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# CITY OF CHICAGO 2020 STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL INTERESTS

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To avoid a violation of the Governmental Ethics Ordinance and sanctions, including a \$250 per day fine until you file and having your name and violation being made public, you must return this form **no later than the close of business Friday, May 1, 2020 to:**  
**Board of Ethics 740 N. Sedgwick, Ste. 500 Chicago, IL 60654-8488**

Please complete this form, sign it and then mail / deliver it to the Board of Ethics. We cannot accept Statements via e-mail, fax or PDF formats. Please answer all 16 questions and sign and date your form before returning it.  
- If you need more room, please attach and label extra sheets.  
- Terms with an asterisk(\*) are defined on the instruction sheet.

In questions 2-5 & 8, indicate the appropriate income, compensation or capital gain by writing in the appropriate category letter:  
A= \$25,000 or more    B= \$5,000 - \$24,999    C= less than \$5,000

**NOTE: for security reasons, filers in the Chicago Fire and Police Departments, Inspector General's Office, Civilian Office of Police Accountability and Office of Emergency Communications, or who are building and health inspectors need not disclose the address of business(es), organizations or property in questions 2 or 9; for question 9, however, they must list the number and types of properties owned, for example: "1 single-family house, two 6-flats."**

Last Name: Parsons First Name: Robert Middle Initial: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
City Department/Board or Commission: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

1. In 2019, were you employed by any governmental unit other than the City of Chicago?  Yes  No  
If YES, list the name of each governmental unit: \_\_\_\_\_

2. In 2019, did you serve as an employee, officer, director, associate, partner, or proprietor or in any advisory capacity for any professional, business or other organization (other than your City employment or appointment) from which you received or derived income of more than \$1,000.00?  Yes  No  
If YES, for each organization provide the following information: (see note above)

Name & Address:	Type of Organization:	Your Position	+ Amount of Income, By Category
_____	_____	_____	_____

3. In 2019, did you receive compensation in excess of \$5,000.00 for professional\*, business or other services rendered to a person\* or entity doing business\* with the City of Chicago, the Chicago Transit Authority, Chicago Board of Education, Chicago Park District, Chicago City Colleges, or Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority?  Yes  No  
If YES, provide the following for each person or entity to which you provided services:

Name	Nature of Service	Government Unit With Which Person or Entity Did Business	+ Amount of Income, By Category
_____	_____	_____	_____

4. In 2019, did your spouse or domestic partner\* receive compensation or payment in excess of \$5,000.00 for professional\*, business, or other services rendered to a person\* or entity doing business\* with the City of Chicago, the Chicago Transit Authority, Chicago Board of Education, Chicago Park District, Chicago City Colleges, or Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority?  I had no spouse or domestic partner in 2019.  Yes  No  
If YES, provide the following for each person to which Spouse/Domestic Partner provided services:

Name	Nature of Services	Government Unit With Which Person or Entity Did Business	+ Amount of Income, By Category
_____	_____	_____	_____

5. In 2019, did any entity in which you OR your spouse or domestic partner\* have a financial interest\* receive compensation in excess of \$5,000.00 for professional\*, business or other services rendered to any person\* or entity doing business\* with the City of Chicago, the Chicago Transit Authority, Chicago Board of Education, Chicago Park District, Chicago City Colleges, or Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority?  Yes  No  
If YES, provide the following information about the entity in which you/spouse/domestic partner have a financial interest:

Name	Nature of Services	Name of Person or Entity to which Services were provided	Government Unit With Which Person Did Business	+ Amount of Income, By Category
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

6. In 2019, did you have a financial interest\* in any person\* doing business\* with the City? (Note: stock interests in publicly held corporations that represent less than 1/2 of 1% (.5%) of the company's outstanding common stock, or time or demand deposits in financial institutions, or endowments, policies or annuities purchased from insurance companies, need not be disclosed.)  Yes  No  
If YES, provide the following for each person:

Name	Title or Description of Position You Held in This Person
_____	_____

7. In 2019, did you have a financial interest\* in any person\* conducting business in Chicago? (Note: common stock interests in publicly held corporations that represent less than 1/2 of 1% (.5%) of the company's outstanding stock, or demand deposits in financial institutions, or endowments, policies or annuities purchased from insurance companies, need not be disclosed.)  Yes  No

FIREB provide the following for each of you:  
Name  Type / Instrument of Ownership

8. In 2019, did you realize a capital gain of \$5,000.00 or more from the sale of any capital asset other than your principal place of residence?  Yes  No

FIREB identify the asset sold, including the address (if legal description of the real estate) and the appropriate Category of the asset (or gain) reported to each of the parties. See notes at top of form.  
 + Amount of gain, By Category

9. Do you **currently** have a financial interest\* in real estate located in the City of Chicago, other than your principal place of residence? Include all forms of direct or indirect ownership, such as partnerships or trusts whose corpus consists primarily of real estate. (If your principal place of residence is in a multiple-unit or mixed-use building in which you have a financial interest\*, answer 'yes' to this question.) ...  Yes  No

FIREB identify the real estate by address. See notes at top of form for list from certain departments, including ID Code, or, if there is no address, by legal description.

10. In 2019, did you receive from any person\* (other than relatives\* or a domestic partner\*) one or more gifts having an aggregate value in excess of \$250.00?  Yes  No

FIREB identify the donor or donors from whom you received such gift.

11. In 2019, did you receive any improper gift\* that you disposed of in accordance with Section 2-156-144 of the Governmental Ethics Ordinance?  Yes  No

FIREB identify the improper gift, the donor, the amount, and method of disposal as defined in the Ordinance.

12. Do you **currently** have a financial interest\* in any person\* or entity who in 2019 applied to the City of Chicago for a license or franchise, or any permit for annexation, zoning or rezoning of real estate?  Yes  No

FIREB name the person or the person(s) in which you have a financial interest and describe the City action requested, including the nature of the action requested.  
Name:  Action Requested:

13. If you **currently** owe or anyone owes you more than \$5,000.00, did the debtor, creditor or guarantor of the debt do business\* with or do work for the City of Chicago in 2019? (Do not include: (1) debt instruments issued by financial institutions whose normal business includes the making of loans of the kind you received in accordance with other terms and conditions standard for such loans at the time the debt was contracted, if the loans are made at the prevailing rate of interest; or (2) debt instruments issued by publicly held corporations and purchased by you on the open market at the price available to the public.)  I neither owe or am owed more than \$5,000.00  Yes  No

FIREB provide the following information:  
Name of Debtor, Creditor or Guarantor:  Is the Person a Debtor, Creditor or Guarantor:  Type of Debt Instrument:

14. Do you now serve on **any** board or commission (even if not a City board or commission, or not for compensation)?  Yes  No

FIREB provide the Name(s) of board(s) and your position(s) on the board(s).

15. Do you **currently** have a covered relative\* who is registered as a lobbyist with the City's Board of Ethics, the Illinois Secretary of State, the Cook County Clerk, or any other unit of local government in the State of Illinois?  Yes  No

FIREB name the lobbyist(s) and the lobbyist's relationship to you.  
Name(s):  Relationship:

16. Do you now have any relative\* or domestic partner\* who is an employee or full- or part-owner of a City contractor\*?  Yes  No

FIREB name the relative(s) or domestic partner(s), his/her relationship to you, the City contractor(s), and his/her position with the contractor(s).  
Name(s)/relationship(s):  Contractor(s):  Position(s):

VERIFICATION: I declare that I have examined this Statement of Financial Interests form, including any accompanying documents, and to the best of my knowledge and belief it is true and complete. I understand that knowingly filing a Statement containing false or misleading information, or failing to file by the deadline, can result in fines, removal from office, or employment sanctions, including discharge, in accordance with applicable rules, regulations and ordinances of the City of Chicago.

*Robert Baker*  
Signature and Date