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Council on Aging Records

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Collection Information

Abstract : Records relating to the Lincoln Council on Aging and other programs and services for the elderly of Lincoln, including photograph collection of activities.

Finding Aid : Finding Aid in print form is available in the Repository

Preferred Citation : Archives/Special Collections of the Lincoln Public Library, Lincoln, Massachusetts.

Provenance : Municipal records, Town of Lincoln, deposited in vault ca. 1980s.

Note: Under Massachusetts statutes, municipal documents are property of the municipality and under the control of the municipal clerk or other official. Records are subject to Records Retention schedules, established by the Office of the State Secretary, and may not be destroyed or otherwise disposed of without permission of the State Secretary's Office.

MARC Access: Collection is catalogued in MARC under the following subject headings (lcs, aat, gmgpc, etc.)

Lincoln (Mass. : Town) -- Officials and employees.
Lincoln (Mass. : Town) -- History.
Lincoln (Mass. : Town) -- Politics and government.
Municipal employees and officials -- Massachusetts -- Lincoln (Town).
Aged -- Services for -- Massachusetts -- Lincoln (Town).
Public records -- Massachusetts -- Lincoln (Town).
Greeting cards.
Invitations. aat
Photograph collections -- Massachusetts -- Lincoln (Town)
Photographs.
Minutes -- Massachusetts -- Lincoln (Town). aat
Local government records -- Massachusetts -- Lincoln. aat

Lincoln (Mass. : Town). Council on Aging.
Lincoln (Mass. : Town). Friends of the Council on Aging.

Historical/Biographical Notes

A petition to the Governor and General Court in 1746 from the inhabitants of the easterly part of Concord, the westerly part of Lexington, and the northerly part of Weston requested to be set off from their respective towns in order to have a more convenient location for worship. A precinct was established, which gave the inhabitants authority to build a meeting house and hire a minister, the Second Precinct of Concord, Lexington, and Weston. A subsequent petition led to the incorporation of the Town of Lincoln in 1754, encompassing approximately the area formerly the Second Precinct. Evolution of Town government over 250 years has increased the number and kind of municipal services provided by Towns in Massachusetts. The Council on Aging was established by vote of the March 1976 Town Meeting to advocate and provide for the well-being and high quality of life for Lincoln's senior citizens. Council members are municipal appointees.

Scope and Content

The collection comprises minutes of meetings of the Lincoln Council on Aging; photographs, cards, invitations, etc. relating to programs for the elderly, especially the annual "Top of the Town" party for Lincoln senior citizens, sponsored by the Friends of the Council on Aging; and other related records.

The collection is arranged topically.

Series Descriptions

Series 1: Minutes, 1982-1991. (7 folders)

Series 2: Photographs, 1977-1980. (2 folders, 5 BV)

Series 3: Miscellaneous, 1976. (1 folder)

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Series 1, Minutes

<u>Box #</u>	<u>Folder #</u>	<u>Identification #</u>	<u>Description</u>
1	1	2003.030.1.1	Minutes of meetings of the Lincoln Council on Aging, with Coordinator's report / 1982.
1	2	2003.030.1.2	Agendas and minutes of the Lincoln Council on Aging / 1986.
1	3	2003.030.1.3	Agendas and minutes of the Lincoln Council on Aging / 1987.
1	4	2003.030.1.4	Agendas and minutes of the Lincoln Council on Aging / 1988.
1	5	2003.030.1.5	Agendas and minutes of the Lincoln Council on Aging / 1989.
1	6	2003.030.1.6	Agendas and minutes of the Lincoln Council on Aging / 1990.
1	7	2003.030.1.7	Agendas and minutes of the Lincoln Council on Aging / 1991.

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 Series 2, Photographs

<u>Box #</u>	<u>Folder #</u>	<u>Identification #</u>	<u>Description</u>
BV		2003.030.2.1	Photographic album of snapshots of 1977 Top of the Town Party with cards and notes at the end of the album : 4 x 5 in. photographic prints, many identified / 1977.
BV		2003.030.2.2	Photographic album of snapshots of 1978 Top of the Town Party : 4 x 5 in. photographic prints, many identified / 1978.
1	8	2003.030.2.2a	Negatives of prints of 1978 Top of the Town Party.
BV		2003.030.2.3	Photographic album of snapshots of 1979 Top of the Town Party with cards and notes at the end of the album : 4 x 5 in. photographic prints, many identified / 1979.
BV		2003.030.2.4	Photographic album of snapshots of 1980 Top of the Town Party : 4 x 5 in. photographic prints, many identified / 1980.
1	9	2003.030.2.4a	Negatives of prints of 1980 Top of the Town Party.
BV		2003.030.2.5	Photographic album of event for senior citizens of Lincoln / nd.

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Series 3, Miscellaneous

<u>Box #</u>	<u>Folder #</u>	<u>Identification #</u>	<u>Description</u>
1	10	2003.030.3.1	Report - Needs of older persons study : pamphlet, 8 l., graphs / Interested Citizens Coalition Committee, sponsored by the League of Women Voters of Lincoln, March 1976.