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## **THE SENATOR GEORGE MCGOVERN COLLECTION**

### **Annotated master copy of the guide**

#### **The Senator George McGovern Collection.**

Dakota Wesleyan University dedicated the new George and Eleanor McGovern Library and Center for Leadership and Public Service on October 7, 2006. Prior to that on May 7, 1981, Dakota Wesleyan University dedicated the Senator George McGovern Learning Center in the former Layne Library. At that time, Senator McGovern made an initial donation of 1972 presidential campaign memorabilia. Subsequently, he has added some seven thousand photographs and twelve linear feet of personal and political files, primarily from his post-congressional career. Friends and supporters of Senator McGovern have made additional donations, including manuscripts of two of his books, campaign material and correspondence to and from the Senator.

The Collection occupies a prominent place in the new facility, and Dakota Wesleyan University is dedicated to its growth and development as an important resource for research into the career and contributions of Senator McGovern. The University actively seeks donations of material relating to the life and times of George and Eleanor McGovern.

The format of this guide will be familiar to most researchers. It describes a collection that now comprises eighteen linear feet of documents, more than seven thousand photographic images and eight linear feet of campaign memorabilia. Original arrangement, whether alphabetical or apparently random, has been maintained. Folder titles and names of photo categories are taken verbatim from the original files. Occasional supplied information is bracketed, and ellipses are used sparingly.

The Collection is open for research. Access is by appointment. Dakota Wesleyan University will make sincere efforts to accommodate the schedules and research needs of visiting scholars. Initial inquiries should be directed to:

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Researchers should also be aware of related collections at Princeton University <http://www.princeton.edu/~mudd> and the University of Oklahoma <http://www.ou.edu/pcarchiv/>. For several letters written by George McGovern during World War Two, see Dakota Wesleyan University's Robert Pennington Collection.

## **Biography**

One of the most significant figures in America today, George McGovern has earned the respect of countless individuals from all political viewpoints and all walks of life.

From his days as a student at Dakota Wesleyan University throughout his long and distinguished career in public service, George McGovern has never forgotten his roots. He was born in Avon, South Dakota, on July 19, 1922, the son of a Wesleyan Methodist minister. The family moved to Mitchell, South Dakota, in 1928, and George graduated from Mitchell High School in 1940. He was an outstanding student, and his proficiency in debate won him a scholarship at Dakota Wesleyan University in Mitchell, where he enrolled in the fall of 1940. There he met fellow student Eleanor Stegeberg of Woonsocket, South Dakota. George and Eleanor were married on October 31, 1943, and their five children were all born in Mitchell.

As a college student, McGovern was twice elected class president and won the state oratorical contest with the topic "My Brother's Keeper," an avowal of his belief in one's responsibility to humankind.

World War II interrupted McGovern's education in 1943. He flew 35 combat missions as a B-24 bomber pilot in Europe, earning the Distinguished Flying Cross. McGovern is the central character in Stephen Ambrose's book *The Wild Blue: The Men and Boys who Flew the B24's Over Germany*. After the war he returned to Dakota Wesleyan University, graduating in 1946. McGovern then attended Garrett Seminary for one year before enrolling at Northwestern University in Chicago, where he earned his M.A. and Ph.D. degrees in American history and government.

McGovern returned to Dakota Wesleyan University in 1950 as a professor of history and political science, where he became a beloved and respected faculty member. He left the university in 1955 to reorganize and revitalize the South Dakota Democratic Party, from which his illustrious political career was launched. He was elected to Congress in 1956 and reelected in 1958. As a congressman, he was an advocate for the American farmer and represented the nation's heartland with distinction.

After McGovern lost his first bid for the U.S. Senate in 1960, President John F. Kennedy named him the first director of the Food for Peace Program and Special Assistant to the President. In this position he oversaw the donation of millions of tons of food to developing nations. McGovern was then elected to the Senate in 1962 and reelected in 1968 and 1974. As a member of the Senate committees on agriculture, nutrition, forestry and foreign relations, and the Joint Economic Committee, he led the way in expanding key nutrition programs.

In 1972, Senator McGovern was selected as the Democratic Party nominee for president, the only South Dakotan so honored by any major political party.

In 1976, President Gerald Ford named McGovern a United Nations delegate to the General Assembly, and, in 1978, President Jimmy Carter named him a United Nations delegate for the Special Session on Disarmament. After leaving the Senate in 1980, McGovern was a visiting professor at numerous institutions, including Columbia University, Northwestern University, Cornell University, American University and the University of Berlin. He served as the president of the Middle East Policy Council from 1991 to 1998, when President Clinton appointed him to his present post as Ambassador to the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization in Rome. In 2001 he was appointed the first United Nations global ambassador on hunger. In this position, McGovern continues his leadership in the battle against world hunger.

A prolific author, McGovern has lectured at more than 1,000 colleges and universities around the world. He has also received many honorary degrees and distinguished awards, including the Presidential Medal of Freedom, the United States' highest civilian honor, which was bestowed upon him by President Bill Clinton on August 9, 2000.

### **Restrictions:**

Playgirl spoof and originals of Playboy will not be made available to patrons under the age of 18 years. Consult the reference staff for more information.

### **Records:**

This section is in six series:

[Personal and political files](#)

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[Stratford Inn](#)

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### **Photographs**

**SERIES ONE: Personal and political files, ca. 1946 – 1989.** Personal, business, political and research files, arranged alphabetically. Some missing folders are being sought by the repository

#### **Box 1**

ABC Conv. Contract

Academic Industries

ACT 10<sup>TH</sup> anniversary – Pasadena, California, June 18, 1983

Agran, Larry (Center for Innovative Diplomacy)

Agricultural Issues – September 1982

Ambrose, Steven

[Ambrose, Steven]

American-Arab Affairs Council 1986-87

American-Arab Affairs Council July 1987 Middle East Trip

American-Arab Affairs Council 1988

American Arab Affairs Council 1989

American Arab Affairs Council Speeches for

American Association of Retired Persons

American Civil Liberties Union & Affiliates, Chapters, and Foundations

American Committee on U.S. – Soviet Relations

American Educational Trust

American Health Foundation

Americans for Common Sense Corporate Records

Americans for Common Sense, Inc.

Americans for Common Sense California Fundraiser 1982

Americans for Common Sense Custom Print Case 1983

## **Box 2**

Americans for Common Sense 1983 Lists

Americans for Common Sense – Papers

Americans for Common Sense Tax Returns

Americans for Democratic Action

Andersen, Arthur & Co.

Antoine's Home Supermarket

Arafat, Yasser

Arms Race

Armstrong, James

Aronheim, Bob

Art Acquisition

Art Loans

Aspin, Les

Austrian Decoration 1980

[AA – AM Miscellaneous Correspondence]

AN – AZ Miscellaneous Corres.

Ball, George

Barber, Amzi

Bared, Luis

Baumann, Carol Edler

Books

Book Project – Great Speeches of the United States Senate Personal [#1]

Book Project – Great Speeches of the United States Senate Personal [#2]

Bork, Robert

Bouvier, Joyce

Boyer, Dan (Ebory)

Bridgeport Hospital

Briles, Philip & Olive 621 East 8<sup>th</sup> Ave. Sisseton, S.D. 57262 605-698-7465 21B

Buckley – Cahill Book Sales

BA – BI Miscellaneous Correspondence

BJ – BZ Miscellaneous Correspondence

**Box 3**

California State Universities (all of them)

Carter, Jimmy

Cartoons

Cavaliere, Giovanna [mentions Luciano Pavarotti; see also “Christmas Cards 1988”]

Center for National Independence in Politics

Central American Trip 1983

Chevalier D’Or, Ltd.

Christic Institute

Christmas Cards 1988

Church, F. Forrester [Frank Church’s son]

City Club of Washington

Clippings – Misc. 1989

Collier Athletic Club 1985 – 86

“Come Home America” Acceptance Speech

Commission on the Presidential Nominating Process

Computer Information

Connecticut Financial Corporation

Contributors

Council on Foreign Relations

Craver, Mathews, Smith & Company

Cuba Trip April 5 – 10, 1977

Cuban-American Committee

Cuban Cases

Cunningham, George

Cuomo, Mario

The Cynicism of Reaganomics Article

Czechoslovakian Komensky Sympos. Prague 1992

Czechoslovakian Middle East Conf. Dec. 6 – 8, 1988

CA – CN Miscellaneous Corres.

CO – CZ Miscellaneous [Correspondence]

#### **Box 4**

Dakota Wesleyan University

Dartmouth College

Daschle, Tom

Decaying of America [“Newsweek” issue dated August 2, 1982]

Deed (Burns House) 5<sup>th</sup> & Sanborn, Mitchell, S.D.

Deichman, Don

Democratic National Committee

Dictograph Security ...

Diet & Health – Personal

Dietary Goals

Dolan, John

Draft (Clipping)

Draper, Theodore

[Draper, Theodore and Hoffmann, Stanley]

Dukakis, Michael

Duke University Fall 1984

D Miscellaneous Correspondence

Eagleton [includes McGovern's "Confidential Note on the Eagleton Affair" dated February 10, 1973; see also E Miscellaneous Correspondence in Box 5]

Economy (Clippings)

Eisner, Bob on deficit

Election – 1972 *Time* Articles

Election 1976 (Letters on '76 Presidential Race)

Election of 1980 and the future of Soviet-American relations (adapted from Vienna)

Election 1984 [#1]

Election 1984 [#2]

Election 1988 [#1]

Election 1988 [#2]

'88 Decision Election '88

Election 1992 [2 folders]

## **Box 5A**

Embassy Row Hotel

Emory University

E Miscellaneous Correspondence

Energy

Farm Policy Group

FBI, Copy of George McGovern FBI file with note.

FEC Filing/Candidacy 1984

Firing Line

FOOD FOR LIFE Book Proposal 1979

Foreign Agents Investigation

Foreign Policy Course

Foreign Policy

Playboy (Restricted to those aged 18 and older, see staff for details. A copy appears in the foreign policy file.)

455<sup>th</sup> Bomb Group Association

B-24 50<sup>TH</sup> Anniversary

France and Israel

Freie Universitat Berlin

“From Cave to Cave” 1946 Oration

Fundraising Letters Sent \$200 Plus ACS Donors December 1981

F Miscellaneous Correspondence

Galbraith, John Kenneth

Gallup Poll 1/13/83 LA Times

Genealogy

Ghussein, Jaweed

Al-Ghussein – Conn. Property  
Global Greenhouse Network

Goldwater, Barry

Goss, Richard – Intern

Grandchildren

Grassroots – Chapter 1

Grassroots International

Great Coalfield War TV Proposal 1979-82

The Great Coalfield War 1982

Greider, William

GSB List Rental

G Miscellaneous Correspondence

Hallett, Stanley J.

Hanauer, Ned

Harriman, Pamela

Harrington, Judy

Harrington, Michael

Hart, Gary

Hartford, Univ. of

Hatch, Orrin

Heinz, John

Hessburg, Matt

**Box 5B**

Holmes, Oliver Wendell, Jr.

Memos 1981

Holum, Ken

Honorary Degrees

Humphery[sic], Gordon (1980)

Humphrey, Hubert H., III (Skip)

Ha-He Miscellaneous Correspondence

HF- HZ Miscellaneous Correspondence

Institute for Policy Studies (3 folders)

    Monthly Financial Reports

    Fundraising

Interstate Claim

Invitations Declined 1989

Invitations Declined 1988

Invitations Declined (speaking and other) 1981 [2 folders]

Invitations 1980

I Miscellaneous Correspondence

Italy, June '85

Jacobs, Paul Commission

Jefferson, Mildred (1980)

Jobs with Peace

Johns Hopkins Bologna Center

Jonas, Steven, M.D.

Junior Statesmen Foundation

J Miscellaneous correspondence

Kans. Power and Light Shares

Kennedy, Edward M.

Kepler Associates 1990

Kepler Associates 1989

Kimmelman, Henry, Mr. and Mrs.

King, Martin Luther

Kissinger, Henry

Klein, S. J.

KA – KK Miscellaneous Corres.

KL – KZ Miscellaneous Corres.

Lamb, Edward

Lee, David, and Taiwan.

Lavine, Mark – 2029 suit against AIWA on Fire.

## **Box 6**

Lichtman, Allan J.

Life Amendment PAC

Lists

Luce, Phillip Abbott

Lundeen/Schneider Radiology Project

LA – LG Miscellaneous Correspondence [includes photocopy of article “Mundt vs. McGovern: The 1960 Senate Election” by Gerald Lange; with note from Lange to McGovern dated April 25, 1988]

LI – LZ Miscellaneous Correspondence

Masons

Mayo Clinic Report

McAfee, Bill – Cases 1987

McGovern, George – 1875 Conn. Office

McGovern Committee

Memberships, Sponsorships 1982

Methodist Church on Issues

Middle East – Declaration of Peace

Middle East Report – MERIP

William Morris Agency 1983 – 84

Mortgage & Insurance Summary

Moller, Eric

Morical, Lee

Mott Party for '84 Fund 11/10/86

Mott, Stewart Rawlings

Munich Students

Miscellaneous Clippings

MA – MB Miscellaneous Correspondence

MC Miscellaneous Correspondence

MD – MZ Miscellaneous Correspondence

Nader, Ralph

Nader's Raiders

National Alliance of Senior Citizens

National Association of Arab Americans

National Commission for Economic Conversion & Disarmament [#1]

National Commission for Economic Conversion & Disarmament [#2]

National Conservative Political Action Committee

National Indian Food & Nutrition Resource Center

National Pro-Life PAC

Nemmers Letter

New Orleans University

The New Right: The Politics of Negativism in SD

New York Times

## **Box 7A**

Nixon, Richard [includes chronology of Watergate scandal]

Northwestern University

Northwestern University Course – 1981 Personal

Notes/List of Names

Nunn, Sam

N Miscellaneous Correspondence

O'Brien, Conor Cruise, on Middle East and Israel

Onassis, Jackie

Oppenheimer, Harry

Organizing notes March 1983

Ostendorf, Berndt

O Miscellaneous Correspondence

P.A.C. Correspondence Misc. 1988, 1992

Panama – Latin America Trip December 1977

Panama – July 4<sup>th</sup> Emergency Committee for Justice in Panama

Pantheon Books – (Jim Peck)

Parker Gallery

PAX World Foundation

Photos of 2029 (Goodlife Magazine)

Picture Peace

Playgirl Spoof on McG

Political - 1984

Presidential Life

Presidential Life Insurance Plan 1986

Presidents – Bush, George

Presidents – Carter, Jimmy

Presidents – Eisenhower, Dwight

Presidents – Ford, Gerald

Presidents – Jackson, Andrew

Presidents – Jefferson, Thomas

Presidents – Kennedy, John F.

Presidents – Lincoln, Abraham

Presidents – Roosevelt, F. D.

Presidents – Washington, George

Press Clips 1980 & Prior

Press Clips 1981 [2 folders]

Press Clips 1983

Press Clips 1984

Press Clips 1985 – 1986

Press Clips 1987

Press Clips 1988

Press Lists

**Box 7B**

Press Releases

1981

1980

1979

1978

Princeton University Papers 1981

Pritikin Foundation

Privileges Available to Former Sen.[ator]

Pubantz, Larry

Publishers- letters, bills, etc.

Publishers – Royalties, Contracts (1980)

Puerto Rico Friends

PA – PE miscellaneous

PF – PZ Miscellaneous

Questions for Pres. Candidates Wives.  
Quotes

Q Miscellaneous Correspondence (empty)

Raskin, Marcus

Renault Automobile

Rohatyn, Felix G.

Running for President {1972, speech file}

Russian Trip, Aug. 1977

R Miscellaneous Correspondence

Sagan, Carl

Saudi Arabia Trip

Save Lebanon Letter , March 1983

Schedules 1987

(Loose) Schedules 1986-1985

Schedules 1984

(Loose) Schedule 1982

Schedules 1981

Schedules 1980

Schell, Jonathan

Schlesinger, Arthur, Jr.

Segal, Jerome

Senate Campaign 1980 [3 folders]

**Box 7C**

Senate Campaign – 1980

Senate Campaign – Fundraising

1980 Campaign – Personal

Sheehan, Lloyd

Sheinbaum, Stanley

Shriver, Sargent

Shuman, Michael

Skyhouse sale to Jerry Milner 1987 (Unopened envelope. Left as is)

Smith, Carol and Jim

Somalia materials for NBC taping March 25, 1981.

South Dakota Cultural Heritage

South Dakota Thinking 1976

100 Decisions of Destiny South Dakota Centennial newspaper (loose)

South Dakota - Mount Rushmore 50

Southern Poverty Law Center (Removed copy of a check from Sargent Shriver for 50 dollars)

Soviet Union trip July/August 1984

St. Johns College

Stamps

Stan Musial Society

Stanford University

Stanton, Elizabeth Cady

Stavrianos, L. S.

SA – SE miscellaneous correspondence

SF – SS Miscellaneous Correspondence

ST – SE Miscellaneous

Taiwan

Technocracy, Inc.

TRAVEL – Holland American Lines

Travel Articles – overseas

Travel Articles – US

Innsbruck and Leaders Tour

TRAVEL – Ireland Trip

TRAVEL – Vistafjord cruise Honolulu to Melbourne 1/11-28/87

Travel 1988

TRAVEL HELPS – Hotels, Restaurants, Spots, etc. (Unopened envelopes, left as is.)  
Loose travel schedule for June 3-16, 1986 and Christ Church Cathedral brochure.

Misc. notes on Innsbruck Summer, 1985

Travel Schedules, 1/82 – 6/83

Travel Brochures (loose) Princess cruises and Guide 1986 Relais & Chateaux

Treedom Foundation, Inc

## **Box 8**

T Miscellaneous Correspondence

United Media [includes small photo – headshot of McGovern – late 1980s?]

United Media Columns – Copies

United Media Columns – Handwritten

United Media Columns – Handwritten Jan. – June 1988

United Nations Development Programme

U Miscellaneous Correspondence

V Miscellaneous Correspondence

Wallace, Henry, George McGovern and the Social Gospel – Student Paper [by Hank Sennott, 1982; he got an A-]

Warranties – Sears, RCA, etc., 1981 – 1983

Washington Post – Op Eds and Letters to Editor

Welfare Policy in America

Wilson, Gladys, Bequest

Woodland, Woody

World Travel

W Miscellaneous Correspondence

XYZ Miscellaneous Correspondence

Miscellaneous correspondence 1989

**SERIES TWO: 1971 – 1972 Campaign.** Political research, issues papers, speeches, press releases, clippings, travel documents, schedules, etc.

**Box 9**

Clips to Read

Correspondence 1971-1972

Day Book

[Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin Trip Book]

Iowa McGovern

Jan. Trips

Judy H [#1]

Judy H [#2]

Judy H [#3]

Judy's Copies Misc. National [#1]

Judy's Copies Misc. National [#2]

Judy's Copies McGovern National

McGovern-Shriver News Service. September 6, 1972

New York Times and the Daily Iowan October 26, 1972

Clippings and News papers 1971-1972

Eleanor Clippings 1972

Chicago Newspapers November 3, 1972

## **Box 10**

McGovern [#1] [articles & clippings]

McGovern [#2] [articles & clippings]

McGovern National [#1] [articles & clippings]

McGovern National [#2] [articles & clippings]

[Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, New Mexico] [#1]

[Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, New Mexico] [#2]

New Mexico Trip Book Nov. 24

Texas Trip Book August 12 – 13, 1971

Wisconsin [#1]

Wisconsin [#2]

Wisconsin McGovern [#1] [articles & clippings]

Wisconsin McGovern [#2] [articles & clippings]

Wisconsin-Minnesota-Iowa Dec. 1-2-3-4, 1971 [#1]

Wisconsin-Minnesota-Iowa Dec. 1-2-3-4, 1971 [#2]

**SERIES THREE: Speeches, lectures, articles and other presentations, ca. 1956 – 1979.** Research materials, notes, drafts, venue information, correspondence, travel and related material.

### **Box 11**

McGovern Speech Notes

My Speeches

McGovern Articles (Cuba, World Opinion, Dissertation, etc.)

Key Speeches By Others

McGovern Speeches Reading

McGovern Articles (Cuba, World Opinion, etc.)

Rice Legislation

McGovern Speeches

[Research materials for book project: “Great Speeches of the United States Senate”]

[Panama]

Philippines

Senegal

Somalia

Sudan

Tanzania

Upper Volta

Zaire

deHaan, Tinker, Caper Jan.-Feb. '75 Africa & Asia

Dr. David French Jan.-Feb. '75

Mr. James Grant Jan.-Feb. '75

Mr. Wells Klein Jan.-Feb. '75

Dr. Michael C. Latham Jan.-Feb. '75 Africa

Dr. Wiley Henry Mosley Jan.-Feb. '75 Asia

Dr. John Rodhe Jan.-Feb. '75 Asia

Dr. Nevin Scrimshaw Jan.-Feb. '75 Asia

Dr. Eugene B. Skolnikoff Jan.-Feb. '75 Asia

Africa-Asia Report 1975

CDC Survey on Sahel: 1975

New Crops for So. Dak. via Irrigation Aberdeen – May 3, 1963

McGovern Speeches – 3/26/63 – Ind. Bankers Conv.

American Agriculture in a Changing World – Ind. Bankers New Orleans 3/26/63

Speech Notes, McGovern Speech Reading

“The Importance of One Vote” Women’s Press Club, Jan. 9, 1963 Washington, D.C.

The Urgent Need for Conversion Planning Leadership Conference, Wash., D.C. April 23, 1964

Speech Notes, 1956 Campaign to 1960 – Primarily on Citizenship, Two-Party Government

1964 Campaign, Basic Speech 1964

Military Spending Reductions: An Opportunity, Not a Catastrophe Floor Remarks, Dec. 13, 1963

Parkston, South Dakota Dinner October 14, 1964

The Case for the Democratic Party Economic Club of Southwestern Michigan St. Joseph, Michigan Oct. 16, 1964

McCook County Mentally Retarded Association Salem, South Dakota Oct. 20, 1964

Christian Citizenship Responsibilities Sermon, St. Matthew's Episcopal Ch. Rapid City, S.D. October 25, 1964

Educators for Johnson (Speech Notes) Cincinnati, Ohio October 27, 1964

Farmers Union Grain Terminal Assn. St. Paul, Minnesota November 19, 1964

Speech Requests – Pending

[“Wheat in 1964” Annual Convention of the National Wheatgrowers Association Amarillo, Texas Jan. 9, 1964]

New Perspectives in American Security Floor Speech – August 2, 1963

June 18, 1979 S7841 McGovern Remarks, SALT II, DOE Military Applications

June 18, 1979 S7892 McGovern Introduces Nuclear Waste Amdt to NRC Authorization

[Speeches – Miscellaneous] [2 folders]

**SERIES FOUR: Stratford Inn, ca. 1988 – 1991.** Articles, drafts, notes, correspondence and other material related to the Stratford Inn and the Stratford Forums.

## **Box 12**

1990 Phone Messages – Sen. McGovern

Telephone Messages – Sen. McGovern 1989

Washington Post Article 3/1/90

Washington Post Article 8/29/90

Newspaper & Magazine Articles – Sen. McGovern 1989

USA Today Article 4/3/90

Wall Street Journal Article 2/14/90

New York Times (Innkeeper Article) 9/3/89

People Magazine Article 4/90

The Providence Sunday Journal 5/20/90

Miami Herald/Boston Globe Article 11/29/89

Network Magazine of Nashua March 1990

Los Angeles Times Article 3/2/90

The Herald – 3/29/90 Debate with Wm. Buckley

The Hour – Norwalk, CT 12/7/90

Lodging Magazine/July-Aug. 1990

The Bridgeport Post 3/7/90

Fairpress Article Norwalk, CT 6/14/90

The Guardian Article 3/14/90

Biography

Newspaper & Mag. Articles About Sen. McGovern – 1990 [includes article by Ann Compton – Eleanor's ancestors lived in Stratford/Milford area during the 1600s, and one was hung as a witch]

Miscellaneous – Sen. McGovern

Mail Lists – Media

Correspondence – Sen. McGovern Forum: Sept. 30, 1990 Speaker: Senator McGovern

Stratford Forums – Committee Info

1<sup>st</sup> Stratford Forum/Held 11/12/89

2<sup>nd</sup> STFD Inn Forum 1/28/90

2<sup>nd</sup> Stratford Forum/Held 1/28/90

3<sup>rd</sup> Stratford Forum/Held 2/25/90 Prof. Seymour Melman

4<sup>th</sup> Stratford Forum/Held 3/25/90 Dr. Ernst Wynder

5<sup>th</sup> Stratford Forum/4/29/90 Arthur Schlesinger, speaker

6<sup>th</sup> Stratford Forum/5/27/90 William F. Buckley, speaker

Forum: Jan. 27, 1991 Speaker: Forum cancelled

Sunday Forum: 12/2/90 Speaker: Kenneth Galbraith

Forum: Oct. 28, 1990 Speaker: Sergei Sikorsky

Foreign Policy Lecture

The Economy Lecture

### **Box 13**

Forum Names & Addresses – In the Computer [A – G]

Forum Names & Addresses – In the Computer [H – N]

Forum Names & Addresses – In the Computer [O – Z]

[Stratford Inn – Miscellaneous] [2 folders]

**SERIES FIVE: Publications, ca. 1970 – 2000.** Research material, drafts, manuscripts, notes, correspondence, proofs and promotional material associated with two monographs.

### **Box 14**

McGovern, George S. and Leonard F. Guttridge. *The Great Coalfield War*. Boston: Houghton Mifflin, 1972. [Book was published before the 1972 election. There are 8 folders of material; includes photos, film, and negatives.]

McGovern, George S. *The Third Freedom; Ending Hunger in Our Time*. New York: Simon & Schuster, 2001.

**SERIES SIX: Miscellaneous, ca. 1943 – 2000.** Assembled here is material that could not be assigned to any category, including items that arrived separately or appeared loose in packing containers. Included are financial, biographical and insurance information,

clippings, reprints, magazine articles, covers, texts, drafts of speeches, publications and other various items.

**Box 15** – Miscellaneous material

[Biography – Eleanor McGovern] [2 pages]

[Campaign photography by Diana Mara Henry, freelance photographer] [resume, McGovern campaign literature that includes her photos]

[Clippings – By and About McGovern, Misc.]

[Clippings File – August – October 1989]

[Correspondence – Miscellaneous]

[Cuba cartoon]

[Delegate information]

[“The Dream Time” – by Mark Winheld]

[Financial – Miscellaneous]

[Fire Damage at 2029 Connecticut Ave. N.W. – 1983]

[Germany – Miscellaneous]

[“Great Smoky Mountains: The Story Behind the Scenery”]

[Invitations to Oct. 4, 1981 Housewarming Party] [3 folders]

[“The Leadership Crisis and the Constitutional Remedy” by Senator George McGovern]

McGovern, George – Army File [2 folders]

McGovern Military Record (Citation, etc.) [ca. 1943-1975]

[McGovern Staff Lists]

[Negatives and photograph of a baby, origin unknown]

[“New Politics and Old Values” New England Life Forum Jan. 22, 1976 Boston – Address by Sen. McGovern]

[“The New Republic” – July 22, 1972]

[Personal Photographs – McGovern with Lions] (Germany)

[Photo – McGovern in a Field] (Campaign Staff Photo)

[Reception at DWU honoring George & Eleanor McGovern and celebrating “Grassroots”]

[“Reliable Source” – 3 issues: July 9, 1972; July 10, 1972; July 11, 1972]

[Second International Conference on War on Hunger – Pictorial Highlights – February 20, 1968]

[Terry McGovern News Clippings]

[“Tikkun” v. 6, no. 4, July/August 1991]

[Various notes, clippings, schedules, etc.]

[Vietnam]

[Vietnam Trip – 1965]

[World Food Conference materials – Senator George McGovern’s copies]

[World War II – McGovern Quote]

**Box 15B** – Miscellaneous material (Items in this box were part of an attempt to interfile a large box of unorganized material. Financial Materials are sealed due to privacy and personal information. Please ask the archivist for more information)

Liberalism

List of McGovern Speeches – 1989

Luncheon for Bahrain Foreign Minister – 1989

China Times Articles

Speeches (Loose in Box) 1989, notes.

The Time Dollar by Edgar S. Cahn, The Nation 13 February, 1989

Day Planner 1988

In Everlasting Remembrance – Terry McGovern

Map of Washington, D.C. with annotations

Financial Files

**Box 16** – Miscellaneous material

[Clippings – 1961]

[Clippings – Miscellaneous]

[DWU Files – Articles & Clippings] [5 folders]

[DWU Files – Campaign-related]

[DWU Files – Correspondence]

[DWU Files – Letters from the Office of Senator George McGovern]

[DWU Files – Miscellaneous]

[DWU Files – Phreno Cosmian articles] [1943, 1945, 1971]

[DWU Files – Phreno Cosmian editorial]

[DWU Files – Publications re: McGovern – Misc.]

[“International Affairs Review” – Winter 1995 – v. 4, no. 1 – Interview with George McGovern]

[“Newsweek” – December 27, 1971]

[“Newsweek” – 6 issues – May 1, 1972 – July 24, 1972]

[“Newsweek” – 6 issues – July 8, 1974 – August 12, 1974]

[“Newsweek” – 5 issues – August 19, 1974 – September 16, 1974]

[“Time” – July 15, 1974]

## **SERIES SEVEN: Donations**

### **Box 17**

Files donated August 2003 by Donald F. Tucker, who was campaign director for the State of Michigan in the 1972 primary, and campaign director for the State of Connecticut in the general election, for George McGovern's 1972 presidential campaign. There are also some materials from the Illinois Primary. The collection primary comprises of paper materials with some ephemera. Additionally, there are 10 reel to reel audio tapes and two slide shows, one on film strip and another on slides. Reel to reel audio is housed with the rest of the AV materials.

Gary Hart Election Organization Handbook- 1972

National Sabotage Handbook, Election Day 1972

Connecticut Campaign Staff

National Staff Lists

McGovern National Staff Home Addresses

Connecticut Staff Home Addresses

[Campaign Materials]

Cadell Connecticut Poll, September 1972

“Work to Win” National Labor Newsletter

McGovern on Ireland

The O'Brien Letter

Democratic National Chairman – 1972-

Press Clippings – National

1972 Democratic National Platform

McGovern on the Issues

McGovern Defense Plan

National Campaign Brochures – McGovern 1972

Telephone Canvas Operation

Nixon v. McGovern Record

National Campaign Tabloids McGovern 1972

Connecticut Election Day Handbook 1972

McGovern Position Book

[Campaign Ephemera]

[Campaign Stationary and Promotional Materials]

[McGovern Fundraising Cartoon]

[Billboard Poster: "For the People: Vote Democratic November 7<sup>th</sup>"]

[Illinois Primary Letters – 1972]

[My Turn: Richard Dougherty "The Sneaky Bumbler" Newsweek . 8 January, 1972]

[Connecticut Campaign Stops]

["Come Home America" (Song) and "What's good for the country is G.M."]

[52 Reasons McGovern Must Be Defeated]

[Endorsements]

[Dennis in Hamtramck by Joseph Alsop]

"McGovern '72: A Public Plan for Peace" script (Item numbers: 2007.02.011 and 2007.02.012)

[Schedule - - Senator George McGovern, Michigan] (May 14<sup>th</sup>, 1972)

Democrats in Convention Convention Newsletter

Michigan Primary District Coor[dinator].

Connecticut Labor for McGovern

Michigan Primary State Staff

Michigan Primary Resumes

Michigan Primary Student Organ[ization]

Connecticut Budget

**Box 18**

Correspondence Dean Cummins Outgoing/Connecticut.

Fundraising Material For Sale – 1972

Personal Notes from Fundraising Letters

Fundraising Press Clips

Connecticut & Michigan Thank You Letters

Faculty Fundraising Letters

Michigan Direct Mail Fundraising

McGovern Fundraising Handbooks

Illinois Cong[ressional]. Dist[ri]ct. Info.

Michigan State Convention Delegate Selection Process

Tucker Outgoing Letters Michigan Primary 1972

Illinois Primary Info.

The “Best” Petition – 1972

Printed Campaign Brochures Michigan Primary

Michigan Primary News Releases – 1972

Tucker Incoming letters Michigan Primary 1972

Press Clippings – Michigan

Fight for Michigan Primary 1972

Michigan McGovern Budgets & Reports, Spring 1972

McGovern Background Info National Convention

Staff Instructions – 1972 Democratic National Conv.[ention]

The Informed Delegate '72 National Delegate Newsletter

National Credentials Fight, Miami, 1972

Michigan McGovern Delegate Newsletter – Miami, 1972

National Convention Delegates Computer Profile – 1972

Connecticut Direct Mail Fundraising

National Direct Mail Fundraising

National Convention Delegates Michigan – 1972

Connecticut Pamphlets

Connecticut News Releases

Campaign Memorandum

Election Day Operation

McGovern Fireside Memo

McGovern National Memos

Connecticut Demographics & Statistics

McGovern Telethon

Tucker Out-going Letters Connecticut – 1972

Connecticut Events – 1972

Connecticut Democratic Party Organization

Connecticut Voter Registration Handbook – 1972

[Congressional Record: October 23, 1973 “Making America Safe for Democracy” and a Statement to the New York Times]

[Democratic National Committee Commission on Party Structure...]

[Illinois Campaign Workers (?)]

[Button Order Forms (2) 1972]

National Press Releases (2 folders)

**Box 19:**

Richard Marano worked on George McGovern's 1984 campaign for president a state coordinator in Connecticut. Since then, he has written a book on the 1984 nomination process and continues to collect McGovern materials. This is material was donated by Richard Marano over a period of time. Many of the items are photocopies.

This series contains five subseries, McGovern, Articles and Excerpts, Marano, Photographs, and Ephemera.

McGovern:

1956 Thank You Card

1956 Congressional Campaign Brochures

"Elect George McGovern your U.S. Congressman" 1958

"Mundt Votes Against the People" and "George McGovern can do more for you..." – McGovern Campaign Brochures 1960

Reservation Card – June 8, 1963

"The Kind of Man He is" 1972

Campaign Materials, 1972

Anti- McGovern Piece "'Peace' Warrior"

McGovern Connecticut Campaign Materials

McGovern Connecticut Campaign Materials – 1972

McGovern on Women's Rights – May 30, 1972

Letter to Democrats – October 9, 1972

1972 Campaign issue papers

McGovern and Daley – Michigan 1972

McGovern Rallies – October 1972

1972 Political Cartoons

McGovern \$1000 bill

McGovern for President Campaign Broadsheet

1984 Democratic Candidates at Dartmouth College, January 14, 1984

Campaign Materials – 1984 Presidential Election

Connecticut Coordinators – 1984 Campaign

George Cunningham Letter, August 1984

McGovern Image 1972, and Convention Crier July 15, 1992.

#### Articles and Excerpts

“Keynoter” – Photocopied articles – Winter 1982 – Volume 82, number 4 – Interview with George McGovern; Information on campaign buttons.

Excerpt: “The Politics of Rock Music” by John Orman

Honor Due Sen. George McGovern, New Haven Register

“Trashing Candidates” by George McGovern – New York Times May 11, 1983

#### Marano Sub-Series

“  
Vote your Conscience” Manuscript

Letter of Recommendation for Marano from George McGovern – September 1984

Interview of Richard Marano, Connecticut McGovern Coordinator, February 28, 1984

Letter to the Nobel Committee by Rich Marano – October 1, 2005

“Vote Your Conscience” reviews and other materials

Richard Marano and George McGovern Library Dedication, October 6, 2006

## Photographs

85<sup>th</sup> Birthday/35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary reunion honoring George McGovern, July 13-14, 2007

McGovern and Bill Clinton Image

Picture of George McGovern, November 1965 by Randy Boyd of the South

Dakota Young Democrats

George McGovern Images - 1972

McGovern with Robert "Woody" Woodland, New Hampshire State Headquarters, 1984

August 17, 1962 – President Kennedy Visits the Oahe Dam

McGovern Photos

Photograph - Pittsburgh, Summer 1972

Castro and McGovern

## Ephemera

Buttons

1968 McGovern Envelope

McGovern Bumper Stickers

## **Boxes 20-21**

Donated by Judy Harrington in November 2004, this collection includes campaign material photos, slides, clippings, buttons, bumper stickers, flyers, posters, brochures, etc. ca. 1968-1980.

## **Box 20**

News Letters

Campaign Issue Sheets

Posters and Decals

Bumper Stickers

Watergate News Clippings – '74 Campaign Binder

1980 Primary News clippings

Nemmers Clippings

McGovern Recognition News Clippings, Argus Leader 1980 & 1981

Hubert H. Humphrey News Clippings

Lit Drop

Mailings

Flyers

Buttons and Lapel Tags

Ads

Miscellaneous (2 folders)

Nixon and Watergate

Summer Surveys

Case Days

Politics – McGovern – '72

Wis. Primary '72

'72 Misc(ellaneous)

Old Campaign Miscellaneous

Election Results 1960-1962

Politics – Pres. '76

Politics

Politics – Kennedy

Politics – McGovern

Politics – Stickers

Politics – Vietnam

Politics – Nixon

Politics – Humphrey 9/16/72

Community Representatives (15 folders)

1974 (4 folders)

**Box 21**

1980

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1980 Debate 8/23/79

1980 – Entertainers

Petition Drive '72, '74, '80.

1980 -- Presidency

Polls

GM Voting Record (% of votes)

Return Labels – McGovern 1980

'80 Palm Cards

1980 Election Day List

Speeches (3 folders)

Clippings

Ready to File '79

Articles – Pre-80 Campaign

Surrogate Releases

Media

Letters Done

Field – Monthly Reports, June '80

Mailings July '80

Black Hills Lit Drop

#5 October 1980

#4 November '80

#3 December '80

[Election Day Manual – '80]

[Precinct Victory '72]

[McGovern Canvass: A Study in Interpersonal Political Campaign Communication]

[The Democrats: 1980 Democratic National Convention]

[The New Right: A Growing Force in State Politics]

[The Public Record of George McGovern]

[George McGovern: South Dakota Thinking]

Election Results Clippings

Miscellaneous

Press photographs and Slides

## Photographs:

These came to the collection in albums, notebooks, bundles, boxes, file folders and other aggregations. All were sorted into acid-free folders in standard file drawers. The titles of groups of photos are taken from the original labels. These are generally accurate and descriptive, but some groups contain a few photos of other subjects. The entire collection is open for research access; duplication of some images may be restricted. Occasional miscellaneous items are filed with the photos, including clippings and memoranda. The list that follows includes folder labels with occasional content notes, quantity of images and file drawer location.

<u>Folder label</u>	<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Drawer</u>
Food for Peace 1961-62	1-97	1-A
Food for Peace World Tour 1962	1-133	1-A
Congress 1957-60	1-214	1-A
Photos of Senator 1956-62	1-61	1-B
Photos of McGovern 1963-	1-44	1-B
McGovern LBJ related 1962-65	1-40	1-B
U.S. Senate 1963-64	1-205	1-B
U.S. Senate 1965	1-143	2-A
Rome FAO Mtg McG Dinner December 1965	1-50	2-A
McGovern growing up. Campaign officials, workers etc. General campaigning.	<u>MGU</u> 1-33	2-A
Vietnam Trip. December 1965. Photos of McGovern.	<u>VTD</u> 1-180	2-A
Vietnam Trip. December 1965. (Misc.)	<u>VTM</u> 1-323	2-B
U.S. Senate 1966	<u>USS</u> 1-68	2-B
1967	1-82	2-B
Fall '67 & Jan. '68	<u>FSJ</u> 1-59	3-A
1968 photographs	<u>'68</u> 1-142	3-A

Contact proofs 1968 photos	<u>CPN</u>	1-116	3-A
January-December 1969	<u>JDN</u>	1-91	3-A
McGovern Misc. 1960's	<u>MMN</u>	1-129	3-B
Photographs 1970	<u>PNS</u>	1-100	3-B
McGovern Misc. Photos Pre 1971	<u>MMP</u>	1-93	3-B
Photos 1970-1971	<u>PNN</u>	1-60	3-B
Photographs 1970-71	<u>PHN</u>	1-204	4-A
Joe Crawford contacts. Mostly '72 some '71	<u>JCC</u>	1-132	4-A
Shriver. Early Senate Years. McGovern w/ Elderly	<u>SES</u>	1-137	4-A
McG & VIP's	<u>MAV</u>	1-29	4-A
McGovern w/ VIP's	<u>MWV</u>	1-40	4-A
Contacts & McGovern w/ workers	<u>CAM</u>	1-125	4-B
McGovern w/ VIP's. McGovern w/ people. McGovern w/ farmers	<u>MVP</u>	1-120	4-B
McGovern Alone	<u>MGA</u>	1-106	4-B
Eleanor McGovern and family. Campaign 1972	<u>EMA</u>	1-162	4-B
Campaign 1972 photos	<u>CNP</u>	1-500 501-831	5-A 5-B
Contact Sheets. Proofs. 1972	<u>CSP</u>	1-100 101-619	5-B 7-B
Photographs 1974	<u>1974</u>	1-93	6-A
Photographs 1976	<u>1976</u>	1-90	6-A
S.D. Water Conference – Misc. Photos 1976	<u>SDW</u>	1-65	6-A
Vietnam Trip – India. Photographs 1976. Demo Convention	<u>VTI</u>	1-135	6-A

Photographs – 1977	<u>1977</u>	1-101	6-A
Photographs 1978-1979	<u>1978</u>	1-326	6-B
Pictures 1979-1980	<u>1979</u>	1-137	6-B
Photographs 1980	<u>1980</u>	1-152	7-A
[McGovern photos – misc. – were with McGovern papers] [covers numerous years, topics, and settings, and includes 1980s] [MPM 201-433 are contact prints]	<u>MPM</u>	1-250 251-433	7-A 8-A
[Misc. 1972 photos, Cuba photos, headshots] [includes many other years, trips, Rapid City flood]	<u>MNP</u>	1-300 301-591	8-A 8-B
[Photographs of Eleanor & George - misc.]	<u>PEG</u>	1-92	9-A
[1972 Campaign – Labor-related]	<u>NCL</u>	1-10	9-A
[Michael Lloyd Carlebach negatives of McGovern campaign for <i>Time</i> magazine – 7 containers]			10-A
[Negative strips #1]			10-A
[Negative strips #2]			10-A

**NOTES:** The folder titles were taken verbatim from the photograph albums and binders. When no binder or label existed, a descriptive title was supplied and placed in brackets. The underlined initialisms and abbreviations are shortened versions of the labels. The abbreviations were used to facilitate labeling the file folders.

Duplicate copies of photos are filed together in the same folders when possible; however, multiple copies of some popular photos are spread throughout the collection.

**Slides:**

1972 campaign slide show consisting of 80 slides and accompanying information; donated by Prof. Lee Hartman January 2003. “McGovern ’72: A Public Plan for Peace”

## Videos:

Eye on KELOland: Doug Lund Interview of George McGovern

George McGovern Clips:

1. Receiving the medal of freedom
2. News shot with medal in CU.
3. Al Neuharth says nice things.

Kendall, Kathleen. "Primaries: The Defining Battle in New Hampshire" University of Maryland

McGovern Library Dedication – KDLT

Sen. George McGovern #01

Sen. George McGovern #02

Sen. George McGovern #3

Terry's Story (2-22-95) and Home Video.

Tom Knock Interviews

Tom Knock is writing a biography of George McGovern and interviewed McGovern over a period of several days in 2003. There are 3 versions of the tapes, Digital Tapes, VHS tapes and Transcripts of the tapes.

A1 & A2 corresponds to Digital Tapes 1 and 2

3 corresponds to tape 3

4A corresponds to Tape 4

4B corresponds to tape 4

5A corresponds to tape 5

5B corresponds to tape 5

6A corresponds to tape 6

6B corresponds to tape 6

7 corresponds to tape 7

8 corresponds to tape 8

9A corresponds to tape 9

9B corresponds to tape 9.

White House – Tape 2 Award Ceremony 8/9/00. Frank Frost Productions. (Betacam SP)

“Dakota Wesleyan University: A Campaign for the George McGovern Library” [ca. 1998]

“A Campaign for the George McGovern Library” [ca. 1998]

“Tribute to Former Senator George McGovern” – recorded April 8, 1997 – set of 3 videos purchased from C-SPAN; not yet cataloged – in Karen’s office

George McGovern at Dakota Wesleyan University – 1994

The George and Eleanor McGovern Library and Center for Public Service [ca. 2001]

“McGovern 8/9/00 White House 2 Award Ceremony” c2000 Frank Frost Productions, Inc. [Beta]

“Senator George S. McGovern: Reagan and the Liberal Alternative,” Fairfield University (Connecticut), March 2, 1982; donated by Richard Marano

“1984 Democratic Presidential Primary Debate: Democratic Presidential Primary Debate March 11, 1984,” donated by Richard Marano

Stephen Ambrose and George McGovern at Dakota Wesleyan University, August 16, 2001, discussing “The Wild Blue” and World War II

CNN – “Capital Gang” – August 25, 2001, c2002

CNN – Aaron Brown interview of George McGovern about book “The Wild Blue,” aired January 7, 2002

Infomercial with Bob Dole and George McGovern for “Hunters in the Sky” video series

CNBC interview of George McGovern, August 1, 2002

Larry King interview of George McGovern, aired November 5, 2002

“Sentimental Journey – A Tribute to George and Eleanor McGovern” created by Laurie Langland and Rod Brown for the South Dakota Democratic Party’s first McGovern Day Dinner, April 20, 2002, at the Corn Palace in Mitchell

“Legends of Airpower: George McGovern”

**DVDs, CDs, and Radio addresses**

Bertini Address and Panel 11-21-02 McGovern Conference (Digital Tape)

Caporale – California Speeches (CD)

Caporale – Tapes to CD (3 CDs)

Caporale – Tapes - Original.

GDA Productions – Museum DVDs

George McGovern @ SD Democratic Convention, 2008.

*The George and Eleanor McGovern Library and Center for Public Service [fundraising video]*

“In Their Own Words” War Birds in Review. (DVD)

McGovern Copies- Steve Vittoria’s tapes

McGovern DVD copies of Steve Vittoria’s tapes. (DVD)

McGovern Radio Spots 2. (CD)

SDPB. Dakota Pathways: A History Episode #115 “Finding a National Voice” (DVD)

SDPB. “South Dakota Focus: George McGovern” #1106. October 27, 2005. (DVD)

Vittoria, Stephen. “One Bright Shining Moment.” (DVD)

Wait, Wait, Don’t Tell Me! – September 25, 2008 Sioux Falls.

WUNC. “The Story with Dick Gordon: Congress V. The President” May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2007. (CD)

**Audio Material:**

A-V CASS. 082 – “Charles Guggenheim – 12/29/74

A-V SLP 911 – “The Inaugural addresses of George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, Abraham Lincoln [and] Theodore Roosevelt” [33 1/3 rpm disk; 1967]