



Biography of Sandy Auburn

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I have lived at Westwood Village since 1991 and been a unit owner since 2000. I have served on the Condo 1 board for about twelve years in a collaborative and mutually helpful environment that has served Westwood Village well. I hope to bring the same style to the HOA Board. Below is a bit about me.

I am retired from fulltime work and in retirement have served as a consultant in grant writing and program and fund development. From 2003 to 2006, I was vice president of the Development for Akron Community Foundation. I was born and raised in Akron. A 1963 graduate of Old Trail School, I

earned my bachelor's and master's degrees from The University of Akron, and a Ph.D. from The Ohio State University.

In my work life prior to joining the Foundation, I was vice president for Workforce Development at the Greater Akron Chamber from 1997 to 2003. Other work has included serving as the founding executive director for the Summit Education Partnership Foundation (1992–1996), the predecessor organization to the Summit Education Initiative, and Executive Director of the YWCA of Fort Wayne, Indiana (1989–1991). From 1983 to 1988 I worked in the aging network in Arkansas at both an Area Agency on Aging and for the Division of Aging and Adult Services of the Arkansas Department of Human Services. From 1977 to 1983 I was with the City of Columbus (OH) Department of Health Home Health Agency.

Philanthropically, Mark and I have established several awards, scholarships, and funds at The University of Akron, the Arkansas Arts Center Children's Theater Program and Akron Community Foundation. We are longtime supporters of arts, our faith community, and community organizations in Akron.

I am married to Dr. Mark Auburn, Professor emeritus and former Senior Vice President and Provost and Dean of the College of Fine and Applied Arts at The University of Akron, and am the mother of David Auburn, a playwright, and Benjamin Auburn (deceased). I am the grandmother of two.