

ATTORNEY GENERAL

An Inventory of the Hubert H. Humphrey III Subject Files

OVERVIEW OF THE RECORDS

Agency: Minnesota. Attorney General.

Series Title: Hubert H. Humphrey III subject files.

Dates: 1981–1999.

Abstract: Subject files of Hubert H. "Skip" Humphrey III, who served as Minnesota

Attorney General from 1982 through 1994.

Quantity: 3.4 cu. ft. (3 boxes and 1 partial box).

Location: See Detailed Description section for box locations.

SCOPE AND CONTENTS OF THE RECORDS

Correspondence, newsletters, minutes, brochures, newspaper clippings, reports, press releases, and related materials documenting the wide variety of interests and activities involving the Attorney General and his office. The files document his interaction with such organizations as The American Council of Young Political Leaders and the America-Israel Friendship League, along with such general topics of interest as child abuse, crime, health care, juvenile justice, media violence, mercury dental fillings, consumer protection, diversity, environment, drug abuse prevention, a 1995-1996 infant formula anti-trust case, 1984-1986 Scott County child sexual abuse investigations, and 1997-1998 tobacco litigation and forums.

Included in the files are series of newspaper clippings (ca. 1983-1999), press releases (ca. 1986-1998), a record of the Attorney General consisting mainly of policy statements (ca. 1983-1997), and financial reports of The HHH Fund: A Committee for Responsible Leadership (1985-1987, 1991-1993, 1995) and the Humphrey for Attorney General Volunteer Committee (1981-1995).

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:

Antitrust investigations--Minnesota.

Attorneys general--Minnesota--Administration.

Attorneys general--Minnesota--Election.

Child abuse--Law and legislation--Minnesota.

Child sexual abuse--Investigations--Minnesota--Scott County.

Consumer protection--Law and legislation--Minnesota.

Crime--Minnesota.

Dental amalgams--Minnesota.

Dental laws and legislation--Minnesota.

Drug abuse--Prevention.

Drug abuse--Treatment--Law and legislation--Minnesota.

Environmental law--Minnesota.

Fillings (Dentistry)--Minnesota.

Infant formula industry.

Juvenile justice, Administration of--Minnesota.

Medical policy--Minnesota.

Mercury--Toxicology--Minnesota.

Multiculturalism--Law and legislation--Minnesota.

Political action committees--Minnesota.

Political campaigns--Minnesota.

Product liability--Tobacco--Minnesota.

Public health--Minnesota.

Smoking--Law and legislation--Minnesota.

Tobacco--Law and legislation--Minnesota.

Violence in mass media--Law and legislation--Minnesota.

Places:

Minnesota--Politics and government--1981-.

Persons:

Humphrey, Hubert H., 1942-.

Organizations:

America-Israel Friendship League.

The American Council of Young Political Leaders.

Democratic-Farmer-Labor Party.

The HHH Fund: Committee for Responsible Leadership.

Humphrey for Attorney General Volunteer Committee.

National Association of Attorneys General.

Types of Documents:

Clippings.

Minutes.

Newsletters.

Press releases.

ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

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DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE RECORDS

Note to Researchers: To request materials, please note both the location and box numbers shown below.

Location Box

126.E.10.2F

ACYPL (American Council of Young Political Leaders), 1988-1998. 3 folders.

Correspondence, newsletters, meeting minutes, and participants biographies from this bipartisan, non-profit organization established to educate emerging political leaders about foreign policy.

America-Israel Friendship League, 1984-1991. 2 folders.

Correspondence, newsletters, and brochures documenting this organization of people living in America who share common interests and values between the people of the United States and the State of Israel.

Awards and certificates presented to Humphrey, 1989-1998.

Biography of Humphrey, undated.

Child abuse, 1985-1994. 2 folders.

Correspondence, newsletters, and brochures concerning the Attorney General's Task Force on Child Abuse Within the Family.

Crime initiatives, 1996-1998.

Program itinerary and press conference notes.

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| 126.E.10.2F | 1 | ENABL (Education Now And Babies Later), 1995-1999. Fact sheet, grantees and coordinators lists, legislation, and report detailing an initiative to prevent adolescent pregnancy. |
| 126.E.10.3B | 2 | Eastern European information, 1990-1991. Brochures, newspaper articles, and report on conferences in Europe. |
| | | Eco Sense, 1993. Education program about environmental issues. |
| | | Funding Legal Services: A Report to the Legislature, March 1, 1994. Health Care Initiatives, 1992-1993. Reports on health care system, cost, and containment and fraud. |
| | | HHH Fund-A Committee for Responsible Leadership, Report of Receipts and Disbursements, 1985-1987, 1991-1993, 1995. Infant Formula Antitrust Case, 1995-1996. Juvenile Justice reforms, 1993-1995. Juvenile Justice Task Force, 1994. Media violence, 1995-1997. Partnership with the Minnesota Medical Association to address the impact of media violence on youth. |
| | | Mercury fillings, 1994. 2 folders. Investigation into the use of dental amalgams containing mercury and complaints and charges against Dr. Gary L. Jacobson. |
| | | News summaries, September 19 - December 31, 1997. 19 folders. Arranged in chronological order; photocopied <i>Minneapolis Star Tribune</i> and the <i>St. Paul Pioneer Press</i> newspaper articles of relevance to the Attorney General's office. |
| | | September 19 – December 8. 13 folders. |
| 126.E.10.4F | 3 | December 9-31. 6 folders. Newspaper clippings (photocopies), [ca. 1983]-1999. 16 folders. Arranged in alphabetical order by subject; clippings cover Humphrey's policies, appearances and activities. |
| | | Children's issues. Adoption, child abuse, child care, child support, education, sexual harassment, teen pregnancy education, and television violence. |
| | | Consumer protection. Crime. 2 folders. Crime, crime bill, outstate crime, crime sentencing, |

handguns, juvenile crime and violence, "Take Back the

Night," and taped confessions.

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| 126.E.10.4F | 3 | Diversity issues. Civil rights, gay/lesbian, bisexual, hate crimes, and Native American issues. |
| | | Drugs. Alliance for a Drug Free America and D.A.R.E. [Drug Abus Resistance Education]. |
| | | Environmental issues. Environmental crimes and enforcement, environmental marketing, E-Team, Green Marketing, land recycling, pollution, and wildlife. |
| | | Farm issues. Gambling. Health and safety. Abortion, AIDS, alcohol, health care, and tobacco. |
| | | Humphrey re-election. Minnesota politics. Opinion/editorial pieces. Pardon Board. Skip Humphrey v Arne Carlson. Women's issues. Domestic abuse, sexual violence, and women's rights. |
| | | Press releases, [ca. 1986]-1998. 11 folders. Arranged in alphabetical order by subject. |
| | | Anti-trust cases. Child support. Consumer issues. 3 folders. |
| 126.E.10.5B | 4 | Crime. Crime issues. 2 folders. Environment. 2 folders. |

Miscellaneous.

Civil rights, health care, media violence, tobacco, "Weed and Seed."

Record of the Attorney General, [ca. 1983]-1997. 4 folders.

Arranged in alphabetical order by topic; document the office's accomplishments through policy statements and related newspaper articles and memoranda.

Accomplishments.

Bid-rigging.

Child abuse.

Children and families.

Consumer.

Crime.

Location Box

126.E.10.5B 4 Drug abuse prevention.

DWI.

Environment.

Farm.

Health.

Human rights.

Jaycees.

Labor.

Legislation.

Medicaid fraud.

National Guard.

Office budget.

Oil overcharges.

People and cases.

Quotes on Humphrey.

South Africa.

State Senate.

Tax Cheat Plan.

Utilities.

White Earth.

Women's issues.

Scott County investigations on sexual abuse, 1984-1986.

Legislation and reports.

Tobacco Forums, Blue Cross/Blue Shield correspondence, 1997.

Tobacco litigation, 1997-1998. 8 folders.

Correspondence, documents, newspaper clippings, proposals, reports, and information on litigation from other states.

Volunteer Committee [Humphrey for Attorney General], Report of Receipts and Expenditures, 1981-1995. 4 folders.