



Archives Finding Aid City Revitalization Projects- Beloit 200 / RiverFront and others

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A note on Accession numbers: Jeff Adams has made many donations of materials for this collection, and may donate more in the future. Anything related to the revitalization projects are included under this original 2007 number. Any items outside of this are given their own number under the year they were donated.

Size: 10 linear feet

Condition: Good

Donation date: First in 2007

Donor: Jeff Adams

Date Collection Committee Approved: 2023

Processing Level: Folder level

Processing following: Order of material type and date

Ownership: Beloit Historical Society

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HISTORY

This collection covers some of the history and work of different Beloit revitalization projects, mostly focused on the Beloit 200 and the RiverFront project. It also includes some items from related projects, such as downtown Beloit.

According to their website, Beloit200 is *"a private sector civic organization that provides leadership to continue to revitalize the historic core of Beloit, Wisconsin centered around the Rock River. Our vision is to transform the city of Beloit into an asset that can be expanded upon into the adjacent areas."*

The group met first in 1988, and eventually became Beloit 2000, which evolved into Beloit 2020, and finally Beloit200. Friends of RiverFront: Beloit first met in 1995.

Items include both behind the scenes, legal documents and public facing promotional and advertising publications.

The donor, Jeff Adams was part of the Downtown Planning Committee. He has made multiple donations related to this collection.

Scope of Collection

This collection contains many different types of material. Archives material include loose papers, booklets, pamphlets, loose binders, large blueprint plans, videos on VHS & DVDs, one large map on mat board, large print outs.

There are also some objects such as an enamel cup.

Container List

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CONTAINER	FOLDER	DATE	TITLE	SUBJECTS	

Box 01	0		Street Indexes	Beloit-City of Legal Documents Newspaper
Box 02	17		VHS- Discover WI: Beloit, Rock County	Beloit-City of Video- VHS
Box 02	16	2004	VHS/ DVDs On Beloit	Video- VHS Video-DVD
Box 02	6		Info and Promotional Booklets- Part 1	Beloit-City of Beloit 200 Beloit 2000 Park- Riverside City Revitalization Programs RiverFront Rock River
Box 02	5		RiverFront Binder Development Corporation	Beloit 2000 Beloit-City of City Revitalization Programs Park- Riverside RiverFront Rock River
Box 02	4		Pamphlets / Promos	Beloit-City of Beloit 2000 Beloit 2020 Beloit 200 RiverFront Rock River
Box 02	1		Background on Beloit 200	
Box 02	2		Community Development Policy Workshop	
Box 02	3	2005	Beloit 2000: Development and Revision	Rock River Beloit-City of Park- Riverside City Revitalization Programs Beloit 200
Box 02	7		Info and Promotional Booklets- Part 2	Beloit 2000 Beloit-City of City Revitalization Programs Park- Riverside RiverFront Rock River
Box 02	8	2003	Beloit 2000- Big Lawn Plans, Phase II	Beloit 2000 Beloit-City of Blueprints / Floor plans City Revitalization Programs Park- Riverside Rock River RiverFront
Box 02	9		Belot 2020-Info and promotional Booklets-Part 1	
Box 02	10		Belot 2020-Info and promotional Booklets-Part 2	Beloit 2020 Beloit 200 Beloit-City of Park- Riverside RiverFront Rock River
Box 02	11		City of Beloit Reports	Beloit-City of Beloit 200 City Revitalization Programs
Box 02	12		Booklets-Local Company Promotions	Advertisements
Box 02	13		Reports-Stateline & History	Beloit-City of
Box 02	14		Heritage View Condoniniums- Promotional	Blueprints / Floor plans Advertisements Rock River
Box 02	15		Beloit and Area Maps	Beloit 200 Beloit-City of Maps
Box 02	18		Binder- Regional Vision Project	City Revitalization Programs Railroad
Box 02	2		Property Development: 1031 Third Street	
Box 02	19	Apr-04	Friends of RiverFront- "Artists in Bloom" Call to Enter Poster	Beloit 2020 Beloit 200 City Revitalization Programs Fundraiser Park- Riverside RiverFront Rock River

Box 03	1		Property Development: 2nd & 3rd Street	RiverFront Beloit 200
Box 03	2		Property Development: 1031 Third Street	
Box 03	3		Property Development: 1500 4th St Sale of Property	
Box 03	4		Property Development: Beloit Foundation 1500 4th St VPLE. Vol. 1	
Box 03	5	2007	Property Development: Beloit Foundation 1500 4th St VPLE. Vol. 2	Beloit-City of
Box 03	6		Property Development: 1500 4th St. Demolition	Beloit 200 Beloit-City of City Revitalization Programs Financial Paperwork Legal Documents
Box 03	7		Property Development: 4th & Maple Redevelopment	
Box 03	8		Property Development: 4th & Maple Appraisal Reports	Beloit-City of City Revitalization Programs Legal Documents
Box 03	9	1993	Property Development: Ace Hardware Easement Agreement	Beloit-City of Legal Documents Park-Riverside RiverFront
Box 03	10		Beloit Foundation Inc, Grants	Beloit 200 Beloit 2020 Beloit College Beloit-City of City Revitalization Programs
Box 03	11	1998	Blackhawk Power Plant: Survey	Beloit 200 Beloit 2000 Beloit 2020 Beloit-City of City Revitalization Programs Maps Park- Riverside
Box 03	12	1995	Phase II Environmental Site Assessment	Blueprints / Floor plans City Revitalization Programs
Box 03	13		Property Reports: Borgerding Estate DNR Monitoring & Clean Up	Beloit 2000 Beloit 200 Beloit-City of
Box 03	14		Property Reports: Borgerding Estate, Urban Rivers Grant	Beloit 200 Beloit-City of Rock River
Box 03	15		Property Appraisals	Beloit 2000 Beloit 200 Beloit-City of City Revitalization Programs Park- Riverside RiverFront
Box 03	16		Population Information for Redevelopment Plans	Beloit-City of City Revitalization Programs
Box 03	17	12-Aug-14	Report: Natural Resources Inventory: Nature at the Confluence	
Box 03	18		City Reports, Utility and crime	Beloit-City of City Revitalization Programs
Box 03	19		Reports: GeoEnviromental	
Box 03	20		Info Sessions: Power Point Slides, Survey	
Box 03	21		City Center Signs	Beloit-City of

Box 03	22		Tax Exemption Info-Beloit 2000	Beloit 200 Beloit 2000 Financial Paperwork
Box 03	23		City of Beloit Tax Info	Beloit-City of City Revitalization Programs Financial Paperwork
Box 04	1	1930s	Historic Blueprints-Beloit Riverside Park	Beloit-City of Blueprints / Floor plans City Revitalization Programs Park-Riverside RiverFront Rock River
Box 04	2		Acquisition of Property on 4th & Maple from McCleary	Beloit 200 Financial Paperwork Park-Riverside Rock River RiverFront
Box 04	3		1500 4th Street Partial Sale to City of Beloit for Bike Path	Beloit 200 Beloit-City of City Revitalization Programs Bike Path Legal Documents Park- Riverside
Box 04	4		Real Estate Appraisal Reports & Info on Appraiser	Beloit 200
Box 04	5		Beloit Daily News Yearbooks, RiverFront/ Downtown	Beloit 200 Beloit 2000 Beloit 2020 Beloit-City of Bike Path City Revitalization Programs Newspaper Park- Riverside RiverFront Rock River
Box 05	7		Beloit Daily News- Articles on Revitalization Projects	Beloit 2020 Beloit 200 Beloit-City of Bike Path City Revitalization Programs Newspaper Park- Riverside RiverFront Rock River
Box 05	6		Beloit Daily News- Articles on Revitalization Projects	City Revitalization Programs Confluence (Rivers, South Beloit) Newspaper Rock River
Box 05	5		Beloit Daily News- Articles on Revitalization Projects	Beloit 200 Beloit 2000 Beloit-City of Boat City Revitalization Programs Newspaper Park- Riverside RiverFront Rock River
Box 05	4		Beloit Daily News- Articles on Revitalization Projects	Beloit 200 Beloit 2000 Beloit 2020 Beloit-City of Bike Path City Revitalization Programs Park- Riverside Newspaper RiverFront Rock River
Box 05	3		Beloit Daily News- Articles on Revitalization Projects	Beloit 200 Beloit 2000 Beloit 2020 Beloit-City of City Revitalization Programs Park- Riverside RiverFront Rock River
Box 05	2		Beloit Daily News- Articles on Revitalization Projects	Beloit 200 Beloit 2000 Beloit-City of City Revitalization Programs Newspaper Park- Riverside RiverFront Rock River
Box 05	1		Newspaper Articles: The Merrill Neighborhood	Beloit-City of City Revitalization Programs Police
Box 05	8		Large Photos- RiverFront	Beloit-City of Park- Riverside RiverFront Rock River

Box 05	9	2001?	Black Binder-Beloit Iron Works Building ReUse Ideas	
Flat Storage: Box 06	1		Posters	RiverFront Rock River Fundraiser
Flat Storage: Box 06	2	2006	Large Poster Board-Beloit Master Plan	Beloit 200 Bike Path City Revitalization Programs Maps Park- Riverside RiverFront Rock River