

Guide to the Paul May Photograph Collection

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Summary Information

| Repository : | University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special Collections and Archives. |
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| Creator: | May, Paul W., Jr., 1928-2000 |
| Title: | Paul May Photograph Collection |
| ID: | PH-00279 |
| Date: | 1969 |
| Physical Description: | 0.03 Cubic Feet (1 hanging folder and 1 flat file) |
| Physical Description: | 0.10 Linear Feet |
| Language of the Material: | English |
| Abstract: | The Paul May Photograph Collection (1969) consists of black-and- white and color photographic prints. The images primarily depict Nevada Assemblyman Paul May alongside Nevadan senators and congressmen, including Senator Paul Laxalt. Other images are portraits of May. |

Preferred Citation

Paul May Photograph Collection, 1926. PH-00279. Special Collections and Archives, University Libraries, University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Las Vegas, Nevada.

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Biographical Note

Assemblyman Paul W. May, Jr. served in the Nevada Legislature from 1966 until 1984. May was born in Hot Springs, Virginia on January 2, 1928. In 1943, he and his family moved to North Las Vegas, Nevada. After graduating from Las Vegas High School, May spent three years in the United States Army. Following his military service, he worked as a real estate agent and broker and as a lobbyist for the City of North Las Vegas, Nevada. May chaired the Assembly Standing Committee on Taxation for six of the ten sessions he served.

May was also involved in numerous community organizations, such as the Las Vegas Elks, American Legion, North Las Vegas Township Democratic Club, the Air Force Association, and the Masons. May died on November 14, 2000. Source:

"The Eighty-Ninth Day," Nevada Legislature, accessed November 21, 2017. http://www.leg.state.nv.us/71st/Journal/Assembly/Final/aj089.html.

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Arrangement

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Administrative Information

Access Note

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Acquisition Note

Materials were donated in 1976; accession number 77-191.

Processing Note

In 2020, as a part of archival backlog elimination project, Ryan DiPaolo wrote the finding aid and entered the data into ArchivesSpace.

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Related Materials

Related Collections

The following resource may provide additional information related to the materials in this collection:

Paul May Papers, 1963-1984. MS-00178. Special Collections and Archives, University Libraries, University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Las Vegas, Nevada.

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Names and Subjects

- photographs
- Politics and government
- Politicians

Collection Inventory

| Title/Description | Containers |
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| Photographic prints and negatives, approximately 1910 to 1959 (0279_0001-0279_0007) | folder 01 |
| | flat file 02 |