

ARCHIVES MONTH 2017



ACTIVISM IN THE ARCHIVES

**ORGANIZERS, PROTESTORS & AGITATORS:
HOW LOCAL ACTIVISM IS DOCUMENTED IN ARCHIVES**

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25TH

6:00 – 7:00 PM

DOUGLASS-TRUTH BRANCH LIBRARY



King County



SEATTLE MUNICIPAL ARCHIVES



Activism in the Archives will present holdings in local archives about protestors, organizers, and activists. Topics include the King County logo change from crown to civil rights leader, open housing legislation and the freeway revolt of the late 1960s and early 1970s. Presentations will showcase diverse materials including: documents, photographs, moving image and sound recordings, maps and activist ephemera. Participating organizations are the Seattle Municipal Archives (SMA), King County Archives (KCA) and Activists Remembered, Celebrated and Honored (ARCH). Speakers include Anne Frantilla, Carol Shenk and Libby Hopfauf.

October 25, 6 PM

Douglass-Truth Library, 2300 E Yesler Way, Seattle

Come and celebrate Archives Month!

American Archives Month is a collaborative effort by professional organizations and repositories around the nation to highlight the importance of records of enduring value. Archivists are professionals who assess, collect, organize, preserve, maintain control of, and provide access to information that has lasting value, and they help people find and understand the information they need in those records.

Seattle Municipal Archives - The mission of the Archives is to support the goals of the City of Seattle and the citizens of the City by identifying, acquiring, arranging, describing, preserving, and making accessible the records of enduring value created or received by City agencies and elected officials.

King County Archives — The mission of King Archives is to serve the public and agencies of King County by collecting, preserving, holding in trust, and facilitating access to County records of enduring historical value that document its land, people, culture, and governance. Through our service, we strive to foster appreciation and understanding of King County's origins and continuing history.

Seattle Activists Remembered Celebrated and Honored — ARCH celebrates the work of those active in the freeway revolt in Seattle in the late 1960s and early 1970s.