

# Guide to the Rick Peppers oral history interview

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# **Summary Information**

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**Abstract:** Oral history interview with Rick Peppers conducted by Claytee D.

White on July 06, 2016 for the Boyer Early Las Vegas Oral History Project. In the interview, Peppers describes his childhood in Exira, Iowa and moving to Blue Diamond, Nevada in 1962. He explains working in various positions at the Blue Diamond Mine to ensure employment stability. Peppers shares stories about how the mine company's ownership of Blue Diamond affected the town. After transitioning into security jobs, he explains working through the Teamsters Union at the Aladdin Hotel and Casino, and then working forty-six years at Caesars Palace Hotel

and Casino in Las Vegas, Nevada.

## **Preferred Citation**

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## **Scope and Contents Note**

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security jobs, he explains working through the Teamsters Union at the Aladdin Hotel and Casino, and then working forty-six years at Caesars Palace Hotel and Casino in Las Vegas, Nevada. Digital audio available; no transcript available.

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## **Names and Subjects**

- Oral histories (document genres)
- Las Vegas (Nev.)
- Blue Diamond (Nev.)
- Blue Diamond Mine (Clark County, Nev.)

- Aladdin Hotel and Casino
- Caesars Palace Las Vegas Hotel and Casino