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Ad Hoc Florida Avenue Residents Association Records

COLLECTION 12

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Creator/Corporate name: Ad Hoc Florida Avenue Residents Association

Inclusive Dates: 1982-1985, bulk 1983.

Physical Description: 1 box, (.5 linear feet).

Provenance: This collection was donated to the Champaign County Historical Archives.

Access: The records are accessible to the public within applicable copyright restrictions and limited to use at the Champaign County Historical Archives of The Urbana Free Library.

Biographical/Historical Note: The ad hoc Florida Avenue Area Residents Association was formed January 26, 1983 as a result of the Champaign-Urbana Urban Area Traffic Study (CUUATS) meeting in room C 118 of Parkland College. The association's purpose was "to defend the residential quality of our neighborhood and to maintain and promote a high level of community awareness on all matters that concern it." The association's main focus in January 1983 was the negative effects that the widening of Florida Avenue would have on residential neighborhoods in Urbana.

Scope and Content Note: The records in this collection include documentation collected by the ad hoc Florida Avenue Residents Association. The information was presented to the Champaign-Urbana Urban Area Transportation Study and to the Illinois Department of Transportation District Engineer Benson in February 1983. The collection includes official statements and supporting documents presented at the Feb. 3, 1983 and February 18, 1983 meetings of the Champaign-Urbana Urban Area Traffic Study (CUUATS) Technical Committee. Supporting documents include signed petitions, photographs, maps, newspaper clippings, personal statements, and an environmental impact study.

Arrangement: This collection is arranged into five folders, four of which are labeled by meeting date and one of which contains photocopied newspaper clippings.

Subjects Terms

Ad hoc Florida Avenue Residents Association -- records and correspondence.

Florida Ave (Urbana).

Community organization--Urbana--Records and correspondence.

Street improvements -- Urbana.

Container List

Box 1

Folder 1: CUUATS Technical Committee meeting, Feb. 3, 1983

Folder 2: CUUATS Technical Committee meeting, Feb. 18, 1983

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Folder 3: CUUATS Technical Committee meeting, Feb. 18, 1983

Folder 4: CCUATS Technical Committee, submitted after Feb. 18, 1983

Folder 5: Newspaper clippings, 1982-1985.

Item 6: Spiral bound booklet, *Final Environmental Impact Statement...Combined Location/Design Study*,
December 1, 1983