

# Guide to the Dal Peterson oral history interview

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# **Summary Information**

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

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**Abstract:** Oral history interview with Dal Peterson conducted by Daion

Dall on February 28, 1977 for the Ralph Roske Oral History Project on Early Las Vegas. In this interview, Peterson recalls the opening of Boulder (Hoover) Dam, and the significance of the

Helldorado Parade. Peterson later discusses environmental and

social changes throughout Las Vegas, Nevada.

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## **Scope and Contents Note**

Oral history interview with Dal Peterson conducted by Daion Dall on February 28, 1977 for the Ralph Roske Oral History Project on Early Las Vegas. In this interview, Peterson recalls the opening of Boulder (Hoover) Dam, and the significance of the Helldorado Parade. Peterson later discusses environmental and social changes throughout Las Vegas, Nevada. 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. 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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- Oral histories (document genres)
- Las Vegas (Nev.)
- Hoover Dam (Ariz. and Nev.)
- Helldorado Parade (Las Vegas, Nev.)