City Hall Local Historic Designation – Applicant Relationship to the Property Designated

The City of Columbus' relationship to the City Hall building is that of owner. The City is the original owner of the building and has utilized it for various public functions including City offices, police station, fire station, and allowed use of the auditorium for entertainment and school events.

The City is interested in preserving the property as it has become a center of pride and identity for the community with its iconic clock tower. The City wishes to protect the property from potential modification and / or demolition in the event of selling the building to a developer or through Council action. The City is interested in utilizing local historic designation to fulfill this.