

UFW Florida Boycott: Miami Office Records

1.5 linear feet (3 MB)
1961-1983, bulk 1961-1973

Walter P. Reuther Library, Wayne State University, Detroit, MI

Finding aid revised by Kathy Schmeling on December 3, 2013.

Accession Number: LR002472

Creator: United Farm Workers

Acquisition: The records of the Florida Boycott were acquired by the Walter P. Reuther Library in 1973. Several files were added in 1983.

Language: Material in English and Spanish.

Access: Collection is open for research.

Use: Refer to the Walter P. Reuther Library *Rules for Use of Archival Materials*. **Restrictions: Researchers may encounter records of a sensitive nature – personnel files, case records and those involving investigations, legal and other private matters. Privacy laws and restrictions imposed by the Library prohibit the use of names and other personal information which might identify an individual, except with written permission from the Director and/or the donor.**

Notes: Citation style: “UFW Florida Boycott: Miami Office Records, Box [#], Folder [#], Walter P. Reuther Library, Archives of Labor and Urban Affairs”

Related Material: UFW Office of the President: Cesar Chavez Papers, UFW Virginia Boycott Office Records, UFW Pennsylvania Boycott: Philadelphia Office Records, UFW Boycott Central Records

PLEASE NOTE: Material in this collection has been minimally arranged by the Reuther Library, and reflects its original order as received. In some cases a file inventory or box listing is available. Subjects may be dispersed throughout the collection.

Abstract

The Florida Boycott office was created by the UFW to handle the boycott of designated products in the state of Florida. It also served as a base for the UFW's lobbying at the Democratic National Convention in Miami in 1972.

Files consist of boycott correspondence, reports, newsletters, research materials, UFW negotiations and first contract with Coca Cola.

Important Subjects:

Boycotts

Coca-Cola Company

Democratic National Convention (1972: Miami Beach, Fla.)

Migrant Labor

Important Names:

Chavez, Cesar, 1927-1993

Arrangement

Material was arranged and inventoried by the creator. Subjects may be dispersed throughout the entire collection.

Box 1

1. Lettuce Boycott
2. Boycott Reports and Worksheets
3. Boycott Reports and Worksheets
4. Correspondence
5. Correspondence
6. Clippings, 1961-1972
7. Clippings, 1961-1972
8. UFW Newsletters
- 9-11. Democratic National Convention, 1972
12. UFWOC research materials
13. Clippings, Right to Work
14. Roll call and voting sheets
- 15-16. Coke Agreement, 1972

Box 2

1. Coke Agricultural Labor Project
2. Coke - Correspondence
- 3-6. Coke - Clippings, 1965-1972
7. Coke - Demands
8. Coke - Corporate facts
9. Fort Pierce - Community Development Board
10. Coke Negotiations - notes
11. Coke - Newsletters
12. Royal Crown - Correspondence
13. Talisman Sugar - Access file
14. Talisman - clippings, 1972
15. Talisman - Rulings
16. Talisman - Notes and worksheets
17. Talisman - Nan Freeman Incident

Box 3

1. Agribusiness accountability project - clippings
2. Correspondence
3. Notes and memos
4. Articles
5. Articles on pesticides
6. Belle Glade, meeting minutes
7. Film proposal for UFW

8. Clippings
9. Florida disaster, clippings, 1970
10. Report, 1970
11. Clippings - growers
- 12-13. Clippings - Migrant workers
14. Newsletters
15. Press Releases - Migratory Labor Board
16. Anti-Migrant bill
17. "Seasons in the Sun" - study
18. South Florida Migrant Legal Services – correspondence
19. Subcommittee on Migratory Labor - Testimony, 1969
20. Articles and petition to Pay board supporting UFW Coca Cola contract, 1972-1983