

Meet your BLTA Board~

Interested in learning more about the leaders of the Barnegat Light Taxpayer's Association? We may be your neighbor! We got involved so we could help inform the membership about specific issues that may affect our taxes, as well as general information helpful in enhancing the quality of life within our beautiful shore community. We care about Barnegat Light as much as you do! Join us at our summer meetings and see how you can be involved as well.

Barbara Truncellito, currently serving her second two-year term as President of the BLTA, has been a trustee since 2009. Barbara has lived on W. 8th Street for over 34 years, becoming a full-time resident several years ago.

Rich Brodman serves as a trustee and is the Vice-president of the BLTA. He is involved with our membership drive, securing speakers for our general meetings, and planning our Wine and Cheese social event. Rich lives on East 10th Street with his wife, Bonnie, and they have been summer residents since 1984; permanent residents since 2015. Rich is a semi-retired physician who is currently working for AETNA/CVS in their effort to reign in opiate prescribing doctors.

Bill Chernelich, trustee and Treasurer for the BLTA, is a retired CPA from West Trenton, NJ. In 2015, after decades of seasonal renting on LBI, he and his wife Jane built a house in Barnegat Light on W 27th St. and enjoy having their big family share the summers with them. Bill became a trustee in 2016 and was re-elected to a third two-year term as Treasurer in September 2020.

Tom Zesk is a retired CPA and is in his fifth year as a BLTA trustee. He is the Secretary of the Board, responsible for recording the minutes, and helps out on the website and Facebook Group. Tom and his wife Lorrie split time between their house on W. 4th St and a second home in Morristown NJ.

Mary Ann Crutchlow has been a BLTA trustee since 2015, organizing the layout, printing, and mailing of the newsletter, as well as helping with the *Little Library Box* located at the Post Office. Mary Ann spent 20 years in educational technology, working with adults and children; she currently volunteers as a school group guide at the Barnes Foundation in Philadelphia and helps with her grandchildren. She lives on 20th street with husband, Bill, from May to October, and spends the rest of the year in Penn Valley, PA.

Phil Kahn is in his third year as a BLTA Trustee and his duties focus on membership. He is a lawyer in private practice. Phil and his wife, Diane, live in Barnegat Light year-round on West 25th Street.

Betsy Aras is in her second year as a BLTA trustee, helping administratively with the website, Facebook Group, and newsletters. She lives on W. 6th Street with her husband, Ed; summer residents since 2015, they became full time residents of Barnegat Light in spring 2019, moving down from Monmouth County. Betsy is a retired church administrator.

Jack Byrnes is a second year BLTA trustee helping with budgets and financial issues. He has lived on 17th Street with his wife, Anne, for the past twelve years. Jack is a retired investment banker and CEO of a hospital receivables management company.

Kay McDonnell, is a second year trustee, chairing the Membership Management Solution Committee. She's a full-time Barnegat Light resident, living on 10th Street, and continues to work full time as the Associate Dean and Chief Information Officer at Penn Law, University of Pennsylvania.

Patty Francfort is a committee person with the BLTA. She has been a part-time Barnegat Light resident for over seven years. Patty has an undergraduate degree from Rutgers and an MBA from FDU. She loves Barnegat Light and hopes to make a difference on the BLTA.