

# Guide to the Virginia Valentine oral history interview

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# **Summary Information**

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**Contributor:** Building Las Vegas Oral History Project

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**Abstract:** Oral history interview with Virginia Valentine conducted by

Stefani Evans and Claytee D. White on July 25, 2016 for the Building Las Vegas Oral History Project. In this interview,

Valentine discusses her early life in Florida. She recalls her move to Las Vegas, Nevada in 1981, working in a wastewater treatment plant, and becoming Chief Engineer and General Manager of the Clark County Regional Flood Control District. Valentine then talks about attending the University of Nevada, Las Vegas (UNLV), obtaining a master's degree in public administration, and her involvement with flash flood management in southern Nevada. Lastly, Valentine describes becoming a registered professional engineer (PE) and her work with the Nevada Resort Association

(NRA).

#### **Preferred Citation**

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## **Scope and Contents Note**

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in a wastewater treatment plant, and becoming Chief Engineer and General Manager of the Clark County Regional Flood Control District. Valentine then talks about attending the University of Nevada, Las Vegas (UNLV), obtaining a master's degree in public administration, and her involvement with flash flood management in southern Nevada. Lastly, Valentine describes becoming a registered professional engineer (PE) and her work with the Nevada Resort Association (NRA). Digital audio and transcript available.

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## **Names and Subjects**

- Oral histories (document genres)
- Las Vegas (Nev.)

- Engineers Water use
- Floods