

North Carolina Collection

Nathan Thomas Collection

Title:	Nathan Thomas Collection
Inclusive Dates:	Undated
Extent of Materials:	3 legal folders, oversized materials
Location:	Map drawer 44
Date of Accession:	2013 October
Donor:	Nathan Thomas
Relationship of donor or materials to the DCL/NCR	
Processor:	Holly Withrow
Subject Headings:	Elections -- North Carolina -- Durham
	Political Campaigns -- North Carolina -- Durham
Abstract:	
Scope and Content:	The Nathan Thomas Collection consists of campaign materials from several elections in Durham. Thomas created and printed the materials himself in support of the candidates. Materials include posters, bumper stickers, newspaper ads, letterheads, buttons, and stickers for politicians such as Gene Hampton, Josephine Clement, Bill Bell, and Willie Lovett.
Related Materials:	
Restrictions:	This collection is open for research.
Biographical/Historical Note:	Mr. Thomas, African American, was born and reared in south-central Alabama. After high school he was drafted and then went to college in West Virginia. He came to Durham in 1959 to work at North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company as a printer and in advertising and communications. He worked on many local political campaigns including those for Gene Hampton, Josephine Clement, Bill Bell, and Willie Lovett.
Condition Notes:	
Organization of Collection:	
Container List	Folder 1
	Bumper Stickers
	Folder 2
	Letterheads

	Folder 3
	Other Election Materials
	Including newspaper ads, buttons, stickers
	Oversized Materials
	Campaign posters and signs

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