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Elected Experience:

2000 – present

Committeewoman, Buena Vista Township

*Initiated annual Senior Health/Awareness Fair that addresses medical, financial, and legal issues for more than 800 seniors over 9 years.

*Spearheaded Township Kindness Campaign that resulted in Buena Vista Township's designation as New Jersey's Kindest Town, 2001.

*Defeated Fox Television's attempt to exploit Buena Vista Township schoolchildren through an episode of "The Simple Life."

1988-present

Township Liaison, Citizens Advisory Board on Community Development

Identify homeowners in need of state and county funds to maintain their residences.

2003-present

Township Liaison, Municipal Drug and Alcohol Alliance.

Monitors drug and alcohol education grants and programs in 4 towns.

2003-present

Chair, Buena Vista Township Personnel Committee

Supervise personnel decisions for approximately 20 non-union employees.

Responsible for addressing personnel issues, including grievances.

2004-present

Member, Martin Luther King, Jr. Center Committee

Monitor reading, tutoring, daycare, and other programs administered by the center.

Coordinate scheduling for the center. Provide support for the African American Cultural Museum and Senior Programs at the Center.

2004-2007

Member, Buena Vista Township Recreation Committee

Establish the rules governing the use of five municipal parks. Permits groups or events to occur at parks.

1998-2004

Member, Buena Vista Township Zoning Board

Evaluated and authorized land use projects while maintaining the Township's tax base and character.

2006-2007

President, Atlantic County Association of Township Officials

Coordinate and conduct meetings to share best practices and find solutions to common problems affecting 12 similarly-governed municipalities. Served as Vice-President in 2005 and selected guest speakers. Member since 2000.

Political Experience:

2007-present

Executive Board Member, Atlantic County Democratic Committee

Serve as Assistant Secretary

1998-present

Buena Vista Democratic Club – Member, Secretary (1998-present),
Municipal Chair (2002-present)

1975-1980

Member, Mullica Township Democrats

Union Experience:

September 2005

Speaker, Change to Win Convention in St. Louis - Addressed 1,500 union members on the benefits of union membership and political activism.

1978-2007

United Food and Commercial Workers Union Local 152

Member

Vice President, Executive Board (2005-2007)

Shop Steward (2000-2007)

Implemented Get Out the Vote outreach efforts to union members at all supermarkets in the Legislative Districts 1 and 2 (2005). Researched and coordinated Local 152's Wake Up Wal-Mart campaign. Served as delegate at 2003 UFCW Convention in San Francisco where the union's 2004 national political endorsements were decided.

Advocacy Experience:

May 2, 2010

**“Legion of Honor Award” from the Chapel of 4 Chaplains
from the Philadelphia Naval Yard**

2009-Present

Atlantic County Cultural Diversity Committee

2009-present

Atlantic Human Resources, Inc., Member Board of Directors

2004-present

National Multiple Sclerosis Society (MS)

2006

“Advocate Volunteer Hall Of Fame Award” held in Orlando, Florida

2003-present

**NJ Multiple Sclerosis Coalition for Advocacy Network (NJ-MSCAN).
Lobby state and national leaders to provide increased funding for MS research.**

2008-present

Greater Delaware Valley MS Government Relations Advocate

Community Service:

2005-present

**Buena Vista Exchange Club- Executive Board Member.
Also serve on the Fundraising and Social/Activities Committee.**

1983

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Professional Experience:

January 1, 2007-July 2, 2010

**New Jersey Motor Vehicle Agency
Agency Manager-Egg Harbor Township Branch**

1978-2007,
Starn's Village ShopRite
Scanning Manager
Responsible for all supermarket computer operations.

1975-1978
Collective Federal Savings and Loan
Bank Manager – Absecon

Education:

1978-1983
Richard Stockton State College
Bachelor of Arts - Information Systems

1971-1975
Oakcrest High School – Mays Landing

Personal:

Married to John Barber; two children, John and Joseph.