



Guide to the L. J. Bowman oral history interview

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Summary Information

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Scope and Contents Note

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Montana school districts prior to becoming a teacher in the Clark County School District in the 1990s. He discusses his personal philosophy of education, and how it influenced his career as an administrator. He also discusses highlights and challenges of his career, and provides suggestions on what makes a successful principal. Digital audio and transcript available.

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