

June 30, 2019

The Honorable Phil Mendelson
Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Suite 504
Washington, D.C. 20004

Dear Chairman Mendelson,

Thank you for considering my nomination for appointment to the Mayor's Council on Physical Fitness, Health, and Nutrition ("Mayor's Council"). I look forward to meeting you on Tuesday, July 2nd for the public roundtable. Below are my responses to the requested pre-roundtable questions.

1. Please provide a copy of the Financial Disclosure Statement you filed with the Office of Campaign Finance or the Board of Ethics and Government Accountability. If you have not filed a Financial Disclosure Statement, please provide answers to questions 2-8 in lieu of that statement.
 - i. **I have not filed a Financial Disclosure statement. I will provide answer questions 2-8.**
2. Please provide the name of each business entity transacting any business with the District Government in which you have a beneficial interest valued in excess of \$5,000, including publicly traded stock.
 - i. **None**
3. Please provide the name of each business entity transacting any business (including consulting) with the District Government from which you or your immediate family have received (or are receiving) income for services rendered in excess of \$1,000 during the past two years.
 - i. **I am currently employed by Georgetown University and have received income in excess of \$1,000 during the past two years.**
4. Please provide the name of each business entity transacting business with the District Government in which you or any member of your immediate family serves as an officer, director, partner, or agent. Also list the position(s) held, a brief description of the entity, and any other pertinent details.
 - i. **I am currently employee by Georgetown University as Associate Athletic Trainer for the Department of Athletics. Georgetown University is a private Jesuit and Catholic research university that was founded in 1789 and comprises undergraduate, graduate and professional degrees.**
5. Please provide the name of any lender and the amount of liability for each outstanding liability borrowed by you or any member of your immediate family in excess of \$5,000. Do not include loans from a federal or state insured or regulated financial institution, or from any business enterprise regularly engaged in the business of providing revolving credit or installment accounts.
 - i. **None.**

6. Please list the location of all real property located in the District of Columbia in which you have an interest with a fair market value in excess of \$5,000.
 - i. **16 17th St NE, Unit 312, Washington, DC 20002**
7. Please list all professional and occupational licenses held by you.
 - i. **None. (The District of Columbia does not currently require licensure for athletic trainers.)**
8. Please list any professional organizations of which you are currently a member.
 - i. **National Athletic Trainers' Association**
 - ii. **District of Columbia Athletic Trainers' Association**
 - iii. **Board of Certification, Inc. (BOC) Certified**
9. Please list all boards and commissions connected with the District government on which you are or have been a member, and include the term of service for each.
 - i. **None.**
10. Please list any other boards (e.g. Boards of Directors of a non-profit) on which you are a member.
 - i. **None.**
11. Do you have any outstanding liability for taxes, fees, or other payments to the District, federal, or other state or local governments, either contested or uncontested? If so, please provide documentation of attempts to pay the amount owed or to resolve the disputed claim.
 - i. **No.**
12. Do you or any member of your immediate family have any interest, financial or otherwise, that may directly or indirectly pose a conflict of interest for you in performance of your duties as a member of the Mayor's Council?
 - i. **No.**
13. Please describe any local political activity (i.e. the District of Columbia local elections or campaigns) that you have engaged in over the past five years, including any campaign contributions to a local candidate or political action committee.
 - i. **None.**
14. Are you registered with any local, state, or federal government to lobby? If so, list the jurisdiction(s) in which you are registered.
 - i. **None.**

15. Why have you agreed to serve, and how do you plan to help the Mayor's Council fulfill its role and mission during your time on the Mayor's Council?
- i. **I am honored to be nominated as a member of the Mayor's Council and intend to utilize my professional experience and expertise as I propose my recommendations to the council. This is my first experience being nominated to a public role and I believe that this will be an opportunity for me to give back to my community. The District has established this council to better the health and wellbeing of our community and I am excited to be involved in this most important initiative. An athletic trainer, I provide patients with preventative services emergency care, clinical diagnosis, therapeutic intervention and rehabilitation of injuries and medical conditions. I will be able to utilize this clinical expertise and my clinical decision making skills to improve the current state of our community. I vow to serve the District of Columbia fully and honorably. If given the opportunity, I look forward to collaborating with other professionals to cultivate new ideas and develop standards that would benefit the rest of the country.**
16. Please discuss any past and present experiences not already mentioned that you believe are relevant to support your appointment as a member of the Mayor's Council.
- i. **In my role as an athletic trainer, I work with student-athletes to ensure that they are competing and training in the safest and smartest manner possible. It is my responsibility to educate and guide student-athletes on how to prevent illnesses and injuries utilizing proper therapeutic exercises, hydration and nutrition. Working with a college aged population, provides me a clear prospective into gaps that are identified when leaving home for the first time. Miseducation or lack of education in nutrition and wellness are common. This is an area I can positively influence resulting in peak athletic and classroom success.**

Once again, thank you for considering me and feel free to reach out if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Andrey Cracco