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Dear Russ Haims:

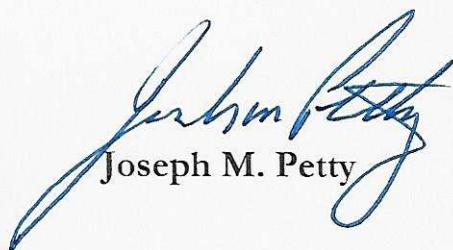
It is my pleasure to present you with the Key to the City of Worcester in recognition of your work over the last thirty years, investing in the City of Worcester's neighborhood and preserving the historic character of our residential buildings.

Your work around Clark University, and currently around the former Becker College, has been built on the need for high quality housing while still preserving these historic buildings. Your work has done nothing less than preserved these buildings and the cultural details of our past for future generations.

Mayor Michael J. O'Hara began the Key to the City program in 1924 and designed an intricate and beautiful key. I am proud to have been able to re-create his original design with assistance from everyone involved in the Machine Technology Program at Worcester Technical High School and the Worcester Historical Museum.

Thank you for sharing your time and talents so freely with the City of Worcester. In recognition of your contributions to the built environment and our historic preservation, it is only right and fitting that you receive our city's highest honor.

Sincerely,

  
Joseph M. Petty

