

South Robertson Neighborhoods Council
Candidate Statement

First Name: PAULA Last Name: WAXMAN

All candidates have the option of submitting a Candidate Statement as part of their Candidate Filing Packet. Every candidate must adhere to the following guidelines when submitting a Candidate Statement:

- Must fit in the designated area below;
- Must not exceed 150 word count limit;
- Must be at least 12-point font (if typed);
- Must be submitted no later than March 12, 2010; and,
- May not include any pictures, profanity or comments about any other candidate.

Additionally, a candidate may submit translated version(s) of the original statement, which must comply with all aforementioned criteria. Candidate Statements will be posted on the City Clerk's website and at the polling place on Election Day.

Background: I have lived in Beverlywood since 1980. I served as Vice President of Sothebys Auction Firm 1971-1987; Curator, Norton Simon Museum 1987-90; Director, Cramer Art Foundation 1990-98; and taught art and world history at University High School, retiring in June, 2008. I have two children. My husband is a television producer.

Currently: I represent Zone 9 and co-chair Soro's Green Team. I became involved in social activism as a teacher, and now represent those in Beverlywood and its environs. In matters relating to the environment, during the past year, our team has had tree, e-waste and compost bin drives, partnered with Hamilton High's student environmental club and recycled Hamilton's trash. We have planted community gardens, cleaned up Reynier Park, written grants, conducted a job fair and provided backpacks for the homeless. But there is much more to be done and I look forward to doing it!

I DECLARE UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY THAT THE ABOVE STATEMENTS ARE TRUE AND CORRECT: