Accession # 82 M 15

Title: CARL SONTZ PAPERS

Approximate inclusive dates: 1958-1970

Date of receipt: 1972 (4/21/82 in MS. DIV.)

Volume on arrival: 3 wooden boxes

Number of boxes (after reboxing): 2 RC

Condition: Good

Restrictions: None

Description:

Carl Sontz (1936- ) was an electrical engineer who was active in New York City politics. He served as head of Democratic Party clubs in both the Third and Seventy-Fifth Assembly Districts in the Bronx. As a member of the "reform" faction of the Democratic Party, Sontz unsuccessfully ran for the Democratic nomination for the City Council in 1961 and again in 1970. Due to his political activities, Sontz became involved in local community issues.

The bulk of this collection consists of ephemera accumulated by Sontz in his work in politics and community affairs. The political items (1958-1970) include leaflets, form letters, posters, and campaign literature for local Bronx contests as well as for the mayoral elections of 1961, 1965, and 1969. A portion of the materials from the Democratic clubs that Sontz headed consist of correspondence with various officials about neighborhood problems. Approximately one half of the collection consists of reference files on local community issues—schools, housing, transit, drugs, etc.—or local civic and political organizations. Most of this is printed ephemera.

Temporary catalog card added entries:

Politics and government--1958-1970; Democratic Party; New York; Democratic Party, New York; New York (City)--Bronx; Politics, Practical

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Date: 3/8/82
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