
Inventory of the Republican National Committee (U.S.) Opposition Research Group records

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Creator: Republican National Committee (U.S.). Opposition Research Group

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Historical Note

The Opposition Research Group operated as part of the Communications Division within the Republican National Committee, chaired by Michael Bayer. The group was formed "in 1984 with its own budget of \$1.1 million, to create a master data bank of computerized voter research and opposition research. Staff amassed information on eight Democratic presidential candidates based on data from voting records, Congressional Record speeches, media clippings and transcripts, campaign materials, all of which was stored on a computer for easy access. In this way the party was able to track inconsistencies of its opponents and attack them. This original data base evolved into a network that linked information gleaned by Republicans in all 50 states, creating a master data base accessible to high-ranking Republican staff, even aboard Air Force One when Ronald Reagan was president."

Source:

J. M. Bayer & J. Rodota, "Computerized Opposition Research," *Campaigns & Elections*, 6, p. 26-27.

Scope and Content of Collection

The records include research materials accumulated and acquired by the Republican Opposition Research Group during the 1984 presidential election for use in the campaign against Democratic presidential candidates. The records consist of materials such as clippings, press releases, other printed matter, speeches, debate transcripts, memoranda, and video tapes regarding specific Democratic Party leaders, such as Walter F. Mondale, John Glenn and Geraldine Ferraro, and specific political issues and special interest groups.

Materials contain information about the Democratic Party presidential and vice-presidential nominees, Walter Mondale and Geraldine Ferraro, including speeches, financial information, and political background and history.

Also present are the records generated by the Opposition Research Group regarding its work, including materials regarding the Republican National Committee's innovative electronic research database and communications system, Voices for Victory, which allowed key members of the Republican Party to maintain constant communication and disseminate information quickly and efficiently regardless of geographic location.

Materials are arranged as they were received from the creator. Materials such as clippings files are arranged chronologically, while other files are arranged alphabetically by topic. Topical folder names created by the organization have been retained.

Related Materials

Ronald Reagan subject collection, Hoover Institution Library & Archives

Ronald Reagan radio commentary sound recordings, Hoover Institution Library & Archives

Subjects and Indexing Terms

Presidents -- United States -- Election -- 1984

Reagan, Ronald

Democratic Party (U.S.)

Mondale, Walter F., 1928-

Glenn, John, 1921-2016

Ferraro, Geraldine

Walter Mondale related materials 1969-1984**Scope and Contents note**

Includes candidate notebooks, speeches, financial records, voting records, campaign literature, and information regarding Mondale's positions and past actions regarding specific issues. The bulk of the materials are Mondale candidate notebooks, which contain photocopies of clippings and other materials related to his political career. Arranged by format

Candidate notebooks 1969-1984

box 1, folder 1	1984 November
box 1, folder 2	1984 October 23-31
box 1, folder 3	1984 October 16-22
box 1, folder 4	1984 October 8-15
box 1, folder 5	1984 October 1-7
box 2, folder 1	1984 September 22-24
box 2, folder 2	1984 September 23-27
box 2, folder 3	1984 September 27-30
box 2, folder 4	1984 September 18-21
box 2, folder 5	1984 September 14-17
box 2, folder 6	1984 September 10-13
box 3, folder 1	1984 September 7-9
box 3, folder 2	1984 September 4-6
box 3, folder 3	1984 September 1-3
box 3, folder 4	1984 August 23-28
box 3, folder 5	1984 August 22-24
box 3, folder 6	1984 August 19-23
box 3, folder 7	1984 August 16-19
box 4, folder 1	1984 August 12-15
box 4, folder 2	1984 August 7-12
box 4, folder 3	1984 August 3-7
box 4, folder 4	1984 August 1-3
box 4, folder 5	1984 July 28-31
box 4, folder 6	1984 July 23-28
box 4, folder 7	1984 July 20-23
box 4, folder 8	1984 July 19-20
box 4, folder 9	1984 July 19
box 5, folder 1	1984 July 17-18
box 5, folder 2	1984 July 15-16
box 5, folder 3	1984 July 13-15
box 5, folder 4	1984 July 12-13
box 5, folder 5	1984 July 7-11
box 5, folder 6	1984 July 4-7
box 5, folder 7	1984 July 3
box 5, folder 8	1984 July 2
box 5, folder 9	1984 July 1
box 5, folder 10	1984 June 29-30

box 5, folder 11	1984 June 28
box 5, folder 12	1984 June 27
box 6, folder 1	1984 June 25-26
box 6, folder 2	1984 June 24
box 6, folder 3	1984 June 22-23
box 6, folder 4	1984 June 21
box 6, folder 5	1984 June 19-20
box 6, folder 6	1984 June 18
box 6, folder 7	1984 June 15-17
box 6, folder 8	1984 June 13-14
box 6, folder 9	1984 June 11-12
box 6, folder 10	1984 June 9-10
box 6, folder 11	1984 June 8
box 6, folder 12	1984 June 5-7
box 6, folder 13	1984 June 4-5
box 6, folder 14	1984 June 1-4
box 6, folder 15	1984 June 1
box 7, folder 1	1984 May 28-31
box 7, folder 2	1984 May 24-27
box 7, folder 3	1984 May 21-24
box 7, folder 4	1984 May 16-20
box 7, folder 5	1984 May 12-16
box 7, folder 6	1984 May 11-12
box 7, folder 7	1984 May 7-10
box 7, folder 8	1984 May 3-7
box 7, folder 9	1984 May 1-3
box 8, folder 1	1984 April 28-30
box 8, folder 2	1984 April 26-28
box 8, folder 3	1984 April 24-25
box 8, folder 4	1984 April 21-24
box 8, folder 5	1984 April 16-20
box 8, folder 6	1984 April 13-16
box 8, folder 7	1984 April 11-13
box 8, folder 8	1984 April 8-10
box 9, folder 1	1984 April 5-8
box 9, folder 2	1984 April 4-5
box 9, folder 3	1984 April 2-3
box 9, folder 4	1984 April 1-2
box 9, folder 5	1984 March 29-31
box 9, folder 6	1984 March 28-29
box 9, folder 7	1984 March 27-28
box 9, folder 8	1984 March 25-26
box 9, folder 9	1984 March 23-25
box 10, folder 1	1984 March 22-21
box 10, folder 2	1984 March 20-21
box 10, folder 3	1984 March 19-20
box 10, folder 4	1984 March 19
box 10, folder 5	1984 March 17-18
box 10, folder 6	1984 March 15-17
box 10, folder 7	1984 March 15
box 10, folder 8	1984 March 14
box 10, folder 9	1984 March 13
box 11, folder 1	1984 March 12-13
box 11, folder 2	1984 March 12
box 11, folder 3	1984 March 11
box 11, folder 4	1984 March 10-11
box 11, folder 5	1984 March 9-10
box 11, folder 6	1984 March 7-8

box 11, folder 7	1984 March 6-7
box 11, folder 8	1984 March 6
box 11, folder 9	1984 March 4-5
box 12, folder 1	1984 March 2-4
box 12, folder 2	1984 March 1-2
box 12, folder 3	1984 March 1
box 12, folder 4	1984 February 27-29
box 12, folder 5	1984 February 24-27
box 12, folder 6	1984 February 23-24
box 12, folder 7	1984 February 23
box 12, folder 8	1984 February 22
box 12, folder 9	1984 February 20-21
box 13, folder 1	1984 February 19-20
box 13, folder 2	1984 February 19
box 13, folder 3	1984 February 17-18
box 13, folder 4	1984 February 17
box 13, folder 5	1984 February 16-17
box 13, folder 6	1984 February 15
box 13, folder 7	1984 February 14-15
box 13, folder 8	1984 February 13-14
box 14, folder 1	1984 February 12-13
box 14, folder 2-3	1984 February 11
box 14, folder 4	1984 February 10-11
box 14, folder 5	1984 February 9-10
box 14, folder 6	1984 February 7-9
box 14, folder 7	1984 February 5-6
box 14, folder 8	1984 February 3-4
box 15, folder 1	1984 February 1-3
box 15, folder 2	1984 January 29-31
box 15, folder 3	1984 January 27-29
box 15, folder 4	1984 January 26-27
box 15, folder 5	1984 January 22-25
box 15, folder 6	1984 January 20-22
box 15, folder 7	1984 January 18-20
box 15, folder 8	1984 January 16-17
box 16, folder 1	1984 January 14-16
box 16, folder 2	1984 January 10-13
box 16, folder 3	1984 January 8-9
box 16, folder 4	1984 January 5-8
box 16, folder 5	1984 January 3-5
box 16, folder 6	1984 January 1-3
box 16, folder 7-8	1984 Miscellaneous
box 16, folder 9	1983 December
box 17, folder 1-5	1983 December
box 17, folder 6-10	1983 November
box 18, folder 1-6	1983 October
box 18, folder 7-9	1983 September
box 19, folder 1-3	1983 August
box 19, folder 4-8	1983 July
box 19, folder 9	1983 June
box 20, folder 1-2	1983 June
box 20, folder 3-4	1983 May
box 20, folder 5-6	1983 April
box 20, folder 7	1983 March
box 20, folder 8-10	1983 February
box 21, folder 1-2	1983 January

box 21, folder 3	1982 November-December
box 21, folder 4	1982 October
box 21, folder 5	1982 July-September
box 21, folder 6	1982 April-June
box 21, folder 7	1982 February-March
box 21, folder 8	1982 January
box 21, folder 9	1981 February-December
box 21, folder 10	1981 January
box 22, folder 1	1980 November-December
box 22, folder 2	1980 October
box 22, folder 3	1980 September
box 22, folder 4	1980 July-August
box 22, folder 5	1980 April-June
box 22, folder 6	1980 January-March
box 22, folder 7	1979 November-December
box 22, folder 8	1979 September-October
box 23, folder 1	1979 July-August
box 23, folder 2	1979 April-June
box 23, folder 3	1979 January-March
box 23, folder 4	1978 September-December
box 23, folder 5	1978 July-August
box 23, folder 6	1978 May-June
box 23, folder 7	1978 March-April
box 23, folder 8	1978 January-February
box 23, folder 9	1977 October-December
box 24, folder 1	1977 August-September
box 24, folder 2	1977 July
box 24, folder 3	1977 June
box 24, folder 4	1977 April-May
box 24, folder 5	1977 February-March
box 24, folder 6	1977 January
box 24, folder 7	1976 November-December
box 24, folder 8-9	1976 October
box 25, folder 1	1976 September
box 25, folder 2	1976 August
box 25, folder 3-5	1976 July
box 25, folder 6	1976 June
box 25, folder 7	1976 May
box 25, folder 8	1976 April-January
box 26, folder 1	1975 September-December
box 26, folder 2	1975 June-August
box 26, folder 3	1975 March-May
box 26, folder 4	1975 January-February
box 26, folder 5-6	1975, <i>Accountability of Power: Towards a Responsible Presidency 1975</i>

Scope and Contents note

Photocopies

box 26, folder 7	1974 November-December
box 26, folder 8	1974 October
box 26, folder 9	1974 September
box 27, folder 1	1974 June-August
box 27, folder 2	1974 April-May
box 27, folder 3	1974 January-March
box 27, folder 4	1973 November-December
box 27, folder 5	1973 September-October
box 27, folder 6	1973 June-August
box 27, folder 7	1973 May
box 27, folder 8	1973 April

box 27, folder 9	1973 January-March
box 27, folder 10	1972 December-October
box 28, folder 1	1972 August-September
box 28, folder 2	1972 June-July
box 28, folder 3	1972 April-May
box 28, folder 4	1972 January-March
box 28, folder 5	1971 December
box 28, folder 6	1971 November
box 28, folder 7	1971 September-October
box 28, folder 8	1971 June-August
box 28, folder 9	1971 May
box 28, folder 10	1971 April
box 29, folder 1	1971 March
box 29, folder 2	1971 January-February
box 29, folder 3	1970 December
box 29, folder 4	1970 August-November
box 29, folder 5	1970 July
box 29, folder 6	1970 May-June
box 29, folder 7	1970 March-April
box 29, folder 8	1970 January-February
box 29, folder 9	1969 November-December
box 30, folder 1	1969 October-September
box 30, folder 2	1969 August
box 30, folder 3	1969 April-May
box 30, folder 4	1969 January-March
box 30, folder 5	1968 March-December
box 30, folder 6	1968 January-February
box 30, folder 7	1967 August-December
box 30, folder 8	1967 January-July
box 30, folder 9	1966 January-November
box 30, folder 10	1960-1965
box 31	Speeches and writings 1975-1984
box 31, folder 1-4	1976
box 31, folder 5	1977-1981
box 31, folder 6	1982
box 31,	1983
folder 7-10	
box 31, folder 11	Mondale's speech at the Democratic National Convention accepting the party's nomination 1984 July 26
box 32, folder 1-2	Campaign literature circa 1980s
box 32, folder 3-4	Mondale/Ferraro campaign literature circa 1980s
box 32, folder 5	Mondale attack themes circa 1980s
box 33, folder 1	Mondale attack themes circa 1980s
box 33, folder 2-3	Schedule 1984 April-May
	Voting records and related 1965-1976
box 33, folder 4	Voting records 1965-1976
box 34, folder 1-4	Voting records 1965-1976
box 34, folder 5	Mondale Senate votes 1974-1976
box 34, folder 6-7	Mondale Congressional Quarterly 1968-1975
	Republican National Committee reports regarding Mondale 1975-1984
box 35, folder 1-2	Mondale briefing book for Congresswoman Lynn Martin 1984 September 12
box 35, folder 3	Mondale quotebook undated
box 35, folder 4	The Mondale report circa 1984
box 35, folder 5	The Mondale travel report 1980
box 35, folder 6	Weekly update on Mondale/Ferraro Campaign 1984 September 30
box 35, folder 7	Letters to Mondale collected from the Lyndon Johnson Library 1964-1968
box 35, folder 8	Letters to Mondale collected from the Gerald Ford Library 1975
box 36, folder 1	Mondale Fact Book Vice President Malaise Twenty Years of Walter Mondale 1984

Issues and Talking Points circa 1970s-1980s

Scope and Contents note

Arranged alphabetically by topic

box 36, folder 2	Abortion circa 1970s-1980s
box 36, folder 3	Acid rain 1984
box 36, folder 4	Agriculture circa 1984
box 36, folder 5	Aid to the poor circa 1984
box 36, folder 6	Allies 1984
box 36, folder 7	Amorality foreign policy circa 1984
box 36, folder 8	Apology 1984
box 36, folder 9	Arms control circa 1984
box 36, folder 10	Attacks 1984
box 36, folder 11	Balanced Budget circa 1984
box 36, folder 12	Budget spending circa 1984
box 36, folder 13	Carter connection and disagreement 1980, 1984
box 36, folder 14	Central America 1984
box 36, folder 15	Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) 1984
box 36, folder 16	Chemical and biological weapons circa 1984
box 36, folder 17	Children/families circa 1984
box 36, folder 18	China circa 1984
box 36, folder 19	Civil rights circa 1984
box 36, folder 20	Conventional forces circa 1984
box 36, folder 21	Crime circa 1984
box 37, folder 1	Cuba circa 1984
box 37, folder 2	Defense spending circa 1984
box 37, folder 3	Deficits circa 1984
box 37, folder 4	Democratic criticism circa 1984
box 37, folder 5	Deregulation 1984
box 37, folder 6	Disclosure 1984
box 37, folder 7	Draft and registration circa 1984
box 37, folder 8	Drugs circa 1984
box 37, folder 9	Education circa 1984
box 37, folder 10	Elitist circa 1984
box 37, folder 11	Energy circa 1984
box 37, folder 12	Environment circa 1984
box 37, folder 13	Fear Mongering circa 1984
box 37, folder 14	Federalism circa 1984
box 37, folder 15	Flip-flops circa 1984
box 37, folder 16	Foreign aid 1984
box 37, folder 17	Gay rights 1984
box 37, folder 18	Grenada mission circa 1984
box 37, folder 19	Growth circa 1984
box 37, folder 20	Gun control circa 1984
box 37, folder 21	Health circa 1984
box 37, folder 22	Housing circa 1984
box 37, folder 23	Human rights circa 1984
box 37, folder 24	Hunger circa 1984
box 37, folder 25	Immigration circa 1984
box 37, folder 26	Industrial policy circa 1984
box 37, folder 27	Inflation circa 1984
box 37, folder 28	Infrastructure circa 1984
box 37, folder 29	Interest rates circa 1984
box 37, folder 30	Isolationism circa 1984
box 37, folder 31	Israel circa 1984
box 37, folder 32	Issues research circa 1984
box 37, folder 33	Leadership circa 1984
box 38, folder 1	Lebanon circa 1984

box 38, folder 2
box 38, folder 3
box 38, folder 4
box 38, folder 5
box 38, folder 6
box 38, folder 7
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box 38, folder 9
box 38, folder 10
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box 39, folder 4
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box 39, folder 6
box 39, folder 7
box 39, folder 8
box 39, folder 9
box 39, folder 10
box 39, folder 11
box 39, folder 12
box 39
box 39,
folder 13-15
box 39, folder 16

Liar circa 1984
Malaise circa 1984
Military aid circa 1984
Military reform circa 1984
Mondale the mean circa 1984
Naïve foreign policy circa 1984
NATO/Japan circa 1984
Northern Ireland circa 1984
Nuclear energy circa 1984
Nuclear forces circa 1984
PAC contributions circa 1984
Past v. future circa 1984
Persian Gulf circa 1984
Politician circa 1984
Pork barrel circa 1984
Prediction circa 1984
Quitter circa 1984
Romania circa 1984
School prayer circa 1984
Social Security circa 1984
Soviet threat circa 1984
Soviet Union circa 1984
Space-based defense circa 1984
Special interests circa 1984
Staff/advisors circa 1984
Stupid remarks circa 1984
Tainted delegates circa 1984
Talking points 1984
Taxes circa 1984
Terrorism circa 1984
Third World circa 1984
Trade circa 1984
Traditional values circa 1984
Unemployment/jobs circa 1984
Unspecified big spending plans circa 1984
Waste, fraud, and abuse circa 1984
Wish v. reality circa 1984
Women circa 1984
Veterans circa 1984
Victim of circumstances circa 1984
Financial information 1981-1984
Tax returns 1981-1983
Tax returns, miscellany 1984

Geraldine Ferraro materials 1978-1984

Scope and Contents note

Consists of candidate notebooks, financial records, congressional history, and information regarding Ferraro's positions and actions regarding specific issues. Also includes materials regarding her husband John Zaccaro and his financial information. The bulk of the materials are Ferraro's candidate notebooks, which contain photocopies of clippings and other materials related to her political career. Arranged by format

Candidate notebooks 1978-1984

box 40, folder 1
box 40, folder 2
box 40, folder 3
box 40, folder 4
box 40, folder 5

1978
1979
1980
1981
1982

box 40, folder 6	1983
box 40, folder 7	1984 January-February
box 41, folder 1	1984 March-April
box 41, folder 2	1984 May-June
box 41, folder 3-4	1984 July 1-15
box 41, folder 5-6	1984 July 16-31
box 42, folder 1-2	1984 August 1-14
box 42, folder 3-4	1984 August 15-31
box 42, folder 5-6	1984 September 1-14
box 43, folder 1	1984 September 15-30
box 43, folder 2-3	1984 October
box 43, folder 4	1984 November
box 43, folder 5	Biography, family information, and 1978 campaign literature 1978, circa 1980s
box 43, folder 6	<i>My Name Is Geraldine Ferraro</i> by Lee Michael Katz 1984
	Scope and Contents note
	Paperback volume
box 44, folder 1	Speeches 1978-1984
box 44, folder 2	Financial documents undated
box 44, folder 3	Congressional bills sponsored circa 1979-1984
box 44, folder 4	Congressional committee overview 1984
box 44, folder 5	Committee to Elect Ferraro 9th Congressional District, New York circa 1978
box 44, folder 6	House disbursements 1979-1984
box 44, folder 7	House disclosures 1979-1984
box 44, folder 8	Spending and Taxing votes circa 1979-1984
box 44,	Tape transcripts 1978 October-November
folder 9-10	Scope and Contents note
	See also Audiovisual file
box 45	Attack themes, issues, and talking points materials circa 1984
	Scope and Contents note
	Arranged in chronological order
box 45, folder 1	Abortion circa 1984
box 45, folder 2	Aid to the poor circa 1984
box 45, folder 3	Allies circa 1984
box 45, folder 4	Arms control circa 1984
box 45, folder 5	Attack themes circa 1984
box 45, folder 6	Budget/spending circa 1984
box 45, folder 8	Central America circa 1984
box 45, folder 7	Children and families circa 1984
box 45, folder 9	Crime and justice circa 1984
box 45, folder 10	Defense and foreign policy circa 1984
box 45, folder 11	Defense budget circa 1984
box 45, folder 12	Deficits circa 1984
box 45, folder 13	Disclosure circa 1984
box 45, folder 14	Domestic issues circa 1984
box 45, folder 15	Editorials circa 1984
box 45, folder 16	Education and school prayer circa 1984
box 45, folder 17	Employment/jobs circa 1984
box 45, folder 18	Energy circa 1984
box 45, folder 19	Environment circa 1984
box 45, folder 20	Far East circa 1984
box 45, folder 21	Finance and ethics circa 1984
box 45, folder 22	Foreign aid circa 1984
box 45, folder 23	Gun control circa 1984
box 45, folder 24	Housing circa 1984

box 45, folder 25
box 45, folder 26
box 45, folder 27
box 45, folder 28
box 45, folder 29
box 45, folder 30
box 45, folder 31
box 45, folder 32
box 45, folder 33
box 45, folder 34
box 45, folder 35
box 45, folder 36
box 45, folder 37
box 45, folder 38

Human rights circa 1984
Hunger and nutrition circa 1984
Inflation circa 1984
Infrastructure circa 1984
Middle East circa 1984
Nuclear forces/conventional weapons circa 1984
Press appearances circa 1984
Social security circa 1984
Soviet Union circa 1984
Special interests circa 1984
Terrorism circa 1984
Women's rights circa 1984
Miscellany circa 1979-1984
John Zaccaro materials 1978-1984

Scope and Contents note

Includes materials regarding building code violations and other legal and financial documents

box 39
box 39,
folder 17-18

Financial information 1977-1983
Ferraro/Zaccaro tax and disclosure statements 1977-1983

John Glenn materials 1961-1984

Scope and Contents note

Comprised of candidate notebooks, which contain photocopies of clippings and other materials related to his political career, and related documents.

Candidate notebooks 1979-1984

box 46, folder 1-2
box 55, folder 8
box 46, folder 3-7
box 47, folder 1-6
box 55, folder 6-7
box 48, folder 1-7
box 55, folder 5
box 49, folder 1
box 49, folder 2
box 49, folder 3
box 49, folder 4
box 55, folder 4
box 49, folder 5
box 49, folder 6
box 49, folder 7
box 49, folder 8
box 50, folder 1
box 50, folder 2
box 50, folder 3
box 55, folder 3
box 50, folder 4
box 50, folder 5
box 50, folder 6
box 50, folder 7
box 50, folder 8
box 51, folder 1
box 51, folder 2
box 51, folder 3

1984 March
1984 March
1984 February
1984 February
1984 February
1984 January
1984 January
1983 December 19-31
1983 December 11-18
1983 December 6-10
1983 December 1-6
1983 December
1983 November 21-30
1983 November 15-20
1983 November 1-14
1983 November
1983 October 15-31
1983 October 8-14
1983 October 1-7
1983 October
1983 October, Miscellany
1983 September 18-30
1983 September 12-16
1983 September 1-11
1983 August 20-31
1983 August 1-19
1983 July 20-31
1983 July 10-19

box 51, folder 4	1983 July 1-9
box 51, folder 5	1983 June 14-30
box 51, folder 6	1983 June 1-13
box 55, folder 2	1983 June
box 52, folder 1	1983 May 18-31
box 52, folder 2	1983 May 1-18
box 52, folder 3	1983 April 22-30
box 52, folder 4	1983 April 1-21
box 52, folder 5	1983 March 20-31
box 52, folder 6	1983 March 11-20
box 52, folder 7	1983 March 1-10
box 52, folder 8	1983 February 18-28
box 52, folder 9	1983 February 8-17
box 52, folder 10	1983 February 1-7
box 55, folder 1	1983 February
box 53, folder 1	1983 January 17-31
box 53, folder 2	1983 January 11-16
box 53, folder 3	1983 January 1-10
box 53, folder 4	1982 August 1-December 28
box 53, folder 5	1982 May 4-July 18
box 53, folder 6	1982 January 17-April 25
box 53, folder 7	1981 July 14-December
box 53, folder 8	1981 January-June 29
box 53, folder 9	1980 January 12-December 12
box 54, folder 1	1979 January 16-December 22
box 54, folder 2	1978 January 18-December 18
box 54, folder 3	1975 January 12-December 15
box 54, folder 4	1974 August 7-December 19
box 54, folder 5	1974 January 6-July 31
box 54, folder 6	1961 December 11-December 15 1973

Republican National Committee (RNC) Records 1984

Scope and Contents note

Includes correspondence, reports, memoranda, and material regarding the Voices for Victory media campaign.

box 56, folder 1	External correspondence 1984
box 56, folder 2-4	Internal correspondence and memoranda 1984
box 56, folder 5	Michael J. Bayer pre-Convention (Democratic) memoranda 1984
box 56, folder 6	Michael J. Bayer Convention (Democratic) memoranda 1984
box 56, folder 7	Eddie Mahe, Jr. memoranda 1984
box 56, folder 8	Miscellaneous press clippings 1984
box 56, folder 9	Notes 1984
box 56, folder 10-11	Office records and collected items 1984
box 57, folder 1	Office records and collected items 1984
box 57	Voices for Victory related documents 1984
box 57, folder 2	Manuals and overview 1984
box 57, folder 3-4	Messages 1984
box 57, folder 5-7	Status reports 1984 September-October
box 57, folder 8-9	Miscellaneous reports 1984
box 58, folder 1-2	Miscellaneous reports 1984
box 58	Bound report of multiple activities 1984 November

General Democratic Party research materials 1983-1984

Scope and Contents note

Consists of documents on Democratic Party platforms, including general party information. See also **Audiovisual file** for party debates.

box 59, folder 1	American for Democratic Candidates, "Democratic Candidates' Issue Position and Voting Records," 1983 September 23
box 59, folder 2	Cranston, Alan related documents circa 1984
box 59, folder 3	Democratic National Committee workshops 1984
box 59, folder 4	Individual campaign literature 1984
box 59, folder 5	Party platforms analysis 1984
	Party Platforms 1984
box 59, folder 6	Asia 1984
box 59, folder 7	Blacks 1984
box 59, folder 8	Business/economics 1984
box 59, folder 9	Central America 1984
box 59, folder 10	Convention information 1984
box 60, folder 1	Defense budget 1984
box 60, folder 2	Disabled people 1984
box 60, folder 3	Environment/pollution 1984
box 60, folder 4	Individual campaign literature 1984
box 60, folder 5	Israel/Middle East 1984
box 60, folder 6	Nuclear weapons 1984
box 60, folder 7	Religious/peace group 1984
box 60, folder 8	Torture/human rights 1984
box 60, folder 9	Women's issues 1984
box 60, folder 10	Miscellaneous 1984
	Debates file 1983-1984
	Scope and Contents note
	Comprised of material directly regarding the presidential and vice-presidential debates. Includes correspondence and memoranda directly referencing the debates and information regarding mock-debates for Ronald Reagan and George H.W. Bush. See also Audiovisual file .
box 61	Presidential debates 1983-1984
box 61, folder 1-2	Debate transcripts 1984
box 61, folder 3	First Presidential debate analysis 1984
box 61, folder 4	Second Presidential debate analysis 1984
box 61, folder 5	General Presidential debate analysis 1984
box 61, folder 6-7	Presidential debates related materials 1983-1984
box 62	Vice-Presidential debates 1984
box 62, folder 1	Bush-Ferraro debate briefing book 1984
box 62, folder 2	Debate preparation documents 1984
box 62, folder 3	Vice-presidential debate related materials 1984
	Special interest groups file 1981-1984, undated
	Scope and Contents note
	Consists of clippings and related documents on specific organizations and groups that appeared to favor the Democratic Party.
box 62, folder 4	Americans for Democratic Action (ADA) 1983-1984
box 62, folder 5-6	American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations (AFL-CIO) circa 1983-1984
box 63, folder 1	Gay rights circa 1983-1984
box 63, folder 2	League of Conservation voters 1984
box 63, folder 3	Gertrude Stein Democratic Club 1981-1984
box 63, folder 4	National Association of Social Workers 1981
box 63, folder 5	National Education Association (NEA) circa 1983-1984
box 63, folder 6	National Organization of Women (NOW) circa 1983-1984
box 63, folder 7	United Mine Workers 1983-1984

Subject file 1980-1984

Scope and Contents note

Includes material on specific special interest groups and other documents and materials collected by the RNC.

box 63, folder 8

Brzezinski, Zbigniew, *Power and Principle* excerpt 1983

Scope and Contents note

Photocopies from book

box 63, folder 9

Cytowic, Richard E., "Health to the Chief: the Politics of Ageing[sic] and Illness," 1984 August 16

box 64, folder 1

Federal Election Commission records, Democratic Party candidates 1982

box 64, folder 2

Federal Election Commission records 1983-1984

box 64, folder 3

Republican National Committee Public Affairs Department, "The Carter Record," 1980 August

box 64, folder 4

Transcript of presentation with at least one unidentified speaker 1984 July 6

box 65

Sound Recordings 1978, 1984

Scope and Contents note

Contains sound recordings of speeches given by Geraldine Ferraro in 1978, as well as campaign speeches of Geraldine Ferraro and Walter Mondale in 1984.

box 65

"Delibovi vs Ferraro" - FER 107 (Cassette) 1978 October 16

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"Delibovi vs Ferraro" - FER 109 (Cassette) 1978 November 2

box 65

"Delibovi vs Ferraro" - Holy Child - FER 104B (Cassette) 1978 October 9

box 65

"Delibovi vs Ferraro" - Richmond Hill Block Assoc. - FER 108 (Cassette) 1978 October 31

box 65

"Delibovi vs Ferraro" - St Francis & Ridgeway Prop. - FER 102 (Cassette) 1978 October 5

box 65

"Delibovi vs Ferraro" - St Stadislan - FER 106 (Cassette) 1978 October 25

box 65

"Delibovi vs Ferraro" - Lionel Club Rich/Hill - FER 105 (Cassette) 1978 October 24

box 65

"Delibovi vs Ferraro" - Miraculous Medal - FER 100 (Cassette) 1978 October 10

box 65

"Delibovi vs Ferraro" - Woodhaven Res. Block Assoc. FER 103 (Cassette) 1978 October 18

box 65

"Delibovi vs Ferraro" - Holy Child FER 104A (Cassette) 1978 October 9

box 65

"Delibovi vs Ferraro" - Jackson Heights Comm. Center - FER 110 (Cassette) 1978 October 19

box 65

"Delibovi vs Ferraro" - Glendale Taxpayers Asso. FER 101 (Cassette) 1978 October 5

box 65

Ferraro Tax Briefing (Cassette) 1984 October 20

box 65

Ferraro Financial Briefing (2 Cassettes) 1984 August 21

box 65

Ferraro News Conference (3 Cassettes) 1984 August 21

box 65

Ferraro - Vicount Hotel - JFK Airport (Cassette) 1984 August 21

box 65

Floppy disks 1984 June

box 65

Mondale (3 5.5" computer floppy disks) 1984 June

Video tapes 1976-1984

Scope and Contents note

Contains video recordings of speeches given by Walter Mondale and Geraldine Ferraro while campaigning for the presidency in 1984 as well as earlier speeches. Footage of the presidential and vice presidential debates is also included.

box 65

Democratic Debate, Manchester (2 U-Matic tapes) 1984 February 23

box 65

Democratic Debate, Atlanta (U-Matic tape) 1984 March 11

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Democratic Debate, Chicago, partial (VHS) 1984 March 18

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Democratic Debate, Chicago, partial (U-Matic tape) 1984 March 18

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First Ford-Carter Debate (2 U-Matic tapes) 1976 September 23

box 65

PBS Republican Forum (2 U-Matic tapes) 1980 March 13

box 65	Vice-Presidential Debate (2 U-Matic tapes) 1984 September 10
box 66	Democratic Debate, Hanover, NH (U-Matic tape) 1984 January 15
box 66	Democratic Candidates Debate - Pittsburgh, PA - CNN (U-Matic tape) 1984 April 5
box 66	Martin/Bayer (Ferraro/Bush) - Mock Debate (VHS) 1984 September 27
box 66	Malaise: Twenty Years of Walter Mondale - Master (U-Matic tape) circa 1980
box 66	Ferraro Video (U-Matic tape) undated
box 66	Ferraro - Master Edit (U-Matic tape) undated
box 66	Democratic Debate, Des Moines, Iowa (2 U-Matic tapes) 1984 February 11
box 66	Republican Debate - Reagan v. Bush - PBS (U-Matic tapes) circa 1980s
box 66	Danforth-Woods - 1st Debate (U-Matic tapes) 1982 October 21
box 66	Danforth-Woods - 2nd Debate (U-Matic tapes) 1982 October 22