



Guide to the Active Republican Women's Club Records

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Summary Information

Repository:	University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special Collections and Archives.
Title:	Active Republican Women's Club Records
ID:	MS-00576
Date [inclusive]:	1977 to 2010
Physical Description:	5.13 Cubic Feet (4 boxes)
Physical Description:	4.33 Linear Feet
Language of the Material:	English
Abstract:	The Active Republican Women's Club Records (1977-2010) consist of scrapbooks and a video documenting the history and activities of the Active Republican Women's Club (ARW) of Las Vegas, Nevada. The scrapbooks contain numerous newspaper clippings, photographs, and some personal correspondence. Many of the clippings have also been annotated with notes by various ARW members.

Preferred Citation

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Historical Background

Founded in the 1970s, the Active Republican Women's Club (ARW) of Las Vegas, Nevada is an organization focused on women's activism within the Republican Party and the larger conservative movement. The organization has worked closely with county and state branches of the Republican Party. In addition to organizing meetings for conservative women, the ARW also distributes a monthly newsletter and makes regular endorsements in local and national elections. The ARW has actively positioned itself to the political right on most issues, including a religious interpretation of the Constitution, a minimalist need for a Federal government, and a firm belief in promoting and protecting "Americanism."

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Scope and Contents Note

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Arrangement

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Administrative Information

Access Note

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Aquisition Note

Materials were donated in 2011 by Eleanor Mills; accession number 2011-007.

Processing Note

Material was processed by Special Collections staff in 2011. In 2014 as part of a legacy finding aid project, Ian M. Baldwin revised and enhanced the collection description to bring it into

compliance with current professional standards. In 2017 Joyce Moore further revised the collection description and entered it into ArchivesSpace.

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Names and Subjects

- Clark County (Nev.) -- Politics and government
 - Women in politics -- Nevada
 - Conservatism -- United States
 - photographs
 - Republican Party (Nev.)
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Collection Inventory

Title/Description	Containers
40th Anniversary Video, 2010	box 01
Scrapbook, 1977-1980	box 01
Scrapbook, 1979 to 1982	box 01
Scrapbook, 1984	box 01
Scrapbook, 1985	box 01
Scrapbook, 1986	box 02
Scrapbook, 1987	box 02
Scrapbook, 1983-1984	box 03
Scrapbook, 1988	box 03
Scrapbook, 1989	box 03
Scrapbook, 1995-1997	box 04
Scrapbook, 2003-2004	box 04