

Title: Milwaukee. Board of Public Land Commissioners

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Abstract: The Board of Public Land Commissioners was established in 1915 with the passage of a Wisconsin statute and Common Council resolution. It served as an advisory body to the Common Council with regard to city planning, zoning, land use, urban rehabilitation and redevelopment, and related matters. In 1960, the name was changed to the City Plan Commission.

Scope and Content: The collection includes commission publications, meeting minutes, reports, urban planning publications from other communities, and other ephemera.

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Language: English

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Arrangement:

Folder Heading	Box #	Folder #
Commission Publications	1	1
-Grouping of Public Buildings, 1919 (2 copies)		
-Zoning for Milwaukee, 1920 (2 copies)		
-Platting Guide, City of Milwaukee, 1924 (2 copies)		
-Preliminary Report on a Food Terminal for Milwaukee, Wis., 1925		
-Parking Study: Central Business District, City of Milwaukee, 1938		
-Pedestrian Parade, City of Milwaukee, 1939		
-Annual Review, 1939 (2 copies)		
-City of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, For Sale, 1940		
-Planning Laws Under Which the Board of Public Land Commissioners Function, 1941		
-How the Kinnickinnic Should Look, n.d.		
City Planning Publications (Milwaukee)	1	2
- <i>What Progress Costs Milwaukee</i> by C.B. Whitnall, 1935		
- <i>What Prosperity Costs Milwaukee</i> by C.B. Whitnall, n.d.		
- <i>City Planning for Milwaukee: What it Means and Why it Must be Secured</i> by Werner Hegemann, 1916 (2 copies)		
- <i>City Planning Progress, 1917</i> by American Institute of Architects		

- <i>Plan Milwaukee for Tomorrow</i> , 1939		
- <i>Downtown...Milwaukee...1975: Comprehensive Plan, Central Business District, Milwaukee, Wisconsin</i> , 1957		
- <i>Population Changes by Census Tracts, City of Milwaukee, 1920-1940</i>		
-List of Streets in the City of Milwaukee and Their Location by Block Number		
City Planning Publications (Non-Milwaukee)	1	3
Maps	1	4
Meeting/Public Hearing Minutes, 1951, 1954, 1959	1	5
Reports	1	6
-A Program for the Coordinated Development of Milwaukee's Lake Front, 1941		
-Coordination of Plans for City's Expansion and Civil Defense Program, 1951		
-Recommendation for the Location of Traffic Terminals, n.d.		
-Fifteen Years of City Planning Accomplishments in Milwaukee, 1930 (2 copies)		
-Statistical Data re Cities with Populations of more than 300,000 [1937]		
-Study by the Board of Public Land Commissioners of the Report of the Steering Committee of the Mayor's Post-War Planning Conference, 1945		
-Report No. 16: Board of Public Land Commissioners, 1949		
-Central Plaza, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 1958		
Zoning Ordinances, 1928	1	7
Correspondence and Outreach regarding Renaming and Widening Cedar/Biddle (Kilbourn) St, 1923-1933	1	8