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Archivists of the Houston Area

TEXAS CULINARY COLLECTION

Physical Location:

Private Collection in Southwest Houston

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ACCESS

Hours: By appointment

Research By Appt. Only:

Finding Aids:

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

Comments on Access:

Contact Curator for access. Bibliography of collection being developed.

COLLECTIONS POLICY / MISSION STATEMENT

Document the foodways of Texas cultures and organizations.

GENERAL OVERVIEW OF COLLECTIONS

Strengths:

Over 1100 Texas cookbooks and historical texts, nearly all pre-1987. Additional reference sources and bibliographic information on relevant titles. Special areas for Jewish cookery, Dallas County, rice promotion, and Mexican foods. Several hundred Southern and United States titles for comparison and reference.

Weaknesses:

Few corporate histories and fewer menus. Does not include agricultural history.

Additional Comments:

Bibliography needs suggestions and focus from historian for development.