LGBT-083-SC Cindy Mitzel Collection

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COLLECTION REGISTER

Name: Cindy Mitzel LGBT-083-SC

Material: News clippings (1991, 1993, 2018)

Volume: 3 document folders

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BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Cindy Lou Mitzel was born in April 1942 in York County, PA. Growing up Mitzel knew that she felt attraction towards women, however she married a man after graduating from high school and they had three children. Mitzel has been involved in the National Organization for Women [NOW]; the Lavender Letter newsletter; the Lesbian Alliance; the Central Pennsylvania Women's Chorus; and York Support, later known as York Area Lambda, among other women's and gay rights activist organizations.

COLLECTION DESCRIPTION

These documents relate to Mitzel's involvement in York Area Lambda, originally known as York Support. The collection consists primarily of news clippings related to efforts to hold a Gay Pride Week celebration in York, Pa in summer 1991.

COLLECTION INVENTORY

Series 1 Newspaper Clippings

Folder 01)	"Council opposes Gay Pride Week request," York Daily Record – Jun. 1, 1991
ŕ	"County rejects Gay Pride Week," York Dispatch – Jun. 4, 1991
	"Gay Pride Week plan tabled," news clipping – Jun. 5, 1991
	"Gay Week proposal withers under fire," York Daily Record – Jun. 5, 1991
	"Sexual orientation not city concern," York Daily Record – Jun. 6, 1991
Folder 02)	"County's gay to still mark Pride Month," York Daily Record – Jun. 6, 1991
	"County may have broken law on Gay Pride request," York Daily Record –
	Jun. 6, 1991
	"Do you think York should have a Gay Pride Week?" news clipping – Jun. 9, 1991
	"Gays Demand equal rights here," York Sunday News – Jan. 17, 1993
	(incomplete) (see oversized OBL)
	Letter to Editor "Watch how you quote the Bible," news clipping - undated
Folder 03)	Pride Life Magazine – 2018