

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

PUBLIC EMPLOYEE INFORMATION	
Name of public employee: :	John Goerlach
Title or Position:	Select Board Chair
Agency/Department:	Town of Lanesborough
Agency address:	83 North Main Street, P.O. Box 1492 Lanesborough, MA 01237
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	<p>I am expected to perform official duties as a state, county, or municipal employee, and I have a relationship or affiliation with a person or organization involved. A reasonable person would conclude that the person or organization can 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 someone's kinship, rank, position or undue influence.</p> <p>I am filing this disclosure to explain the facts about this relationship or affiliation and to dispel the appearance that I have a conflict of interest.</p>
APPEARANCE OF FAVORITISM OR INFLUENCE	
Describe the issue that is coming before you for decision or action.	As owner of John's Tractor & Excavation and Old Williamstown Realty I may come before the Building Inspector, Board of Health, Zoning Board of Appeals, Conservation Commission and/or other Town Board.
What responsibility do you have for taking action or making a decision?	As Chairman of the Board of Selectmen I appoint members to the above referenced Boards and Commissions
Describe your relationship or affiliation with someone involved.	N/A
Optional: Additional facts – e.g., why there is a low risk of undue favoritism or improper influence.	N/A

If you cannot confirm this statement, you should recuse yourself.	WRITE AN X TO CONFIRM THE STATEMENT BELOW. <input type="checkbox"/> Taking into account the facts that I have disclosed above, I feel that I can perform my official duties objectively and fairly.
Employee signature:	
Date:	

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.

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