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Name: Bill Carkin

Title: Director of Construction

Company: Worcester Business Development Corporation

Location: Worcester, Mass.

Birthplace: Worcester, Mass. Birth Date: 1959

Family: Wife, Deborah and two children, Eric and Ryan

College: University of Lowell, Lowell, Mass.

First job unrelated to your current field: Papa Gino's Restaurant in high school

First job in current field: Engineer, Bechtel National - supervised and coordinated cleanup efforts at 3-Mile Island Nuclear Power Plant in Pennsylvania.

What your firm does now and its plans for the future: The WBDC mission is to promote job creation and tax base expansion within the city of Worcester and central Massachusetts.

Hobbies: Camping, travelling

Favorite book: "Blind Man's Bluff" by Sherry Sontag & Christopher Drew

Favorite movies: "Monty Python and the Holy Grail"

Keys to success: Perseverance and a great sense of humor go a long way.

Person you most admire (outside of family): A former college professor

If you had to choose another profession, what would it be? A mentor

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