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BRAZORIA COUNTY HISTORICAL MUSEUM

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ACCESS

Hours: M-F 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. Sat 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Research By Appt. Only: N/A

Finding Aids:

Paper Database Other _____ **Web-based:** EAD HTML Database

Comments on Access:

COLLECTIONS POLICY / MISSION STATEMENT

The Brazoria County Historical Museum's primary purpose is to act as the Historical Resource Center for Brazoria County. The Museum is a repository for material focusing on the history of Texas. The primary focus is collection, organizing and preserving information relating to the events, people, and places in Brzoria County and to assist researchers in locating this material.

GENERAL OVERVIEW OF COLLECTIONS

Strengths:

Items include government records, artifacts, books, publications, maps, photographs, oral history tapes, newspapers, videotapes, microfilm, artwork, and the archives of individuals, families, businesses, institutions and other organizations. Items are usually unique and document a significant body of knowledge about the area's history.

Additional Comments:

6,000 photographic items; 5,700 archival items; 3,000 three-dimensional items; 1,900 books in the research library; 900 topic files for research; 120 rare books; 65 rolls of microfilm; 7000 slides; 220 maps; 400+ Oral Histories