



Guide to the Jonathan Sparer oral history interview

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Summary Information

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Scope and Contents Note

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Names and Subjects

- Oral histories (document genres)
- Las Vegas (Nev.)
- Jews -- Societies, etc.
- Hotels
- Gays -- Social life and customs -- Nevada -- 20th century

- Jewish Family Service Agency of Clark County, Nevada
- American Institute of Architects. Las Vegas Chapter