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Descriptive Summary

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Abstract: Documents and newspaper clippings created and collected by Robert “Bob” L. Jones, an environmental activist, for whom the Bob Jones City to Sea Trail between Avila and San Luis Obispo, is named.

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Biography
Robert “Bob” L. Jones was an environmental activist and pioneer in the field of environmentalism on the central coast. He worked for the California Department of Fish and Wildlife for over 23 years and was president of the Land Conservancy of San Luis Obispo County from 1987 to 1989. He had a lifelong interest in environmental protection. Bob Jones died in 1994 and the trail was named for him in 1998.

Scope and Content Note
Contains papers collected and created by Robert L. Jones, a local environmentalist for whom the Bob Jones Bike Trail near Avila Beach is named.

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

Subjects
Power-plants.
Gas-turbine power-plants.
Nuclear Power-plants.
Power-plants environmental aspects.
Power-plants—California.
Environmentalism.
Environmental action groups.
Protest movement, Antinuclear.
Antinuclear movement—California—San Luis Obispo Region.
San Luis Obispo County (Calif.).
Land use—Environmental aspects—California—San Luis Obispo County—History.
Morro Bay Region (Calif.)—History, Local.
Bob Jones City to Sea Trail.
Bob Jones Pathway.
Bob Jones Pathway.

Genre and Forms of Material:
Correspondence
Business records
Newspaper clippings

Related Material
Related Collections:
MS0124 Enrico Bongio Papers.
MS0197 Central Coast Power Plants and Environmentalism Collection
MS0191 Records of the Coastal Alliance on Plant Expansion (CAPE)
MS0195 Records of the San Luis Obispo Mothers for Peace

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Box 1, Folder 1
Position paper, “Concerns about Standard Oil’s proposed monobuoy in Estero Bay, [Morro Bay], includes revisions, 1974
Box 1, Folder 2: Newsletter, “Speak Up!”, article regarding Estero Bay [Morro Bay], monobuoy, newsletter, Volume 2, Number 4 and Number 5, 1974
Box 1, Folder 3: “Morro Bay Tomorrow”, newsletter on environmental activism, 1974
Box 1, Folder 4: County of San Luis Obispo Board of Supervisors, resolution on off-shore developments, draft, undated, circa 1974
Box 1, Folder 5: Correspondence regarding Montaña de Oro State Park shoreline with annotated map, 1973
Box 1, Folder 6: Clippings, correspondence, and minutes related to Standard Oil, 1975-1996
Box 1, Folder 7.1: Clippings, correspondence, and minutes related to Morro Bay, 1975-1996
Box 1, Folder 7.2: Clippings, correspondence, and minutes related to Morro Bay, 1975-1996
Box 1, Folder 8: Collected maps, national forests of California, annotated, 1951-1972
Box 1, Folder 9: California Coastal Commission, newspaper clippings and reports, 1975-1987
Box 1, Folder 10: California Coastal Commission, newspaper clippings, correspondence, and reports, 1980-1988
Box 1, Folder 11: Morro Bay Harbor Reconnaissance Study, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Public Meeting, 1987 March 10
Box 1, Folder 12: California Advisory Committee, Salmon and Steelhead On the Edge, VHS video tape, 28:50 minutes, undated, circa 1980