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Historic Advisory Committee Records
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1956-1979, bulk 1977-1979

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Related Material: UP001602: Carl Almbald Papers, 1913-1988.

WSR000604: Preservation Wayne Records, 1975-2010.

WSR000416: Wayne State University Campus Beautification Committee Records, 1970-1981.

Abstract

This collection contains records regarding historic preservation on Wayne State University's campus, as well as materials related to the development of areas directly surrounding campus. The collection holds memos and records related to the Historic Advisory Committee, Historic Designation Advisory Board, the Detroit Historic Designation Board, the Campus Beautification Committee, Woodward Corridor Development, and Preservation Wayne.

Additionally, it holds the records pertaining to efforts to have the David Mackenzie House placed on the National Register of Historic Places, as well as the efforts to preserve the Max Jacob House. Some other notable geographic locations discussed in this collection are the Berry Subdivision, the Old Grace Hospital, the Monroe Block, the Belcrest Hotel, the Medical Center, and Cass Corridor.

Important Subjects:

Historic Preservation Districts
National Register of Historic Places
Preservation, Historic
Student organizations

Important Names:

Bonner, Thomas
Campus Beautification Committee
Campus Planning and Facilities Development
David Mackenzie House
Detroit -- Michigan
Detroit Historic Designation Board
Historic Advisory Committee
Historic Designation Advisory Board
Jordan, Ben
Krause, Roy
Max Jacob House
Wayne State University

Arrangement

The collection is arranged in original order and grouped by subject.

Box 1

1. Card files, n.d.
2. Real estate assessments, 1977-1978
3. Real estate outside of Wayne State University, 1977-1978
4. David Mackenzie House, 1977-1978
5. David Mackenzie House, 1978-1979
6. Main Campus auxiliary buildings, 1973-1976
7. Community and economic development, 1978
8. City planning, Detroit, 1977-1979
9. 77 W. Canfield, 1977-1979
10. Cass Avenue real estate, 1973-1979
11. Chrysler Drive real estate, n.d.
12. Woodward Avenue real estate, 1979
13. G. Mennen Williams Mall, 1979
14. 906 W. Warren Avenue, Manoogian Hall, 1976
15. 71 W. Warren, Children's Aid Society, 1977

Box 2

1. Ethnic Classrooms Project, 1973-1979
2. Charles Grosberg Religious Center, 1977-1979
3. Putnam Mall real estate, 1978
4. Second Avenue real estate and development, 1956-1978
5. Merrick Avenue real estate, 1979
6. New Center real estate, 1979
7. Palmer Avenue real estate, 1978
8. Medical Center, 1966-1977
9. Max Jacob House, 1976-1978
10. Permanent academic and service buildings, 1974-1977
11. Historic Advisory Commission, 1978
12. C. Matthei Physical Education Building, 1975-1977
13. Historic Detroit, 1977-1978
14. Possibilities for Management of Vermont's Built Environment, 1976
15. Southfield Center and Physical Plant, 1976-1978
16. Historic Assessment data, 1966