Descriptive Summary

Title: Ambush records
Collection Number: 1998-30
Creator/Collector: Kerry Bowman
Extent: 17 linear feet
Repository: GLBT Historical Society
San Francisco, California 94103

Abstract: This collection contains the records of the Ambush, a South of Market leather bar (1974-1986) which was co-owned and managed by Kerry Bowman in San Francisco.

Language of Material: English

Access
Collection is open for research. Some materials may be restricted. Contact the archivist for more information.

Preferred Citation
Ambush records. GLBT Historical Society

Acquisition Information

Scope and Content of Collection
This collection contains the records of the Ambush, a South of Market leather bar (1974-1986) which was co-owned and managed by Kerry Bowman. The collection includes administrative records; financial records; materials relating to the day-to-day operations of the bar and to events and art exhibits held there; music played at the bar; Bowman's personal papers, including a drafts of a long erotic novel and correspondence; and slides of the Ambush (and Ambush-related events and activities) and of many motorcycle runs (1969-1976) taken by Bowman.

Indexing Terms
Bars and Clubs
Leather