

Virginia Barney
City Manager, Upper Arlington

Ginny Barney has been the City Manager at the City of Upper Arlington since October 2000. She has brought with her many years experience as a businesswoman and community leader.

Prior to joining Upper Arlington as City Manager, Ginny served as Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas from May 1998 until she accepted her position with the City. She was sought out to assume that role to restore confidence and return integrity to the Office of the Clerk of Courts, following the resignation of her predecessor, who was convicted of theft in office.

Previously, Ginny was the owner/operator of the Barney Corporation, an industrial distribution company, for more than 20 years. She has served as Mayor and City Council member of Upper Arlington, Chair Person for the Solid Waste Authority of Central Ohio, and Director of Greater Columbus Promise for Youth.

Currently, her community involvement includes: serving as Chair for the board of the Mid-Ohio Regional Planning Commission; officer of the Central Ohio Municipal Alliance; member of the Upper Arlington Rotary Club; member of the Upper Arlington Community Improvement Corporation; member of the Ohio City/County Management Association; member of the Greater Ohio Smart Growth Initiative; participant in the Central Ohio and the Ohio First Suburbs Consortiums; participant of the National League of Cities First Tier Suburbs Committee; member of the Upper Arlington Community Foundation.

Ginny's love for and commitment to the Upper Arlington community is apparent by the many volunteer and leadership hours she has dedicated over the years. Under her expert leadership, the City is clearly in the process of creating a new history for Upper Arlington.



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