

# Guide to the Bob Stoldal oral history interviews

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## **Summary Information**

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D. White on May 22, 2014, May 23, 2014, and March 3, 2016 for African Americans in Las Vegas: a Collaborative Oral History Project. In these interviews, Stoldal discusses his upbringing in California before moving to Las Vegas, Nevada in 1957. He talks about pursuing a career in journalism including working at Channel 3 and Channel 8, his interest in history, and involvement with cultural organizations including the Nevada State Museum, the MOB Museum, and Las Vegas Centennial Commission. Stoldal comments on the experiences of African Americans in Las Vegas including the 1969 Westside protests, sixth grade centers, and the

treatment of entertainers.

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# Names and Subjects

- Oral histories (document genres)
- African Americans -- Las Vegas (Nev.)
- Television journalists
- African Americans -- Civil rights
- Journalism