NE 68509 (402) 471-2522	POTENTIAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST STATEMENT NADC FORM C-2	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; padding: 2px;">POSTMARK DATE</td> <td style="width: 50%; padding: 2px;">12/08/2023</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;">MICROFILM NUMBER</td> <td style="padding: 2px;">EM S</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center; padding: 2px;">OFFICE USE ONLY</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center; padding: 10px;"> RECEIVED DEC 08 2023 NEBRASKA ACCOUNTABILITY AND DISCLOSURE COMMISSION </td> </tr> </table>	POSTMARK DATE	12/08/2023	MICROFILM NUMBER	EM S	OFFICE USE ONLY		RECEIVED DEC 08 2023 NEBRASKA ACCOUNTABILITY AND DISCLOSURE COMMISSION	
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BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM
READ THE FILING REQUIREMENTS
ON PAGE 3

- An official or employee of the executive branch of state government or any other official or employee who is required to file Statements of Financial Interests must disclose a potential conflict of interest.
- File this Potential Conflict of Interest Statement with the Nebraska Accountability and Disclosure Commission and your immediate superior whenever a potential conflict on interest situation arises.
- Persons who fail to disclose potential conflict of interests or who otherwise do not comply with the law are subject to penalties.

ITEM 1	NAME, ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER
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Name	Harding	Brinker	Telephone No.	402-214-4448
	Last	First	Middle	
Address	2122 S 109th St		Omaha	NE 68144
	STREET ADDRESS OR RURAL ROUTE		City	STATE ZIP CODE

ITEM 2	TITLE, AGENCY, ADDRESS, PHONE AND SUPERIOR
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Your Title	City Councilmember	Agency	City of Omaha
Agency Address	1819 Farnam Street	Agency Phone	402-444-5523
Name of Immediate Superior	Title		

ITEM 3	DESCRIBE POTENTIAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST IN DETAIL (Use Item 7 Continuation, if necessary)
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Date action is to be taken or decision is to be made: December 19, 2023

Description of Potential Conflict:

The City Council of the City of Omaha will vote on a resolution approving the Revised Preliminary Plat for Bluestem Prairie 2nd Addition for redevelopment of the site located north of Forest Lawn Avenue and Newport Avenue. Councilmember Harding's spouse is a principal of an architectural firm that will be benefitting from the project. Councilmember Harding WILL NOT vote on this issue.

ITEM 4 PERSONS WHO MAY RECEIVE FINANCIAL BENEFIT OR DETRIMENT

You

X Member of your Immediate Family: Rebecca Harding, owner of TACKarchitects
NAME

Business With Which You

☐ Are Associated (See Definitions) _____
NAME OF BUSINESS

ITEM 5 NATURE OF FINANCIAL BENEFITS

Note: Councilmember Harding's spouse is a principal of a firm that will be benefitting from the redevelopment project.

ITEM 6 FOR MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE ONLY

If you will not abstain from acting on a matter state why, despite the potential conflict, you intend to vote or otherwise participate.

ITEM 7 CONTINUATION

(SIGNATURE)

(DATE)

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12/5/2023