



Guide to the Chris Giunchigliani Political Papers

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Summary Information

Repository:	University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special Collections and Archives.
Creator:	Giunchigliani, Chris, 1954-
Title:	Chris Giunchigliani Political Papers
ID:	MS-01035
Date [inclusive]:	1986 to 2019
Physical Description:	7.99 Cubic Feet (12 boxes, 1 flat file)
Physical Description:	8.50 Linear Feet
Physical Description:	19 Digital Files (2.470 GB) M4V, PDF/A
Language of the Material:	English
Abstract:	The Chris Giunchigliani Political Papers (1986-2019) document Giunchigliani's career as a member of the Nevada Assembly as well as her involvement as a Clark County Commissioner. The majority of the collection is a "newspaper and document archive" which consists of media articles and newspaper clippings collected by Giunchigliani's office that mention Giunchigliani throughout her political career. The collection also includes campaign materials such as mailers and photographs. Interviews Giunchigliani did with local news networks in Las Vegas, Nevada as well as televised campaign advertisements for the Clark County Commission election are represented in the collection. Other materials include legislative research files for bills on gypsum reclamation, development near Red Rock Canyon, education reform, and funding to build an NFL stadium in Las Vegas. The collection also includes a certificate of commendation from Senator Harry Reid and thank you cards from schoolchildren.

Preferred Citation

Chris Giunchigliani Political Papers, 1986-2019. MS-01035. Special Collections and Archives, University Libraries, University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Las Vegas, Nevada.

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Biographical Note

Chris Giunchigliani was born in Lucca, Italy on November 27, 1954 and raised in Chicago, Illinois. She earned a bachelor's degree in special education from Avila College in Kansas City, Missouri and then earned a master's degree in special education from the University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Giunchigliani taught as a special education teacher for the Clark County School District at Bridger Junior High and was also active in professional associations. She served as president of the Clark County Education Association from 1983 to 1987 and as president of the Nevada State Education Association from 1987 to 1991. From 1990 to 2006 Giunchigliani served in the Nevada State Assembly where she served eight regular terms and five special sessions. From 2007 to 2019 Giunchigliani served on the Clark County Commission where she represented District E.

Sources:

"Chris Giunchigliani." University of Nevada, Las Vegas Directories. Accessed January 27, 2021. <https://www.unlv.edu/people/chris-giunchigliani>.

"Biography." Chris Giunchigliani. September 27, 2007. Web. Accessed January 27, 2021. <http://www.giunchigliani.com/bio.php>. Internet Archive. <https://web.archive.org/web/20070927002646/http://www.giunchigliani.com/bio.php>.

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Arrangement

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Access Note

Collection is open for research. Arrangements must be made in advance to access digital files; please contact Special Collections and Archives for additional information.

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Acquisition Note

Materials were donated in 2020 by Chris Giunchigliani, accession number 2020-084.

Processing Note

In 2021, Tammi Kim accessioned the collection and created the finding aid. Digital files were transferred off of optical discs and converted to PDF/A and M4V.

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Names and Subjects

- Women in politics -- Nevada
- Nevada -- Politics and government -- 20th century
- Legislators -- Nevada

Collection Inventory

Title/Description	Containers
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"Newspaper and documents archive," Volume 1-6, 1996 to 2005	box 01
	box 02
	box 03
	box 04
	box 05
Political and campaign analysis files, 2001 to 2005	box 05
Campaign materials, press clippings, Commission on Ethics Hearing files, 1993 to 2018	box 06
Campaign materials, bills sponsored by Giunchigliani, correspondence, 1990 to 2005	box 07
Campaign materials, thank you/acknowledgement letters and cards, press clippings, general correspondence, 1986 to 2006	box 08
Thank you letters, photographs of Giunchigliani, 1991 to 2018	box 09
Legislative research on gypsum reclamation, Red Rock, Ex-Felons AB55; assembly bills, press clippings, correspondence, 1998 to 2019	box 10
Correspondence, legislative research files on gypsum reclamation and Red Rock, 2003 to 2017	box 11
Bills and legislative research: Stadium Bill, Testing in Schools, Education Reform; correspondence and thank you letters, 1995 to 2018	box 12
Certificate of Commendation from Senator Harry Reid, oversized thank you cards from Boys and Girls Club at Harris Elementary School and Troop 16, approximately 2012 to 2014	flat file 13
Clark County Commissioner election television advertisements, interviews with local news networks, 2006 to 2011	digital file 00