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Collection Information

Abstract : The collection photographs, tickets, schedules, maps and newspaper articles related to the Worcester Regional Transit Authority.

Finding Aid : Finding Aid in print form is available in the Repository.

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MARC Access : Collection is cataloged in MARC under the following subject headings

Historical/Biographical Notes

The Worcester Regional Transit Authority (WRTA) was created in September 1974, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 161B of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The Authority is given general responsibility to develop, finance, and contract for the operation of mass transportation facilities and services within its territory.

Scope and Content

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Series Descriptions

Series 1: Photographs

Series 2: Schedules

Series 3: Newspapers

Series 4: Tickets

Series 5: Employee Newsletters

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WRTA Collection
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Series 1, Photographs

<u>Box #</u>	<u>Folder #</u>	<u>Accession #</u>	<u>Description</u>
1	1	2008.55.1.1-.44	Various images of WRTA buses and Personnel.
1	2	2008.55.1.45-.109	Various images of WRTA buses and personnel.

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Series 2, Schedules

<u>Box #</u>	<u>Folder #</u>	<u>Accession #</u>	<u>Description</u>
1	3	2008.55.2.1-.18	WRTA schedules (1977)
1	4	2008.55.2.19-.35	WRTA schedules (1978)
1	5	2008.55.2.36-.48	WRTA schedules (1979)
1	6	2008.55.2.49-.71	WRTA schedules (1980)
1	7	2008.55.2.72-.77	WRTA schedules (1981)
1	8	2008.55.2.78-.106	WRTA schedules (1982)
1	9	2008.55.2.107-.115	WRTA schedules (1983)
1	10	2008.55.2.116-.134	WRTA schedules (1984)
2	11	2008.55.2.134-.175	WRTA schedules (1985)
2	12	2008.55.2.176-.182	WRTA schedules (1986)
2	13	2008.55.2.183	WRTA schedule (1987)
2	14	2008.55.2.184-.212	WRTA schedule (1988)

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Series 3, Newspapers

<u>Box #</u>	<u>Folder #</u>	<u>Accession #</u>	<u>Description</u>
2	15	2008.55.3.1	Newspaper articles relating to WRTA strikes.
2	16	2008.55.3.2-.96	Newspaper articles about WRTA

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Series 4, Tickets

<u>Box #</u>	<u>Folder #</u>	<u>Accession #</u>	<u>Description</u>
2	17	2008.55.4.1-.7	Tickets/Transfers
2	18	2008.55.4.8-.40	Tickets/Transfers

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Series 5, Employee Newsletters

<u>Box #</u>	<u>Folder #</u>	<u>Accession #</u>	<u>Description</u>
2	19	2008.55.5.1-.38	Employee Newsletters (1983 – 1986)

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Series 6, Manuals

<u>Box #</u>	<u>Folder #</u>	<u>Accession #</u>	<u>Description</u>
2	20	2008.55.6.1	Manual – Transit Mobile Radio System
2	20	2008.55.6.2	Labor Agreement (1949-1950)
2	20	2008.55.6.3	Labor Agreement (1981 – 1984)
2	20	2008.55.6.4	Labor Agreement (1983 – 1986)
2	20	2008.55.6.5	Labor Agreement (1984 – 1987)
2	20	2008.55.6.6	Labor Agreement (1981 – 1984)
2	21	2008.55.6.7	Worcester Maintenance Procedures
2	21	2008.55.6.8	EZFleet Review
2	21	2008.55.6.9	A Management Performance Audit
3	22	2008.55.6.10	GMC Coaches RTS Wiring Diagrams
3	22	2008.55.6.11	Wheel Chair Lift Manual
3	22	2008.55.6.12	Drivers' Training Manual
3	22	2008.55.6.13	Operators' Safety and Accident Prevention Manual.
3	22	2008.55.6.14	Safety and Work Rules and Regulations Maintenance Department.

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Series 7, Annual Reports

<u>Box #</u>	<u>Folder #</u>	<u>Accession #</u>	<u>Description</u>
3	23	2008.55.7.1	Annual Reports
3	24	2008.55.7.2	Annual Report 1982
3	24	2008.55.7.3	Annual Report 1985

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Series 8, Leber Case

<u>Box #</u>	<u>Folder #</u>	<u>Accession #</u>	<u>Description</u>
3	25	2008.55.8.1	Betty A. Leber Case against the WRTA (1985)

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Series 9, Miscellaneous

<u>Box #</u>	<u>Folder #</u>	<u>Accession #</u>	<u>Description</u>
3	26	2008.55.9.1-4	Pencil and ink sketches on buses
3	26	2008.55.9.5	Advertisements
3	26	2008.55.9.6	I-Pass Advertisement
3	27	2008.55.9.7-.10	Various Plans
3	27	2008.55.9.11-.14	Various City Maps
3	27	2008.55.9.15-.16	Rider Surveys
3	27	2008.55.9.17-.19	miscellaneous documents
3	28	2008.55.9.20-.27	Miscellaneous correspondences
3	29	2008.55.9.28-.47	Miscellaneous blank forms
	30	2008.55.9.48	Sketches