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Summary Information

Repository:	Grand Rapids History Center
Title:	Grand Rapids buildings collection
ID:	Collection 254
Date:	1830s-2000s
Physical Description:	21.1 Linear Feet
Language of the Material:	English .
Abstract:	This devised collection attempts to bring together and coordinate materials about Grand Rapids physical structures and the planned and unplanned areas which those structures currently or previously occupied. Data on buildings by name and location are incorporated, including information on the site, builders and architects, as the information is available. Included are city planning documents with related site planning, layout, urban design and physical infrastructure data. Included is information on the historic preservation of areas and individual structures within the city of Grand Rapids and Kent County. The collection includes books, periodicals, clippings, ephemera, postcards, published images, posters and photographs.

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Biographical / Historical

Before the fur traders and missionaries built their awkward cabins along the Grand River, Native Americans inhabited the area. The earliest image most commonly known and used to explain the first white settlement at Grand Rapids is Rev. Booth's 1831 original art work of the Baptist Mission on the west side of the Grand River. Louis Campau, credited as the Father of Grand Rapids, built his trading post on the East Side. Joel Guild's House is documented as one of the earliest structures at the center of what would become Grand Rapids, Michigan. His house, sketched by Turner in 1834, is shown on the rural site of what would be Pearl and Monroe, in Campau Square, at the heart of Grand Rapids. Perhaps the best published source of images of early Grand Rapids construction is *Old Grand Rapids : a picture story of old*

conditions by Geo. E. Fitch, 1925. Coll. 018, the Fitch Photographs Collection, includes many of the historical images collected by Fitch.

From these early constructions, Grand Rapids has continued to grow and evolve into a small metropolis, centered on the Grand River, but expanding across county lines, and stretching in all directions. Grand Rapids has suburbs, and experienced the same flight from the city center as other American cities, but today has an active downtown area, as well as a sprawling greater community. The Polk directories and their ilk, which document the addresses of local physical structures, have expanded from a city directory, to a city + suburban directories, to now a Kent County directory.

The city core has seen several generations of evolution by 2000, and continues to change. The islands and hills which marked nature's construction as of the 1830's were soon reshaped by man. Several different buildings have inhabited some sites, there have been at least two periods of urban renewal. The city has taken a lead in Michigan historical preservation, in reaction to the destruction of the beloved 1888 Old City Hall, and in preservation of the Heritage Hill Historic District east of the downtown. Many of the old furniture factories, left from Grand Rapids 19th century reputation as the Furniture City, are now being rediscovered and reused, along with other historical center city structure.

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Scope and Contents

This collection struggles for organization as it grows and changes. Included in the collection are materials on buildings built and unbuilt.

As an open collection, the Grand Rapids Buildings Collection is designed to collect small accessions of one to a handful of items. It is possible that some of the materials in this collection may grow into its own collection in the future. However, keeping such materials together provides the conveniences of one strong finding aid to search for information about Grand Rapids buildings. It also acts as a guide to other collections and types of materials that which are valued for site and building research.

As an open generic subject collection its structure is dynamic changes with the materials currently included in the collection. The series defined within the collection gather subgroups of like materials as defined. However, a keyword search within the collection may find other materials associated with the particular question the researcher is pursuing.

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Related Materials

Related Materials

Other GRPL archival collections containing significant architectural materials include:

Coll. 151 Kenneth C. Welch Coll. Architect Coll. 245 Past Perfect Coll. Coll. 322 Albert Builders Coll.

Coll. 240. GRPL Map Collection. Includes numerous plat maps, street maps, Sanborn maps and city planning maps, which may be relevant to the study of Grand Rapids as a whole, neighborhoods or districts and individual properties. Included is the Master Plan map for Grand Rapids, 1962, for example.

Before Coll. 254 was defined, random small accessions of materials related to building, architecture or planning were added to many different collections throughout the archives where they still reside. These include:

GRPL Photo Collection (54) GRPL Postcard Collection (78) Grand Rapids Illustrated (91), Laura Lorensen Photograph Collection (93) Kent County (Mich.) Original Survey Collection (99) City of Grand Rapids Photograph Collection (100) Grand Rapids Public Library Urban Renewal Pictorials (118) Kent County Bridges Collection (132) GRPL Art & Graphics Collection (224) Past Perfect Historic Preservation Collection (245) Father Dennis Morrow Buildings Photos (273) Grand Rapids City Assessment Office Razed Buildings Files (286) Real Estate Listings Slip Files (287)

See also the very large Robinson Studio Collection.

As staff for assistance in finding building-related materials in other archival collections or departmental files.

See also the Architecture Database, and the newspaper clippings about area buildings, indexed in this database.

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Controlled Access Headings

- Architecture -- Michigan -- Grand Rapids
- Historic preservation -- Michigan -- Grand Rapids
- Grand Rapids (Mich.) -- History
- Historic buildings -- Michigan -- Grand Rapids
- Buildings -- Michigan -- Grand Rapids -- Photographs

Collection Inventory

Series I. General Grand Rapids Area Architecture

Subseries A. General Histories, maps, etc.

Scope and Contents

Included in this series are materials which summarize or provide a larger perspective on Grand Rapids architecture. That perspective may be historical, providing information on the evolution of Grand Rapids and Kent County structurally, over time. Or, it may be a guide or directory, for example, representing the overall community.

Title/Description	Instances	
Architecture of Grand Rapids, 1836-1914 / John Beckwith. Presented to GR Hist. Soc., ca. 1975. 00.[498].1	Box 1	Folder 1
Building Blocks of Grand Rapids, n.d. Photocopy of pg. 3 from unidentified source which lists local buildings built with stone, including limestock from the Grand River or Indiana, etc. 00.[4021].1. Buildings listed are: Limestone House, 222 E. Fulton; 1940 Public Museum, 54 Jefferson S.E.; Seventh Day Adventist Church, Cherry and Sheldon S.E.; Veterans' Memorial Park; Ryerson Library; Fountain Street Church; Michigan Bell Building	Box 1	Folder 1.3
Building Inspector's Hand Book of Grand Rapids ... Directory. Formerly MKG352.D28. 00.[3100].1	Box 1	Folder 1.4

Buyers' Guide / issued by Builders and Traders Exchange. 1937. 00.[3843].1	Box 1	Folder 1.5
Buyers' Guide issued by Builders & Traders, Inc. Grand Rapids, Mich. [2021.066], 1969	Box 1	Folder 1.5
Chronology of Downtown Grand Rapids, 1945-1991. [timeline] / Source unknown. 00.[3065].1	Box 1	Folder 4
Description of Grand Rapids / G.A. Fuller, Aug. 23, 1837, 1906 annotated copy. Photocopy only. 00.[638].1	Box 1	Folder 2
Downtown Grand Rapids, 1830-1910 / Lee Montgomery Hutchins, Fred A. Myers, James Nachteggall, n.d. See cataloged copies at M7209774.H97d. 00.[5152].2. Includes: Turner House, St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church, St. James Roman Catholic Church, Hope Evangelical United Brethren Church, Old Bridge Street Buildings, German-English Schoolhouse, St. Andrew's Roman Catholic Cathedral, Seventh-day Adventist Church, Westminster Presbyterian Church, Ladies Literary Club, Coyes, Inc., William Alden Smith Building, Heystack Building (Coliseum), Calkins Law Office, Old Church Building (Ionia and Barnett), 801-805 Monroe Building, Engine House no. 5, W.T. Grant Co. Buildings, 139 Pearl St. Building, Exhibitors Building (220 Lyon), Federal Building/Old Post Office/Old Art Museum, Ottawa at Monroe Building, 118-120 Monroe Building, Ledyard Building, White-Godfrey Building, Michigan Trust Building, Immanuel Lutheran Church (338 Division), Trinity Evangelical English Lutheran Church (Crescent and Bostwick), St. Cecilia Building, Youth Ministry Building (129 E. Fulton St.), Metz Building, St. Marks' Episcopal Church, Park (First) Congregational Church, Botsford Building, Wenham Building, Junior College Building/Grand Rapids Community College, Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church (Fountain and Ransom), Ryerson Library Building/Grand Rapids Public Library,	Box 1	Folder 2.1
[Furniture Factories. Map] From: Furniture Directory of Grand Rapids. G.R.: White Printing Co., January 1897. The fragile original is at 233-12.5	Box 1	Folder 2.3
A Guide to West Michigan Architecture, Grand Rapids, Holland, Muskegon / AIA Grand Valley. 2007. Folding flyer with maps (3 copies). 2007.066.1-3	Box 1	Folder 2.5
A Historical Guide to Grand Rapids / prepared for teachers by the Grand Rapids Historical Society, with the co-operation for the Grand Rapids Public Museum, 1955. 00.[639].1	Box 1	Folder 3
[Historical Guide to Grand Rapids], n.d. [76 sites] 00.[640].1	Box 1	Folder 3.5
Homes for all in Michigan : improved fruit, stock grain farms ... / by Abel T. Page, dealer ... G.R. : Dygert, Buff and Rich. Ca. 1882. Formerly M91.P14:2. 00.[854].1	Box 1	Folder 5

Homes for all in Michigan : improved fruit, stock, grain farms / by Abel T. Page, dealing in all kinds of real estate ... G.R. : West Michigan Printing Co., 1892. Formerly M91.P14. 00.[855].1. Includes Nelson Homestead, Bostwick St., p. [41] [Repro. Of etching]; Grand Rapids 1832 [Repro. Of etching]; "Picture taken from a painting by the Hon. A.B. Turner, showing "Prospect Hill", as it looked in 1836. Also the first frame house in Grand Rapids, erected by Joel Guild in 1833 and Louis Campau's Fur-Storage House." P. [50]; Michigan State Capital [rear flyleaf]; Kent County Court House [rear flyleaf]	Box 1	Folder 6
Proposed Development of the Grand River at Grand Rapids Mich. Spooner and Merrill, Consulting Engineers, 1924. 00.{1559}.1	Box 1	Folder 42

Subseries B. Biographies, webpages, etc. for architects, architectural firms, buildings, etc.

Scope and Contents

Included here is general information on individual architect, architectural firms, contractors, and builders of the Greater Grand Rapids area. For information on specific works, whether individual or corporate, as part of a larger discussion, as part of a neighborhood or included in a city plan, see the other series within this collection.

Title/Description	Instances
Daverman - Biographical research	Box 14
Daverman - International Architectural Co. Milford B. Martin, Genl. Supr. Letterhead. 1 sheet. 2004.072	Box 14
McColl, Alexander. Biographical. Obituary and brief obituary article. Dec. 1967. Grand Rapids Press.	Box 14
Myers, Elijah E. (E.E. Myers). Valerie Marvin and State of Michigan initiative RE the Michigan State Capitol. "Help Preserve the Memory of America's Greatest Capitol Builder ..." blue flyer; Coin token, with Myers image on one side and the Michigan capitol building on the other; Grand Rapids Historical Society presentation by Marvin on Myer, mostly about him, with little about Grand Rapids Old City Hall. 00.[5721].1-3	Box 14
Owen Ames Kimball. Breaking Ground. [firm newsletter]. Spring 1999. New Kent County Courthouse, Meijer Gardens	Box 14
Second Story Properties. Web pages. Jan. 18, 2006.	Box 14
Original sketch by Ray Barnes for "We Have With Us Today" Ralph Ernst Seeger, AIA, 1944	Box 4
By-laws of the Grand Rapids Real Estate Board 1957	Box 14
Grand Rapids Real Estate Board, publications, 1942-1946	

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Grand Rapids Real Estate Board, correspondence with C. Rowland Stebbins 1945-1962	Box 14
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Subseries C. Building Materials Trade Catalogs

Scope and Contents

Include here catalogs for building trades selling parts of the house, used in construction.

Title/Description	Instances
Universal Design Book No. 25 on Builder's Woodwork. G.R. : Sash and Door Company, 1927. 00.[730].1	Box 11

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Series II. Collected Buildings Sources.

Scope and Contents

Included here are documents which provide information on several different buildings, though the buildings were not constructed as an architectural unit. These buildings may be gathered together for the purpose of reflecting on the work of a particular architect, builder, kit house company, building materials suppliers, professional organizations, or survey of a particular building type such as churches, etc. The common denominator is that the documents contain several structures within a single source which were not architecturally planned as an architectural complex. For those multiple building sources which are planned together, see Series IV.

Sources are organized under the name of the architect or primary company or building logo. These individual or corporate names are arranged alphabetically. If an architect has acted both alone or in corporation, his materials may be found together if the materials suggest, or separate, with cross references from his/her different associations.

Title/Description	Instances
3 Way Lodge blueprints	Box 10

Aladdin Homes.

Title/Description	Instances
Aladdin Houses, built in a day. Catalog no. 23, Spring 1912. North American Construction Co., Bay City, Mi. P2007.074	Box 1 Folder 6.5
Aladdin Homes (Built in a Day) Catalog no. 31. 4th Ed. Hard cover. 1918-1919. Oct. 15, 1919 price list attach inside front cover. Published letter from First National Bank, Dec. 2, 1918 on back flyleaf. Plus a yellow response postcard. Some houses have fold out pages. Renderings, floor plans, and interior perspectives. P2007.094.4	Box 1 Folder 6.7
Aladdin Homes, 23 Annual Catalog, Cat. No. 42, c. 1929. P2001.130	Box 1 Folder 7

Aladdin Read-Cut Homes, 30th Anniversary Catalog. Has price list: Aladdin Houses, Summer Cottages and Garages, 1936, inside back cover. P2001.139	Box 1	Folder 8
Aladdin Read-Cut Homes. Bay City, Mich. 1949 Catalog. N.d. P2001.039.1	Box 1	Folder 9
Again ... the New Look in Homes for the new year, as presented by Aladdin Designers, in the new Aladdin Catalog. 1951 c. 1 P2001.039.2; c. 2 P2002.040 5/20/2002	Box 1	Folder 10
Aladdin Co. mailing envelop / mailing label	Box 1	Folder 11
Aladdin Read-Cut Homes. Catalog no. 53, ca. 1948. Accompanied by: Freight Paid Price List. Aladdin Summer Cottages, catalog. no. 52, 1947; form letter on Aladdin Company letterhead, n.d.; Clipping for Ad for 5 room Aladdin \$13.96. From June 1948 Country Gentleman. P2007.064. 1-4	Box 1	Folder 11.3
Aladdin Read-Cut Homes. Catalog No. 55, 1950. P2007.073.4	Box 1	Folder 11.5
Aladdin, Catalog 58, Price List, 1953. P2001.142	Box 1	Folder 12
Aladdin Read-Cut Homes. Bay City, Mich. 49th Annual ed. Catalog, 1955, c.1954. P2002.039	Box 1	Folder 13
Aladdin ... for Quality, Aladdin ...for Savings, Aladdin ... for Beauty c. 1955. P2007.073.2	Box 1	Folder 13.3
Aladdin Preview for 1956. Aladdin, 1906-1956. P2007.073.1	Box 1	Folder 13.5
Aladdin Read-Cut Homes. Bay City, Mich. 1958. Catalog #63. P2001.122.1	Box 1	Folder 14
Aladdin Read-Cut Homes. Bay City, Mich. 1959. Catalog no. 64. P2007.103	Box 1	Folder 14.3
Aladdin Read-Cut Homes. Catalog 61, 1961. P2007.073.4	Box 1	Folder 14.5
[Architectural Drawings Collection #1] 1986.506. See collection inventory of 11 projects in the Appendix. Projects are listed separately in Series III.	Box 10	
Artistic Dwellings / Allen, Frank P., Grand Rapids. 6th Ed. 1896. Formerly M728.6.AL5	Box 9	
Batts System "New Way" Homes and built-in Wardrobes		
Title/Description	Instances	
The New Way for the Home. Formerly MKG728.6.B32. 00. [1137].1a Original	Box 1.5	

The New Way for the Home. 00.[1137].2a photocopy	Box 1	Folder 15
"New Way" built-in Wardrobes. 00.1137.1b	Box 1	Folder 16

Daverman Assoc., Architects-Engineers (J. and G. Daverman Company, J.H. Daverman and Son)

Title/Description	Instances	
"Architecture and Design", v. 11, Dec. 1947. Selection from the work of J.andG. Daverman Company ... Grand Rapids, Michigan. 2006.020C. SEE Index in Appendix	Box 23	
Educational [folio of 17 cards contains images of schools throughout Michigan, including Grand Rapids]. 00. [1123].1-18. Includes Grand Rapids Baptist College and Seminary [now Cornerstone University]; Kent Skills Center, East Beltline Building	Box 14	
[J.H. Daverman and Son, Grand Rapids, Mich.] [Poor condition, title page missing, title from running heading] n.d. [10], 121 pages. P1999.012	Box 9	
J.H. Daverman and Son Ad. McClure's Magazine, [1905] "Built 300 Times for \$1150 Complete" ... P2007.097	Box 14	
Designers' Showhouse '81, 757 Plymouth Road SE, April 25-May 17, 1981 presented by The Women's Committee of the Grand Rapids Symphony Orchestra [2021.072]	Box 17.5	Folder 39
Down under Downtown : a network of tunnels can get you to many places without making a splash at your destination. Grand Rapids Press. Mar. 4, 1982. Graphic by Bill Marsh of buildings from Michigan to Monroe Center / Louis and from Ionia to Monroe. Graphic shows both overhead and underground passages.	Box 259	Folder 7

[Downtown Grand Rapids photographs, source unknown] . 00. [518] .1-34

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1.-2. George L. Young building. Bishop Furniture Co.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
1. Corner view	Box 5	Folder 5.2
2. Street level entrance view with name of building over the entrance.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
3.-5. Bridge Street, Aug. 1974.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
3. Bavaraian Inn end of block. Streetscape, with cars on street, possibly West side? Bavarian Inn on left corner.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
4. Center of Block.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
5. Another view of building toward end of block opp. Bavarian Inn. Verso: Bridge St.	Box 5	Folder 5.2

6. Comstock Building, Aug. 1974. Monroe St. at 6th St. with a glimpse of the 6th St. brick.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
7. Coyes Incorporated Building, Aug. 1974. Corner view.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
8. Engine House no. 5. 1880 Building. View from across the street with autos in foreground. Doors open to view engines.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
9.-10. First Methodist on Fulton	Box 5	Folder 5.2
9. facade view	Box 5	Folder 5.2
10. side view, with Masonic in background far right	Box 5	Folder 5.2
11. Flat Iron Building, Monroe at Ottawa NW, Apr. 1974.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
12. Fountain Street Church, Fountain at Bostwick, with YMCA behind	Box 5	Folder 5.2
13.-14. Heystek Building, Aug. 1974.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
13. from the left	Box 5	Folder 5.2
14. from the right.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
15.-16. Holy Trinity Church, Aug. 1974. Ransom St. at corner of Fountain St.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
15. Facade view on Ransom	Box 5	Folder 5.2
16. Corner view with mail box on the corner, and view to the building behind.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
17. Hope Evangelical United Brethren Church, Aug. 1974. Corner view with house left and behind.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
18.-19. Immanuel Lutheran Church, Aug. 1974. Corner of Michigan and Division.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
18. View from across Michigan.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
19. Corner view with right side on Division St. also visible.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
20. Masonic Temple, Fulton St. with parking garage just visible at right.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
21. Michigan Trust Building, Aug. 1974.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
22. Midtown Theatre. Street level view showing the marquee and the three floors with windows above, plus a portion of the building to the left.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
23. 118-120 Monroe Building, Aug. 1974. Vital Foods, Cobbs. Diagonal parking on Monroe.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
24. Hotel Pantlind / Pantlind Hotel. North Monroe side? View of the lower portion of the building from across the street, including various entrances and business. Knife and Fork, Klein ...	Box 5	Folder 5.2

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25.-26. Peninsular Club. Ottawa St.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
25. Marquee with club name and P/C logo, entrance and shop at street level.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
26. View of building from diagonally across the street, with street name on lamp post lower right. Men's shoe store at street level.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
27. Sacred Heart Church, Aug. 1974.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
28. Steketee's Building. Worms eye view of the facade.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
29. Tarry House Cafeteria, 139 Pearl St., Aug. 1974. Father and Son on the left.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
30. Waters Bldg., 200 Block of Ottawa Ave. N.W., Apr. 1974. View taken has Ellis Parking lot in foreground.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
31. Streetscape, with view toward corner building] Verso: William Alden Smith Bldg., 28 Ionia Ave., S.W., Apr. 1974.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
32.-33. First Church of Christ Scientists?, Lafayette and Washington.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
32. Facade view showing steps up to entrance porch framed by four large columns, three double door entrances, autos on the street in front, cold weather with disappearing snow view.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
33. Corner view sign sign in yard Lafayette at ???] "Lecture on Christian School"—sign in yard.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
34. Wenborn? Block. [Monroe Center] "12" Includes Vandenberg Jeweler, Dodds Record Shop. Also, Health Spot Shoes. Corner view of three story building, near Division / Sheldon at Monroe / Fulton.	Box 5	Folder 5.2
Dykema, Carman and Dykema. A Residence in Cascadia / Designed and Built by Dykema, Carman and Dykema for Grand Rapids Savings Bank, n.d. Graphite, marker? and watercolor rendering. House believed to be located at 41 Morningside SE. 2007.038.1	Box FF.XIII.D	
B/W photocopy, A Residence in Cascadia	Box 9	
Forest Ridge Park, Summer and Suburban Homes / Kent County Land Co. [Ad tabloid flyer] May 30-June 1, 1913. Includes map. Between the Grand River and Coit Rd. 00. [0371].1	Box 224	Folder 16
Fuller and Rice Lumber and Manufacturing Co. - House the Jack Built and other Stories : Some Interesting Specimens of Interior and Exterior Finish furnished by the Fuller and Rice Lumber and Mgf. Co. of Grand Rapids. G.R. : Schuil Printing Co., n.d. Formerly MKG720.F95. 00.[3174].1. SEE INDEX IN APPENDIX.	Box 1	Folder 17

General Hospitals of Grand Rapids / Cleon M. Oosterhouse / University of Michigan, Architecture 118. May 26, 1954. [Student paper]. Formerly MKG362.Oo1. 00. [3370].1	Box 1	Folder 18
Grand Rapids Board of Education. Report. Proposed Plan for School Extension / Issued by the Board of Education. GR : Dean-Hicks Printing Co., n.d. Received date stamp has: March 31, 1905. Has the following images: Proposed Annex to Central High School, fronting on Barclay Street, for Grammar School and High Schools Manual Training; Union High school, to which an addition for Manual Training and commercial Courses in proposed at the North end; Diamond Street School, to which ad addition has already been determined upon for Grammar Grades; Henry Street School, to which an addition is proposed for Grammar Grades; Hackley Public Manual Training High School at Muskegon. Also contains interior images for manual training classes in Muskegon and Indianapolis. Poor condition, torn. 00. [3473].1	Box 1	Folder 18.5
History. Grand Rapids Fire Department, 1850-1950. Firemen's Fund Assoc., July 1, 1950. 1986.206?	Box 1	Folder 19
Home and Fireside / Grand Rapids Lumber Co. Chicago : Wm. A. Radford, 1924. Formerly M728.6.G76. 00.[0643].1	Box 1	Folder 20
Hillmount, 505 Cherry St. S.E.	Box 17.5	Folder 30
Homes of Beauty, Economy, durability, practicability, healthfulness, contentment for every family ... Home Building Association of Grand Rapids. Formerly M728.6.H75. 00.[0142].1	Box 1	Folder 21
Homestyle Center. Project of Home Research Foundation, Inc. Prospectus. ca. 1950s. 00.[4064].1	Box 1	Folder 22

D.S. Hopkins

Title/Description	Instances	
Houses and Cottages, 1893 : a collection of the designs of D.S. Hopkins. 1893, c. 1983 edited by Donald J. Berg. N.Y. : Antiquity Reprints. Formerly M728.6.H774h. c. 1 00.[644].1 A formal republication, but not actually the origin of 1893.	Box 1.5	Folder 2
Rendering of unidentified house] / D.S. Hopkins ... Rockville Centre, N.Y. : Antiquity Reprints, 1983. 00. [1176].1	Box 1	Folder 22.5
Artistic Stables designed and publ. By Hopkins and Davis, Architects, G.R., Mi. Formerly MKG728.9.H77. 00. [0929].01 Original	Box 1.5	Folder 3
Artistic Stables designed and publ. By Hopkins and Davis, Architects, G.R., Mi. 00.[0929].02 Photocopy.	Box 1	Folder 23

Artistic Stables designed and publ. By Hopkins and Davis, Architects, G.R., Mi. 00.[0929].03 Photocopy.	Box 1	
Hopkins' Homes : a collection of practical and economical house and cottage designs. Hopkins and Davis, architects, G.R. 1905. Formerly M728.6.H774. 00.[653].1	Box 1.5	Folder 4
Hopkins' Homes : a collection of studies plans for Home Builders / Hopkins and Davis, Architects, Grand Rapids. No. 1. G.R. : Hopkins and Davis ; West Michigan Printing Co., n.d. 96 pg. ; ill. Note: Existing copy begins with pg. 7. P2001.147	Box 1.5	Folder 5
Moderate Cost Homes : a collection of practical, late style dwellings / Hopkins and Davis, Architects. Cover or Fly leaf: Up-To-Date Homes : 50 Designs. Book No. 2. G.R. : Hopkins and Davis ; West Michigan Printing Co., n.d. Formerly MKG728.6.H77. 00.[1101].1	Box 1.5	Folder 6
Moderate Cost Homes : a collection of practical, late style dwellings / Hopkins and Davis, Architects. 00.[1101].2 Photocopy	Box 1	Folder 24
Jails and Prisons : their construction and discipline / with compliments of Levi L Barbour : a paper read before the class on Sociology at the Univ. of Michigan. Ca. 1906? Formerly M365.B23. 00.[2447].1	Box 1.5	Folder 6.5
Lewis Homes : homes of character / Lewis Manufacturing Co., Bay City, Mich., 1925. Formerly M7286.L58. 00.[0654].1	Box 1.5	Folder 7
New Liberty Homes / by Lewis Mfg. Co. ca. 1938. P2001.131. 1/16/2002	Box 1	Folder 25
Liberty Homes / Lewis Manufacturing Company, Bay City, Michigan. n.d. P2005.042	Box 1	Folder 26
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Lustron. Y2K 50th Anniversary Lustron Home Celebration conference folder. 2000.056. Includes magnet, press release, letters, cartoon (Raye Vans, Jr. artist), reproductions 1950s ads, press articles, etc.	Box 1	Folder 27.5
Alexander McColl, Architect. Details. 3 b/w 8x10 photos, interior and exterior. Formerly at 054-50-30	Box 5	Folder 7.5
Michigan Retail Lumber Dealers Association. Better Homes : a select collection of practical designs ... / edited and publ. By the Michigan Retail Lumber Dealers Assoc., 1921. Formerly M728.6.M58. 00.[0642].1	Box 1	Folder 28

Monroe Center : report, n.d. 00.[5010].1-3. Paper pocket folder including folded map "Welcome to Greater Grand Rapids" from the Visitor Magazine. Includes Jerry Ford as Mr. President. Late 1970s era; Downtown Link [serial], v. 5, no. 3, Aug. 1977.	Box 1	Folder 28.5
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On the Michigan Stage / by David and Marilyn Hanks. Grand Rapids, 1970. Includes an orientation map at the front, and provide sketch or published photo illustrations of the following: Kent's Tavern, the Brick Inn, Walker Tavern, Lamont Halfway House, Albright Tavern, Whitney Tavern Stand, the Coach Stop, The Refuge, Fisk Lake Tavern, Toll House Cafe, Toll house near Robinson and Fulton and gate. 2006.037	Box 1	Folder 32
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"Architecture and Design" V. 9, June 1945. Owen-Ames-Kimball Co., Engineers and Buildings, Grand Rapids, Mich. P1999.011. See Building List	Box 9	
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Preliminary Report for a City Plan for Grand Rapids, Michigan. 2002.075	Box 1	Folder 33.5
Realtors sales card mailer with image of house. Various Realtors, ReMax, Keller Williams, etc. 629 Gladstone St. 2006.069; 341 Madison Ave. S.E. 2006.017C; 1647 Wealthy2007.010; 352 Woodmere Ave., S.E. 2006.069	Box 34	
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Homes, or Modern Artistic Homes / Thos. Benjamin and Son, architects, 35-37 Wenham Block, G.R. Includes trade ads. v. 1, no. 1, Sept. 1906 to v. 1, no. 11, Sept. 1907. Bound, formerly M728.H753. 00.[652].1-11. Includes several houses possibly in G.R., but not identified. The following images are identified: Residence of Mr. Theo. Clark / Heystek and Canfield interior decorations; Thos. Benjamin Residence, Lake Ave. ; Dutch Colonial at James and Logan Sts. ; Living Room and Reception Hall of Mr. Chas. Reeve's Residence; Residence of Mr. A.J. Karrenman; Residence of Mr. Henry Freudenberg; Residence of Mr. J.E. Gable; Mr. F.H. Van Dugteren's Home; Residence of Mr. S.R. Fletcher; Jenison Estate, Jenison, Mich.; Battjes Residence; Residence of Mrs. Margaret Husband, Jenison, Mich.; Residence of Mr. H.M. Kimball, College Ave.	Box 1	Folder 37

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Summer Home "Bali Hai" of Mr. And Mrs. Hollis S. Baker, Northport Point, Michigan / architects, George Frederick Keck and William Keck, Chicago ; decorations by Allen McGehee, Manor House, N.Y. (The Architectural Digest) Reprint. N.d. Photos by Dale Rooks. Furniture "Far East" by Baker Furniture, Inc. P2004.033	Box 9	
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5. John O. Curtis material, 1974: Introduction. Apr. 25, 1974 / John O. Curtis, Curator, Sturbridge Village. [First visit]; Research Program. Apr. 30, 1974; The C.P. Calkins Law Office, c. 1836. 18 pgs; The C.P. Calkins Law Office, Grand Rapids, Michigan, c. 1836 : field notes and building survey [after second visit] / by Gary Fraser, Sept. 1974	Box 15	
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The Mansion on the Hill : the Louis Campau Estate, 422-426 Fulton St. S.E. / Kim Buchholz. History and Theory of Historic Preservation. Kendall College of Art	Box 33.2	

and Design. Jen Metz, Instructor. Nov. 2008. Student Paper. 2009.001.1

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Complete Specifications for the new Central High School, to be erected on Fountain Street, near Prospect Street. G.R. : Business Dept., Board of Education, 1909. Robinson and Campau, architects; William B. Ittner, consulting architect; Smith, Hinchman and Grylls, consulting engineers. Formerly MKG727.R56. 00.[3309].1	Box 12	Folder 17
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Christian Rest Home : 40th Anniversary Commemorative booklet.[1997] 00.[0655].1	Box 12	Folder 18
Church/Kirkpatrick House, 330 Fountain St., N.E. at Prospect. Scrapbook prepared by John D. Teague, 1982, for a course assignment at Aquinas. 00.[2561].1 Note: House previously owned by Frederick Stuart Church (1905-1918, and before that by his mother (1853-1905). Owner at the time of the scrapbook was Marie Kirkpatrick, retired furniture designer. A color photo of her is at the front.	Box 22	
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Reproduction print of Old City Hall, 1998? / J.T. Faasen. Based on the original Elijah Myer drawings. City Hall 1888, Grand Rapids, Michigan. Lyon Street. Elevation Study. Dedicated Sept. 26, 1888. E.E. Myers, Architect, W.D. Richardson, Contractor. Also see 224-FF.VIII.A. Two versions, with and without color. c. 1 00.[5131].1; c. 2 P2001.0482; c. 3 P2001.076	Box 224	Folder 31
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City Hall, 1888. Clippings. A Red Letter Day : the Dedication of the City Hall To-Morrow. Grand Rapids Daily Eagle, Sept. 8, 1885; We Have a City Hall : it is completed and formally dedicated : a splendid building. Grand Rapids Eagle, Sept. 26, 1888. 00.[2716].2-3	Box 19.5	Folder 1
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City Hall, 1888. Unprocessed accession 1986.004. Includes bids, specifications, correspondence between Board of Public Works, and various contractors, especially E.E. Meyers, architect.	Box 19
Drawings. Ink on Linen. 1986.004. 1. Isometrical View of Side of Steps to main Entrance to the City Hall, Grand Rapids, Mich. / Approved, E.E. Myers., n.d.; 2. Detail. Board Sheathing, n.d.	Box 20
Asphalt or Architecture? : the Demolition of Grand Rapids' City Hall, a national historic landmark / Jeff Pettes. May 13, 1991. Prof. Dale Van Kley. [Student Paper] History 395.	Box 19.5
[Old City Hall Demolition, Clock Tower] "Establishment's Downfall" / Earl E. Spielmacher photo. Color oversized showing only the tower remaining and in demolition, with a new building behind it. 1991.016	Box 6
A Wrecker's Dozen, Twenty Years Late / by Samuel Sifton. American Heritage. July/Aug. 1990. Follow up article to one written Feb. 1970 on the fate of 10 buildings nationally, including Old City Hall, Grand Rapids. Gordon Olson quoted.	Box 19.5
Seeger, Ralph. City Highway Building, Jan. 21, 1936 (5) / Morton Mfg. Co., Muskegon, 1942 (7) Snapshots mounted on single page from a photo album. 2003.094 (Other images of City Highway Building with Seeger family unprocessed material)	Box 4
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Air Conditioning at Civic Auditorium / by Burrit A. Parks. "Heating and Ventilating". Mar. 1933. Reprint. 00.[3752].1	Box 12	Folder 20
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Clinic for Infant Feeding. Central Station, 112 Louis St., N.W. Booklet with illustration of building on the back cover. "The Baby, suggestions for his care" P2006.065.	Box 12	Folder 21.5
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City of Grand Rapids, Department of Water and Light Modernization Program, 1955-1957 : Dedication of Coldbrook Station, Dec. 12, 1957. 00.[2868].1	Box 12	Folder 23
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[program] Unveiling Lowe Memorial Window, Dec. 24, 1916	Box 12	Folder 29
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The Fitzgerald (Old YMCA Building), 33 library NE. [brochure] + web site added Jan. 18, 2006 c. 1 2005.075D; c. 2, 2005.096.6	Box 12	Folder 30
Flatiron Building, 102 Monroe St., N.W. Excerpt of two typed documents. Sources unknown.	Box 12	Folder 31
[small flyer] Fountain Hill. Professional Office.	Box 12	Folder 32
404 Fountain St., / Danyeal Dorr. History and Theory of Historic Preservation. Kendall College of Art and Design. Jen Metz, Instructor. Nov. 2008. Student Paper. 2009.001.1	Box 33.2	
Fountain Street Baptist Church c. 1938 C.R. Webber 00. [0645].1	Box 12	Folder 33
Art and Architecture of Fountain Street Church / Dorothy Judd. Centennial edition 1969. 00.[2024].1	Box 12	Folder 34
Fox Machine Co. Plant	Box 3	Folder 19
Franklin Street Viaduct. [Publication unidentified] Grand Rapids Assoc. of Commerce. Mar. 26, 1927.	Box 3	Folder 20
Alterations to Residence, Mr. Edward M. Fritz, Garfield Ave, City / Drawn by F.J. Mester, Jr. [Grand Rapids Catmit(?) Co., Main, 1845]—note in pencil. Elevations, plans and details, enclosing portion of porch and changing bay window to door with sidelights. N.d. (1) Blueprint.	Box 10	

Philo C. Fuller House, 40 Lafayette NE

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Philo C. Fuller House / Rendering by William F. Thrall.	Box 3	Folder 21
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1981. May 19. Heritage Hill Group Goes Broke on Fuller Home / Laura D. Walker.	Box 12	Folder 37
Philo. C. Fuller House. 44 LaFayette Avenue NE. Sam Zielinski. Jen Metz's Kendall College Historic Preservation Class, October 2011. 2012.010	Box 36	

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Garfield Memorial Building. Letter to Alexander McColl, Architect, from D.W. Kimball of Owne Ames Kimball with estimate for the construction. Jan. 28, 1935. 00.[5316].1	Box 12	Folder 37.5
George W. Gay Residence Graphic Clipping	Box 3	Folder 22
T.D. Gilbert Residence Graphic Clipping	Box 3	Folder 23
Thomas D. Gilbert House / Anne Marie Isaac. Student project for History of Theory of Historic Preservation, Kendall College, Nov. 2005. 2007.072	Box 12	Folder 38
Gilda's Club Grand Rapids, 1806 Bridge St. N.W. ...a brief history of the property / P.L. Klein, 2000. 2000.058	Box 12	Folder 39
Grace Episcopal Church	Box 3	Folder 24
Historic Preservation Report: 28 Grand Ave. N.E. / Elizabeth Gaines, History and Theory of Historic Preservation, Kendall Colleges of Art and Design. Jen Metz, Instructor, Fall. 2005. Student Paper. 2006.012.1	Box 33	
Grand Center "A preview of Grand Rapids' new activities center" ca. 1960's?	Box 12	Folder 81
Grand Memorial Arch, Campau Place, erected on Campau Place, Centennial Celebration, July 4, 1876. Graphic Clippings (2)	Box 3	Folder 25
Grand Opera House	Box 3	Folder 26
G.R. and I. Train Shed / Grand Rapids and Indiana	Box 3	Folder 27
The New Grand Rapids Art Museum : commemorating the Dedication, Sept. 17, 1981. P2004.037	Box 12	Folder 40
Grand Rapids Art Museum, Capital Campaign mailing / flyer with rendering [2005]	Box 12	Folder 41
Grand Rapids Brass Co. Factory	Box 3	Folder 28
Grand Rapids Brewing company. Graphic clipping. Pen and ink rendering. Source unknown. Formerly in Coll. 054	Box 3	Folder 28.5
Grand Rapids Brush Co. Factory	Box 3	Folder 29
Grand Rapids Central High School, ca, 1911-1912.	Box 3	Folder 30
Grand Rapids Cycle Co. Plant	Box 3	Folder 31
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Grand Rapids National Bank Building, Monroe at Pearl. Wigwam to Bank Building. Grand Rapids Press. Oct. 2, 1942.	Box 12	Folder 42

"Let's Take a Look at GR Police Headquarters. Detroit Free Press, May 20, 1963.	Box 12	Folder 43
The Board of Library Commissioners of the City of Grand Rapids, Michigan presents the completed central building of the Grand Rapids Public Library, May 1969. [pamphlet] 00.[801].	Box 12	Folder 44
Broadside. "Series on Our Library. Exhibits from Collection of Grand Rapids Public Library" n.d. [3 images shown correspond to those in the Hooper collection, which may be the referenced exhibit] 00.[1127].1	Box 9	
Grand Rapids Public Museum: Museum Buildings / by Laurence Vail Coleman. V. 1, A Planning Study. Washington, D.C., 1950. 00.[5329].1	Box 12	Folder 44.5
Memo. Feb. 21, 1995. Gordon Olson, City Historian to Mayor John Logie. RE Adaptive reused of the former Public Museum Building [on Jefferson] for the City Archives.	Box 12	Folder 44.6
Grand Rapids Refrigerator Co. Factory	Box 3	Folder 34
Grand Rapids Savings Bank Building, 60 Monroe, N.W. GR Herald. March 25, 1917. A Reel Feature of the Bank Construction : how the camera man viewed the skyscraper's progress week after week. Note: This article describes the progress of the constructions of the People's National Bank Building in 1915, then called the Grand Rapids Savings Bank.	Box 12	Folder 45
Revival at 60 Monroe = New Day for the Senators Pride. Grand Rapids Press. Wonderland. Mar. 16, 1975.	Box 12	Folder 45
The Grand Rapids Savings Bank [rendering, front facade], b/w photocopy	Box 9	
The Grand Rapids Savings Bank [rendering, front facade] 2007.038	Box FF.XIII.D	
Grand Rapids School Furniture Co., Foundry, Machine Shop, Lumber Sheds, etc.	Box 3	Folder 35
Grand Rapids Speedrome / Grand River Speedrome. Photograph. Aerial view of Speedrome with North Park Bridge left, Boat and Canoe Club in foreground at bottom of image. ca. 1940s. Paul C. Miller, Miller. Construction, photo. 2006.014	Box 5	Folder 9.5
Grand Rapids Study Club. Clubhouse, 427 James Ave, Grand Rapids. Architectural drawings. 6 blackline prints. Grand Rapids Study Club / Richard W. Wright, architect. 5/17/85. Sheets 1-6. Sheet 1. Site plan; Sheet 2. Basement plan; Sheet 3. First floor plan; Sheet 4. Second floor plan; Sheet 5. Photo elevations; Sheet 6. Detail page. 1986.028. Note: These drawings are officially attached to the Grand Rapids Study Class / Grand Rapids Study Club Coll.	Box 9	

082, but are housed here with other architecture related materials for access, housing and maintenance

Grand Rapids Trust Company. Trusts. Limited Edition copy. 1930. Illustrations by W.H. Groverman attached to pages throughout the volume show interior views and a front entrance detail. Formerly MKG332.G91. 00.[3189].1	Box 12	Folder 46
Grand Rapids Trust Company Blue Prints / Hansen-Snyder Company, 1926. Blueprints detailing sound insulation, heating system, fan room, machinery room, and basement heating plan. [2017.023]	Box FF. IX.B	
Grand Rapids Wastewater Treatment Plant. Ca. 1981	Box 12	Folder 47
Grand Trunk Depot. Laser photocopy of an illustration by Wm. G. Hopworth. 1905. 00.[1167].1	Box 12	Folder 48
Grandville Library, Kent District Library. Thank You note. 2004 with graphic of the Library on the front.	Box 3	Folder 36
Joel Guild House, 1833, [site now Campau Square]	Box 3	Folder 37
Joel Guild House, First Frame House in GR, Aug. 1833. Historic marker, photo. 1987.010	Box 5	Folder 5.5

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H.H. Chipman and Co. Addition to the City of Grand Rapids, Lot 15 property records, became 1139 Prospect SE [2019.103], 1886-1963	Box 12.5	Folder 32
Martin Sweet/William F. Hake House, Michigan and Ottawa NW, later the site of the Grand Rapids Press Building. Jackoboice Notes, 1965. Photocopy. Notes from a telephone call by George Jackoboice to Louis J. Hake. 1986.187	Box 12	Folder 49
Hans Berg Lodge, Magyar Entrance. 1. Booklet. Dedication of the Magyar Entrance at the Hans Berg Lodge, Mecosta County, Michigan. Illustrated. Gift of Berg. 00.[2011].; 2. Invitation card. July 25, 1943, with the look of wood grain.	Box 12	Folder 50
William Harrison Residence, West Bridge St., 1854, rebuilt 1890.	Box 3	Folder 38
Harrison Wagon Works ... See also Voigt Mills	Box 3	Folder 39
Frank A. Harvey House, 425 College S.E. / Annette Minasola. History and Theory of Historic Preservation. Kendall College of Art and Design. Jen Metz, Instructor. Nov. 2008. Student Paper. 2009.001.1	Box 33.2	
Damon Hatch Residence, Rose Road, later Cherry St. Excerpted remembrance from the Utley Family record in "Other Days and Other Ways, 1882-1909" by Blanche U. Miller, n.d. 1986.187	Box 12	Folder 51

Hayes Body Corporation, Grand Rapids Spectator, Mar. 24, 1928. Photo by Camera Shop, Inc.	Box 3	Folder 40
C.M. Heald Residence	Box 3	Folder 41
W.G. Herpolsheimer Residence	Box 3	Folder 42
[Highlands Country Club, W. Leonard Rd. at Oakleigh, ca. 1925] [Golf Course Club House] P2000.055	Box 5	Folder 6
J.C. Holt Residence [50 N. Lafayette] (2 copies)	Box 3	Folder 43
Holt House Research Project / Kathleen Sparling, Kendall College of Art and Design. Theory and Practice of Historical Preservation, Jen Metz, Instructor, Nov. 17, 2005. Student paper. 2006.012.4	Box 33	
Plan of a Cottage for W.C. Hopson / W.G. Robinson, n.d. 2005.044.1-18. Oversized photocopies.	Box 24	
Fifty Years of Looking Forward : the story of a man and the business he builded [built] G.R. : W.C. Hopson Co., 1932. 00.[3828].1	Box 12.5	Folder 23
[Hotel Rowe : Miscellaneous reference materials] 00. [5008]	Box 12	Folder 52
8. The Hotel Rowe. New Issue ... Grand Rapids Trust Company. [flyer RE stock issue]	Box 23	
68 Hovey Street. Grand Rapids, Mich. 1905-1910. 2011.043	Box 5	
Hummer House / Anne Marie Isaaaz, Nov. 17, 2006. Student project for the History of Theory of Historic Preservation class, Kendall College. 2007.072	Box 12	Folder 52.5

"I"

Chester F. Idema Residence, ca. 1917/1918. 29 Gay St. Williamson, Crow and Proctor, architects. Currently known as: Peaches Bed and Breakfast LTD. 2006.031

Title/Description	Instances	
Residence for Mr. C.F. Idema, Grand Rapids, Mich. / Williamson and Crow, architects. May 1, 1916. Project no. 368. Set of 4 original linen drawings: Basement, First Floor, Second Floor, Attic and Roof Plan.	Box FF.XIII.D	
Set of blueline prints for the drawings above.	Box RB4	
... Specifications for C.F. Idema Residence, Gay Avenue, Grand Rapids, Michigan / Williamson, Crow and Proctor, architects, Gilbert Building, Grand Rapids, Michigan. n.d. 2006.031		
1. Plumbing "1", 14 pgs.	Box 12	Folder 53

2. Electric "3", 11 pgs.	Box 12	Folder 54
3. Heating "5", 15 pgs.	Box 12	Folder 55
4. General "5", 43 pgs. OVERSIZE.	Box 9	
Clipping with image of the house in construction, source unknown, ca. 1917. From an Idema Scrapbook in Coll. 239. 00.[5009].1	Box 12	Folder 56
Grand Rapids Screen Co., Salesman Specification. C.F. Idema. Gay Ave., S.E. List of Window Screens. Jan. 2, 1917. 1 legal sized ledger type sheet.	Box 23	
Immanuel Lutheran Church, Division at Michigan. Historical published views from an unidentified source, written on old German. Grand Rapids in den funfziger Jahren. Die erste Immanuel kirche.	Box 3.5	
Immen House, 35 Lafayette Ave., N.E. 3 Robinson Studio Photos, n.d., 1947, 1951, the latter showing use as WGRD Radio Station (Paul Eichhorn) 1 unidentified newspaper clipping. 00.[1121].1-4	Box 5	Folder 7
Frederick Immen Residence [35 Lafayette, N.E.]	Box 3	Folder 44

"J"

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Garage for Mr. C.B. Judd, Grand Rapids, Mich. / Williamson and Crow, architects. July 10, 1909. (2) blueprints, fading. Plans, elevations and sections, including turntable for automobile	Box 10

"K"

Title/Description	Instances	
Kent County Courthouse [1892] / Sidney J. Osgood		
1.-2. 1892 pamphlet with image on the front. Includes: Court House Building Committee, County Officials, Cost of Building and Furnishings, Kent County Board of Supervisors. (2 copies)	Box 23	
3. Line of March and Order of Exercises at the Laying of the Corner Stone, Kent County Court House, July 4, 1889. [Program. Torn in two sheets]	Box 23	
4. [Graphic newspaper clipping] Fuller-Stowe Co. engraving. Publication in the Sunday Eagle. Aug. 5, 1888. + 2 regular photocopies of same.	Box 23	
5. "Have You a Picture of the Old Court House? / Mrs. P.L.Hamilton, Mrs. James H. Campbell ... Photocopy of an annotated draft. Legal paper.	Box 23	
Kent County Court House / [Grand Rapids] City Hall	Box 3	Folder 45

Kent County Courthouse. New Clock Tower / Tower Pinkster Titus. 2000.112. Press Release from county and design narrative and drawings from architects	Box 12	Folder 57
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[Mailer Flyer from Heritage Hill], n.d. Has "Ladies Literary Club site of march H H Chamber concert", with image plus other information on page. 00.[4017].1	Box 12	Folder 58
Lake Michigan Filtration Plant. [Dedication literature], September 1963. 00.[3258].1-7. Includes The Grand Rapids Water Store, a new chapter. Dedication. Sept. 17, 1963; Instructions for Participants. Sept. 17, 1963; flyer, Welcome to Grand Rapids' New Lake Michigan Filtration Plant. N.d.; Water on Tap for City Growth / by D.E. Hazelswart. Reprint from "The American City", Sept. 1963	Box 12	Folder 59

Ledyard Building, 125 Ottawa N.W.

Title/Description	Instances	
1. The Ledyard Block. N.d. "W.B. Ledyard's block has a front of 177 feet ..."	Box 12	Folder 60
2. Return to Glory : 113 year old downtown Ledyard Building is back – with class / Jim Hager. Grand Rapids Press, May 3, 1987. Photocopy.	Box 12	Folder 60
3. [New City Landmarks] n.d. Unidentified partial newspaper clipping with image caption "Artistic Merit of Ledyard Building is of 'national importance'. Photocopy.	Box 12	Folder 60
S.M. Lemon Residence [230 Jefferson Ave.] Graphic Clipping	Box 3	Folder 46
Leonard Refrigerator Company. New Porcelain Factory. Graphic Clipping	Box 3	Folder 47
Harold Linden House, 601 Second St., N.W. Real Estate List Slip: Image side enlarged + 2 copies of information side.	Box 12	Folder 61
Livingston Building [+ streetscape] Graphic Clipping	Box 3	Folder 48
Log Church, Zeeland, Michigan. 1849 [Postcard] 00. [631].1	Box 12	Folder 62
[Loomis House] / Dana Schmidt, Historic Preservation Theory and Practice, Kendall College of Art and Design. Jen Metz, Instructor. Nov. 17, 2005. Student Paper. 152 Prospect NE (126 Prospect) 2006.012.5	Box 33	
Lorraine Professional Building, Renovation Feasibility Study, 124 East Fulton Street, [5784].1	Box 20	

Edward Lowe Residence [365 Cherry]	Box 3	Folder 49
A History of Our House [Edward Lowe House] / Heritage Hill Psychological Associates, n.d. [3068].1	Box 12	Folder 62.5

LTC Henry A. Goss U.S. Army Reserve Center, 1234 Michigan St. NW. 2004.081-1-4

Title/Description	Instances	
1. Environmental Baseline Survey : Final Report : LTC. Henry A. Goss U.S. Army Reserve Center, 1234 Michigan St. NW / U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Louisville Dist. Prepared by Foster Wheeler Environmental Corp., Huntsville, Ala. Jan. 2004	Box 12	Folder 63
2. Finding of Suitability to Transfer. Aug. 2004	Box 12	Folder 63
3. Correspondence to Martha Richardson, Fusion Properties, Ada, Mi. Apr. 13, 2004. RE: Report of limited Phase II Environmental Site Assessment ... PM Environmental, inc., Project no. 40-065.	Box 12	Folder 63
4. Correspondence to Michael McGuire, Aug. 10, 2004. RE Public Review of 2004.081 documents until Sept. 14, 2004.	Box 12	Folder 63

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Bishop Furniture Company Building / Masonic Temple [1989.013]	Box 12	Folder 64
[Masonic Lodge interiors] [photocopies] 1. The Best-Kept Secret in Town / story by Michael Clark; press photos by Jay C. Abbott. Grand Rapids Press, Mar. 22, 1981. 2. [Best-Kept Secret in Town Presentation : the Masonic Lodge in the Bishop Furniture Co. Building / author and presenter, Michael Clark, 1981] Includes the script and 27 slides.	Box 12	Folder 64
Masonic Lodge/Temple, Slides for Clark presentation above, in plastic slide box as received, inside acid free gray slide box.	Box 31	
Masonic Temple, 233 E. Fulton. 1989.013. Includes 1. The Masonic Temple of Grand Rapids, Michigan "A Registered State Historical Building" / Notes prepared by the Masonic Temple Association Staff, ca. 1985. 2. Endowment Fund. Our Masonic Temple, Grand Rapids, Michigan. Ca. 1989.	Box 12	Folder 65
Masonic Temple Association. Report on the Proposed Addition to the Grand Rapids Masonic Temple, 1923/1924 Formerly M725.8.R299. c. 1 1987.018.11. c. 2 00.[3325].1	Box 12	Folder 66

Masonic Temple, Grand Rapids, Mich. / Osgood and Osgood, architects. [Rendering]	Box 23	
Masonic Temple (Bishop Furniture Building). Rowson Bros., Contractors. [4 part view, including exterior, and 3 interiors, ca. 1897.	Box 3	Folder 50
Mathius Alten House, 1203 Hope, S.E. Grand Rapids Herald, Sept. 1, 1940. Clipping, photocopy of image with caption of purchase by John C. Henton.	Box 12	Folder 67
McCabe-Marlow House, 74 Lafayette Ave., N.E., Misc. literature. 00.[5046].1-2. 1. McCabe-Marlow House : a history, Sept. 1981. Cover title: The McCabe-Marlowe House : a House of History to Complement a Tradition of Excellence [Pamphlet, w restoration pledge card] A House of History to Complement a Tradition of Excellence / Grand Rapids Junior College pamphlet.	Box 12	Folder 67.5
McCabe-Marlow House - [Invitation] Grand Rapids Junior College Foundation, Christmas Open House. Sketch of house by Nancy Clouse, 1980, on front.	Box 12	Folder 68
McCabe-Marlow House - Heritage Hill Home to become part of JC Campus. "GRJC Point" Clippings. Apr. 1980.	Box 12	Folder 68
McCabe-Marlow House - A House of History to Complement a Tradition of Excellence / Grand Rapids Juion College Pamphlet, w restoration pledge card.	Box 12	Folder 68
McCabe-Marlow House - Historic House's Renovation Continues / by Lynn Afendoulis. "Grand Rapids Press", n.d. Photocopy of clipping.	Box 12	Folder 68
John McConnell Residence, cor. S. Division and Wealthy, built 1850, photo ca. 1860-1865.	Box 3	Folder 51
McKenna House, Cascade Rd. at East Beltline, 2005.017. Work done by Jen Metz and student of Kendall Historical Preservation class. 2004. Includes sketches, family history, color photographs (34), copies of images, Will (photocopy), property documents (photocopies)	Box 27	Folder 1
Memorial Pillars,[Fulton Street Park] and Ryerson Public Library [1930]	Box 3	Folder 52
Metz Building, 110-116 Fulton St. 2 Clippings, photocopies: For Sale. Six-Story Building ... [Fall 1971]; Demolition of Metz Building Starts; no plans for land / Ralph Truax. Grand Rapids Press, [1971]	Box 12	Folder 69
Metz House, 600 Cherry St. / Sarah Nagy. History and Theory of Historic Preservation. Kendall College of Art and Design. Jen Metz, Instructor. Nov. 2008. Student Paper. 2009.001.1	Box 33.2	

Meyer May House / Frank Lloyd Wright, architect (1908)

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Brochure. Frank Lloyd Wright. Meyer May House, Grand Rapids, Michigan / Steelcase, Inc., 1987.	Box 12	Folder 70
[5 postcards, color illus. Of rooms] Steelcase, 1989. P2000.044	Box 12	Folder 71
Booklet. The Mayer May House, Grand Rapids, Michigan. 00.[3567].1-3	Box 12	Folder 72
Meyer May House general postcard, n.d. + 2008 Steelcase website print. 00.[5309].1-2	Box 12	Folder 72.5
Photographs: photo, n.d. [2000.027]; Photo, color, n.d. ca. 1960-1970. 00.[582].1	Box 5	Folder 8
Brochure. Frank Lloyd Wright, Meyer May House, Grand Rapids, Michigan. Steelcase, 1989. 00.[3059].1	Box 17.5	Folder 31
[Meyer May House Docents Training Manual] 00. [3060].1 Note: See another version at M728.3.T682, which has additional content not given in the binder in Coll. 254	Box 17.5	Folder 32
A Great Architect with Love for Nature and Lots of Fight / Meryle Secrest. Pgs. 54-60 Source unknown. Has a brief mention of the Meyer May House on page 59.	Box 17.5	Folder 30
Michigan Barrel Company, 670 N. Canal St., original buildings 1870. [Etching]	Box 3	Folder 53

Monroe Avenue Filtration Plant / Grand Rapids Filtration Plant. 1430 Monroe Avenue Water Filtration Plant, built 1912, enlarged 1924. GR Landmark 1980

Title/Description	Instances	
1. A Landmark in Transition : the Monroe Avenue Water Plant. [oversized book] Formerly M628.164.L235. 1998.017.	Box 9	
Gordon Olson's file re historical documentation and proposed reuse, ca. 1991-1995. ca. 18 items. 1998.017. Includes: 1. Filtration Plant Turns Muddy Flow of River into Safe, Sparkling Water. Grand Rapids Magazine, ca. 1939; 2.-3. Oct. 17, 1992 Program. 2 typed sheets. + blue flyer with image; 5 9 Color photos; 6 4x5; 44 4x6	Box 12	Folder 74
Souvenir, 25th Anniversary, GR Filtration Plant, Open House, Dec. 2-4, 1937. 00.[1757].1-3	Box 12	Folder 75
Construction photo, n.d., 11 x 19.5 copy photoprint, 2001.123	Box 4	
Monroe Center Ramp, 60 Ottawa Avenue N.W. / Parking Services, City of Grand Rapids. August 2003. Facilities opening announcement card. 00.[2575].1	Box 12	Folder 76

John B. Moon/Frederick Shriver House, 240 Lyon St./163 Lafayette, N.E. Lyon at Lafayette in Heritage Hill. The Moon-Shriver Home / Mike Cromwell. July 12, 1984.	Box 12	Folder 76.5
263/264 Morris Ave., S.E. / Sarah Rosenberg, History and Theory of Historic Preservation. Kendall College of Art and Design. Jen Metz, Instructor. Nov. 2008. Student Paper. 2009.001.1	Box 33.2	
Michigan Trust Building, 40 Pearl St., N.W., Graphic Clipping	Box 3	Folder 54
Michigan Trust Building, Note card. Breemer [sic, Beaman], architect, etc.	Box 12	Folder 77
Michigan Trust Building: Horse-whipping, Suicide and other asides on a historic building / Tom LaBelle. Grand Rapids Press?, Mar. 29, 1983.	Box 23	
The Air-conditioned Morton House : Grand Rapids Most Modern Hotel. [flyer with floor plan] ca. 1960? 00. [1964].1	Box 12	Folder 78
New Morton Hotel, Grand Rapids, Michigan : historical and descriptive / Will H. Bingham, editor. Printed by the Morton Print Shop, 1926. Includes information on National and Hinsdell Hotels, formerly on the same site as the Morton. 00.[5713].1	Box 12	Folder 78.1
Mt. Mercy College, Grand Rapids, Photographs / L. Brielmaier and Sons Co., Architects, Milwaukee. n.d. 2007.109.1-5	Box 5	Folder 9.3
A.S. Musselman Residence / Osgood and Waddell, n.d. 5 Ink on Linen.	Box 224	Folder 11

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Old North Ionia School, printed photo by T.B. Perkins and Co. Grand Rapids Mirror, Summer 1940.	Box 3	Folder 55

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Title/Description	Instances	
Oakwood Manor, Cherry at Union. 1. The Oakwood Manor : a manor of homes, n.d. Received date stamp is Sept. 21, 1933. 00.[5103].1 2. Kinsey and Buys Apartment co., owners of Oakwood Manor Apartments. Apr. 19, 1928. Correspondence/flyer, includes and image of the building in the letterhead under the building number, images, floor plan, and other specifications. 00. [5103].2	Box 12	

Old National Bank, Monroe at Pearl. Ad "Big Man". Printed on the back of the cover of Grand Rapids Progress magazine v. 8, no. 4, Apr. 1919. 00.[3054].19	Box 12	Folder 80
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Osgood Home, 317 Logan St. S.E. (Razed). [Photocopy of Real Estate Listing Slip, image side only] Residence of the architects, Osgood and Osgood, and also believed designed/constructed by them.	Box 3	
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Ottawa Hills High School/Iroquois Middle School, Fisk and Iroquois Sts. Note: Several sets received as accession 2009.037, in March 2009, in anticipation of the demolition of this building. The sets are modern copies of historical architectural drawings which are perhaps themselves copies. There are in two batches of drawings, each batch stapled at the left. Batch 1 has drawings from one File/Project no., while Batch 2 has drawings from several different project numbers, at different times.

Title/Description	Instances
Batch 1. Ottawa Hills High School, Grand Rapids, Mi. / Henry H. Turner, Victor E. Thebaud, architects, 919 Michigan Trust Building, Grand Rapids, Michigan. Dec. 31, 1923. File no. 286 [Project no. 286] "Plumbing and General" is visible under the title block of some drawings. [19 Architectural Drawings, copies, black on white] This set has drawing nos. [1], 2-11, 13-20.	Box FF.XIV.B
Batch 2. [set 1]Addition to Ottawa Hills High School, Grand Rapids, Mi. / H.H. Turner, V.E. Thebaud, architects, 928 Michigan Trust Building, Grand Rapids, Michigan. [Project no.] 286-A, Dec. 1928 [5 Architectural Drawings, copies, black on white] This partial set includes drawing nos. 1-3, 6-7	Box FF.XIV.B
Batch 2 [set 2]Second Addition to Ottawa Hills High School, Grand Rapids, Mi. / Henry .H. Turner, architects, Wm. W. Bradfield, Mechanical Engineer, Michigan Trust Building, Grand Rapids, Michigan. [Project no.] 286-B, May 20, 1930. [11 Architectural Drawings, copies, black on white] This set has drawing nos. 1-11	Box FF.XIV.B
Batch 2. [set 3]Iroquois Middle School, Grand Rapids, Michigan / Judson Jones, architect. 634 Paris S.E. July 20, 1978. [Project no.] 78-002 [5 Architectural Drawings, copies, black on white] Has drawing nos. B1-1, 1-4	Box FF.XIV.B
Batch 2 [set 4]Ottawa Hills High School, Grand Rapids, Michigan. Stage Lighting, etc. / Max A. Lett, Mech. Engr., 601 Mich. Trust Building. April 28?, 1999 (or 1959)	Box FF.XIV.B

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The Hotel Pantlind, c. 1922	Box 12.5	Folder 1
An Entire City Block of Hospitality : Pantlind Hotel	Box 12.5	Folder 1
Envelopes, Pantlind Hotel, ca 1916	Box 12.5	Folder 1
Pantlind Building Company flyer, ca. 1913. Includes a sketched rendering by "Brodon" (?), and a map of the area with streets and building labels, including the Wonderly Bldg., the Site of new Interurban and Street railway Terminal, Rannville, Powers Opera House, and other organizations.	Box 12.5	Folder 2
Conclax, Ind. Pantlind Hotel Liquidation Sales, ca.1979? Sales catalog, Flyer: Here's how you get in on the greatest sale in Michigan's history.	Box 12.5	Folder 3
Peter J. Parbel, Sr. Home, 448 Coit, N.E. (at Hastings), 1 b/w 8x10 copy photo. Needs plastic sleeve. 2001.022	Box 5	Folder 10
New Parcel Post Building, Cherry St. and Commerce Ave. "Grand Rapids Spectator", Nov. 19, 1927. Photo by Camera Shop.	Box 3	Folder 56
Proposed Plans for the Enlargement and Improvement of Park (First) Congregation Church, Grand Rapids, Michigan, 1929. Formerly MKG726.P21. 00.[3187].1	Box 12.5	Folder 4
Park Place. 68 Ransom St., Originally built as Hoffman Apartments, 1904. [Unprocessed architectural drawings] 2003.019	Box 21	
Old Peaselee Homestead (Butterworth St. at end of Gold St. West side) [Bad photocopy or microfilm copy]	Box 3	Folder 57
Peninsular Club [1885]	Box 3	Folder 58
Alterations at the Peninsular Club, G—R--, Mich. / Robinson and Campau, Arch'ts. No. 804. Made by Quinn. Aug. 12, 1909. Issue no. 971. (2) Blueprints. Sheet A-1. First floor plan. Sheet A-2. Second floor plan.	Box 10	
Peoples National Bank Building, Downtown Landmark Restored / Ralph Truax. "Grand Rapids Press", June 28, 1973. (2 photocopies)	Box 12.5	Folder 5
[Phoenix Furniture Co. Building recordation] 1989.005. Photocopies. 1. Phoenix Building Report, Oct. 26, 1988 / GVSU Board of Control. 2. Historic Phoenix Furniture Co. Building : an adaptive use feasibility study / Richard C. Frank FAIA, c1988. GVSU, University Properties Inc.	Box 12.5	Folder 6
Plainfield Ave. Methodist Church, Plainfield and Madison Aves.	Box 3	Folder 59

The Plaster Mills : a pioneer industry which has continued. "Grand Rapids Mirror", May-June 1934. Reprint. 00.[2317].1. Formerly Vertical File.	Box 12.5	Folder 7
The Old and The News : Powers Theatre Building, 119-135 Pearl St., N.W. / owned and operated by the Powers Theatre Building Assoc., [ca. 1915] [Includes images of 1875, 1892, and 1915 buildings] c.1 Formerly M651.1.P875 00.[511].1	Box 12.5	Folder 8
The Old and The News : Powers Theatre Building, 119-135 Pearl St., N.W.: c.2 00.[630].1 with original envelop	Box 12.5	Folder 8.1
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Quigley Estate (former), 1255 Flora, N.W. 1 8x10 b/w copy photo, with historical notes. 2001.025	Box 5	Folder 11
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Rainbow Towers (never built), 186 Monroe Ave., N.W. Planned address. Includes letter, marketability analysis, articles, preliminary architectural drawings. 1974. 00. [499].1-6	Box 12.5	Folder 9
Reynolds Flexible Asphalt Shingles / H.M. Reynolds Asphalt Shingles Co. G.R. : Schuil Printing Co., n.d. (ca. 1914 ; City directory includes ad with same illustration) P2004.002. Contains images of the following, with most highlighted in color to represent Reynolds asphalt shingles : LaGrave St. Christian Reformed Church (cover); H.M. Reynolds Asphalt Shingle Co. new mill under construction; Residence of M.C. Huggett, 319 Morris Ave., S.E.; Residence of A. Nachtegall, 730 Turner Ave., N.W.; Residence of H.E. Rhodes, morris Ave., S.E.; Grand Rapids Home / Pierre Lindhout, architect; Grand rapids Home / Thos. Benjamin and Sons, architects, Louis Holtman, builder; Residence of Dr. J.J. Rooks, 802 Bates St., S.E.; New Grand Rapids Residence / John Heckman, builder; Shingles examples on backcover.	Box 12.5	Folder 10
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River Stone House at Front Ave. and Sixth Street.	Box 3	Folder 61
Dr. A. Robinson Dental Office and Residence, 44 and 46 Sheldon St.	Box 3	Folder 62
Rosa Parks Circle. "Grand Rapids Magazine" Special Edition. Sept. 6, 2001 Dedication.	Box 12.5	Folder 11

Rowe House. 226 Prospect Avenue NE. Katie Fisher. Jen Metz's Kendall College Historic Preservation Class. October 2011, 2012.010	Box 36	
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Sacred Heart Academy, E. Fulton Road, Kent Co.	Box 3	Folder 64
The Second Evangelical Church, to be erected at cor. Griggs and Horton Aves., Grand Rapids, Michigan. Rev. J.W. Wales, Pastor / J. and G. Daverman, architects (over Kent Co. Bank) Plans(2), elevations(4) and sections(1) Sheet nos. 1-7 (7) blueprints.	Box 10	
M. Shanahan Residence	Box 3	Folder 65
George F. Sinclair House, 126 Madison St., S.E., formerly 26 Madison. Exterior. Heritage Hill. P2003.024	Box 4	
Charles R. Sligh Residence	Box 3	Folder 66
South Congregational Church. The "Message" v. 1, no. 12, July 1886.	Box 12.5	Folder 12
South Grand Rapids High School. [Note verso: E Elementary school (with cupola), High School south entrance on Kirtland and Buchanan (Buchanan – tall trees. Burton Elementary School not on same site.)	Box 3	Folder 67
Henry Spring Residence.	Box 3	Folder 68
Squires Opera House, Canal St. between Bridge and Erie. From Wurzburg's 1947 Calendar. (Squier's Opera House)	Box 3	Folder 69
Cathedral of St. Andrews / Quinn Evans, Architects. Web page, Apr. 17, 2005, RE: Restoration	Box 12.5	Folder 13
St. Cecilia Society Buildings, 24-30 Ransom Av., N.E. / Michigan History Division, Mich. Dept. of State. [flyer]	Box 12.5	Folder 14
St. James Catholic Church, West Bridge St.	Box 3	Folder 70
St. Joseph's Home for the Aged, Grand Rapids (never built). Photograph of an architectural rendering showing the exterior facade and landscape / Elmer A Johnson [illustrator] ; E. Brielmaier and Sons Co., Architects, Milwaukee, Wis. 1945. "Carmelite Sisters Owners"--on rendering lower left. 2007.109.708	Box 5	Folder 11.3
Blackline print of "St. Joseph's Home" Rendering of a building from the front. (2 copies) 2007.109.7-8	Box 10	
The Rite of Dedication for the church of St. Robert of Newminster, Ada, Mi. Oct. 25, 1998. Most Rev. Robert J. Rose, Bishop of G.R. [pamphlet] 1999.120	Box 12.5	Folder 15

Star Transfer Line Offices and Warehouse [First all-concrete building erected in G.R.] "Grand Rapids Spectator", Nov. 5, 1927.	Box 3	Folder 71
Steelcase Inc. Corporate Development Center, Gaines Township. (2, b/w 8x10 photos)	Box 5	Folder 11.5
Steelcase Inc. Corporate Headquarters Building. (1 b/w 8x10 photo)	Box 5	Folder 11.6
Steketees ; Paul Steketee and Sons. "Steketees to build fine new store" Grand Rapids Press. Dec. 22, 1915. [Original newspaper clipping] Includes rendering by Robinson and Campau, architects. 00.[2814].1	Box 23	
The History of the Stone Family and of Stone Hills / by Sister M. Edwardine Sands. G.R. : Catholic Central H.S., 1946. 00.[657].1 photocopy	Box 12.5	Folder 16
Short History and Description of the Place / F.S. Stone, 1930. Laser Copy, source unknown. + 3 images: 1 Laser image, source unknown. "This may be the Main house" 2 Photocopies of Photos, Greenhouse, exterior and interior. P2000.048	Box 5	Folder 12
V. Stuart Residence / Kenneth C. Welch, architect, 1937. 2 blueprints.	Box FF.VIII.A.	
Studley House, 64 Prospect Ave. N.E. / Lynda Owen. History and Theory of Historic Preservation. Kendall College of Art and Design. Jen Metz, Instructor. Nov. 14, 2005. Student Paper. 2006.012.3	Box 33	
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William and Mattie (Hannah) Stuart Residence, 533 (217) Paris St. 1 8x10 b/w copy photo, ca. 1889. 2001.097	Box 5	Folder 13
The Stuyvesant, State St., Cherry St. at Madison St. / Grand Rapids Savings Bank	Box 12.5	Folder 17
Stable for Mr. Sweet at Grand Rapids, Mich. / T. Roney Williamson, Archt., Philadelphia, Pa. Illustration no. 870 from American Architect and Building News, Aug. 27, 1892. P2009.031	Box 9	
Sweet's Hotel	Box 3	Folder 73
Sweet's on Campau Square, 1967. Thornapple Press. Oversized postcard, SW-25 2004.025c	Box 12.5	Folder 18

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Warehouse Bldg. For the Texas Company at Grand Rapids, Mich. / F.W. Burgstahler and Sons, Contractors. N.d. Floor plan and sections. Blueprint.	Box 10

The Texas Company, 17 Battery Place, New York, Length Warehouse and Lub, Oil-Fill House. June 23, 1925. Plans, elevations and sections. Drawing nos. 9263-9266.(4) Blueprints. [Architectural Drawings Collection #1]	Box 10	
Louis Timmerman Residence, 1451 Garfield N.W., Abstract of Title, 1949, 2016.054	Box 36	
O. and W. Thum Co. Tanglefoot (fly paper) Factory	Box 3	Folder 74
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Turner House, 731 Front Ave., N.W. [oldest stone building on westside]	Box 12.5	Folder 19
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431 Turner N.W., Grand Rapids, MI, 2011.043	Box 20	
1212 Dunham SE, Abstract of Title, 1937	Box 36	
Abstract of Title of the Deming Addition, Lot 21, 14 Ottillia SE, Grand Rapids, Michigan [2020.023]	Box 36	
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Title/Description	Instances	
UNIDENTIFIED Houses [1] Possible Heritage Hill, pre-1900? 330 X Street on house in foreground. 00. [538].1	Box 6	
Union High School. Memories of School Days ... Dec. 4, 1923. 00.[629].1	Box 12.5	Folder 20
Union Station [architectural drawings] / D.H. Burnham and Co., Architects, Aug. 16, 1899. Drawing nos. 1-4, [5-6] Blueline prints. Encapsulated. ca. 68.5 x 39 inches. 00.[2296].1-6	Box Top of FF	
United States Post Office, Explosion. Rear of Building, view showing debris. Aug. 12, 1924	Box 5	Folder 13.5
E.F. Uhl Residence	Box 3	Folder 77
New [Old] Union Passenger Station. Grand Rapids Furniture Record, Dec. 15, 1900, p. 193. [Rendering]	Box 3	Folder 78
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Valley City Hospital, n.d. P2002.037	Box 12.5	Folder 21
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Van Andel Arena grand opening materials; The Grand Entrance event program and publication about the new arena, 1996-10-06	Box 12.5	Folder 33

Van Andel Museum Center Public Museum of Grand Rapids, dedication materials [2021.119], 1994	Box 12	Folder 83
Variety Fire Door Co., Shop Order No. 46352. [For] F.W. Burgstahler and Sons. Drawn by Buell. Dec. 2, 1925. (2) Blueprints.	Box 10	
Voigt Milling Co. Mills / C.G.A. Voigt and Co. Mills	Box 3	Folder 80
Voigt House, 115 College S.E., various fliers, pamphlets and articles	Box 12.5	Folder 22
Voigt House : Grand Rapids only living museum / compiled by the Voigt House Committee, April, 1977. Formerly M917.7456.V871. 00.[3061].1	Box 17.5	Folder 34

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Title/Description	Instances	
School Building for District No. 7, Walker Township, Kent County, Michigan. / Frank P. Allen and Son, architects, 463 Houseman Bldg., Grand Rapids, Mich. Plan no. 2644. Feb. 20, [19]23. (2) Blueprints, attached at left. Sheet no. 1 Floor plans and elevations, Sheet no. 2 Miscellaneous details.	Box 10	
Wallin Leather Co.	Box 3	Folder 81
The Waters Building : Successful Rejuvenation Boosts Downtown Moral / by Betty Williamson. "Grand Rapids Magazine", July 1973.	Box 12.5	Folder 24
Waters Building Packet, 161 Ottawa Ave., N.W. Includes history, articles, data sheet, floor plans, tenant occupancy, fliers, business card. 00.[636].1-14	Box 12.5	Folder 25
The Waters Building directory [2019.058], 1946	Box 12.5	Folder 30
Dudley Waters home, interior, 20 College 1930s [2021.045]	Box 12.5	Folder 34
Water Main Across Grand River at Grand Rapids, Mich / by W.R. Coats, C. and S., S.E., Sept. 1886.—top center. 3 images, ink on paper + 2 photos taped to the same paper. [1] [Elevation], [2] Enlarged side elevation of water main and false work, [3] Photo of line at rest of false work, [4] Photo of line in process of lowering, [5] Enlarged cross section of water main. J.C. Perkins, Draughtsman, ? ? Verso has: W.R. Coats / Jackson.	Box OVE FF	
Major [A.B.] Watson House/Martha A., Cor. (200/300) Fulton and Sheldon, ca. 1880s. 00.[637].1-3. Reproduction images made by Blue Print Service Shop, Feb. 16, 1931. Location of original unknown. 1 Photostat Negative 35, 2 Photostat Positive 25	Box 5	Folder 14
Watson's Garage, 62-64 Commerce Ave. / Alexander McColl. Rendering of the building, perhaps also designed	Box 12.5	Folder 25.5

by architect McColl. From: "Grand Rapids Progress" Ad. v. 9-10 after pg. 28, Sept. 1921.

Westminster Presbyterian Church : address delivered by Moses Taggart, Oct. 1911 at the Semi-Centennial. 00. [1081].1	Box 12.5	Folder 26
William Widdicomb Residence (2) [Man w early cycle in yard]	Box 3	Folder 82
William Steele Packing and Provision Co. Works and Cattleyards [Tracks, barrels and people on loading dock]	Box 3	Folder 83
WMTA's Hospitality House is an Historic Site : City's Oldest Business Building, built in 1856 / B.G. Brown. [Oliver Blake (Bleake) Store, Fulton St. at La Grave Ave.]	Box 12.5	Folder 27
Women's City Club, 254 E. Fulton St. /Sweet House. History of the Women's City Clubhouse, n.d.; Has Club seal with image of the house top center on the sheet.	Box 12.5	Folder 27.5
J.H. Wonderly Residence [375 Cherry, 1897] Bayne Eng. Co. image	Box 3	Folder 84
The Wonderly Building + A Sketch of the Life of Joseph Harrison Wonderly, 1833-1905. Author unknown. Two typed sheets, photocopied.	Box 12.5	Folder 28
Wonderly Building, Campau Square. Bird's eye view. Contact print from an unidentified printed source. Neg. 3185.	Box 5	Folder 14.5
Woolworth Building, Pearl St. /Store Here Will Open for Business ..."Grand Rapids Press". June 28, 1939.	Box 12.5	Folder 29
Frederick A. Wurzburg House, Robinson at Plymouth, Designer Showcase House 2000 research and report / Rebecca J. Mayne	Box 2	
Wurzburg Department Store, ca. 1940s / Paul C. Miller Construction, photograph. 1 sheet with 3 images of building with a crane in use. 2006.014	Box 5	Folder 9.5

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Title/Description	Instances	
Yeakey House, 511 Morris S.E. / Audrey Potter. History and Theory of Historic Preservation. Kendall College of Art and Design. Jen Metz, Instructor. Nov. 2008. Student Paper. 2009.001.1	Box 33.2	
Young and Chaffee Furniture Co., 122-128 Ottawa Ave., [sketch by C.A. Mallette] From: Inaugural Masonic Fair, Nov. 1918, pg. 32.	Box 3	Folder 85
The George L. Young Building : historical sketch of the Bishop's Building / prepared for the GR Historic Preservation Commission, by Robert Lee Wold and Assoc., n.d. [photocopy with handwritten notes at end]	Box 12.5	Folder 30

YMCA. 2 copy photos. 00.[514].1-2. West. Addition, 1967. Photo of a model or drawing(?); South, Proposed, 1967. Photo of a rendering of proposed building.	Box 5	Folder 15
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Series IV. Corporate Groups of Buildings

Scope and Contents

Included here are building groups that are constructed for a singular function, such as structures for a zoo, airports, fairgrounds, malls, etc. Individual buildings from these groups may also be found in the Building series. These may be groups that sit together in one landscape, or are scatter geographically, such as bank buildings all from one firm.

Title/Description	Instances
Grand Rapids Gravel Industrial Park. [brochure, with map]. 00.[2719].1	Box 13
John Ball Park Historic District Study Committee. Final Report. Jan. 2002 [photocopy] 00.[2802].1	Box 13
The John Ball Zoological Gardens, City of Grand Rapids, Mich. / prepared by McFadzean, Everly and Associates, Mt. Prospect, Il. Nov. 1979. Site map and planting plan. Fulton St to Park St., Valley Avenue to I-196. Blueline print. 2009.052	Box FF.XIII.D
Airport Drainage and Surfacing : report to American Engineering Council by a Committee of the Grand Rapids Engineers' Club of Grand Rapids, Michigan. Dec. 1930. Formerly MKG629.144.G76. 00.[3409].1	Box 13
Kent County Airport, ca. 1940. Photograph. Aerial view. Paul C. Miller Construction, photo. 2006.014	Box 5 Folder 9.5

Old Kent Bank Buildings / Old National Bank

Title/Description	Instances
Grand Rapids Progress clipping. V. 8, no. 4, Apr. 1919. Verso of title page has "Big Men" Old National Bank add, with image of lobby. 00.[3054].19	Box 12
The Merger of The Old National Bank and Kent State Bank of Grand Michigan, April 20, 1929. Cover title: Old Kent Bank, Grand Rapids, Michigan, Nineteen Hundred Twenty Nine. Note: Includes images of three downtown banks, eleven branch banks, and the managers and officers. c. 1 00.[2993].1; c. 2 00.[3054].18.	Box 13
Three articles from Michigan "Trademan" 1. Old Kent Bank and Trust Company : Has its foundations in Michigan's Pioneer past ... Oversized clipping, source unknown. Ca. 1971.; 2. Of Grand Rapids, by Grand	Box 24

Rapids, for Grand Rapids. Feb. 20, 1941. Includes information on Henry Idema, Board Chairman, plus images of directors and officers. Has image of plaque RE Louis Campau 1827, on the Pearl and Monroe Ave. Building. 3. A Centennial of Banking Service. Clipping, pgs. 11-14, Feb. 25, 1953. 1853-1953 data.

110th Anniversary, 1853-1963. [flyer] Has a map locating all of the banks in 1963, plus images of the banks and managers. Box 24

Rivertown Crossings Mall Directory [flyer with stores map and area location map] + Pink flyer: Welcome Michigan Women's Bowling Association Box 13

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Series V. Streetscapes, Riverviews and Vistas

A. Grand Rapids Views

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Canal Street - Graphic Clippings (3). pg. 9, source unknown [1897] Loftus, photo. "Canal Street, North from Monroe Street"; pg. 69, source unknown. Includes Redmond Grand Opera House, with Hotel Grand nearby. "Canal Street from Bridges Street [Michigan], looking South; "Canal Street". Source unknown. North from Campau Square with First National Bank at left.	Box 3	Folder 86
Carnival Snap Shots, Oct. 26-29, 1897. 20 photos, includes various city streets and buildings, street views with houses, lots of people, banners, floats, viewing stands, etc. From the Estate of Mrs. M.R.(Anna) Bissell. Ref. Note: The Godfrey Anderson Coll. Photo #394 has an image identical to #8 in Mrs. Bissell's book. He identifies the event as the Carnival of Fun, Oct. 26-29, 1897. Including City Hall; Campau Square; Sweet Hotel, Canal and Pearl; [Williamsburgh]City Fire Insurance Co., 6 Canal; Adams Express Co., 39 Pearl St.; Spring Co.; Foster and Stevens, 10-12 N. Monroe; Alaska Fur. Co. building, 14 ½ N. Division; Corl, Knott and Co., 20-22 N. Division.; A.J. Brown Co., seeds, 24 N. Division; Duggan Bros. Horseshoers, 36 N. Division.; Mayhew Fine Shoes, 86 Monroe; Pecks Drug Store, Peck Bros. 129-131 Monroe; Morton House, Monroe and N. Ionia; Mme. Hibbard Hair Bazaar[Mrs. Barbara] hair dresser, 39 Monroe; [Studley and Jarvis, bicycles, 45 Monroe]; Blodgett Block Furniture Exposition [Blodgett Block, , 13-23 S. Ionia]; J.W. Closterhouse, real estate, 74 Monroe.; O.E. Flanagan, 35 Porter Blk.	Box 16	
Cherry and Madison. pg. 13. Source unknown [1897] Loftus, photo.	Box 3	Folder 87

Cherry at Union; Source unknown [1897]. Loftus, photo.	Box 3	Folder 88
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Division Ave. (3) Beginning to Widen Division Ave. Camera Shop photo , the Grand Rapids Spectator, Apr. 21, 1928 (2 copies); Appears to be the Cody Hotel across the street right, which would make the cross street Fulton; The New Division Avenue, North from Maple Street. Camera Shop photo, from Grand Rapids Spectator, Oct. 20, 1928. Wingar's is seen in the distance on the left.	Box 3	Folder 90
Fulton St. (2). pg. 21, Source unknown. View on Fulton Street, North Side [1897] Loftus, photo. Houses.; Looking Westward in the Wider East Fulton Street from Barclay Avenue. Camera Shop photo, in the Grand Rapids Spectator, June 14, 1930.	Box 3	Folder 91
James Street South from Cherry Street [1897] Loftus Photo. G.R. Eng. Co. Fire Hydrant on corner	Box 3	Folder 92
Lafayette St. Residences on South Lafayette Street. Source unknown; View on Lafayette Avenue.	Box 3	Folder 93
S. Lafayette at Washington St. 2001.018	Box 3.5	
Monroe Avenue, 1890: "Do you Drink White and White's Ice Cream Soda? ..." [Reproduction Stereocard] G.R. : Thornapple Press, 1967. Photo from the collection of Don's Book Store, 1201 Butler S.E. G.R. Includes: Morton House (Monroe and N. Ionia), Steketee's Dry Goods, street car #233 for Wealthy/Scribner, ca. 1890. c. 1-2 00. [583].1-2; c. 3 2004.025.1	Box 3.5	
Monroe St. SE toward Division and Fulton, including Wonderly Building, Foster Stevens and Co., Republican Headquarters County Committee sign	Box 3	Folder 94
Monroe St. NW from Division and Fulton, including Strak Bros. and Sanders; BJ Reynolds; Lunn House	Box 3	Folder 95
Plainfield Road: Widened Pavement on Plainfield Road Speeds up Traffic in and out of Grand Rapids. Grand Rapids Spectator, Oct. 19, 1929. Camera Shop Photo.	Box 3	Folder 96
Sheldon Avenue, Wider Sheldon Avenue, Looking North from the Browning Hotel. Grand Rapids Spectator, Nov. 16, 1929. Camera Shop photo.	Box 3	Folder 97
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Looking West from Bridge Street	Box 3	Folder 99
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28th/29th Streetscape	Box 3	Folder 101
Brookby House, 250 Plymouth SE	Box 3	Folder 102

Underhill Avenue SW 919-937 Godfrey Avenue SW, view of Stickley Brothers Box 3 Folder 103

West Side Views - Summer, Winter, Blumrich, Allen and Mt. Vernon Streets. Ca. August 1995, during the demolition period of the buildings depicted. Includes aerial photograph annotated with corresponding red image numbers; master list of images with addresses; contact prints; 35mm negatives. Accession 2006.103.

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Contact Print 6A. 100-108 Winter NW	Box 5	Folder 14.3
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36. 227 Summer NW	Box 5	Folder 14.3
37. 233 Summer NW (also 223 Summer NW, cf. 21A and 22A)	Box 5	Folder 14.3
39. 207 Summer NW	Box 5	Folder 14.3
40. 201 Summer NW	Box 5	Folder 14.3
41. 229 Mt. Vernon NW	Box 5	Folder 14.3
28th St. / 29th St area graphic clipping/aerial. Formerly housed with photos at 046-21a-1. Cross street at the bottom of the image is probably Burton. Includes ID labels from top to bottom: I-96; Eastbrook S.C.; Beltline M-37; Holiday Inn; John K. Lawhon; [Woodland] Mall; Wickes Lumber; Dream House "Broyhill"; Orson E. Coe; Keeler Brass; Import Motors; Harvey Cadillac; Berger Chevrolet; Franks Nursery; C and O Railway; Stiles-Hatton	Box 3	
Washington St. Views, including Washington St. Pofthus Photo. G.R. Eng. Co., [1897]	Box 3	Folder 98
B. Grand River Views, including looking West from Bridge Street; Riverfront view; View from Bridge St. Bridge; Star Roller Mills / C.G.A. Voigt and Co.; Mammoth Clothing	Box 3	Folder 99

House Sign [Advertising]; J. Jackoboice West Side Iron Works; L. Dietz Machine Works.; Pumping Shed?; Railway bridge from Voigt?; C. Vista

Lookout Park Views, including view from Lookout Park, 1872 [Belknap Park] From Wurzburg's 1947 Calendar; Mariam Suleba (?) artists; Grand River view; Old Leonard St. Covered Bridge over the river.; North Ionia School	Box 3	Folder 100
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Series VI. Neighborhoods

Scope and Contents

Given here are materials which document entire areas, including some with historical significance, such as Heritage Hill. Material primarily on individual houses within the neighborhood are filed under buildings. Images or documents depicting a street, may be filed under Streetscapes, rather than individual buildings or entire neighborhoods. See also Corporate Groups of Buildings, such as Airports, fairgrounds, zoos and parks.

Title/Description	Instances	
Neighborhood Places Series, illustrated by Jane VanderLaan and commissioned by realtor Amy Miller. Postcards. 2005.095. Includes Series 3. The Kopper Top. Stockbridge neighborhood; Series 4. Wealthy Theatre. Wealthy Street; Series 5. Cottage Bar. Downtown; Series 6 Marie Catrils. East Hills; Pickwick Bar on Cherry St. in East Hills; Jersey Junction, East Grand Rapids.	Box 3.5	
Grand Rapids Census Profile. 1990. 00.[5012].1	Box 17	Folder 1
A Special Report on the Campau Area, Planning Unit no. 16, Grand Rapids, Michigan / J. Paul Jones, Planning and Urban Renewal Consultant, Sept. 1963. 00.[2717].1	Box 17	Folder 2
How to Own Your Own Home III: Cherry Hill Revitalization Project, Apr. 11, [1992?]	Box 17	Folder 3
Civic Center Study : a report to the City Planning Commission, Sept. 1956. M711.5 G762c; 00.[2606].1	Box 17	Folder 6
Photocopies of published graphics of Creston area streets and buildings from unidentified sources. (3). Including Plainfield and Coit in 1880; 1920s view south on Plainfield, Creston Theatre left; 1950s view of Coit and Plainfield	Box 3.5	
A Special Report on the Jefferson Connector-Junior College Area. Planning Unit no. 67, Grand Rapids, Michigan. Jan. 1964. [Cultural Center] 00.[1119].1	Box 17	Folder 7
Portions of the) Reconnaissance and intensive Level Survey of Above Ground Resources : I-196/I-96 Corridor Environmental Assessment, Kent County / by Sigrid Bergland and Cassandra Nelson. Nov. 2004. (2005.006)	Box 17	Folder 11

Metal Office Furniture Company Historic District. Historic Designation proposal / City of Grand Rapids. Memorandum, March 30, 2004.	Box 17	Folder 12
Monroe Avenue Sewer Project (EPA Report) 2001. 00. [2726].1	Box 17	
Plymouth/Adams/Sylvan/Boston area Plats and architectural drawings. 2007. 092	Box 35	
A Plan for Strengthening the Heart of the City Without Increasing Your Taxes! prepared and printed for the Riverfront Steering Committee. [Steering Committee for Downtown River Development, Grand Rapids] Oversized flyer, with map "A Plan for People ca. 1974/1975. Formerly M711.45.St32p. 00.[2354].1	Box 20	
Vandenberg Center [area buildings info sheets, on Emporis Buildings website]	Box 17	Folder 12.5
Veterans Memorial Park / City of Grand Rapids, Michigan. Department of Parks. n.d. [ca. 2007?]. 00.[5252].2. Blueprint.	Box 10	
Manuscript document, Veterans Memorial Park: Title to "Fulton Street Park" (6 pgs.)	Box 23	
Manuscript document, Veterans Memorial Park: "The proposition is to name the public park ... (5 pgs.). 00. [5315].1-2	Box 23	
John Ball Park / John Ball Zoo Area "Dedicated Golden Gateway to Playgrounds of Michigan" Grand Rapids Spectator. V. 17, no. 23, Nov. 17, 1928. Excerpted article. RE Lake Michigan Drive through John Ball Park. 00. [2297].1	Box 17	Folder 13
West Side Story. Grand River Urban Renewal Project No. Michigan R-28 (West Side Industrial Park) / US Dept. of Housing and Urban Development; Grand Rapids City Commission. Dec. 1966. Two copies.	Box 17	Folder 14-14.1

Downtown

Title/Description	Instances	
Aerial Photograph. ca. 1940's / Paul C. Miller Construction, photo. 2006.014	Box 5	Folder 9.5
City Center Policy Plan / City Planning Dept., G.R., Mich. May 1974. 00.[2624].1	Box 17	Folder 4
Cultural and Educational Center, Grand Rapids, Mich. The Perkins and Will, Partnership of Michigan/Perkins and Will, Chicago. 1967 Development Planning report, with graphs, site plans, images, etc. 00.[0771].1	Box 9	
Downtown Grand Rapids : report to the Grand Rapids Chamber of Commerce : recommendations and findings /	Box 17	Folder 5

by a panel of the Urban Land Institute, Nov. 28-Dec. 1, 1955. 00.[2718].1

Downtown Streetscape Design Guidelines / Prepared for the Grand Rapids Downtown Alliance ; prepared by the Downtown Alliance Streetscape Steering Committee. Nov. 3, 2006.	Box 17.3	
Historic Research Project : Selected Buildings in Downtown Grand Rapids, Michigan / Kathy Watkins, Jan. 26, 1977. Student Intern Project (City of Grand Rapids, Planning Department), Mount Holyoke College. Formerly M977.456.W325h. 00.[5339].1	Box 17.3	
Sweet's on Campau Square in Grand Rapids, Michigan. 2004.025	Box 11	
Voices and Visions : Community Planning for Downtown / Grand Rapids Downtown Development Authority (4 items, 3 different posters, including Help Focus the Vision!; Here's where the downtown of tomorrow starts; Visions Forum [00.[0255].1-2]	Box 224	Folder Box 12
A Walking Tour of East Hills, a council of neighbors. [Flyer, with map and illustrations] [2002] 2002.106B	Box 17	Folder 8
Marie Catrib's at East Hills Center of the Universe, corner of Lake Drive and Division. Art by Jane VanderLaan commissioned by realtor Amy Miller, and used in a postcard format. (Neighborhood Places Series #6) 2005.032h	Box 3.5	
Gerald R. Ford Presidential Museum in Grand Rapids / prepared for the Gerald R. Ford Commemorative Committee and GR City Commission by City of GR Planning Dept. Apr. 1977. 00.[634].1	Box 17	Folder 9
Heartside Historic District, Expansion Study Committee. Preliminary Report, May 1995. [Photocopy?] 00.[647].1	Box 17	Folder 10
Historic Heartside calendar, includes short histories of the Kelsy Building, Bishop/Masonic Temple Building, Calumet Flats, St. Andrew's Convent, Heystek Building (Coliseum), William Alden Smith Building, Forslund/ Paalman Furniture Factory, Seventh Day Adventist Church, Brooks Building, Kern Building, Ladies Literary Guild and the Blodgett Building [2022.017], 1982	Box 17	Folder 15
Walk Around Old Grand Rapids, historic walking tour with map [2022.017]	Box 17	Folder 16

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Bylaws of Heritage Hill Association, Inc. Aug./Sept. 2000.	Box 17.5	Folder 1
Welcome to Heritage Hill brochures / membership (3)	Box 17.5	Folder 2

Miscellaneous documents / correspondence (3) 00. [3069].1-3, including Heritage Hill Progressive Dinner, Oct. 20, 1979 Notice; Special Notice to Heritage Hill Association Members. Sept. 27, 1979; Heritage Hill Assoc. Annual Meeting, Dec. 3, 1981.	Box 17.5	Folder 3
Heritage Herald [newsletter of the Association], v. 26, no. 5, Sept./Oct. 2000. Copy. 2000.094	Box 17.5	Folder 4
Master Plan of Heritage Hill / Heritage Hill Assoc., July 20, 1988. 2004.078	Box 17.5	Folder 5
National Register of Historic Places Inventory – Nomination Form / submitted by William Lowery, Michigan Historical Commission, Feb. 9, 1971. 00. [3055].1-2 (2 copies)	Box 17.5	Folder 6
National Register Material, Nomination Form. 4 page Description, n.d. ca. 1988?	Box 17.5	Folder 7
Heritage Hill Mapping Project Link	Box 17.5	Folder 8
Index to Heritage Hill Microfilm [map]	Box 17.5	Folder 21.5
Almost Lost : building and preserving Heritage Hill, Grand Rapids, Michigan / Thomas H. Logan. Traverse City : Arbutus Press, 2004. Inscription by author. P2004.039	Box 17.5	Folder 22
The Homes of Heritage Hill : a tour in drawings and photographs / by David and Marilyn Hanks. G.R. : Heritage Hill Assoc., 1970.	Box 17.5	Folder 23-25
[Letter with old Calder letterhead] To Heritage Hill Property Owner from Walter S. Bagby, Neighborhood Improvement Administrator.	Box 17.5	Folder 26
Designers Showhouse Comes to Grand Rapids / Deanne Car ; photos by Hoyt E. Carrier II. "Grand Rapids magazine", May 1978. 00.[2257].1 Designers Showhouse '78, 417 Washington St. SE, April 29-May 21, 1978 presented by the Women's Committee of the Grand Rapids Symphony Orchestra, calendar of musical events and Grand Rapids Press clippings [2021.072].	Box 17.5	Folder 27
Grand Rapids Magazine. Heritage Hill Weekend Tours of Homes. 1989. 00.[3057].1	Box 17.5	Folder 28
Grand Rapids Magazine. Heritage Hill Home Tour. Design Awards. 1995. 00.[3056].1	Box 17.5	Folder 29
Mr. Voigt's Neighborhood: Buildings from the 1800s / [Blue flyer with map listing 14 building] / provided by Grand Rapids/Kent county Convention and Visitor Bureau, ca. 1995/1996. Includes Bissell, Daniel H. Water, Clay-Howlett, Mrs. Thomas White, T. Stewart White, Harry Widdicomb, H.H. Philbrick, Hake Homestead, Leavitt, Julius Berkey, Voigt First home at 133 Court St./Scribner, and Valleau, plus City Hall and Police Headquarters.	Box 17.5	Folder 35

Heritage Hill Preservationist's Response to the College Park Urban Renewal Plan / Robert J. Buteyn. History Seminar 395, Apr. 27, 1981. 00.[2260].1	Box 17.5	Folder 36
Miscellaneous Heritage Hill House. Appears to be Historic Preservation minutes, perhaps from the Heritage Hill Association. 00.[2259].1	Box 17.5	Folder 37
Heritage Hill Target Area Council Records, 1976-1979 (select records, evidently sent from Abe Drasin). Includes correspondence between Drasin/Logie RE Revised Project Proposal; Memo, City Manager from Milton W. Rohwer RE Proposal for small park; Drasin/Logie RE Central Park Project; Logie/Drasin RE foot patrols; Drasin/Logie RE Fourth Year Funds	Box 17.5	
Heritage Hill Historic District / Grand Rapids Historic Preservation Commission, 1977. 00.[3067].1	Box 17.5	
Mr. Voigt's Neighborhood. [flyer] 00.[4016].1	Box 17.5	

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Heritage Hill Home Tours

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Heritage Hill Historic Homes Tour / Sponsored by the Heritage Hill Association, Inc. May 20, 1969. Intro by Mrs. W. Frank DeJong and Mrs. Charles W. Roelofs. Map and list of houses with descriptions.	Box 17.5	Folder 18
Heritage Hill Home Tour brochures or flyers, no date. 2012.109. 1972, 1977, 1978, 1981, 1983	Box 17.5	Folder 19
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Miscellaneous flyers, including A Walking Tour of Heritage Hill. 00.[4019].1; Historic Homes of Heritage Hill / CJ's Tours. 00.[4020].1-2	Box 17.5	Folder 21
Grand Rapids Magazine special issue, Heritage Hill Home Tour [2022.017], 1992	Box 17.5	Folder 40

West Bridge Street Development / Bridgewater Place. Gordon Olson Files, 1989-1992. Weirich Building Recordation / Grand Rapids Historical Commission. 1993.014

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Project Correspondence and references, Olson and Ronald E. Voogt in particular	Box 7	Folder 1
Measurement data. 315 Bridge St and Weirich Building	Box 7	Folder 2
West Bridge Street Development : Project Area History / Richard H. Harms, Grand Rapids Public Library, 1989.	Box 7	Folder 3
Sanborn Map copies	Box 7	Folder 4
Bridgewater Place. Caption List / Gordon Olson, City Historian. Dec. 28, 1992. [For slide presentation?]	Box 7	Folder 5
Bridgewater Place (Waterfront Place) Color Architectural Rendering / ? Fritz. Laser copy?	Box 7	Folder 6
Photographic prints (6), including conical tower with the letter "B"; interior of demolition	Box 7	Folder 7
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Accent Grand Rapids - Rediscovering Good Times in the Park (various articles), Volume 8, Number 5, 1979-06	Box 17.3	Folder 5
Report to Water Power Committee on Grand River Development at Grand Rapids, Spooner & Merrill, Consulting Engineers, 1924-05-24	Box 17.3	Folder 6
Memoria in aeterna: a remembrance of the dedication of the memorial pillars, erected in Fulton Street Park by the citizens of Grand Rapids, in memory of those who gave their lives in the World War., 1926-11-11	Box 17.3	Folder 7
The true history of Fulton Street Park, written for Sophie de Marsac Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, 1910-01-20	Box 17.3	Folder 8
The Presidential Park: an appropriate site for the Gerald R. Ford Presidential Museum, proposed by the Grand Rapids Museum Association (site on Jefferson Avenue), 1977-03-25	Box 17.3	Folder 9

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16. "40" Street level view of two story Catholic Information? Center.	Box 5	
Preliminary Report for a City Plan for Grand Rapids / by Arnold W. Brunner, John M. Carrere. G.R. : Dickinson Bros., 1909. (2002.075)	Box 1	Folder 33.5
City Center Renewal : the key to a greater Grand Rapids! Prepared by the Committee for a Better Grand Rapids and paid for by private funds. Frederick G.H. Meijer, Chairman. n.d. [recd. July 1960]	Box 25	Folder 1

City Planning for the Grand Rapids Area ... Is Your Business. Feb. 1953. Includes maps. Formerly M711.5.G762 (00. [2853].1)	Box 25	Folder 1.5
Death of the Ghetto / Benjamin F. Smith, P.E. Consulting Engineer. July 14, 1967. Formerly M301.364.Sm52d (00. [2827].1)	Box 25	Folder 1.75
Developmental concept of cultural area / City Planning Commission, May 1963. RE: Cultural Center. Blackline copy, folded.	Box 25	Folder 2
Development news / Metropolitan Grand Rapids Development Association. [serial] v. 8, Jan. 1952.	Box 25	Folder 3
Downtown Development Projects, 1985-1995 / City of GR, Planning Dept. 1994. [flyer with map and lists.]	Box 25	Folder 4
Fact Finding Report : Planning, zoning and building codes in the Grand Rapids Metropolitan Area / GR Metropolitan Area Study. Apr. 1957. Formerly MKG711.5.G763 (00. [3833].1)	Box 25	Folder 5
Federal Laws Authorizing Assistance to Urban Renewal, as amended Oct. 1, 1959 / Housing and Home Finance Agency, Office of the General Council, Washington, D.C.	Box 25	Folder 6
A Framework for Planning in Grand Rapids / by Robert N. Cross. U.of Mich., School of Business Admin., Bureau of Business Research, June 6, 1946.	Box 25	Folder 7
Grand Opening and Dedication GR State Office building. Oct. 21, 1976 [Invitation]	Box 25	Folder 8
Grand Rapids' Approach to Downtown Revitalization. CBD. / Downtown Development Committee ; Ebasco services, .. Jan. 1960.	Box 25	Folder 9
Grand Rapids City Center : Downtown Projects, 1975-1981 / Grand Rapids Planning Dept. Jan. 3, 1978. Map. Photocopy.	Box 25	Folder 10
Grand River Edges : a plan for their improvement / prepared by City of Grand Rapids Planning Department in cooperation with the Grand River Committee ... n.d. ca. 1978-1983. Maps. 00.[3981].2	Box 25	Folder 10.5
Grand Valley Metropolitan Council. Metropolitan Development Blueprint. Loose leaf notebook, with parts of a publication "Metropolitan Development Blueprint. First Impressions Report ..." April 30, 1993, and many other reference materials 00.[5466].1	Box Unknown	
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Historic Preservation Guidelines / City of Grand Rapids. May 1996. 00.[5287].1	Box 25.5	
Historic Preservation Inventory, Grand Rapids, Michigan : draft report / Planning Department, City of Grand Rapids ; Kent County Council for Historic Preservation ; Michigan Department of Natural Resources ; Johnson, Johnson and Roy, Inc.. Apr. 1973. 00.[5045].1	Box 25.5	
Housing in Grand Rapids and the Metropolitan Area : a report of the pre-clinic study committee of the Community Family Life Clinic, Nov. 7-10, 1954. Formerly MKG331.833.C639; 00.[3098].1	Box 25	Folder 12.3
How Planners Shape the City's Future [issue caption title] In "Accent, Grand Rapids" [serial] v. 8, no. 1, Jan./Feb. 1978[sic 1979]	Box 25	Folder 12.5
Industrial Park. Grand Rapids Gravel. [flyer. Fold out map.]	Box Unknown	
Industrial Survey, City Planning Commission, G.R. 1958.	Box 25	Folder 13

John Ihlder, Secretary of the Municipal Affairs Committee, Grand Rapids Board of Trade

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[Report on Trip to Pacific Coast, including visits to 19 U.S. Cities, June/July 1909] August 1909 report date. 18 typed pages. I1:A10.1	Box 25	Folder 13.5

Newspaper clippings RE Ihlder's visits to different cities, from the Grand Rapids Press or the Grand Rapids Daily news. I1.A10.2

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Grand Rapids Compares Well. GR Daily News, June 24, 1909. St. Louis.	Box 25	Folder 13.6
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Builders of the Cities. Denver Has a One-Man Government. Press. June 30, 1909.	Box 25	Folder 13.6
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"For Common Good" is Spokane's Idea. Press, July 27, 1909	Box 25	Folder 13.6
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Row with Armour ... St. Paul. Press, Aug. 4, 1909	Box 25	Folder 13.6
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Western Cities Solve in the Strong Affirmative the Question on Which Grand Rapids recently said "no". St. Paul. Source unknown.	Box 25	Folder 13.6
The Inner city : Old Buildings make way for Sleek new structures totaling \$55.00 million in value. Wonderland. GR Press. Sept. 25, 1966. Clipping.	Box 25	Folder 14
Memorandum : Metropolitan District Act : Act 312 : Public Acts of Michigan of 1929, as amended / prepared by Richard W. Bryant. Metropolitan Grand Rapids Planning Assoc.	Box 25	Folder 15
Metropolitan Planner [serial]: v. 3, Annual Report, ca. 1945/1946; v. 3, no. 1-2, Jan./Feb. 1945	Box 25	Folder 16
Michigan Street Business Area / prepared by the Michigan Street Area Business Assoc. 1991. Flyer. Grand Rapids only, with small map.	Box 25	Folder 17

New Industrial Strip begins to take Shape. Grand Rapids Press Reprint. Oct. 7, 1962. Has a stamp top left: Greater Grand Rapids Chamber of Commerce Industrial Commissioner. Has a mailing label top right: Hon Thomas J. Whinery. Images, plus sketch map of area from the Grand River west to Turner opposite the expressway, with Webster St. to the north and Fourth St. to the south. The specified area is east of the expressway between Scribner and the River. Map notes businesses: F. Marlee Co.; Barrett Ind.; Auto Clinic; Westinghouse; Old Kent; Modern Cement; Cleveland Floral; Toledo Scales; A. Dodds; Layman Welding; Litscher Electric Udell Ref.; Cook Dist.; G.R. Millwork; Graybar Electric	Box 24	
A Plan for strengthening the heart of the city without increasing your taxes! [Tabloid sized flyer with aerial photo image on front, map is centerfold, and chart on back]	Box 25	Folder 18
Planning the Future : the Grand Rapids City Plan / City Plan Department, March, 1927. Cover title. This copy "From Fred E. Pittinga" 00.[4063].1	Box 25	Folder 19
Residential Market Potential : Downtown Grand Rapids, City of Grand Rapids, Kent County, Michigan / conducted by Zimmerman/Volk Associates, Inc., July 2004. 0.[5345].1	Box 25	Folder 19.5
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When One-Third of a City Moves to the Suburbs : a report on the Grand Rapids Metropolitan Area / by Charles Press. Michigan State Univ. c. 1959. Inst. For community Development and Services, Continuing Ed. Service. [Serial: MSU. Research Report #1.]	Box 25	Folder 23
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