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An Inventory of Its Campaign Finance Files, Constitutional Ballot Questions

OVERVIEW OF THE RECORDS

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SCOPE AND CONTENTS OF THE RECORDS

Reports of receipts and expenditures of political funds (category 21) and by political committees (category 22) in support of or opposition to proposed amendments to the state constitution that were voted on in state general elections. These files were created under the board's predecessor, the Ethical Practices Board (1975-1997).

These files are purged periodically from the active files maintained by the board.

ARRANGEMENT OF THE RECORDS

There is a separate file for each committee or fund, arranged first by year(s), thereunder by file number assigned as each new file is opened.

OTHER FINDING AIDS

The board maintains a card index to the files.

INDEX TERMS

These records are indexed under the following headings in the catalog of the Minnesota Historical Society. Researchers desiring materials about related topics, persons or places should search the catalog using these headings.

Topics:

Campaign funds—Minnesota.
Monitoring.

Places:

Minnesota—Constitutional law—Amendments—1981-.

Organizations:

Minnesota. State Ethical Practices Board.

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DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE COLLECTION

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1980-1983 terminations:

Political Funds (Category 21):

210001: League of Women Voters of Minnesota [Ballot Issues Fund].

210002: Common Cause/Minnesota Reapportionment Commission Political Fund.

210003: Yes on One Political Committee.

210006: Minnesota Racing Association.

210007: Upper Midwest Horse Racing Association.

210008: GMAE Social Concerns Committee for Constitutional Amendment.

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Political Committees (Category 22):

- 220003: Amendment No. 3 Support Committee.
- 220004: Rock County Citizens Against Amendment No. 4.
- 220005: Citizens for Pari-Mutuel Betting.
- 220006: Appeals Court – Vote Yes Committee (Inc.).
- 220007: Amendment No. 2 in '82.
- 220009: Constitutional Amendment No. 4 Committee.

1985 terminations:

- 21-0004: Labor and Farmers United.
- 22-0011: Organization for Adequate Shelter in St. Paul [OASIS].

1988 terminations:

Category 21:

- 21-0007: Minnesota Farm Bureau PAC.
- 21-0009: Environment Trust Fund Education Project.
- 21-0013: Committee to Promote Passage of Constitutional Amendment 2.
- 21-0014: Red Wing Shoe Trust.

Category 22:

- 22-0010: Minnesota Education Association Ballot Fund.
- 22-0018: Board of Church and Society, Minnesota Annual Conference, United Methodist Church.

1989 terminations [lottery]:

- Anti Lottery Legion Committee (220017).
- BABN Technologies Lottery Fund (210019).
- Bozell, Jacobs, Kenyon, Eckhart Inc. Lottery Fund (210011).
- Citizens Against the Lottery Inc. (220015).
- G-Tech Lottery Fund (210012).
- M. R. Bolin Lottery Fund (210018?).
- Minnesota Trust (210018?).
- Proponents of the Lottery Law (220020).
- Scientific Games Lottery Fund (210017).
- Ticketron Lottery Education Fund (210016).
- Tom Thumb Lottery Fund (210020).
- The Un-Bank Lottery Fund (210015).

1990-1991 terminations [mainly Environmental Trust Fund]:

- Boise Cascade Employees Fund (220021).
- Braun Engineering Ballot Fund (210025).
- Colle & McVoy Trust Project (210024).
- Environment, Natural Resources and Wildlife Fund (220019).
- MINNCON Trust (210023).
- Minnesota Citizens for Initiative and Referendum, 1980-1990 (220001).
- Yes for the Environmental Trust Fund (210021).

1992 terminations [statewide ballot question]:

- Citizens for Representative Government (220002).