
Guide to the California Political Publication and Ephemera Collection

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Descriptive Summary

Title: California political publication and ephemera collection,

Date (inclusive): 1936-1989 (bulk 1964-1974)

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Extent: 1.6 linear feet (3 boxes and 2 oversize folders)

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Abstract: This collection comprises political publications and ephemera distributed in California from 1936 to 1989. Materials document the activities of California and Orange County legislators, politicians, and officials such as Robert E. Badham, John V. Briggs, Dennis E. Carpenter, Edmund G. "Pat" Brown, Ronald Reagan, John G. Schmitz, and James E. Whetmore. The majority of the materials relate to Orange County, California. The collection includes newsletters and news releases, campaign pamphlets and newspapers, campaign posters, and several sample ballots as well as distributions from political associations such as Young Americans for Freedom. The collection also includes a number of campaign buttons, primarily from the 1960s.

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Related Collections

The following collections in Archives and Special Collections at the UCI Libraries contain related materials:

- MS-R04, Dennis E. Carpenter Papers
- MS-R11, Robert E. Badham Papers
- MS-R47, John G. Schmitz Campaign Materials

Indexing Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the library's online public access catalog.

Subjects

Badham, Robert E.--Archival resources.
Briggs, John V.--Archival resources.
Brown, Edmund G. (Edmund Gerald), 1905- --Archival resources.
Carpenter, Dennis E.--Archival resources.
Reagan, Ronald--Archival resources.
Schmitz, John G., 1930- --Archival resources.
Whetmore, James E.--Archival resources.
United States. Congress--Elections--Archival resources.
Political candidates--California--Archival resources.
Political candidates--California--Orange County--Archival resources.
Elections--California--Archival resources.
Elections--California--Orange County--Archival resources.
Orange County (Calif.)--Politics and government--Archival resources.
California--Politics and government--Archival resources.
Orange County (Calif.)--Archival resources.

Genres and Forms of Materials

Posters.
Ballots.
Campaign paraphernalia.

Occupations

Politicians--California.

Politicians--California--Orange County.

Legislators--California.

Legislators--California--Orange County.

Box 1 : 1 **AFL-CIO Orange County Central Labor Council, 1980**

Box 1 : 2 **Allen, Alton E., 1970**

Box 1 : 3 **Andrew, L.M. "Les," 1966**

Box 1 : 4-5 **Badham, Robert E., 1971-1987.**

Physical Description: 2 folders.

Box 1 : 6 **Baker, Dave, 1985**

Box 1 : 7 **Bergeson, Marian, 1979-1983**

Box 1 : 8-9 **Briggs, John V., 1972-1974.**

Physical Description: 2 folders.

Box 1 : 10-11 **Brown, Edmund G. "Pat," 1966.**

Physical Description: 2 folders.

Box 2 : 1 **Burke, Robert H., 1974**

Box FB-22 : 4 **Oversize materials, 1974**

Box 2 : 2 **Burton, John H., 1974**

Box 2 : 3 **Californians Against Proposition 16, 1966**

Box 2 : 4 **Californians for Liberal Representation, 1966**

Box 2 : 5 **Carpenter, Dennis E. 1970-1975**

Box 2 : 6 **Caspers, Ronald W. 1970-1974**

Box FB-22 : 4 **Oversize materials, 1970**

Box 2 : 7 **Chapel, Charles Edward "Charlie," 1955**

Box 2 : 8 **Christopher, George, 1966.**

Scope and Content Note

Includes campaign button.

Box 2 : 9 **Comer, Jim, undated**

- Box 2 : 10 **Cordova, Ron, 1977-1978**
- Box 2 : 11 **Cox, Christopher, 1988-1989**
Box FB-22 : 4 **Oversize materials, 1988**
- Box 2 : 12 **Cranston, Alan, 1972-1985**
- Box 2 : 13 **Democratic State Central Committee, 1966**
- Box 2 : 14 **Finch, Robert, 1966**
- Box 2 : 15 **Frizzelle, Nolan, 1983-1988**
- Box 2 : 16 **Goldwater, Barry, 1964**
Box FB-22 : 4 **Oversize materials, 1964**
- Box 2 : 17 **Hahn, Kenneth, 1970**
- Box 2 : 18 **Hamilton, Richard D., undated**
- Box 2 : 19 **Hayakawa, Samuel Ichiye, 1981**
- Box 2 : 20 **Hinshaw, Andrew, 1974-1976**
- Box 2 : 21 **Hosmer, Craig, 1972-1974**
- Box FB-22 : 4 **Johnson, Lyndon Baines "LBJ," 1964**
- Box 2 : 22 **Kellogg, H. Clay, 1966**
- Box 2 : 23 **LaMagna, Frank, 1970**
- Box 2 : 24 **Landon, Alf M., 1936**
Box FB-22 : 4 **Oversize materials, 1936**
- Box 2 : 25 **Leetham, Jud, 1966.**
Scope and Content Note
Includes campaign buttons.
- Box 2 : 26 **McBride, Don, 1964**
- Box 2 : 27 **Miller, Edison, 1980**
- Box 2 : 28 **Miller, Harry L., 1964**
- Box **Miscellaneous materials**

- Box 2 : 29-30 **City-level offices, 1964-1974.**
- Physical Description:** 2 folders.
- Scope and Content Note**
- Includes materials from private corporations and candidates, and materials such as "Orange County Directory of House Numbers for City Precincts" and "Statement of All Votes Cast at the General Election held November 3rd 1964 in County of Orange State of California."
- Box XOS 1 **Oversize materials, 1970-1978.**
Box 2 : 31 **National-level offices, 1663-1970.**
- Scope and Content Note**
- Candidates include George Brown, Clark Harshfield, Lee Kaiser, and Walter E. Smith. Also includes campaign button.
- Box 2 : 32 **State-level offices, 1936-1974.**
- Scope and Content Note**
- Legislators include Houston I. Flournoy, George Murphy, and Ivy Baker Priest. Also includes campaign button.
- Box FB-22 : 4 and **Oversize materials, 1970-1978.**
XOS 1
- Box 2 : 33 **Nestende, Bruce, 1980**
- Box 3 : 1 **Owen, Byron, undated**
- Box 3 : 2 **Patrick, William P., 1966**
- Box 3 : 3 **Quigley, E. Ray, 1974**
- Box 3 : 4 **Quigley, Henry, 1974**
- Box 3 : 5 **Reagan, Ronald, 1966.**
- Scope and Content Note**
- Includes campaign button.
- Box 3 : 6 **Republican State Assembly, 1964**
- Box 3 : 7 **Republican Party Volunteer Literature, 1964**
- Box 3 : 8 **Richardson, Bill, 1974**
Box FB-22 : 4 **Oversize materials, 1974**
- Box 3 : 9 **Riley, Thomas F., 1987**
- Box 3 : 10 **Rupert, Thomas C., 1970**
- Box 3 : 11 **Schmitz, John G., 1964-1982.**
- Scope and Content Note**
- Includes campaign button.
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- Box XOS 1 **Oversize materials, 1966**
- Box 3 : 12 **Seymour, John, 1982-1987**
- Box 3 : 13 **Southern California Democratic Get Out the Vote Committee, 1966**
- Box 3 : 14 **Tunney, John V., 1974**
- Box 3 : 15 **Unruh, Jesse M., 1966-1970**
- Box 3 : 16 **Utt, James B., 1962-1966**
- Box 3 : 17 **Waldie, Jerry, 1974**
- Box 3 : 18 **Wilson, Pete, 1985**
- Box 3 : 19-20 **Whetmore, James E., 1972-1976.**
- Physical Description:** 2 folders.
- Box 3 : 21 **Young Americans for Freedom, 1974**
- Box FB-22 : 4 **Oversize materials, 1974**