

Historical Society of Pennsylvania

# Women's Way of Philadelphia records

## Collection 3434

### **Summary Information**

#### **Repository:**

Historical Society of Pennsylvania 1300 Locust Street, Philadelphia, PA 19107 215-732-6200

Creator: Women's Way of Philadelphia Title: Women's Way of Philadelphia records Collection number: 3434 Dates: 1975-1996 (bulk 1977-1988) Extent: 42 linear feet (43 boxes) Language: The collection is primarily in English.

### Abstract:

Women's Way of Philadelphia was founded in 1977 by combining seven women's advocacy agencies. As taken from the organization's website, Women's Way is a "non-profit organization that raises money and public awareness to fight for and achieve women's equality, safety, self-sufficiency and reproductive freedom through women-centered funding, advocacy and education." It serves the region of southeastern Pennsylvania and southern New Jersey.

The collection dates from 1974 to 1996, though the bulk of the material is from 1977 to 1988. The records include articles of incorporation, board and annual meeting materials, annual reports, financial records, administrative files, and records of fundraising efforts (campaigns, dinners, concerts, and other events) and grant-giving (applicants, grantees).

**Conditions governing access:** One folder in Box 1 is closed to researchers until 1/1/2056, and one folder in Box 8A is closed until 1/1/2061. Otherwise the collection is open for research.

Immediate source of acquisition: Gift of Women's Way, 1998. Accession number: 981113.04

#### **Box-Level Inventory**

Box 1 Management Articles of incorporation Audits of 1978-1988 990 forms 1978-1987 Allocations 1977-1982 Annual reports 1979-1982 Annual meeting 1983-1984 Personnel policy, Inventory of files **Restriction: 1 folder of personnel materials closed to researchers until 1/1/2056** Philadelphia Women's Convention Requests for Fund – Outside Delaware County 1977-1987

Box 2 Board and Executive Committee 1975-1988

Box 3 Non-member discretionary fund Description of fund List of Grantees, Applicants: 1980 to Spring of 1983 (Tradeswomen of Philadelphia in Non-Traditional Jobs)

Box 4 Non-member discretionary fund Description, applicants, grantees Fall 1983 – Spring 1986

Box 5 Non-member discretionary fund Description, applicants, grantees Spring 1986 – Spring 1987

Box 6 Non-member discretionary fund Spring 1987 – Spring 1988

Box 7 Non-member discretionary fund Spring 1988 – Spring 1989

Box 8 Management Discretionary fund List of grantees – Fall, Spring 1988-1989 Applicants Files Lists of grantees? Box 8A Management General Files 1978-1986 Restriction: 1 folder (Office Medical Insurance) closed to researchers until 1/1/2061

Box 9 Campaign (workplace) Donor option 1977-1986

Box 10 Campaign (workplace) Donor option 1985-1987 CCC, CFC, CSD Delaware County

Box 11 Campaign Campaign Committee Corporate Campaign 1977-1988

Box 12 Campaign Dinner 1978-1988

Box 13 Campaign Direct Access Direct Mail Through Stock Gifts 1977-1986

Box 14 Planning and Development Conferences The Unfinished Agenda 1987 We the People Etc. 1987

Box 15 Planning and Development Special Events 1977-1987

Box 16 Planning and Development 1978-1989

Box 17 Other Organizations, Services for Women 1977-1988

Box 18 WOMENS WAY Dinner 1986-1987 Box 19 WOMENS WAY Dinner 1988-1990

Box 20 WOMENS WAY Dinner 1991-1994

Box 21 Women in Concert 1990

Box 22 Women in Concert 1990 Donor Options 1984-1989

Box 23 Development 1980-1988

Box 24 Direct Mail 1992-1994

Box 25 Direct Mail 1993-1995 (Lisa Hasting's files)

Box 26 Direct Mail 1994-1995

Box 27 WOMENS WAY Dinner 1993

Box 28 Campaign Plans 1994-1995; Annual Reports; Carol Quinn's files 1992-1994; PR 1989-1992

Box 29 Discretionary Fund, List of Grantees 1987 and 1991, Spring and Fall of 1990

Box 30 WOMENS WAY Dinner 1980-1985

Box 31 Events 1991-1993

Box 32 Extra Agency Brochures 1994-1996

Box 33 Miscellaneous Administration/Finance Papers 1977-1979 (bulk), 1976, 1980, 1992

Box 34 Corporate Foundation Correspondence 1977-1990 Box 35 Pacesetter Race and other Miscellaneous Events; Kickoff 1983-1986; Files 1989

Box 36 Women in Concert 1989-1990

Box 37 Miscellaneous Administration Files 1989-1991; Discretionary Fund 1988-1995

Box 38 Miscellaneous Dinner Papers 1994

Box 39 Women in Concert 1990

Box 40 Unfinished Agenda Conference 1987

Box 41 Local programs 1974-1982 (A)

Box 42 Local programs 1974-1982 (B)