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To the Honorable City Councilors:

I am pleased to reappoint Kathryn Kubie of 48 Holman Road, Auburndale 02466 as a full member of the Newton Historical Commission. Her term of office shall expire on August 1, 2025 and her appointment is subject to your confirmation.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Warmly,

Ruthanne Fuller
Mayor

Application Form

Profile

Kathryn (Katie)

First Name

Kubie

Middle Initial

Last Name

Email Address

48 Holman Rd.

Home Address

Suite or Apt

Auburndale

City

MA

State

02466

Postal Code

What Ward do you live in?

Ward 4

Primary Phone

Alternate Phone

Newton Public Schools

Employer

Retired Literacy Specialist

Job Title

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Newton Historical Commission: Submitted

Interests & Experiences

Please tell us about yourself and why you want to serve.

Why are you interested in serving on a board or commission?

I have been a Newton resident for 32 years and taught in the Newton schools for 25 years. Prior to teaching, I obtained a masters degree in Historic Preservation from Boston University and worked for the Mass Historical Commission for a number of years. My interest in local history goes back to my first post college job as an interpreter at Plimoth Plantation and continues to this day in the work that I do seasonally on Nantucket as an interpreter for the Nantucket Historical Association. I work in the whaling museum and I lead walking tours explaining Nantucket's storied past. I am also a member of the Nantucket Preservation Trust whose mission is to preserve Nantucket's historic architecture. I know Newton's history has many aspects of significance and there are many structures worthy of preservation.

[Historical Commission Kathryn Kubie.pdf](#)

Upload a Resume

Kathryn Kubie
48 Holman Rd.
Auburndale, MA 02466

Work Experience

2013- Present
Nantucket Historical Association. Seasonal Interpreter guiding visitors through historic properties, presenting historic whaling events to visitors at the Whaling Museum, and leading walking tours through Nantucket's historic downtown.

1988-2013
Newton Public Schools. Grade 5 & 6 classroom teacher for 13 years. Literacy Specialist in elementary and middle schools for 12 years.

1983-1987
Historic Preservation Planner. Worked in the public sector at Massachusetts Historical Commission, then in the private sector at the Boston office of Skidmore, Owings, and Merrill.

1980-1981
Docent in the Education Department, Museum of the City of New York.

1979-1980
Docent, James Gallier House Museum, New Orleans.

1974-1978
Classroom Teacher, grades 3 & 4. Metairie Park Country Day School, New Orleans,

Volunteer Experience

2014- Present
Sportsmen's Tennis and Enrichment Center. Tutor in the after school program for grades k-7.

2013- Present
Nantucket Book Festival. Greeter at numerous events.

2012- Present
Nantucket Preservation Trust. Docent at annual August Fete.

Education

Tufts University BA Early Childhood Studies
Boston University MA Preservation Studies
Simmons University MA Language and Literacy

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