

REGISTER OF THE JAMES DUFFY PAPERS, 1960-1973

James Evan Duffy, 1932-
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INTRODUCTION

These papers are almost entirely related to South Carolina politics during the 1960's and early 1970's. They document Duffy's role in the Republican Party and the operations of that Party at the local level during a period of vigorous growth in South Carolina.

The papers were donated to Clemson University Libraries in December, 1983 by James Duffy. There are no restrictions on access to them beyond those of Special Collections. Mr. Duffy retains literary rights to his papers for five years from date of donation. This register was prepared by Michael Kohl in 1985.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

James Evan Duffy was born in New York City on July 1, 1932. He attended public schools in White Plains, New York and then Clemson University in South Carolina. Duffy graduated from Clemson with a BS in Textile Engineering in 1954. That same year, he married Carol Letitia Brugh. They have two children, Jacquelyn Carol and James Evan. Duffy has worked as a manager in the textile industry since 1957. He has been active in civic and church activities and has served as class agent for the Clemson Alumni Association.

Beginning in the early 1960's, Duffy became active in South Carolina Republican politics. In 1962, he supported the Workman for Senate campaign. He served as delegate to the Anderson County Republican Convention, 1961, 1962, and 1964; State Committeeman for Anderson County, 1961-1965; Third District Ballot Security Officer, 1962; Chairman of the Republican State Convention Steering Committee, 1964; member of the Credentials Committee at the 1964 National Convention; Presidential Elector from South Carolina for Barry Goldwater, 1965; State Ballot Security Officer, 1964-1968; member of the National Republican Finance Committee, 1965-1966; Vice-Chairman of the State Finance Campaign Committee, 1966; Chairman and Secretary of the Second District Republican Party, 1966; State GOP Organizational Director, 1968; Chairman of the Ravenel for Governor Campaign, 1969-1970; member of the Re-Elect the President Committee, 1970; member of the Workman for Governor Finance Committee; and Chairman of the Third Congressional District Baker for President Committee, 1980. Duffy was active in many Republican campaigns at the local, state, and national level during the 1960's and early 1970's.

SCOPE AND CONTENT

The Duffy Papers contain correspondence, reports, campaign literature, and other material related to the activities of the Republican Party in South Carolina during the 1960's and early 1970's. Of particular interest is Duffy's unpublished history of the Republican Party in South Carolina during the 1960's, "In GOP We Trust". Among the correspondents are: Robert Chapman, Chairman of the South Carolina Republican Party; Harry Dent, Chairman of the South Carolina Republican Party; J. Drake Edens, Jr., Chairman of the South Carolina Republican Party; William Hunter, Chairman of the Oconee Republican Party; Arthur Ravenel Jr., Republican gubernatorial candidate in 1970; Ronald Reagan, Governor of California; Strom Thurmond, US Senator; Albert Watson, Republican gubernatorial candidate in 1970; and William Workman, Jr., Republican senatorial candidate. There is considerable documentation of local Republican activities in Anderson and Richland Counties, the 1962 Workman for Senate campaign, the 1964, 1968, and 1972 Presidential elections, and the 1970 South Carolina Republican gubernatorial primary. Leadership, fund raising, and ballot security are among the subjects detailed in this collection's publications.

The papers are arranged in a roughly chronological subject file which reflects Duffy's original organization of material into binders by subject and date. The collection consists of three parts: the subject file, the manuscript of "In GOP We Trust", and a publications file. The manuscript is in order by page number and the publications are arranged alphabetically by title.

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190	<u>The Humphrey Handbook, 1968 Presidential</u> Campaign
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196	Republican Dinners, Dinner Tickets and Programs, 1962-1968
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198	Republican Research Report, September 11, 1968
199	<u>Rules of the South Carolina Republican Party,</u> Amended 1968
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201	Sustaining Membership Organization Plans, 1965, 1966
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