



## Newton, Massachusetts Community Preservation Committee, 2009-10



**CHAIR Nancy Grissom** Nancy is the representative from Wards 3 and 4 for historic preservation. Nancy is a Realtor® with Hammond Residential GMAC selling residential real estate. She serves on the Grievance Committee and the Education Committee of the Greater Boston Real Estate Board. She also serves on the Newton Historical Commission, the Newtonville local historic district commission, and the Auburndale local historic district commission. Nancy is also the president of the Friends of the Newton Free Library.

**VICE CHAIR Walter Bernheimer II** Wally is the representative from the Newton Parks and Recreation Commission, on which he has served as the Ward 5 representative for more than 20 years. In real life, he is a management consultant, serving the Direct Marketing Industry. Having lived in Newton since 1946, he attended Newton Public schools, as did his 4 children. He has been active in many community activities, and served on many business and not-for-profit boards.

**Zack Blake** Zack is the representative from the Newton Historical Commission. He is a Project Manager & Financial Management Analyst for the Massachusetts Department of Revenue, Division of Local Services, a state agency that provides technical assistance and identifies best practices in the management of municipal finances for cities and towns.

**Leslie Burg** Leslie is the representative from the Planning and Development Board. She was a faculty member in Education at Northeastern University. As an at-large member of Newton's Board of Aldermen, she served on the Zoning and Planning Committee and worked on a wide range of environmental and land use issues. She has read and commented on many past community preservation proposals as a member of the Local Action Committee for Newton's League of Women Voters.

**Michael Clarke** Mike is the representative for Wards 5 and 6 for Open Space. He is a Professor of Chemistry at Boston College and a former President of the Newton Conservators, Inc. Mike also serves as an Alternate Member of the Parks and Recreation Commission.

**Stephen P. Fauteux** Steve is the representative from Wards 1 and 2 for Recreation. An attorney, Steve is the enforcement division chief for the State Ethics Commission, a state agency that enforces the conflict-of-interest law for state, county, and local officials.

**Joel Feinberg** Joel is the representative for Wards 7 and 8 for Community Housing. He is the primary real estate partner in the law firm of Bartlett Hackett Feinberg P.C., Boston, where he has focused on affordable housing and community development. The firm has represented many nonprofit housing developers and community organizations and also serves as counsel for the Massachusetts Department of Housing and Community Development on many housing projects financed with its funds.

**Dan Green** Dan is the representative from the Conservation Commission. He is a real estate developer specializing in creating environmentally sensitive communities of homes, which his company has built throughout New England. Dan is currently working on bringing a green building program (Build Green Massachusetts) to Massachusetts to augment the state's offerings in addition to LEED. Dan has lived in Newton for almost forty years, with a few years away for education and work. He is also active with the Newton Conservators.

**Thomas Turner** Tom is the representative of the Newton Housing Authority, where he has been a commissioner for over ten years. He is a retired Deputy Director of Railroad Operation at the MBTA. Tom also has experience with real estate development and renovation.

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