

# **LGBTQ Resource Guide**

## **Sources of Information Relating to the Austin and Travis County Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Community**

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## INTRODUCTION

The collections of the Austin History Center contain valuable materials about lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgendered and queer/questioning people and LGBTQ issues. The materials in this resource guide are arranged by collection unit of the Austin History Center. Within each collection unit, items are arranged in shelf-list order.

The Austin History Center card catalog supplements the online computer catalog by providing analytical entries to information in periodicals and other materials, in addition to listing collection holdings by author, title, and subject. These entries, although indexing ended in the 1990s, lead to specific articles and other information in sources that would otherwise be time-consuming to find and could be easily overlooked.

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## ARCHITECTURAL ARCHIVES COLLECTION

The Architectural Archives Collection contains drawings and renderings produced by local architectural firms and individuals donated to or acquired by the Austin History Center.

No LGBTQ architectural archives at this time. The AHC is currently looking for materials to add to this section. Please see the “Under-Documented Areas of Interest” section for more details.

## ARCHIVES AND MANUSCRIPTS COLLECTION

The Archives and Manuscripts Collection contains primary research materials about people, organizations, governments, and businesses in Austin and Travis County. The collections below are arranged by call number. For detailed information about specific collections, please refer to the archives finding aids located in the Reading Room or online at Texas Archival Resources Online (TARO).

Collection Number	Title, Date, Description
<b>AR.U.004</b>	<p><b>Austin (Tex.). City Council. Richard Goodman Records, 1977-1983</b></p> <p>Richard Goodman served three terms as a member of the Austin City Council, Place 4, in Austin, Texas, from 1977-1983. This collection contains the working files and correspondence from his time as a councilman, as well as administrative records from various City of Austin boards and commissions. Includes information on gay rights.</p> <p>A guide to the collection is available on <a href="#">Texas Archival Resources Online</a>.</p>
<b>AR.Z.018</b>	<p><b>Austin Lesbian/Gay Political Caucus Papers, 1978-2003</b></p> <p>Formed in 1979, the Austin Lesbian/Gay Political Caucus unites and organizes Austin Area lesbian, gay, bi-sexual and transgendered citizens and supporters in political action against all forms of discrimination based on sexual orientation and gender expression. The meeting minutes, financial records, correspondence, newspaper clippings, distributed information and issue/subject files in the collection document the activities of the organization from 1978 to 2003.</p> <p>A guide to the collection is available on <a href="#">Texas Archival Resources Online</a></p>
<b>AR.Z.036</b>	<p><b>Sally Shipman Records</b></p> <p>Box 8, folder 2 contain information on the closing of the LGBTQ bar called Sally's Apartment which was owned by Bunch Brittain and Keith Edwards.</p>
<b>AR.1991.002</b>	<p><b>Beck Runte Papers, 1970-1990</b></p> <p>The Beck Runte Papers document the gay rights movement in Austin, Texas, from 1974-1992. Events and organizations are recorded through clippings, administrative records, brochures, fliers, invitations, form letters and newsletters. Includes documentation of: AIDS Services of Austin; Austin Lambda; Austin Lesbian Feminist; Austin Lesbian/Gay Political Caucus; Book Woman; homosexuality; Kitty Genovese Women's Project; lesbianism; Lone Star Lesbians; NOW; Texas Gay Conferences, 1977 and 1979; and Womenspace.</p>

	A guide to the collection is available on <a href="#">Texas Archival Resources Online</a> .
<b>AR.1991.003</b>	<p><b>David Morris Papers, 1972-1979</b></p> <p>The David Morris Papers document the LGBTQ/gay rights movement in Austin, Texas, in the 1970s through news clippings, correspondence, fliers, and administrative records. Subjects included: Bread and Roses School; gay rights; human rights; Human Rights Coalition; Texas Farm Workers Union; and Texas Legislature.</p> <p>A guide to the collection is available on <a href="#">Texas Archival Resources Online</a>.</p>
<b>AR.1992.006</b>	<p><b>Doug Dyer Papers, 1944-1991</b></p> <p>Doug Dyer was an active member of the theater community in Austin, Texas, from the late 1960s to his untimely death from AIDS in 1991. He was widely known for his work with <i>Esther's Follies</i> as well as the Safe Sex Players. This collection dates from 1944-1991 and includes correspondence, musical compositions, scripts, memorabilia, and photographs documenting his life and contributions to both theater and LGBTQ rights.</p> <p>A guide to the collection is available on <a href="#">Texas Archival Resources Online</a>.</p>
<b>AR.1993.016</b>	<p><b>Capital City Men's Chorus Records, 1990-2006</b></p> <p>This collection documents the Capital City Men's Chorus, an all-male chorus based in Austin, Texas, whose mission supports the arts community, LGBTQ community, and the Austin community at large. Concert programs, posters, and administrative records dating from 1990-2006 make up the small collection.</p> <p>A guide to the collection is available on <a href="#">Texas Archival Resources Online</a>.</p>
<b>AR.1995.001</b>	<p><b>AIDS Services of Austin Records, 1984-1994</b></p> <p>Founded in 1987, AIDS Services of Austin is the region's oldest and largest community-based organization addressing the local AIDS crisis. Meeting minutes, reports, correspondence, printed material, financial documents and photographs dating from 1984-1994 document the organizations' efforts to assist those affected by the AIDS crisis, as well as educate the public about halting the spread of the disease.</p> <p>A guide to the collection is available on <a href="#">Texas Archival Resources Online</a>.</p>
<b>AR.1997.004</b>	<p><b>Camacho Family Papers, 1850-2005</b></p> <p>The Camacho Family Papers (1850 – 2005) contain printed material, correspondence, memorabilia and photographs collected by the Camacho family.</p>

	<p>The collection documents the family's history and their interests within the Austin community in local politics and political campaigns, Austin social issues and the Mexican-American community in Austin.</p> <p>Box 12, Folder 5: Maxey, Glen 1986-1997 Contains articles on Texas' first openly gay legislator, and memo on the onset of the AIDS epidemic.</p> <p>A guide to the collection is available on <a href="#">Texas Archival Resources Online</a>.</p>
<b>AR.2000.023</b>	<p><b>Janna Zumbrun Papers, 1974-1988</b></p> <p>Janna Zumbrun was a prominent gay/lesbian and women's issues activist in Austin, Texas. Her papers highlight her work with the Citizens for a United Austin, the Austin Lesbian/Gay Political Caucus, the City of Austin Human Relations Commission, and the Austin Lesbian Feminist Organization during the 1970s and 1980s. LGBT issues documented in the collection include AIDS awareness, the Austin Fair Housing Ordinance and discrimination against gays and lesbians by Austin businesses.</p> <p>A guide to the collection is available on <a href="#">Texas Archival Resources Online</a>.</p>
<b>AR.2003.014</b>	<p><b>YWCA of Greater Austin Records, 1907-1998</b></p> <p>Correspondence, financial records, minutes, reports, photographs, flyers, newsletters, clippings, and other printed materials document the administration and community activities of the Young Women's Christian Association (YWCA), particularly after 1960. Activities and groups documented include gay-community groups.</p>
<b>AR.2009.060</b>	<p><b>Austin (Tex.). City Council. Spaeth Records, 1980-1985</b></p> <p>Mark Spaeth served as member of the Austin City Council from 1983-1985. The records are arranged into one series and contain correspondence, creative works, financial and legal records, printed materials, photographs, clippings, and maps from Mark Spaeth's term as an Austin City Council member. The bulk of the files are from his first year in office, 1983. Records pertaining to growth and development projects make up a large portion of the records. Spaeth's personal notes and notations can be found throughout the records.</p> <p>Box 1 folder 6 Contains a memo regarding the beginning of the AIDS epidemic.</p> <p>A guide to the collection is available on <a href="#">Texas Archival Resources Online</a>.</p>
<b>AR.2010.022</b>	<p><b>Lisa Davis Photograph Collection, 1985-1995</b></p> <p>Slides and negatives. Lisa was a popular photographer in Austin, and well known in</p>

	the LGBTQ scene, which some of her photographs document.
<b>AR.2012.013</b>	<p><b>Roy Lozano’s Ballet Folklórico de Texas Records, 1985-2000</b></p> <p>Roy Lozano’s Ballet Folklórico de Texas (RLBFT) was founded in 1982 by Roy Lozano as a non-profit organization to promote and encourage the knowledge, appreciation, practice and performance of Mexican Regional Folk Ballet. The administrative files, event flyers, programs, posters and financial records in this collection highlight the activities of the organization from 1986 to 2000. Contains clippings about his illness with AIDS and his obituary.</p> <p>A guide to the collection is available on <a href="#">Texas Archival Resources Online</a>.</p>
<b>AR.2013.012</b>	<p><b>Danny Camacho Papers (unprocessed)</b></p> <p>Contains several files relating to LGBTQ issues.</p>
<b>AR.2015.030</b>	<p><b>University of Texas Department of American Studies “Exhibiting Austin” Records, 2014</b></p> <p>The University of Texas at Austin Department of American Studies focuses on the cultural, social, and intellectual life of the United States, as well as the place of the United States and US citizens in the world. The “Exhibiting Austin” class examined the theoretical approaches and practical realities that shape collecting, preserving and exhibiting Austin’s local history. The records include the final projects of the Spring 2014 class taught by Professor Cary Cordova.</p> <p>See folder 19: White, Demetrius “Get To Know Us: L Style G Style, 2014</p> <p>A guide to the collection is available on <a href="#">Texas Archival Resources Online</a>.</p>
<b>AR.2016.010</b>	<p><b>Gail McDonald Papers, 1977-1992</b></p> <p>The Gail McDonald Papers document the lesbian and gay rights movement from 1977-1992 in Austin, Texas, through correspondence, clippings, and financial records. McDonald was co-chair of the Austin Lesbian/Gay Political Caucus (ALGPC) from 1991-1993.</p> <p>A guide to the collection is available on <a href="#">Texas Archival Resources Online</a>.</p>
<b>AR.2016.027</b>	<p><b>Live Wire Productions, 1986-1995</b></p> <p>Documents the history of lesbian musicians and their performances in Austin from 1986-1995</p>
<b>AR.2016.067</b>	<p><b>Karen Stewart Papers, 1984-1991</b></p>



	One of the founders of Live Wire Productions (see AR.2016.027), very active in the lesbian entertainment scene in Austin.
<b>AR.2017.021</b>	<p><b>Austin (Tex.). Boards and Commissions. Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer (LGBTQ) Quality of Life Advisory Commission Records, 2017</b></p> <p>The Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer (LGBTQ) Quality of Life Advisory Commission was established to represent the constituency of the City of Austin by serving as an advisory board to the city council concerning the needs of the LGBTQ community. Agendas and meeting minutes.</p>
<b>AR.2017.023</b>	<p><b>The Austin LGBT Chamber of Commerce (ALGBTCC) Records, 2002-2018</b></p> <p>The Austin Gay and Lesbian Chamber of Commerce or AGLCC was founded in 1997 in Austin, Texas, as a professional networking group after a three year transition of originally being known as the Stonewall Chamber of Commerce. In 2004, the AGLCC became one of the founding members of the National Gay and Lesbian Chamber of Commerce (NGLCC) with representation on the Council of Chambers and Business Organizations in 2008-2009 and 2013-present. In 2017 the AGLCC rebranded and changed its name to the Austin LGBT Chamber of Commerce to include the contributions of the Bisexual and Transgender communities to our queer economy. Electronic records, posters, broadsides, memorabilia, and marketing/publicity materials.</p> <p>A guide to the collection is available on <a href="#">Texas Archival Resources Online</a></p>
<b>AR.2018.015</b>	<p><b>Stonewall Equality Employees Network (S.E.E.N.) Papers</b></p> <p>The City of Austin's staff organization for LGBTQ employees and their allies. Minutes of minutes and other documents.</p>

## AUSTIN FILES – SUBJECT: TEXT AND PHOTOGRAPHS

The Austin Files – Subject contain a variety of clippings, photographs, and ephemera related to the City Council of Austin. Please note that photographs, if available, are filed separately from the text files. A “T” indicates a text file, and a “P” indicates a photo file.

- AF B5070      Booksellers and Bookselling** – See also H2030 (12)  
Bookwoman (40) T  
Common Woman Book Collective, The (8) T  
Liberty Bookstore (55) P T  
Monkeywrench Books (63) T
- AF C3635      Churches—Episcopal**  
St. George’s (4) P T  
*Article: “Real Stories, Real People: The Church and the Homosexual,” a parishioner shares his coming out story.*
- AF C3638      Churches—Episcopal—St. David’s**  
General (1) P T  
*Article: “Church Prepares Same-Sex Blessing”*
- AF C3690      Churches—Methodist**  
Trinity (20) P T  
*Article: “Trinity to celebrate, recommit unions of lesbian, gay, transgender parishioners.”*
- AF C4600      Civil Rights**  
Austin Human Rights Commission (6) T
- AF C9200      Crime and Criminals**  
Sodomy/Homosexual Conduct Laws (12) T  
See also: LGBT People—Legal Issues H2030 (17)
- AF D1560      Diseases**  
AIDS/Aids Services of Austin (37) T  
See also: People’s Community Clinic P9400 (5)  
*Note: File contains information about Austin ACT UP and other LGBTQ AIDS advocacy organizations.*
- AF F1000      South by Southwest Conferences and Festivals (SXSW)**  
General (1) P T  
*Note: File contains information about GayBiGayGay*
- AF H2030      LGBT (Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender) People**  
General P T  
Anita Bryant Visit (2) T

Austin Gay & Lesbian Chamber of Commerce (19) T  
 Austin History Center LGBT Archive—See: LGBT Advocacy (11)  
 Austin Latina Lesbian & Gay Organization (ALLGO) (6) T  
 Austin Lesbian Feminist Organization (ALFO) (1) T  
 Austin Lesbian/Gay Political Caucus (5) T  
 Austin Pride—See: Pride Festival H2030 (10)  
 Billy Ray Green Case (3) T  
 Booksellers and Bookselling (12) T  
 Booksellers and Bookselling—See also: B5070  
 Ebony Connection (22) T  
 Equality Texas (21) T  
 Hate Crimes (16) T  
 Lesbian/Gay Rights Lobby of Texas (LGRL) (7) T  
 LGBT Advocacy (11) T  
 LGBT Legal Issues (17) T  
 LGBT Legal Issues—See also: C9200 (12)  
 LGBT Moving Pictures (14) T  
 Out Youth (8) T  
 Parents, Families & Friends of Lesbians and Gays (PFLAG) (20) T  
 Pride Festival (10) T  
 Protest (LGBT) (15) T  
 Protest (LGBT)—See also: P7750  
 Saloons & Bars (13) T  
 Texas Human Rights Foundation (4) T  
 Transgender (18) T

**AF H4600 Human Rights**

Austin Human Rights Commission (1) T

**AF M8430 Moving Pictures—Film Festivals**

Austin Gay & Lesbian International Film Festival (3) T

**AF M8460 Moving Pictures—Production & Direction**

Reel Women (64) T

*Note: File contains information about aGliff-Polari's "My Gay Movie 2007."*

See also: LGBT People – Moving Pictures H2030 (14)

**AF M9300 Music—Bands, Orchestras, Choirs, etc.**

Big Boys (B)

See also: AF Biography—Turner, Randy "Biscuit"

*Note: Big Boys was a hardcore punk band headed by openly gay singer, Randy "Biscuit" Turner.*

Capital City Men's Chrous (C, folder 1) T

Conspirare (C\*) T

*Note: Article where founder and director Craig Hella Johnson discusses being a gay man and his work with Conspirare.*

Dicks, The (D)—See also: Big Boys M9300 (B)

*Note: Singer Gary Floyed was one of a handful of openly gay musicians in the 1980s punk scene.*

Meat Joy (M) T

*Note: Lesbian musician, Gretchen Phillips was a member of this punk band in the 1980s.*

Nakia (N) T

Sincola (S) T

*Note: Lesbian couple, Joan Weiss and Terri Lord, were members of this mid-1990s indie band.*

Two Nice Girls (T\*) T

*Note: One of the first openly lesbian bands.*

**AF M9385 Music Trade**

Music Posters (33)

*Note: Posters includes those for Big Boys, The Dicks, and other LGBTQ bands or bands with members who are out.*

**AF P2400 Periodicals**

L Style, G Style (50) T

The Agenda (51) T

**AF P5100 Police Department**

Lesbian and Gay Peace Officers Association (27) T

**AF P5930 Pornography**

General P T

Citizens Against Pornography (2) T

**AF P7400 Property—Austin**

*Note: File contains invitations to 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Seminar: Same Sex Property Ownership in Texas: Protecting Your Partner and Your Assets.*

**AF P7600 Prostitution**

*Note: File contains article with reference to transgender prostitutes.*

**AF P7750 Protests**

Austin March Against Hate (17) T

**AF P9600 Public Welfare**

People's Community Clinic (5) P T

**AF P9460 Public Welfare—Societies, etc.**

General

**AF R0300 Radio**

KO-OP (23) T

*Note: File contains information about local LGBTQ program OutCast and Queer Waves, a queer music show.*

- AF R1050 Rape**  
Austin Rape Crisis Center (1) T  
*Note: File contains a pamphlet on rape for the gay and lesbian community.*
- AF R2610 Religion—Philosophy**  
Atheism (14) P T  
Living Truth Ministries (27) T
- AF R3800 Restaurants, Lunchrooms, etc.**  
Eastside Café (D-E)  
*Note: File contains L Style, G Style article about Elaine Martin and Dorsey Barger, founders of Eastside Café.*
- AF S0300 Saloons**  
General – Paula’s Playhouse, Warehouse District  
Cheer Up Charlie’s (119) T
- AF S1600 Secret Societies**  
Ku Klux Klan (3) P T  
*Note: File contains an article regarding the Klan’s position against same sex marriage.*
- AF S3100 Social Life and Customs**  
Rocky Horror Picture Show (15) T
- AF T6500 Theater**  
General P T  
Rod Kennedy Presents (14) T  
Esther’s Follies (21) P T  
Genesisus Players (31) T  
Capitol City Playhouse (37) P T  
Greater Tuna (41) T  
Different Stages (51) T  
Word-of-Mouth Women’s Theater (53) T  
Theater in the Rye (55) T  
Frontera/Hyde Park Theater (58) T  
Vortex Repertory Company (76) T  
Austin Playhouse (95) T
- AF U4500 University of Texas—Social Life and Customs**  
Student Organizations (6) P T  
- Gay Liberation  
- Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgendered MBAs and Allies  
- OUTlaw  
- Queer Students Alliance
- AF U4700 University of Texas—Students**

General (1) P T

*File contains printout of website for the Gender and Sexuality Center.*

**AF V2000 Visiting Men and Women**

Capote, Truman (17) T

Clift, Montgomery (213)

Garnett, David (39) T

Millay, Edna St. Vincent (130) T

Moore, Marianne (67) T

Nijinsky, Waslav (133) T

**AF V3500 Voters and Voting**

General (1) T

*File contains article, "Pols Predict High Turnout Among Conservative Christian Voters," about 1994 city referendum to extend insurance benefits to unmarried partners of city employees, and voters' guides (in English and Spanish) regarding 2005 statewide vote on constitutional amendment defining "marriage as a union only between one man and one woman."*

League of Women Voters, 2000-2009 (2) P T

*File contains voters' guide regarding 2005 statewide vote on constitutional amendment defining "marriage as a union only between one man and one woman."*

**AF Y0400 Young Men's Christian Association**

University Y (2) P T

*File contains articles about and materials related to services offered by the University Y specifically for the local gay and lesbian community during the 1970's.*

**AF Y0500 Young Women's Christian Association**

University YWCA (3) T

*File contains information regarding Gay Community Services in the 1970's.*

**AF Z0300 Zachary Scott Theatre Center**

1970s-2000s

*Files contain reviews of plays about LGBTQ people and issue, ranging from Cat on a Hot Tin Roof to The Laramie Project.*

## AUSTIN FILES – BIOGRAPHY: TEXT AND PHOTOGRAPHS

The Austin Files – Biography contain clippings, photos, and ephemera about Austin and Travis County residents who have contributed to the community. Biography files can be found using the Austin Public Library’s online catalog—enter the name, along with the term “biography file” to narrow the search.

<b>Barnes, Michael</b>	Author and columnist for the Austin American Statesman
<b>Cameron, Lisa</b>	Formerly Dave Cameron, transgendered drummer
<b>Chavez, Gina</b>	Lesbian musician, who sings in both Spanish and English
<b>Dyer, Douglas</b>	Actor, director, co-creator of <i>Esther’s Follies</i> , instrumental in revival of the State Theater. Finding aid for <a href="#">Doug Dyer Papers</a> on Texas Archival Resources Online.
<b>Eighner, Lars</b>	Openly gay author
<b>Flannigan, Jimmy</b>	Former head of LGBT Chamber of Commerce, Austin’s first openly gay City Council candidate in 2014
<b>Floyd, Gary</b>	Openly gay musician, lead singer for The Dicks
<b>Frasier, Margo</b>	First woman and openly lesbian sheriff of Travis County
<b>Goss, Rocky L.</b>	Founder and co-owner of County Line Restaurants <i>Obituary lists Goss’s partner among his survivors.</i>
<b>Gratias, Cecelia</b>	Filipino community activist and LGBTQ leader
<b>Hoffman, Scott</b>	Scott did the vast majority of research to create AHC’s first LGBTQ Resource Guide.
<b>Jenkins, Walter Wilson</b>	Top longtime aide to President Johnson, involved in a sex scandal.
<b>Joplin, Janis</b>	Bisexual singer, musician
<b>Laughlin, Trella Ann</b>	Producer of video show “Let the People Speak!”
<b>Lord, Terri</b>	Openly lesbian drummer, member of Sincola, etc.
<b>Love, LZ.</b>	Transgender musician

<b>Lozano, Roy</b>	Openly gay dancer who founded Ballet Foklorico in 1982 and died of an AIDS related illness in 1994. Finding aid for <a href="#">Roy Lozano's Ballet Folklórico de Texas Records</a> on Texas Archival Resources Online.
<b>Mathias, Jayme</b>	Openly gay priest in the American Catholic church, Austin AISD Board member
<b>Maxey, Glen</b>	Texas' first openly gay legislator
<b>Nakia (Daniel Reynoso)</b>	Openly gay singer, appeared on NBC's singing competition <i>The Voice</i>
<b>Naylor, Betty</b>	Prominent lesbian activist and lobbyist
<b>Paddie, Dennis</b>	An organizer of first international gay men's gathering in Austin in 1970, novelist, playwright and poet
<b>Perez, Lourdes</b>	Singer, composer originally from Puerto Rico, based for many years in Austin
<b>Perry, Rick</b>	Governor of Texas, very outspoken in his opinions regarding homosexuality
<b>Phillips, Gretchen</b>	Openly lesbian musician, member of Two Nice Girls, etc.
<b>Sisnett, Ana</b>	Author, visual artist, community activist. Executive Director of Austin Free-Net
<b>Spaeth, Mark</b>	City Council member. Finding aid for <a href="#">Austin (Tex.). City Council. Mark Spaeth Records</a> on Texas Archival Resources Online.
<b>Turner, Randy "Biscuit"</b>	Openly gay musician, lead singer for Big Boys
<b>Vance, Boyd</b>	Gay African American actor, director and producer. Advocate for gay rights and HIV/AIDS awareness
<b>Zumbrun, Janna</b>	Lesbian/Gay activist and lobbyist. Finding aid for <a href="#">Janna Zumbrun Papers</a> on Texas Archival Resources Online.



## AUSTIN FILES – HOUSE/BUILDING: TEXT AND PHOTOGRAPHS

The Austin Files – House/Building contains clippings, reports, and ephemera related to structures in Austin and Travis County. Arranged by street address.

The AHC is currently looking for LGBTQ related materials to add to this section.

## GENERAL COLLECTION

The General Collection contains books, pamphlets, and local government reports. Titles are arranged by call number. Yearbooks are listed separately at the end of the list.

This list is by no means an exhaustive list of every title held by the Austin History Center that relates to the LGBTQ community; that can be accomplished by a keyword search in the Austin Public Library online catalog. This list is an attempt to identify General Collection items that provide a historical perspective or address LGBTQ issues.

Call Number	Title
A 305.90664 GA	<i>From Closet to Crusade: The Struggle for Lesbian-Gay Civil Rights in Austin, Texas, 1970 – 1982</i> , Eric Jason Ganther
A 305.90664 LI	<i>Life, Liberty, Justice for All, April 30, 1989</i> , video recording, Austin Women’s Video Collaborative
A 305.90664 MA	<i>March on Austin for Lesbian-Gay Equal Rights, 1989</i> , March on Austin Organizing Committee
A 305.90664 Mu	<i>Gay neighborhoods: Fourth Street’s “Outing” and a Comparison of Homosexual Geographies</i> Timothy Luke Murray
A 305 .9066409 SE	<i>Rebels, Rubyfruit, and Rhinestones: Queering Space in the Stonewall South</i> James T. Sears
A 306.0766025 AU	<i>The Austin Gay-friendly Resource Directory, 1992</i> , Austin Media Visions
A 306.0766025 AU	<i>The Austin Gay-friendly Directory, 1997</i> , Austin Media Visions
A 306.0766025 AU	<i>Austin-San Antonio Gay &amp; Lesbian Yellow Pages, 1997</i> , Austin Media Visions
A 306.0766025 AU	<i>Austin Gay &amp; Lesbian Yellow Pages, 1998</i> , Austin Media Visions
A 306.76609 HO	<i>Fighting Back: The Struggle for Gay Rights</i> , Sabra Holbrook
A 363.490924 W879W AA	<i>God Made Us All: Even If We’re Gay</i> , John E. Woody
A 363.5109764	<i>Austin Fair Housing Survey, 1981</i> , Citizens for a United Austin

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A 363.5109764 AU	<i>Austin Fair Housing Attitudes Survey II, 1981,</i> Citizens for a United Austin
A 378.005 CA	<i>The Cactus, 1972</i> The University of Texas at Austin <i>Article: "Gay Lib Met Opposition" (pp. 340 – 342).</i>
A 378.005 CA	<i>The Cactus, 1995</i> The University of Texas at Austin <i>Photograph: "UT students celebrate their gay pride at the National Coming Out Day Rally in the West Mall" (p. 12).</i> <i>Photograph: "Valentine's Day was celebrated by lesbian couples dancing in the West Mall" (p. 21).</i> <i>April calendar listing: "Local gays and lesbians demonstrate at the Capitol building to 'Stop the Hate'" (p. 24).</i> <i>Article: "All Dressed Up: A Weekend in the Life of the Austin Underground Clubbing Scene (pp. 38 – 39), about a group of young gay men.</i>
A 378.005 CA 2008	<i>The Cactus, 2008</i> The University of Texas at Austin <i>"Raising Awareness: LGBTQ Community Provides Comfort, Education" (pp. 42 – 43).</i>
A 378.005 CA 2010	<i>The Cactus, 2010</i> The University of Texas at Austin <i>"March On" (pp. 88 – 89), article about anti-hate crimes protest on February 27, 2010.</i>
A 378.005 CA 2011	<i>The Cactus, 2011</i> The University of Texas at Austin <i>Article: "Speaking Out" (pp. 70 – 71), campus celebration of National Coming Out Day 2010. Note: "Story by Jody Serrano originally for The Daily Texan."</i>
A 781.66 DI	<i>The Dicks</i> Temporary Services (Group of artists) <i>Pamphlet featuring interviews with members of the 1980's punk band, including singer Gary Floyd who discusses being openly gay.</i>
A 791.436353 AN	<i>Annual Austin Gay and Lesbian International Film Festival, 1994,</i> 7 <sup>th</sup> Annual Festival
A 793.34 AU	<i>Festival of Dance: A gala Benefiting AIDS</i> Program for a fundraising event held at the Paramount in 1995
A 809.8920664 RE	<i>Readings from the First Annual "A Celebration of Gay &amp; Lesbian Voices,"</i>

<p>A 811.54 MA</p>	<p><i>Poems for Dennis Jay Beckerman, May 24, 1956 – May 13, 1993: Loving, Honouring, Remembering, Missing, Letting Go,</i> Dan Martell <i>Poems of bereavement by openly gay poet Dan Martell for a man who died of AIDS.</i></p>
<p>A 813.54 EI AA</p>	<p><i>Pawn to Queen Four: A Novel,</i> Lars Eighner <i>A novel about Austin, Texas, a homophobic preacher and Agnes, a six-foot-six drag queen with foot-long lavender nails.</i></p>
<p>A 813.54 SA</p>	<p><i>A Twist at the End: A Novel of O. Henry</i> Steven Saylor <i>A novel by openly gay author, Steven Saylor, about O. Henry, Elisabeth Ney and the Servant Girl Annihilator in 1885 Austin.</i></p>
<p>A 976.431 BA 2018</p>	<p><i>Indelible Austin,</i> Michael Barnes <i>Chapter 12, page 361. Austin's Singular LGBT Community. Also page 294.</i></p>

## MAP COLLECTION

The Map Collection contains items that illustrate the boundaries and features of Austin and Travis County and trace changes in the growth of the area.

The AHC is currently looking for LGBTQ related material to add to this section.

## PERIODICALS

The Periodicals Collection includes newspapers, magazines, and newsletters published in or about Austin and Travis County. The collection is arranged alphabetically by title. Titles can be found by looking in the Periodical Index, located in the Reading Room. Date spans are listed in order to give the researcher an idea of what is available but this does not mean that the entire run of a periodical for that date span is necessarily available.

The Austin History Center has on microfilm a complete run of the Austin American-Statesman (AAS) since its founding in 1871. Refer to the following guide for more information about the AAS and how to access it: [Austin American Statesman Resource Guide](#).

1871-76	Computer printout
1884	Currently being indexed on computer
1885-1955	No index
1956-73	Card index
1973-80	Computer printout only
1981-92	Online and computer printout
1989-present	Available through Library Reference Database pages: <a href="http://www.ci.austin.tx.us/library/databases.htm">http://www.ci.austin.tx.us/library/databases.htm</a>

<b>Title/Organization</b>	<b>Date Span</b>
<i>Agenda, The</i>	March 2013 – present
<i>AGLCC Community Newsletter</i>	January 2013 – present
<i>AGLCC “On the Agenda” newsletter</i>	
<i>aGLIFF: Austin Gay and Lesbian Film Festival (programs)</i>	Incomplete collection. Nov. 1989- 2010
<i>Austin Lesbian Organization</i>	April 1975 – June 1975
<i>Austindyke</i>	September 1980
<i>Fag Rag</i>	February 1993 – February 1997

<i>G Style / L Style</i>	November 2007 – September 2011
<i>Goodbye to All That</i> , Austin Lesbian Organization	August 1975 – January 1978
<i>L Style / G Style</i> (See <i>G Style / L Style</i> )	November 2007 – September 2011
<i>Left Hand, The</i> , Austin Lesbians Speak Out	March 1987 – May 1988
<i>Lone Star Lesbians</i>	November 1977 – May 1978
<i>On the Agenda</i>	January 7, 2013 - present
<i>Our Time Has Come: A Lesbian Feminist Publication</i> , Our Time Has Come Collective	July 1978 – April 1979
<i>Reticence and Anxiety</i>	Issues #4, 5, and 6 (Undated)
<i>St. Valentine's Day</i>	February 1987
<i>Texas Triangle, The: The Lesbian and Gay News Weekly of Austin</i>	October 1992 – April 2001
<i>The Rag</i>	1966 – 1977 75 issues available at the Austin History Center, 7 undated. <i>Also, check <a href="http://www.nuevoanden.com/Rag/">http://www.nuevoanden.com/Rag/</a> for a history of this paper and a PDF of the contents of all issues. Many articles are related to LGBTQ people and issues.</i>
<i>Two Dykes and Others</i> , Azolakov (A.M.)	November 1977

## RECORDING COLLECTION – AUDIO

The Recording Collection contains individual audio recordings donated or acquired by the Austin History Center. This list is in order by tape number – a list in alphabetical by subject and then by interviewee last name is available on the [Austin History Center website](#).

### AUDIO ON COMPACT DISC

Call Number	Title
A CD Choral Oreg	<i>Threshold of Night, 2008</i> Conspirare
A CD MA Elec 1003	<i>Electric, 1994</i> Electric Lounge/Variou performers (Note: Includes “Thousand Miles” by Sincola.)
A CD MA EXPL 1317	<i>Explosion in Texas Claims One Million Lives. Vol. 1, Austin Underground, 1993.</i> Throwdown Records/Variou performers (Note: Includes “Hey” by Sincola.)
A CD MA Fall 1349	<i>Fallout: A Radioactive Compilation, 1993</i> KVRX/Variou performers (Note: Includes “Carousel” by Sincola.)
A CD MA SINC 2465	<i>Crash Landing in Teen Heaven, 1996</i> Sincola
A CD MC Phil	<i>Songs to Save Your Soul, 1998</i> Gretchen Phillips
A CD R Capi	<i>Northern Lights, 2000</i> Capitol City Men’s Chorus
A CD Rock Big	<i>The Fat Elvis, 1993</i> Big Boys



## AUDIO ON TAPE

The AHC is currently looking for materials to add to this section, such as oral histories from people involved in the LGBTQ community.

## AUDIO ON VINYL DISC

Call Number	Title
A MA R3735	<i>Bands on the Block</i> Various artists (Note: Includes “Corntaminated” by Meat Joy)
A MA R4306	<i>Live at Raul’s, 1980</i> (2 copies) The Dicks

## RECORDING COLLECTION – VIDEO

Collection Number	Title
AR-R.10	<b>KVUE Newfilm Collection, 1972 – 1977</b> Box 18: June 8, 1977: Gay rights in Austin
AR-2007-027	<b>Let the People Speak! Video collection</b> Produced by Trella Laughlin.

## VIDEO ON DVD

Call Number	Title
A DVD 647.9576431 VI	<i>Viva Les Amis: An Institution in Every Sense of the Word, 2005</i> Nancy Higgins <i>Note: Includes appearance of openly gay musician/artist Randy “Biscuit” Turner</i>
AR.2009.073 Tape # 00314	“It Gets Better” produced by the Lesbian & Gay Peace Officers Association of Austin. Campaign to reduce teenage suicides in LGBT youth

## VIDEO ON VHS TAPE

Call Number	Title
A VHS 305.90064 Li	<i>March on Austin for Lesbian/Gay Rights, 1989</i> Austin Women’s Video Collaborative

## UNDERDOCUMENTED AREAS OF INTEREST

The Austin History Center needs additional information on the topics listed in, but not limited to, this section. Donations are gratefully accepted.

### BUSINESSES AND SERVICES

#### **Bars**

Apartment Lounge, The  
Austin Country  
Boathouse, The  
Bout Time  
Chain Drive  
Charlie's  
Cheer Up Charlie's  
Dirty Sally's  
English's  
Iron Bear, The  
Hall's  
Kiss and Fly  
Oilcan Harry's (OCH)  
Oz  
Pearl Street Warehouse  
Private Cellar, The  
Rain  
Rainbow Cattle Company  
Rusty's Austin  
Score at OCH  
Town and Country

#### **Health and Fitness**

24 Hour Fitness (Hancock Center)  
Austin Naked Yoga  
Gold's (6<sup>th</sup> and Congress)  
Pure Austin

#### **Restaurants**

County Line Barbecue  
Flipnotics  
Night Hawk (Guadalupe location)

#### **Retail**

Lobo  
Pride Socks  
Skivvies  
Tape Lenders

### Services

Care Communities  
Going Up  
LifeWorks  
Project Transitions  
Transgender Education Network of Texas  
The Wright House

## EVENTS, ANNUAL

Art Erotica  
Austin Pride Festival and Parade  
Capitol City Men's Chorus Annual Christmas Concert  
GayBiGayGay  
Gay Thanksgiving  
Halloween  
Hill Country Ride for AIDS  
HRC Black Tie Gala  
Legal Seminar for Same-sex Property Ownership in Texas  
Majestic Party (Paramount Theater)  
OctoTea Dance  
Queer Bomb  
Splash Days  
Texas Gay Rodeo

## EVENTS, HISTORIC

*Bowers v. Hardwick*, 1986 (local reactions)  
*Defense of Marriage Act (DOMA)*, 1996 (local reactions)  
“Don't Ask, Don't Tell” and military service at Bergstrom Air Force Base and Camp Mabry  
(local reactions)  
Election of Glen Maxey, first openly gay Texas legislator  
First Austin Pride parade  
First UT Pride Week, 2001  
Gay and Lesbian Blue Jeans Day, 1985  
HIV/AIDS (local reactions)  
Kiss-ins  
“Lavender Menace” Rally, 1987  
Launch of QueerUT, first UT queer website, 2001  
*Lawrence v. Texas*, 2003 (local reactions)

“Let Them Eat Bush” fundraiser  
LGBTQ life in Austin before Stonewall  
Matthew Shepard incident, 1998, and  
    *Matthew Shepard and James Byrd, Jr., Hate Crimes Prevention Act, 2009*  
    (local reactions)  
National Coming Out Day (local reactions)  
National Day of Silence (local reactions)  
Protests  
“The Big Split,” UT, 1997

## ORGANIZATIONS

Austin Community College – Gay-Straight Alliance  
Austin Frontrunners  
Austin Gay and Lesbian Pride Foundation  
Austin Gay Basketball League  
Austin Gold Stars  
Austin LGBT Bar Association  
Austin Tennis club  
Bands, orchestras, choirs and other musical groups and organizations  
Capitol City Men’s Chorus  
Churches, synagogues, temples and other places of worship  
Equality Texas  
Gay Liberation Front  
Gay People of Austin  
Gay Volleyball Austin  
Gay Women’s Liberation  
Homophilic League, UT  
Honest/Texas  
Lesbian Avengers  
Lesbian and Gay Student Alliance  
Octopus Club  
Polari (Austin Gay and Lesbian International Film Festival)  
Queer People of Color  
Queers United  
Rainbow Alliance  
Rainbow Summit  
Revolution and Andre Lancaster  
Safe Space  
She Says  
Texas 360  
Texas Lesbian Conference  
Trikone-Tejas  
United Methodists for LGBT Concerns  
University Alliance

University Lesbian/Gay Alliance  
University Lesbians  
Women's Action Coalition

## PEOPLE

The Glitoris and other bloggers  
Samshasha

## PUBLICATIONS

Would like to collect more LGBTQ publications.

## OTHER AREAS OF INTEREST

Art  
Biographical sketches  
Diaries  
Journals  
Letters, email  
Local photos, film and video  
Maps  
Memoirs  
Mementos  
Pamphlets, fliers  
Posters  
Signs and postings