Founding of Pennsylvania

Primary Documents

Deed for the Susquehanna, 1700  Society Misc. Collection, Box 11C folder 2

Deed between William Penn and the Delaware Indians 1682 Collection # 0978

William Penn Germantown Charter 1689  collection number Am.3038

Manuscript, At a Conference held at Fort Augusta the 19th July 1763 with Telonemet a Six Nation Waypawanay...1763, Gratz Collection, case 14, box 10 Indian Affairs. Letters 1759-1765, Joseph Reynell

Treaty of Fort Stanwix, Penn Family Papers, Collection # 0485A and  0485B , NV-126
Walking Purchase map Of 549 1737e

Speech of William Penn, addressed to the provincial council of Pennsylvania. April 1st, 1700 Collection # Va .62 v.2

Penn family papers (1592-1960) Collection # 0485A

Original letters of William Penn Collection # Va .62 v.1

Penn-Forbes family papers (1644-1744) Collection# 0485C

James Hamilton collection (1733-1789) Collection #1612

Logan family papers (1731-1838) Collection #2023

Memoirs of the private and public life of William Penn : who settled the state of Pennsylvania, and founded the city of Philadelphia. Gpp .42 C613 1827

Secondary Sources


Historical Society of Pennsylvania Website based Resources

Historical Society of Pennsylvania Digital Library (1680s)
http://digitallibrary.hsp.org/index.php/Browse/modifyCriteria/facet/decade_facet/id/1680s/mod_id/0

Specific Attention to:
A Map of Some of the South and Eastbounds of Pennsylvania in America, Being Partly Inhabited
http://digitallibrary.hsp.org/index.php/Detail/Object/Show/object_id/8130

Preserving American Freedom:
http://digitalhistory.hsp.org/preserving-american-freedom

Specific Attention to:

Timeline: http://digitalhistory.hsp.org/node/52/timeline

Liberty in Early America:

Special attention to documents:
William Penn to the Kings of the Indians in Pennsylvania, October 18, 1681
http://digitalhistory.hsp.org/node/7753

Deed between William Penn and the Delaware Indians, July 15- August 1, 1682
http://digitalhistory.hsp.org/node/7752

The Charter of Privileges, Granted by William Penn, Esq.: to the Inhabitants of Pensilvania and Territories, 1701  http://digitalhistory.hsp.org/node/7754

Other Resources:

Primary Documents:
An Indian Squaw King Wampum Spies

Interactive Timeline:
http://timeline.hsp.org/main.html