



## Guide to the Steve Riback oral history interview

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## Summary Information

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<b>Abstract:</b>	Oral history interview with Steve Riback conducted by Barbara Tabach on December 12, 2017 for the Southern Nevada Jewish Heritage Project. Steve Riback is a detective sergeant for the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department. He has been with the police force for nearly twenty years. He reflects on his overwhelming pride of the police on October 1, 2017. Riback recalls what he heard on his police radio, seeing the rush of police cars being dispatched, and watching a body camera video later. Sgt. Riback's squad was assigned to Spring Valley Hospital where they worked tirelessly to identify victims, both injured and deceased. His reflections stir the image of medical professionals and police officers urgently fusing together to handle the situation at hand. Riback shares a myriad of emotions, and talks about the options available for officers to deal with their personal trauma.

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## Scope and Contents Note

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- Las Vegas (Nev.). Metropolitan Police Department