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Elise has a long career in the financial field with Navy and USMC.

Mrs. Newton began her federal service as a high school work study, which featured a business curriculum. Her career has spanned nearly 34 years. She continued to work while pursuing a Bachelor’s Degree in Accounting from the University of the District of Columbia (1987) and expanded her educational pursuits through the Department of Defense Master’s Program and obtained a Master’s Degree in Public Financial Management from American University (1992).

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