

# Resume

Lula K. Howard



## EDUCATION

Nazareth College, Louisville, Kentucky 1953-1954  
Spalding University, Louisville, Kentucky  
Continuing education courses in Business Administration, 1980

Spencerian College, Louisville, Kentucky  
Computer Programming, Diploma, 1972

## PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts  
Computer Mapping of Quantitative and Qualitative Information offered by the Laboratory for Computer Graphics, Graduate School of Design. Certificate, June 1967.

University of Wisconsin-Madison, Colorado Springs, Colorado  
College of Engineering: Effective Zoning Administrative Techniques, 1989

ICMA Training Institute  
Completed course in The Practice of Local Government Planning, 1990

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Howard Group, Inc., Louisville, Kentucky  
President and Manager: 1991-1999  
Engaged in consulting projects for land development and engineering support services. Provided research, land use and site development planning services to public and private clients.

September 1963 – October 1991  
Louisville Jefferson County Planning Commission  
Louisville, Kentucky

Planning Manager  
Regulatory Administration  
July 1989 –October 1991

Under administrative direction, I was responsible for directing, coordinating, administering and supervising sixteen people; one supervisor, five professional planners, and three planning technicians. The duties included all of the regulatory administration functions of the

Planning Commission and the City and County Boards of Zoning Adjustment.

Planner II

(Zoning Review Manager)

1986-1989

Responsible for administrative processing of requests for changes in zoning and community facility reviews. Principle editor of staff reports prepared for public hearings and presented staff position in public hearings and meetings.

Planner I

1976-1986

Advance Planning Division four years. Prepared environmental reviews for projects funded by the Housing and Community Development Act. Transferred to the Regulatory Division. Reviewed development plans for zoning changes and wrote staff reports.

**COMMUNITY  
SERVICE**

Jefferson County Board of Zoning Adjustment and Planning Commission  
Appointed to serve by County Judge Executive Rebecca Jackson. Was nominated by Mayor Jerry Abramson and elected to serve as the chairman of the Metro Planning Commission following the merger of the City of Louisville and Jefferson County in 2003. Was a member of the Board of Zoning Adjustment through July 2004, and the Planning Commission through October 2011.