

Ann Lents

Consultant

In April 2008 Ann Lents retired as President & CEO of the Center for Houston's Future, a non-profit policy planning organization. She continues to work in the policy arena as a local volunteer as Co-Chairman of the Quality of Life Coalition and serves additionally on the boards of Houston Wilderness and Texas Children's Hospital, the advisory boards of Scenic Houston and The Park People, the Dean's Facilities Committee of the University of Texas School of Law, and as a founder of the Women's Center at the same school.

Past civic activities have focused on environmental issues, children's education and mental health, and the law, and include service on the boards of The Kinkaid School, The Kinkaid School Endowment Fund, DePelchin Children's Center, Houston Child Guidance Center, Scenic America, the UT School of Law Alumni Association, and Trees for Houston, as well as service on various committees related to the administration of justice locally.

A graduate of Wellesley College and the University of Texas School of Law, Ms. Lents practiced law with Vinson & Elkins from 1974 to 1990, where she was a partner focusing principally on antitrust, securities, and commercial litigation.

She is married to J. David Heaney II and has two children, David and Mary Elizabeth Heaney.