

## Morris Milgram

- Builder and developer of integrated housing
- After running into difficulty securing financing for new construction, purchased rental properties and changed their policies in order to all integration
- Provided integrated housing for 20,000 people in Philadelphia, Boston, Cambridge, Chicago, Princeton, Washington, DC, California, Maryland, New York, Texas and Virginia.

### Primary Sources

#### *Morris Milgram Papers*

Contains office files related to the funding and administration of his housing projects, records of his involvement with political and activist groups, and personal correspondence.

Collection #2176

<http://www2.hsp.org/collections/manuscripts/m/Milgram2176.html>

#### *Digital Archive Images*

Including Concord park photos, brochure, letters from MLK, Jr. and Eleanor Roosevelt, newspapers, photo of Milgram

<http://digitallibrary.hsp.org/index.php/Search/Index?search=morris+milgram>

### Secondary Sources

*The "Problem" of the Black Middle Class: Morris Milgram's Concord Park and Residential Integration in Philadelphia's Postwar Suburbs*

by W. Benjamin Piggot

The Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography

Vol. 132, No. 2 (Apr., 2008), pp. 173-190

<http://www.jstor.org/stable/20093996>

*Morris Milgram and his (expected and unexpected) connections*

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