

THE MARJORIE JACKSON LEVIN COLLECTION

Papers, 1970-1973

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The papers of Marjorie Jackson Levin were placed in the Archives of Labor and Urban Affairs in May of 1977, and were opened for research in April of 1983.

Ms. Marjorie Levin was born in 1925 and has been a peace and feminist activist in the Detroit area since 1968. She along with Mrs. Patricia Burnett founded the Metropolitan Detroit Chapter of the National Organization for Women in 1970. Ms. Levin has been involved with free lance writing for The Detroit News, The Free Press, McCall's and Cosmopolitan magazines, and works in the advertising and public relations field. Along with co-founding the Detroit Chapter for NOW, Ms. Levin was delegated as Vice President for Public Relations and head of the Organization's Speakers Bureau.

From 1971 until 1972, Ms. Levin was Producer/Host of a women's talk show on Channel 56 called "A Woman's Place", which met with wide success. From 1977 until the present, Ms. Levin has been employed with the American Cancer Society as Associate Director of Public Relations.

The papers of Ms. Marjorie Jackson Levin reflect her direct involvement with women's issues on a local and national level, especially with the National Organization for Women. The collection also contains local letters of support concerning her TV talk show, "A Woman's Place".

Important subjects covered in this collection are:

Child Care	Women and employment
Equal Rights Amendment	Women and Politics
National Organization for Women	

Series I
Feminist Activities, 1970-1973
1 manuscript box

Correspondence, clippings, reports, articles and other items concerning women's issues from 1970-1973. Most of the materials are concerned with The National Organization for Women, Equal Rights Amendment, child care, women in politics and other pertinent women's issues. Also included are letters of support for a local TV program, "A Woman's Place", which aired from 1971 to 1972. The above subject categories are arranged in alphabetical order.

Box 1

- 1-1. "A Woman's Place" TV Program
- 1-2. Child Care
- 1-3. Equal Rights Amendment
- 1-4. National Organization for Women, 1970
- 1-5. National Organization for Women, 1971-1973
- 1-6. Notes
- 1-7. Women's Issues (General)

Non-manuscript Material:

Three photographs are included in this collection. Two publicity photos of Ms. Levin and one photo of Mrs. Patricia Burnett (founder of the Metropolitan Detroit Chapter for NOW). These photographs are available in the Archives Library.