

# Guide to the Walter V. Long oral history interview

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# **Summary Information**

**Repository:** University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special

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**Creator:** Long, Walter V. (Walter Varah), 1899-1986

**Contributor:** Ralph Roske Oral History Project on Early Las Vegas

**Title:** Walter V. Long oral history interview

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**Description:** 

**Language of the** English

Material:

**Abstract:** Oral history interview with Walter V. Long conducted by Brenda

Baechle on February 19, 1979 for the Ralph Roske Oral History Project on Early Las Vegas. In the interview, Long discusses his arrival to Las Vegas, Nevada from Tonopah, Nevada in 1930. Long also discusses his experiences as a teacher and principal in various Las Vegas schools. Other subjects Long discusses include his education, the Boulder (Hoover) Dam's construction, laws for obtaining a teaching certificate during the 1930s, his experiences

with Las Vegas High School, and his early life in Tonopah.

### **Preferred Citation**

Walter V. Long oral history interview, 1979 February 19. OH-01143. [Cite format consulted: Audio recording or Transcript.] Oral History Research Center, Special Collections and Archives, University Libraries, University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Las Vegas, Nevada.

## **Scope and Contents Note**

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during the 1930s, his experiences with Las Vegas High School, and his early life in Tonopah. Digital audio available; no transcript available.

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## **Acquisition Note**

University of Nevada, Las Vegas History Professor Ralph Roske donated materials for this oral history project to UNLV Libraries Special Collections and Archives in the 1980s.

# **Processing Note**

Interview materials were processed by UNLV Libraries Special Collections and Archives in 2017. Jimmy Chang wrote the collection description. The audio cassette(s) for this interview have been reformatted by an external vendor into a digital format. MP3 files of the audio are available for research use. The audio has been minimally reviewed and all readily available information has been included in the description.

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## **Names and Subjects**

- Oral histories (document genres)
- Las Vegas (Nev.)
- High school teachers
- Las Vegas High School
- Hoover Dam (Ariz. and Nev.)

- Educators
- Male teachers