The papers of Thelma Bernstein were placed in the Archives of Labor and Urban Affairs in November of 1974 by her son, Paul Bernstein and were opened for research in August of 1982.

Ms. Bernstein was on the staff of Family Services of Metropolitan Detroit and was a member of Local 1640, Council 77, American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees which represented social service workers.

The papers relate to Local 1640 and consist of correspondence, minutes, memoranda, membership lists, and contract proposals.

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