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### **Biographical Note**

Virgil Wikoff was a City of Champaign Council Member from 1963-1967, and then served as Mayor from 1967-1975. He also served as Representative of the 52<sup>nd</sup> District in the Illinois State General Assembly from 1977-1982.

Wikoff was born February 6, 1927 in Decatur, Illinois and spent most of his childhood on a farm outside of Maroa. Upon graduation from Maroa Township High School, he enlisted in the United State Navy and spent the final two years of the Second World War (1944-1945) in the Pacific Theater. Discharged from the Navy in 1946 he enrolled in the University of Illinois the following year and graduated with a B.S. in Architectural Engineering. After being recalled into the Naval Reserves during the Korean War, Wikoff returned in October 1952 and founded Lyman-Wikoff, Inc. General Contractors, a construction company he ran until his retirement.

Always civic minded and interested in public office, Wikoff ran for Champaign City Council in 1963, and utilizing his contacts from the many civic minded organizations to which he belonged, he gained the third highest vote total of all candidates and captured a seat on the council. Unhappy with the leadership of long-time mayor Emmerson Dexter, Wikoff tossed his hat in the ring for the 1967 Champaign Mayoral election. Again calling upon his impressive array of business community contacts and civic organization members, Wikoff won in decisive fashion, and then easily won re-election in 1971.

Wikoff faced several trials during an age of intense upheaval in Champaign. During his administration, the city started its first attempts at Urban Renewal, which generated a great deal of controversy, especially in minority and poorer neighborhoods on the city's north and east side. Shortly after the assassination of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Wikoff presided over the passing of the Champaign Fair Housing Ordinance, one of the broadest and most encompassing in the entire country. Unrest dominated the later years of Wikoff's administration. As the Vietnam War intensified, a growing anti-war movement on the campus of the University of Illinois culminated in a series of protests in March 1970 that pushed Wikoff to authorize the deployment of Illinois Army National Guard troops to the campus town area for the first time in the history of the city. Racial tensions abounded in the period, especially exacerbated by the shooting of Edgar Houltts, an African-American Follett's Bookstore employee shot and killed by police on April 22, 1970 (Houltts was unarmed at the time).

Discouraged by this strife and by the leftward political tilt of the Champaign City Council during his second term as Mayor (Wikoff was a staunch conservative), he declined to run for another term and instead attempted to broaden his sights by running for the Illinois State General

Assembly as Representative from the 52<sup>nd</sup> District. It was here that Wikoff suffered his first political defeat however, coming in fourth in a race for three seats in the 1975 state elections. Undeterred, he ran again in 1977 successfully, becoming the third of three representatives of the district. A reliable ally of Governor James R. Thompson, a fellow Republican, Wikoff served in the House as Chairman of the Cities and Villages Committee and the House Subcommittee on Education. Additionally, he dealt with many issues facing the state and society at the time, including the Equal Rights Amendment. In 1980 the size of the House was reduced from 177 to 118, forcing Wikoff to run directly against the popular Helen Satterthwaite for a seat in the newly created 103<sup>rd</sup> district in 1982 for a third term, and he was soundly defeated.

Wikoff continued to operate his construction firm for several years and served on many city, county, and state boards in an official and honorary capacity.

### **Scope and Content**

The Virgil Wikoff materials span the entirety of Wikoff's political career, from his election to the Champaign City Council to his last term as State Representative. The materials are from two accessions. The first comprises the initial four boxes of records, and the bulk of the collection (boxes 5-21) is material from the second accession.

The material documents Wikoff's political career, including his two terms as mayor of Champaign (1967-1975) and a State Legislator (1977-1982). Subjects of note include the Fair Housing Ordinance of 1968, race relations within the city (including the dealing with the aftermath of the assassination of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.), and the student protests and unrest at the University of Illinois in the late 1960s and early 1970s. The operations of the General Assembly, including Wikoff's work and views on proposed legislation and correspondence with constituents are well represented. Additionally, Wikoff's involvement with the Illinois Municipal League and the National League of Cities are documented in the collection.

### **Arrangement**

The Virgil C. Wikoff Papers are arranged into the following subgroups and series:

#### **Subgroup One: Mayoral Files**

- Series 1 – Correspondence
- Series 2 – Subject Files
- Series 3 – Council Agendas and Memos
- Series 4 – Unpublished Reports, Speeches, Statements
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- Series 7 – Appointment Books
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## **Subgroup 2: State Legislator Files**

Series 1 – Correspondence Files

Series 2 – Legislative Files

Series 3 – Subject Files

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##### **Series 4: Unpublished Reports, Speeches, Statements**

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#### **Subgroup 1: Mayoral Files**

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**Subgroup 1: Mayoral Files**

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Folder 12: Subject Files – Proposed Closure of the Adler Mental Health Center, 1982  
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