

Title: Wisconsin Action Coalition Collection

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Abstract: The Wisconsin Action Coalition was formed on September 25, 1982, when delegates to the Citizen/Labor Energy Coalition Convention passed a resolution creating a statewide, multi-issue organization. It is made up of more than 130 labor, church, senior citizen, minority and community organizations.

Scope and Content: The collection consists of correspondence, campaign materials, office memos, prospectuses and miscellaneous reference material pertaining to this liberal political activist group. Also included is material related to coalition branch offices in Kenosha, Racine and Madison.

Access and Use: No restrictions

Language: English

Notes: The collection was initially processed by R. Fuhrman, Dec. 30, 1989. Material was added by Paul Geib, July 24, 1991, and Kevin Abing, April 9, 2002.

Arrangement:

| Folder Heading | Box # | File # |
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| General Materials (includes descriptive material on the Coalition as well as a roster of its component organizations and 1982-1983 By-laws) | 1 | 1 |
| General Materials (most of the material appears to be handwritten office notes, etc.) | 1 | 2 |
| Budget Materials, 1983-1985 | 1 | 3 |
| Prospectus Materials from the organization's original working file | 1 | 4 |
| Moss, Andy. Material concerning this Coalition employee, including a grievance filed by Moss | 1 | 5 |
| "Lobby Day", May 4, 1983. Material related to a Coalition program designed to bring member organizations to Madison for a day of direct lobbying | 1 | 6 |
| Allied Council of Sr. Citizens of Wisconsin: staff meeting notes | 1 | 7 |
| Allied Council of Sr. Citizens of Wisconsin: flyers, clippings, etc., 1981-1983, 20 th anniversary program, and March/April 1995 issue of <i>Wisconsin Senior Citizen</i> | 1 | 8 |
| Citizen's Utility Board | 1 | 9 |

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| Citizen/Labor Energy Coalition: Oil Campaign, 1981-1982 | 1 | 10 |
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| Unemployment and Unemployment Compensation | 1 | 12 |
| Unemployed Discount Program | 1 | 13 |
| Unemployed Discount Program | 1 | 14 |
| Anti-Local Measured Phone Service Campaign | 1 | 15 |
| Anti-A.T.&T. Materials, 1984 | 1 | 16 |
| Wisconsin Bell Rate Case, spring 1983 | 1 | 17 |
| Natural Gas Campaign | 1 | 18 |
| Oil Company Tax Proposals | 1 | 19 |
| Wisconsin Citizen/Labor Energy Coalition | 1 | 20 |
| Citizen Action Materials, 1982-1983 | 2 | 21 |
| Open Contract, Materials include memos of Dan Kaemmerer, Agreements and other information, 1983-1984 | 2 | 22 |
| Foreclosures – reference materials, 1983-1984 | 2 | 23 |
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| Foundations – National and Local, 1983, n.d. | 2 | 25 |
| Sax, Al – Materials include his weekly W.A.C. staff reports, 1982-1983 | 2 | 26 |
| Kenosha W.A.C./Renee Gilbert, 1982-1984 | 2 | 27 |
| Madison W.A.C./David West, 1982-1983 | 2 | 28 |
| Racine W.A.C./Lynn Bowmaster, 1982-1984 | 2 | 29 |
| Racine W.A.C./Lynn Bowmaster, 1982-1984 | 2 | 30 |
| Miscellaneous, xerox newspaper clippings, other information, 1983, n.d. | 2 | 31 |