



Guide to the Bob Coffin oral history interview

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Summary Information

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Abstract:	Oral history interview with Bob Coffin conducted by Claytee D. White on January 29, 2010 for the Voices of the Historic John S. Park Neighborhood Oral History Project. Bob Coffin discusses arriving in Las Vegas, Nevada in 1951 and moving his family to the John S. Park Neighborhood in 1960. He discusses working as a janitor at the Nevada Test Site and as a journalist for Las Vegas Review Journal. He also discusses being elected to the Nevada State Assembly in 1982 and to the State Senate in 1986.

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- John S. Park Neighborhood (Las Vegas, Nev.)
- Race relations
- Legislators -- Nevada

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- Journalism -- Nevada -- Las Vegas (Nev.) -- Twentieth century