South Carolina Coalition for the Equal Rights Amendment

Papers, 1963-1978

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Scope and Content Note:

Formed in January 1973, the Coalition was reorganized in 1975 as a public interest lobby to secure ratification of the Equal Rights Amendment to the federal constitution by South Carolina. The Coalition was co-funded by the League of Women Voters and the National Organization for Women and headed by Keller H. Barron [formerly Keller Bumgardner] as legislative coordinator to handle political strategy and Janet Wedlock as field coordinator to organize constituent lobbying.


Note: Related records are contained in the papers of the League of Women Voters of South Carolina.

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