The Board Members of The Town of Worcester,

I am writing this letter to inform you all that I am resigning from my position as the Town of Worcester Clerk Treasurer effective immediately. This has nothing to do with the board members, and entirely due to threatening behavior from a few people of the town. I was really hoping to stick it out and make this position a long-time career, but sadly, I cannot handle the negativity any longer. I know that there is a lot that goes into this job daily, so I am willing to finish out the next two weeks and finish out any current projects, to help as much as possible, if wanted.

I have recently been informed by several people that a certain member of the town has been nonstop putting my name on social media in a negative way. At this point, it is considered harassment, and I do not feel safe or comfortable continuing in this position. While reading the comments online (Facebook – Voice of Worcester page), I was physically shaking and sick to my stomach. As you all know, I am a new mother and newly engaged, and I do not want this type of stress or fear in my life. This has happened with several other clerks and caused them to leave this job due to feeling unsafe and threatened. It has gone on for too long, in my opinion. Perhaps a restraining order needs to be considered.

In recent conversations, I have also felt very unappreciated with the time I put into this job and all the work that it entails. It has been brought to my attention that I am not worthy of a pay increase. This position is a lot more work than I feel the board members realize, and hopefully with my absence, that will be discovered.

I wish the Town of Worcester, and its Board Members continued future success and hope to stay in touch!

Thank you,

Alli Mathys