



Guide to the Trish Geran oral history interview

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Summary Information

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Abstract:	Oral history interview with Trish Geran conducted by Claytee D. White on April 14, 2015 for the African Americans in Las Vegas: a Collaborative Oral History Project. In this interview Trish Geran discusses her early life in Las Vegas, Nevada's historic Westside neighborhood, attending Catholic schools, and the feelings of not belonging that shaped her world view: she was different from her white, wealthy schoolmates, and as a private school student she was different from her neighbors. Trish also discusses her life in politics and activism.

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Scope and Contents Note

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King Post Office open, trying to preserve the Jackson Street area as the sociocultural club of the Westside. Digital audio, photo, and transcript available.

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- Race relations
- Political activists
- Political campaigns

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