

Guide to the Paul J. Richert oral history interview

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Summary Information

Repository: University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special

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Creator: Richert, Paul Jerome, 1911-1980

Contributor: Ralph Roske Oral History Project on Early Las Vegas

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Abstract: Oral history interview with Paul Richert conducted by Mark

Ferrario on March 29, 1976 for the Ralph Roske Oral History Project on Early Las Vegas. In this interview, Richert briefly describes his personal history in Las Vegas, Nevada, observing nuclear weapons tests, and meeting then-Senator John F. Kennedy while he was campaigning in Las Vegas for the U.S. presidency. Mainly, Richert discusses his career as a police chemist, and later his work helping to improve education in the

Clark County School District as an assistant principal.

Preferred Citation

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Scope and Contents Note

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in the Clark County School District as an assistant principal. Digital audio available; no transcript available.

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Acquisition Note

University of Nevada, Las Vegas History Professor Ralph Roske donated materials for this oral history project to UNLV Libraries Special Collections and Archives in the 1980s.

Processing Note

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- Las Vegas (Nev.)
- Police -- Nevada -- Las Vegas -- History
- Nuclear weapons -- Nevada -- Testing
- Educators

- Clark County School District (Nev.)Las Vegas Police Department