

# Guide to the Thomas Mulroy oral history interview

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# **Summary Information**

<b>Repository</b> :	University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special Collections and Archives.
Creator:	Mulroy, Thomas A. (Thomas Andrew), 1908-1984
<b>Contributor:</b>	Ralph Roske Oral History Project on Early Las Vegas
Title:	Thomas Mulroy oral history interview
ID:	OH-01350
Date:	1979 February 27
Physical Description:	2 Digital Files (0.053 GB) MP3
Language of the Material:	English
Abstract:	Oral history interview with Thomas Mulroy conducted by Don Kinney on February 27, 1979 for the Ralph Roske Oral History Project on Early Las Vegas. In this interview, Mulroy discusses moving to Las Vegas, Nevada in 1950 from Chicago, Illinois due to health reasons. Mulroy discusses the positions he held working for Southern Nevada Power and Telephone Company; Bonanza Air Lines, before it was taken over by Hughes Airwest; and for the City of Las Vegas as the Senior Citizens Coordinating Officer. Mulroy also describes nuclear weapons tests, how Las Vegas has expanded, and entertainment in Las Vegas.

#### **Preferred Citation**

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# Scope and Contents Note

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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 Information**

Interview materials were processed by UNLV Libraries Special Collections and Archives in 2017. Kyle Gagnon 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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- Oral histories (document genres)
- Las Vegas (Nev.)
- Las Vegas (Nev.) -- Politics and government
- Nuclear weapons -- Nevada -- Testing

• Entertainment -- Nevada -- Las Vegas