## City of Aurora, Petitions, 1949-1971

## **Collection Summary**

Title: City of Aurora, Petitions, 1949-1971

Collection Group: City of Aurora, Petitions, etc... (current listed dates 1953 to 1967)

**Dates:** 1949 to 1971

Location: Archives BB5

**Quantity:** One folder

**Abstract:** Citizens may present petitions to the City of Aurora upon collection of a certain number of signatures from citizens of the city of legal voting age. Petitions in this collection general address issues of street safety, noise, recreational and civic facilities, and residential land use and zoning.

**Arrangement:** It is unclear when the petitions were first organized. These files are being separated from other municipal files, and re-organized in 2013 using the dates and order previously used. The petitions are maintained in one series.

#### **Contents**

#### **Series and Subseries**

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#### Series 1:

Folder 1: Install traffic signals at Fulton or Florence Street, 1946

Submitted by the Aurora PTA and endorsed by the Aurora Teacher's Association

Folder 2: Ordinance for Vacating Part of Colfax Square, 1949

Submitted by the Cluff family and heirs

Folder 3: Raise pay for Mayor and City Council, 1953

Organized by the Tax Payer's and Voter's Committee

Folder 4: Miscellaneous, 1955

Three separate petitions on land use between Peoria and Oswego Streets at 22 and 23<sup>rd</sup>, stop signs on Nome and 17th, and opening Macon St between East Colfax and 13<sup>th</sup>.

Folder 5: Posting of Restricted Parking Signs, 1954

Residential neighborhood near Lowry Air Force Base, from Yosemite to Beeler

Folder 6: Repeal Ordinance #843 Occupation Permit, 1963

Folder 7: Against sign erecting, Fisk Store at 333 Havana, prior to 1964

Undated, using note on file

Folder 8: Ice Skating Rink in Hoffman Heights or Del Mar Heights, 1963

Folder 9: Florence Gardens Water District maintenance, 1964

Maintenance contract with City of Aurora voided by members of district

Folder 10: Post Office for Aurora, 1964

Folder 11: Condition Drainage Ditch in Morris Heights

Undated, maintaining order in files

**Folder 12:** Objection to Go-Cart track north of 6<sup>th</sup> Ave, 1964

Folder 13: Request for Tennis Courts in Del Mar Park, 1968

Folder 14: Request for speed limit reduction, traffic light, etc on Chambers Rd, 1968

Submitted by Chambers Heights, La Vista, and East Aurora residents

Folder 15: Request City to buy land of 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave and east of Peoria for Park

Submitted by the Aurora Women's Club, Conservation Committee

Folder 16: Motor Cycles etc San Creek, 1969

Includes 16 Polaroids of Sand Creek Park

Folder 17: Roberts-Boryla Property, opposing B-4 zoning between Sable and Chambers Rd

south of East Colfax

Folder 18: For proposed annexation and zoning change by Green and Brown, 1970

For land at E. Quincy and Smoky Hill Road, proposed high-density housing

Folder 19: Save Crawford School

Folder 20: Close streets to Buckingham Square, 1971

#### Additional items in other collections:

Archives B: City of Aurora, Petitions, etc (1953-1967), BA3

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