

North Carolina Collection

Durham County Government Slides and Photographs

Title:	Durham County Government Slides and Photographs	
Inclusive Dates:	1950-2001	
Extent of Materials:	2 file folders, 2 albums	
Location:	NC Room, Cabinet 5, Drawer 3 and NC Office - Shelf 28	
Date of Accession:		
Donor:	Deborah Craig-Ray, assistant county manager for public information	
Relationship of donor or materials to the DCL/NCR	The slides and photographs portray Durham government buildings, schools, and projects in the 1970s through early 1990s.	
Processor:	Kristen Merryman	
Description:		
Subject Headings:	Community life--North Carolina--Durham.	
	Historic buildings--North Carolina--Durham.	
	Urban renewal--North Carolina.	
	High schools — North Carolina — Durham.	
	Local government — North Carolina — Durham.	
	Photographs.	
Abstract:	The Durham County Government Slides and Photographs Collection (1975-1993) contains slides and photographs of Durham County services and buildings, including schools, and of renovation work done in the Old North Durham neighborhood in the 1970s-1980s in conjunction with the Neighborhood Housing Service.	
Scope and Content:	The Durham County Government Slides and Photographs Collection (1975-1993) contains slides and photographs of Durham County services and buildings, including many schools in the Durham City School system before the county and city school system merged. The collection also includes photographs and slides from the Old North Durham Neighborhood Improvement Project and work done by the nonprofit organization Neighborhood Housing Services in the late 1970s and 1980s to renovate houses and apartment buildings in Old North Durham.	
Related Materials:	Neighborhood Housing Services of Durham Papers	
Restrictions:	This collection is open for research.	
	Durham City and County schools merged in 1992. Old North Durham is one of the oldest neighborhoods in Durham. The location of the neighborhood was converted from farmland	

<p>Biographical/Historical Note:</p>	<p>location of the neighborhood was converted from farmland into one of Durham's first suburbs in the late 1800s. A trolley line built in 1901 ran north from Main Street along Mangum Street, which spurred development in the area. It was a thriving area in Durham through the 1950s. Following integration in the 1950s and 1960s in Durham, East Trinity Street became one of the first areas in Durham where African-Americans bought homes and lived in primarily white neighborhoods. In the late 1960s Old North Durham experienced a social and economic decline similar to many other urban neighborhoods across the country as the population migrated from urban areas to outlying suburbs. However, during the late 1970s and early 1980s a major effort was undertaken to revitalize the neighborhood. With the creation of Durham Neighborhood Housing Services in 1981, neighborhood residents joined city officials, business, and banking leaders to secure the financial support for home improvements and renovations.</p>	
<p>Condition Notes:</p>		
<p>Organization of Collection:</p>		
<p>Container List</p>		
	<p>Folder 1</p>	<p>Durham County commissioners, c. 1950s</p>
	<p>Folder 2</p>	<p>Durham County government photographs, 1974-2001</p>
	<p>Album 1</p>	
	<p>Durham County government buildings and services, 1988-1993</p>	
		<p>Includes images of the old 1916 Durham County courthouse renovation, as well as of the Museum of Life and Science and the fire department.</p>
	<p>Durham schools, 1975-1992</p>	
		<p>Includes images of Hillside High, E. K. Powe Elementary, Burton Elementary, C. C. Spaulding Elementary, Lakewood Elementary, R. N. Harris Elementary, Whitted School, and East End School.</p>
	<p>Album 2</p>	

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Neighborhood Housing Services, 1980-1985		
		A portion of the slides in Album 2 are labelled and those addresses and buildings are:
		807 Colonial St.
		109 W. Corporation St.
		200 W. Corporation St.
		219 Dacian Ave.
		1104 Elizabeth St.
		West Geer St.
		1313 Glendale St.
		908 Gurley St.
		1012 Gurley St.
		311 Gray Ave.
		1606 Hamlin St.
		11 E. Lynch St.
		110 E. Lynch St.
		1308 Mangum St.
		912 Mangum St.
		1001 N. Mangum
		1005 N. Mangum
		1201 N. Mangum St.
		1204 N. Mangum St.
		1210 N. Mangum St.
		800 N. Mangum St.
		901 N. Mangum St. (Perry Building)
		216 Mormouth

		210 Monmouth Ave.
		226 Monmouth Ave.
		919 Orient St.
		113 E. Seeman St.
		1406 Shawnee St.
		210 E. Trinity St.
		108 W. Trinity St.
		112 W. Trinity St.
		113 W. Trinity St.
		114 W. Trinity St.
		120 W Trinity St.
		122 W. Trinity St.
		202 W. Trinity St.
		203 W. Trinity St.
		204 W. Trinity St.
		208 W. Trinity St.
		211 W. Trinity St.
		216 W. Trinity St.
		218 W. Trinity St.
		222 W. Trinity St.
		226 W. Trinity St.
		323 W. Trinity St.
		925 Washington St.

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