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RELIGIONS UNITED IN ACTION

FOR COMMUNITY PAPERS

Introduction and provenance:

This collection consists of 5 document boxes containing organization records covering the years 1969-1981. The papers were donated by Rabbi David Susskind.

Scope and contents:

Religions United in Action for Community (RUAC) was an interfaith ministerial group organized in 1969 to address social issues in St. Petersburg such as school desegregation, busing, health care, and community displacement resulting from the construction of I275. Other concerns included casino gambling, pornography, and the emerging Moral Majority movement.

The collection includes RUAC's by laws, corporate records, minutes, membership lists, treasure's reports, correspondence, and other miscellaneous documents.