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Marion Blackburn is a professional project manager, editor, and freelance writer. A graduate of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, she studied French letters and arts at the Université de Paris I – La Sorbonne, and history at North Carolina Wesleyan College. She is currently working toward the Master of Public Administration degree at East Carolina University, with a focus on policy. She previously worked as a newspaper journalist.

She has served on the Greenville City Council since 2009, and has a strong record as an advocate for safe, strong neighborhoods; new economy growth; alternative transportation; greenways, parks, and open spaces; clean energy; human rights; and animal welfare. She has several rescued dogs and cats and is an avid distance runner.