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Howard J. Bookbinder, a resident of Glen Rock, New Jersey, is a Certified Public Accountant practicing in Fair Lawn, New Jersey. He is a past president of the Bergen Chapter of the New Jersey Society of Certified Public Accountants, and a past trustee of the New Jersey State Society of Certified Public Accountants. Recipient of the 2003 Service Award for his involvement in furthering the profession.

He is a contributing author for the Bergen Record's Tax Mailbag column, and has appeared on the Cable T. V. program of the same name. He is the author of "Write-up Services For Small Businesses", a book published by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. He is a former instructor of accounting and taxation at Rutgers University.

Howard has addressed many professional, civic and community groups in New Jersey, Ohio, New York, Alabama and Georgia, including the American Society of Women Accountants, Mended Hearts, Bergen County Bar Association, Rotary Clubs, Lions Clubs, AARP, and the Telephone Pioneers, NCCPAP.

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Howard is the Past-President of the Fair Lawn Lions Club and a former councilman in Glen Rock. He also participated as a volunteer at the World Cup '94. He is a Master Mason and treasurer of his Lodge.

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Howard is a graduate of Pace University and has attended the American Institute of Banking.