

# Guide to the Geoconda Arguello Kline oral history interview

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# **Summary Information**

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**Language of the** English

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**Abstract:** Oral history interview with Geoconda Arguello Kline conducted

by Claytee D. White on September 18, 2014 for the Boyer Early Las Vegas Oral History Project. Arguello Kline discusses being the first female Secretary-Treasurer of the Culinary Union Local 226 and how she worked her way up the ranks. She then describes being instrumental in crafting the language that ensured housekeepers' safety as rooms on the Las Vegas, Nevada

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#### **Preferred Citation Note**

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## **Scope and Contents Note**

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- Oral histories (document genres)
- Las Vegas (Nev.)
- Hotel housekeeping
- Secretaries
- Employee rights

• Culinary Workers Union Local 226