

Janet Axelrod
36 Gray St.
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Education

BA, cum laude from Barnard College, 1973. While at Barnard, I was a co-founder of its Women's Center, and a member of the center's first Board of Directors, 1971-73. I was elected vice president of the student body in the academic year 1971-2, and served as an elected member of the Coordinating Council, the college's student life policy-making organization.

Work Experience

1992-1993 -- Consultant and Researcher to The New Learning Project, a bicoastal company producing interactive multimedia audiovisual tools for educational uses.

1986-1992 -- Consultant to Lotus Development Corporation. There were four foci to my most recent work at Lotus;

- *** Service on its Diversity Committee, whose work is to more thoroughly integrate women and people of color into the upper echelons of the corporation.
- *** Leadership of the group which oversaw the building and oversight of Lotus' day care center, which opened in 1990.
- *** Consultation to Lotus' Philanthropy Committee, a project I initiated earlier in my career at Lotus.
- *** Curator of the Lotus Gallery.

1987-1990 -- Consultant to Blackside, Inc., producers of the 14 part public television series "Eyes on the Prize". My role was to help the executive producer build and maintain a top-flight filmmaking organization. My credit (on the last half of the series only) reads "Business Consultant".

1981-1986 -- First employee and, ultimately, first vice president of Lotus Development Corporation, where for the greatest part of this period I served as the Human Resources executive.

1980 -- Consultant to Project Outside/Inside of the Somerville, MA public schools, a nutrition information project aimed at educating teachers.

1979 -- Co-producer of AMANDLA: A Festival of Unity, a concert for the benefit of humanitarian aid in Southern Africa which was held in the Harvard Stadium. Featured performers were Bob Marley and the Wailers, Eddie Palmieri, Patti Labelle and the local group Art of Black Dance and Music.

1974-1979 -- Co-director, Haymarket Peoples Fund, Boston. Haymarket is a tax-exempt public charity that makes grants to community-based groups throughout New England.

1973-74 -- Library Specialist, Sterling Memorial Library, Yale University, New Haven, CT. My responsibilities included reference, research, reclassification and review of acquisitions in the Public Documents collection.

1972 -- Library Collator, City University of New York. Summer job.

I am also the mother of a three year old boy, a job on which I currently focus most of my attention. I have been a Cambridge resident and enthusiastic library patron since 1977.



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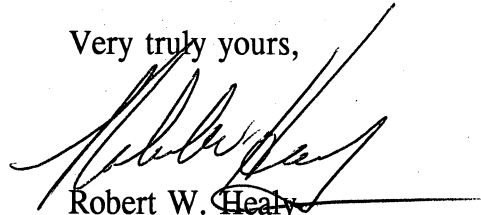
RICHARD C. ROSSI
Deputy City Manager

January 31, 1994

To The Honorable, The City Council:

This is to inform you that I have appointed Ms. Janet Axelrod as a member of the Library Board of Trustees for a three year term, effective February 1, 1994. Please find Ms. Axelrod's resume attached.

Very truly yours,



Robert W. Healy
City Manager

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Agenda # 2

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Appointment of Janet Axelrod to the
Library Board of Trustees.

In City Council,

January 31, 1994

Placed on file.