

Guide to the George Albright oral history interview

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Summary Information

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conventioneers, the land, and the Las Vegas economy.

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