Guide to the Michael Athanasoglou Collection on Taxi Driver Rights

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Summary Information

Creator: Athanasoglou, Michael
Title: Michael Athanasoglou Collection on Taxi Driver Rights
ID: MS-00230
Date [inclusive]: 1979-1983
Physical Description: 0.23 Cubic Feet (1 box)
Physical Description: 0.21 Linear Feet
Language of the Material: English
Abstract: The Michael Athanasoglou Collection on Taxi Driver Rights (1979-1983) contains the records of Las Vegas, Nevada taxicab activist Michael Athanasoglou. Included are clippings, correspondence, fliers, and memoranda that document Athanasoglou's struggle to organize taxi drivers into a union in Las Vegas.

Preferred Citation

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Biographical Note

Michael Athanasoglou fought to unionize taxicab drivers and to restructure the Taxi Cab Drivers Administration Authority Charter in Las Vegas, Nevada throughout the late 1970s and early 1980s. Through his efforts, he brought the poor treatment of drivers to the attention of media outlets and Nevada state politicians, including Governor Richard Bryan.

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Scope and Contents Note

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Arrangement

Materials are arranged by topic.

Administrative Information

Access

Collection is open for research.

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 Acquisition Note

Materials were donated in 1983 by Michael Athanasoglou; accession number T-185.

Processing Note

Material was processed by UNLV Special Collections staff in 1983. In 2014, as part of a legacy finding aid conversion project, Ian M. Baldwin revised and enhanced the collection description to bring it into compliance with current professional standards. Subsequently, Ian M. Baldwin entered the data into ArchivesSpace.

Revision Description

The finding aid was revised by Ian M. Baldwin to bring it into compliance with DACS. July, 2014
Names and Subjects

• History -- Las Vegas -- Nevada
• Labor union locals -- Nevada

Collection Inventory

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