

# Guide to the Robert Parker oral history interviews

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## **Summary Information**

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**Abstract:** Oral history interview with Robert Parker conducted by Dennis

McBride on June 02, 1986 and November 09, 1986 for the Boulder City Library Oral History Project. In this interview, Parker discusses the construction of the Hoover Dam and the development of Boulder City, Nevada. Parker recalls the events on December 07, 1941, the closing of Hoover Dam shortly after the Pearl Harbor attacks, and United States military protection of

the dam during World War II.

### **Preferred Citation**

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Harbor attacks, and United States military protection of the dam during World War II. Digital audio available; no transcript available.

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## **Acquisition Note**

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## **Processing Note**

Interview materials were processed by UNLV Libraries Special Collections and Archives in 2019. Miguel Dominguez 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)
- Boulder City (Nev.)

- Hoover Dam (Ariz. and Nev.)
- World War, 1939-1945