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YORK COUNTY HISTORICAL COMMISSION RECORDS

1977-1997, nd

3 Boxes, 22 Folders

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Scope and Content Note: **The York County Historical Commission was created in 1959 initially to preserve and maintain a former York County plantation at Brattonsville then in a dilapidated state. The Historic District was listed on the National Register in 1971 and named Historic Brattonsville. In 1997, the Museum of York County in Rock Hill, SC, and the York County Historical Commission merged to create the York County Culture and Heritage Commission and has broadened its mission to “communicate and preserve the natural and cultural histories of the Carolina Piedmont, inspiring a lifetime of learning.” The York County Historical Commission Records consists of the Friends of Historic Brattonsville records, a manual of operations and policies of the York County Historical Commission, reports, bylaws, correspondence, memos, agendas, financial records, McElvey Center Planning records, and meeting minutes of the York County Historical Commission.**

Related Manuscript Collections:

- Accession 363 – York County Historical Commission Records

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DESCRIPTION OF SERIES

<u>Box(es)</u>	<u>Folder(s)</u>	<u>Series</u>	<u>Year(s)</u>
1	1	MANUAL OF OPERATIONS This collection consists of a manual of operations and other procedural documents for the York County Historical Commission.	nd
1	2	NEWSPAPER CLIPPING This collection includes a clipping of an article from <i>The Herald</i> about the house at Historic Brattonsville.	nd
1	3	INTERPRETIVE GUIDE & HISTORY OF BRATTONSVILLE This collection includes a copy of a document entitled "Historic Brattonsville – 'Interpretive Guide' and History." The document's purpose is "to preserve local cultural history at Historic Brattonsville."	nd
1	4	ARCHITECTURE OF HISTORIC CENTER OF YORK COUNTY This collection includes an analysis of the architectural needs for the historic center of York County, drafted by Fulmer Associates, an architectural firm in Columbia, SC.	1987
1	5	USE OF MCELVEY SCHOOL CENTER This collection consists of a report from the York County Historical Commission concerning the possible use of McElvey Elementary School for the historical center of York County.	1987
1	6	LONG TERM PLAN This collection consists of a report detailing a long term plan for the York County Historical Commission and Historical Brattonsville.	1987
1	7	DRAPER ACQUISITION This collection includes a plan to acquire land for a farm for the York County Historical Committee.	1996
1	8	DEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR BRATTONSVILLE This collection includes a proposal for the development of the Brattonsville Plantation.	1992
1	9	PROCUREMENT & PURCHASE POLICY This collection includes the York County Historical Commission's policy for the purchase and procurement of services and land.	1992

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<u>Box(es)</u>	<u>Folder(s)</u>	<u>Series</u>	<u>Year(s)</u>
1-2	10-12	FINANCIAL RECORDS This collection includes treasurer reports and balance sheets from the York County Historic Commission.	1985-1997
2	13-15	MEETING MINUTES This collection includes minutes from meetings of the York County Historical Commission, the commission's executive board, as well as the Friends of Historic Rock Hill.	1984-1996
3	16	CORRESPONDENCE This collection includes correspondence from the York County Historical Commission to board members and York County residents concerning projects taken on by the commission.	1987-1994
3	17	PERSONNEL This collection includes information pertaining to job openings, job posting notices, work reports, and general information for the personnel working for the York County Historical Commission.	1982, 1995-96, nd
3	18	LEASE AGREEMENT This collection includes a photocopy of the original lease agreement between J. Rufus Bratton and the York County Historical Commission for the land that is known to date as Historic Brattonsville.	1977
3	19	HISTORIC BRATTONSVILLE This collection includes documents from meetings brainstorming ways to bring Historic Brattonsville to life in the York County community. Also included are flyers sent out by the commission to the community with information on special events happening at Brattonsville.	1989-1996, nd
3	20	REPORTS This collection includes documents pertaining to Historic Brattonsville and other historic sites in the York County area. Among these are reports from the curator of education, proposals for the commission to consider, etc.	1995, nd

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DESCRIPTION OF SERIES (cont.)

<u>Box(es)</u>	<u>Folder(s)</u>	<u>Series</u>	<u>Year(s)</u>
3	21	RENTAL POLICIES This collection contains policy proposals to the YCHC concerning rental fees for the use of Historic Brattonsville property for private events. The commission considered these proposals to help raise money for historic land markers around York County.	nd
3	22	HIGHTOWER HALL PLANTATION This collection includes information about events planned at Hightower Hall Plantation, another site deemed historically significant by the YCHC.	1996