

# **Guide to the Jean Ford Papers**

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## **Summary Information**

**Repository:** University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special

Collections and Archives.

**Creator:** Ford, Jean, 1929-1998

**Title:** Jean Ford Papers

**ID:** MS-00025

**Date [inclusive]:** 1958-1996

**Physical Description:** 17.93 Cubic Feet (39 boxes, 1 oversized box)

**Physical Description:** 16.25 Linear Feet

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**Abstract:** The Jean Ford Papers (1958-1996) include political documents,

campaign materials for Jean Ford's political campaigns, and materials

pertaining to campaign issues such as health services, general

improvement districts, and parks and recreation. There is extensive material on Red Rock National Conservation Area, Lake Mead National Recreation Area, and the National Issues Forum. Women's issues cover the years 1964-1981 and contain information relating to the League of Women Voters, Equal Rights Amendment (ERA), and International Women's Year (IWY), as well as Anti-ERA and Anti-IWY materials.

#### **Preferred Citation**

Jean Ford Papers, 1958-1996. MS-00025. Special Collections and Archives, University Libraries, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, Las Vegas, Nevada.

# **Biographical Note**

Nevada politician and women's advocate Imogene "Jean" Young was born in Miami, Oklahoma, on December 28, 1929, to Daisy Adelphia (Flook) and Clarence Nathan Young. She had one brother, Byron Young. Her family moved to Joplin, Missouri, where she attended kindergarten through high school. In 1951 she graduated from Southern Methodist University in Dallas, Texas with a B.A. in Sociology. After graduation she worked as a recreational therapist for the American Red Cross in military hospitals until 1955.

In 1955 she married Dr. Samuel M. Ford, a dermatologist. The Fords moved to Clark County, Nevada in 1962. Jean Ford served as a teacher's aide in the Clark County School District during the 1963-1964

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academic year. The Fords had two daughters, Janet and Carla. She attended the University of Nevada, Las Vegas as a graduate student, and received her M.A. in Public Administration in 1978.

Ford was active in numerous civic and political activities in Southern Nevada. She chaired the ad hoc Library Committee which brought about the creation of the Clark County Library District from 1964 to 1965. In 1967 Governor Paul Laxalt appointed Ford to the Nevada State Park Commission. She served on the Commission until 1973, under both Democratic and Republican governors. She was also appointed by Rogers Morton, Secretary of the Interior, to serve on the Western Region Advisory Committee for National Parks.

As a member of the League of Women Voters, Ford served as local president from 1965 to 1967. She was on the State Board from 1967 to 1969, and was state president from 1969 to 1971. As an active League member, Ford conducted workshops on human relations and practical politics. She coordinated county studies for planning and zoning, parks and recreation, and a state study on juvenile delinquency. One of Ford's projects was the designation of Red Rock as a public recreation area rather than a private development. Ford also served as a League of Women Voters Lobbyist during the 1971 legislative session. In 1972 she was a member of the Solid Waste Pollution Control Committee, the Regional Planning Council, and the Land Use Advisory Committee to the Legislative Sub-Committee on the Environment.

Jean Ford was elected to the Nevada State Assembly as a Republican in 1972 and served two terms. After losing her bid for the State Senate in 1976, she changed her political party affiliation to Democrat and ran again for State Senate in 1978. She was successful and served one term from 1978 to 1982.

From 1980 to 1981 she operated a consulting firm, Jean Ford Associates, formed with four other women. She chose not to run for office again, and formed the Jean Ford Company, which she operated from 1982 to 1985. During this time she also formed Nevada Discovery Tours with Maxine Peterson as her partner.

In 1985 Ford was appointed to the cabinet level position of Director of the Governor's Office of Community Service by Nevada Governor Richard Bryan. She moved to Carson City and served in this position until 1989. From 1989 to 1991, she was manager of Reno Tahoe Company, a destination management company providing tourism related services. Beginning in 1991 Ford acted as program coordinator and instructor in the Women's Studies Program at the University of Nevada, Reno. Ford conceived the idea for the Nevada Women's Archives in 1992 at the University of Nevada, Reno. In 1994 she expanded the program to the University of Nevada, Las Vegas campus. She actively worked to acquire archival collections for both campuses.

Along with a small group of women from northern Nevada, Ford went on to found the Nevada Women's History Project, which included a northern and southern region. In September 1997 Ford was diagnosed with terminal pancreatic cancer. She died on August 26, 1998. She spent the last year of her life working on women's history projects and organizing her research files and slide collection.

Source: *Jean Ford: A Nevada Woman Leads the Way*. HQ1236.5 U6 F67 1998 located in Special Collections and Archives, University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Las Vegas.

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## **Scope and Contents Note**

The Jean Ford Papers (1958-1996) consist of campaign materials, committee minutes, health services information, general improvements, National Issues Forum, and parks and recreation materials in Nevada. There are also mailing lists, financial records, fund-raising activities, correspondence, and newspaper clippings. There is extensive material on Red Rock National Conservation Area and Lake Mead National Recreation Area. Women's issues cover the years 1964-1981 and contain information about papers relating to the League of Women Voters, Equal Rights Amendment (ERA), and International Women's Year (IWY), as well as Anti-ERA/Anti-IWY materials.

There is one box of oversize materials containing two calendars, a map, three posters, and several artifacts.

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## Arrangement

The collection is divided into four series:

Series I. Political materials, 1958-1990;

Series II. Women's issues papers, 1964-1981;

Series III. Oversized items and artifacts, 1970s-1980s;

Series IV. Additional accession, 1972-1996.

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#### Administrative Information

#### **Access Note**

Collection is open for research.

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### **Acquisition Note**

Materials were donated beginning in 1977 by Jean Ford. The Ford papers were acquired in five accessions; T-106, T-107, 85-86, 85-111, and 86-61. These five accessions were combined under the number MS-00025 during the processing of the collections. A final accession donated by Carol Corbett was added and processed under the MS-00025 number in 2018.

#### **Processing Note**

Papers were processed in 1998 by Marie Imus. In 2017, Joyce Moore revised and enhanced the collection description to bring it into compliance with current professional standards. In 2018, Joyce Moore added and processed an additional accession.

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#### **Related Materials**

#### **Separated Materials**

Some of the photographs in this acquisition were removed from the collection and placed in Jean Ford Photograph Collection, 1958-1990. PH-0295. Special Collections and Archives, University Libraries, University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Las Vegas, Nevada.

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# **Names and Subjects**

- Women in politics -- Nevada
- Businesswomen -- Nevada
- Women college teachers -- Nevada -- Reno -- Biography
- Women -- Nevada -- Las Vegas Political activity
- Nevada. Legislature. Assembly
- Nevada. Legislature. Senate
- University of Nevada, Reno. Women's Studies Program
- Nevada Women's Archives -- History
- League of Women Voters of Las Vegas Valley (Nev.)

# **Collection Inventory**

### Political materials, 1958-1990

Physical Description: 10.57 Cubic Feet (23 boxes)

Physical Description: 9.58 Linear Feet

Scope and Contents Note: The political materials series (1958-1990) contain calendars, certificates, campaign materials, newspaper clippings, reports, minutes, and documentation about health care issues in Nevada. Also included are

legislative materials from issues that Jean Ford was involved in.

Arrangement: Material remains in original order.

Title/Description	Container	s
Biography and personal papers	box 01	folder 1
Calendars, 1974-1979	box 01	folder 2
Calendars, 1980-1984	box 01	folder 3
Certificates, 1970-1976	box 01	folder 4
Legislative correspondence, 1975-1982	box 01	folder 5
Letters from Jean Ford to voters, 1975-1976	box 01	folder 6
Political papers and correspondence, 1974-1982	box 01	folder 7
Campaign and election material, 1974-1978	box 01	folder 8
Campaign letters, District 15, 1972	box 02	folder 1
Campaign newspaper clippings, 1972	box 02	folder 2
Map, newspaper clippings, 1972	box 02	folder 3
Jean Ford newspaper clippings, 1972 July-1974 July	box 02	folder 4
Campaign lists: workers, donors, mailings, etc., 1974	box 02	folder 5
Campaign material, District 15, 1974	box 02	folder 6
General legislative newspaper clippings, 1975	box 02	folder 7
Jean Ford, newspaper clippings, 1975	box 02	folder 8
Campaign advertisements, District 3, 1976	box 02	folder 9
Campaign material, District 3, 1976	box 02	folder 10
Fund raising, 1976	box 02	folder 11
Photocopied press clippings, 1976	box 02	folder 12
Campaign newspaper clippings, 1976	box 02	folder 13
Legislature newspaper clippings, 1977	box 02	folder 14

Nevada legislature, Senate Daily Journal, 1977	box 02	folder 15
Jean Ford campaign material, 1978	box 03	folder 1
Financial contributions, District 3, 1978	box 03	folder 2
Campaign strategy, 1978	box 03	folder 3
Fund raisers and campaign material, 1978	box 03	folder 4
Campaign finance, 1978	box 03	folder 5
Campaign records "Election State Senate #3 ", 1978	box 03	folder 6
Campaign records "Election State Senate #3" (Part II), 1978	box 03	folder 7
Campaign materials, 1978	box 03	folder 8
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Legislature, printed material and notes, 1979	box 04	folder 1
Legislature, newspaper clippings, 1979	box 04	folder 2
Legislature, Addresses and committees, 1979	box 04	folder 3
Presidency, campaign literature and endorsements, 1980	box 04	folder 4
State campaign material, election, 1980	box 04	folder 5
Election, newspaper clippings, 1980	box 04	folder 6
Election, newspaper sections, 1980	box 04	folder 7
Legislature, correspondence, articles, notes, 1981	box 04	folder 8
Legislative Bills, 1981	box 04	folder 9
Newspaper Sections, Nevada State Legislature, 1981	box 04	folder 10
Ballot questions, 1982	box 05	folder 1
Endorsements, 1982	box 05	folder 2
Legislative campaign materials and newspaper clippings, 1982	box 05	folder 3
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Election, newspaper sections, 1982	box 05	folder 5
Republican file, newspaper sections, 1982	box 05	folder 6
Republican file, 1979-1982	box 05	folder 7
Democrat file, 1982	box 05	folder 8
Legislature, 1983	box 06	folder 1
Legislature, newspaper sections, 1983	box 06	folder 2
Presidential Election, 1984	box 06	folder 3
Election materials, 1984	box 06	folder 4

Election, newspaper clippings, 1984	box 06	folder 5
Presidential Election: newspaper clippings, 1984	box 06	folder 6
Legislature, 1985	box 06	folder 7
Legislature, newspaper clippings, 1985	box 06	folder 8
Annual Sessions Battle, 1958-1960	box 07	folder 1
The State's Debt Limitation, 1966 January	box 07	folder 2
"Nevada: The End of the Casino Era," by E. F. Sherman, Atlantic Monthly, 1966 October	box 07	folder 3
Lobbyists, 1967-1976	box 07	folder 4
Public debt, 1967-1968	box 07	folder 5
Miscellaneous election material, 1966-1968	box 07	folder 6
Citizens' Conference on Nevada Courts, 1968	box 07	folder 7
Legislative Techniques and Analysis, 1968	box 07	folder 8
Christian Science Monitor, series on cities , 1969	box 07	folder 9
Electoral College, 1966-1970	box 07	folder 10
Bureau of Governmental Research Newsletter, 1966-1975	box 07	folder 11
Practical Politics Conference, 1970	box 07	folder 12
"Nevada Municipal Governments" (Booklet), 1970	box 07	folder 13
Compilation of Measures by State Senate, 1971	box 08	folder 1
Table of Boards, 1971	box 08	folder 2
The Towell Territorian: Issue 4, 1972	box 08	folder 3
"New House Line-up District by District" L.A.Times, 1972	box 08	folder 4
"Reports on Salaries, Expenses", 1972 December	box 08	folder 5
Residency requirements for candidates, 1973	box 08	folder 6
Constitutional Amendments and Propositions, 1974 November 05	box 08	folder 7
"State Government News", 1975 September	box 08	folder 8
Nevada Legislature Contingency Fund, 1976 June	box 08	folder 9
Government and the Media, 1973-1974	box 08	folder 10
Common Cause Nevada Newsletter, 1974-1975	box 08	folder 11
Republican Party, 1974-1976	box 08	folder 12
"Volunteer Board Member in Philanthropy", 1975	box 08	folder 13
The GoPaper, 1975 June-1976 December	box 08	folder 14
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Nevada Statistical Abstract, 1977	box 08	folder 16
Democratic Party materials, 1977-1980	box 08	folder 17
The Democrat, vol 3, no 6, 1978 August	box 08	folder 18
Ripon Quarterly, Legislative Structure, Summer 1975, 1979	box 09	folder 1
Career Management and Marketing Materials	box 09	folder 2
State legislature, news clippings, 1981	box 09	folder 3
Alan Bible campaign material, 1981	box 10	folder 1
Howard Cannon File, 1981-1982	box 10	folder 2
Harry Reid, U.S. Congress, 1982	box 10	folder 3
"Dayton Hudson Corp., Community Giving in, 1979"	box 10	folder 4
Open House Guest Book, 1978-1979	box 10	folder 5
Calendars, 1974-1979	box 10	folder 6
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"Special District Problem in Douglas County", 1967-1975	box 11	folder 1
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"58th Session Assembly Taxation Minutes", 1975 January-April	box 11	folder 5
"58th Session Assembly Taxation Minutes", 1975 April-May	box 11	folder 6
"Government Affairs Minute Book" vol.1, 1975 January-February	box 11	folder 7
"Government Affairs Minute Book" vol.1, 1975 February-April	box 12	folder 1
"Government Affairs Minute Book" vol.2, 1975 March-April	box 12	folder 2
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Florida Statutes on Condos and Co-ops, 1974	box 14	folder 3
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Nevada Department of Education: Research Bulletin, 1976	box 14	folder 10
Nevada Nurses Association Laws and Related Guidelines, 1975	box 14	folder 11
Nevada Regulations Governing Public Bathing Places, 1974	box 14	folder 12
Nevada State Boards and Commissions, 1974 July	box 14	folder 13
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"A People's Guide to the Future of the National Parks", 1975	box 18	folder 2
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# Women's issues papers, 1964-1981

Physical Description: 6.90 Cubic Feet (15 boxes)

Physical Description: 6.25 Linear Feet

Scope and Contents Note: The women's issues papers (1964-1981) contain correspondence, reports, grant information, conference information, and newsletters reflecting Jean Ford's activities in Nevada. Also included are materials related to Jean Ford's involvement with the Equal Rights Amendment (ERA) and the League of Women Voters (LWV).

Arrangement: Material remains in original order.

Title/Description	Containers	
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League Convention Workbook, Action, 1971-1973	box 24	folder 7
League Convention: Reno, 1973	box 24	folder 6
League 50th Anniversary State Convention, 1969	box 24	folder 5
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The Legislative Newsletter, 1965-1969	box 24	folder 9
League Public Relations: Local, 1965-1972	box 24	folder 10
State Board Administration, 1967-1971	box 24	folder 11
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Voters' Service, Las Vegas, Nevada, 1964-1966	box 24	folder 14
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Interim Position on Integration, 1966	box 25	folder 3

League Position Papers on Park and Recreation in Clark County, 1966-1967	box 25	folder 4
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Final Report of Task Force on integration, 1969	box 25	folder 7
"Happenings", League newsletter on integration, 1969	box 25	folder 8
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Community Solution for Child Care, 1979	box 26	folder 6
Pamphlets motivating change, battered women, divorce, credit, 1978-1979	box 26	folder 7
"Governor's Commission on Status of Women in Nevada", 1967-1970	box 26	folder 8
"Women" 1973-74, "Choices: Exploring the Lifestyles of Nevada Women", 1977	box 26	folder 9
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