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## ***Collection Summary***

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**Related Collections:** Ward Election Journals (0300.003); Ward 09 Election Records (0300.007); Voter Checklists (0300.006).

**Access:** Access to collection is open to the public. Please contact the archives for an appointment to view materials. Cite the collection number, box and folder numbers when making an appointment. Restrictions may apply to confidential information in accordance with state and federal laws.

**Digital Note:** A limited amount of Sample Ballots are accessible online via the links available in the inventory of this finding aid.

**Conservation Notes:** Not applicable.

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**Historical Note**

The City of Manchester, and specifically the Office of the City Clerk, has been conducting local, state, and federal elections since Manchester became a city in 1846.

The City Clerk is responsible for the integrity of elections and the preservation of the results. This includes various duties as determined by the city charter, such as issuing warrants, political calendars, and sample ballots. During contested elections, the City Clerk also works with the Board of Registrars and the Board of Recount to re-determine the official results of an election. Campaign finances are also monitored by the City Clerk, by collecting financial records from political candidates. Official election results from each ward are submitted to the Office of the City Clerk, who then creates a cumulative tally and declares the result of the specific election.

Locally, Manchester holds a Municipal Primary Election and a Municipal General Election every two years. The primary election is held biennially in each ward on the third Tuesday of September in each odd-numbered year. Manchester started conducting primary municipal elections after the State Legislature passed a law in 1943 allowing for primaries at the local level. The primary election allows qualified voters to nominate candidates for the general election, which is held on the Tuesday next following the first Monday of November in each odd-numbered year. During the general election, qualified voters nominate the mayor, the respective alderman for the voter's ward, and other officials. Local elections are non-partisan, although partisan elections had been held in the city's earlier years. Local elections held in Manchester's earlier history had been on both odd and even numbered years until the mid-20<sup>th</sup> Century.

State elections are also held every two years, during even-numbered years. These elections allow voters to nominate officials at the state government level, such as governor and senator. Both primary and general elections are conducted at the state level. Presidential primary elections have been held in New Hampshire since 1916.

## Collection Description

This collection consists of records created by or were deposited to the Office of the City Clerk in relation to local, state, and federal elections conducted within Manchester. The majority of the materials are letter and legal sized papers, although oversized materials, videos, and born-digital records also exist. When digital records exist, they are made accessible via links in each record series' inventory. This finding aid is not inclusive of all records in the collection, but does document a majority of the materials.

The collection is arranged into seven record series, all of which are arranged chronologically:

- I. Return of Votes, 1849 – current
- II. Recount Records, 1923 – 2013
- III. Correspondence, 1849 – current
- IV. Campaign Financial Records, 1926 – 2005
- V. Absentee Ballot Request Lists, 1993 – 2014
- VI. Sample Ballots, 1924 – current
- VII. Warrants, 1842 – current

The collection offers strong documentation of the local electoral history of the City of Manchester. The *Return of Votes* records contain official election results, and also list the names of candidates, the office they were running for, and in some instances other data is included depending on the election and the year. Some obvious gaps exist within each record series, including the *Return of Votes*, which is missing records from earlier elections. Fortunately, for years where records are not present for local elections, official results are often recorded in the meeting minutes of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, which are available for public inspection at the City Archives.

The collection also offers a unique insight into the logistics of conducting an election in New Hampshire's largest city, which is best documented in the *Correspondence* record series, which consists mostly of correspondence to and from the City Clerk's office regarding election related topics. Another unique resource is the *Sample Ballots*, which list a wide variety of candidates, from presidential hopefuls to aldermen, welfare commissioners, and ward clerks.

The collection also protects local campaign finance transparency and accountability by preserving political candidates' financial records which are deposited to the City Clerk during elections. This documentation is available in the *Campaign Financial Records*.

Records from the 19<sup>th</sup> Century are occasionally mixed together, with some folders containing multiple record series. When possible, item notes were included in the box and folder inventory to identify folders containing multiple record series. Earlier records will generally contain less information and be less voluminous than more contemporary records.

Election records are created, used, or collected indefinitely by the Office of the City Clerk and are subsequently accessioned by the Manchester City Archives after every election. Due to the large volume of records generated, more recent elections' records may not be reflected in this finding aid for an unknown amount of time. Recent records of elections not documented in this finding aid can still be viewed by the public by contacting the City Archives.

## Series Descriptions & Inventory

### Series I: Return of Votes, 1849 – current

*Return of Votes* documents the official results of an election, whether it is municipal, state, and/or federal. Documents can be cumulative city-wide results or be broken down into results by ward. These records list the names of candidates, what office he or she is running for, and how many votes they received.

The series includes forms used to tally handwritten votes, absentee ballots, and overall tallies. It may also include incident reports, moderators' checklists and forms, tabulator issues, deputy registrars' reports, and other documentation created by ward officials. Earlier records may also include warrants and other related information in addition to the official results. Folders include results from all wards unless otherwise noted. Arranged chronologically.

<i>Folder Title</i>	<i>Box Number</i>	<i>Folder Number</i>
Return of Votes, n.d. – 1851	E-003	05
Municipal General Election, March 09, 1852	E-003	08
Presidential General Election, November 04, 1856 (Ward 06)	E-003	14
State General Election, March 08, 1859 (Ward 07)	E-003	22
Municipal General Election, December 10, 1861	E-004	04
Municipal General Election, December 09, 1862	E-004	07
Municipal General Election, December 08, 1863	E-004	09
Municipal General Election, December 13, 1864	E-004	12
Municipal General Election, December 12, 1865	E-004	14
Municipal General Election, December 11, 1866	E-004	16
Municipal General Election, December 10, 1867	E-004	18
Municipal General Election, December 08, 1868 <i>See also: Recount Records: Box E-004, Folder 20.</i>	E-004	21
Municipal General Election, December 14, 1869	E-005	01
Municipal General Election, December 13, 1870	E-005	04
Municipal General Election, December 12, 1871	E-005	06
Municipal General Election, December 10, 1872	E-005	08
Municipal General Election, December 09, 1873	E-005	10
Municipal General Election, November 7, 1876 (Wards 01, 05, 06)	E-005	14
Presidential General Election, November 07, 1876 (Ward 06)	E-005	14
Municipal General Election, November 04, 1902	E-005	16
Municipal General Election, November 04, 1904	E-005	17
Municipal General Election, 1951-1987  <i>Note: This folder contains copies of the City's Government Book (Accession 2010.133) showing votes for Mayor. Some years include results for Commissioner of Charities/Commissioner of City Welfare.</i>	E-005A	20
Municipal General Election, November 03, 1953  <i>Note: Includes Recount Records.</i>	E-006	01
Municipal General Election, November 08, 1955	E-006	03
Municipal Special Election (Ward 04, 11), June 26, 1956 <i>See also: Recount Records: Box E-006, Folder 05.</i>	E-006	04
Municipal General Election, November 05, 1957	E-006	06
Municipal Special Election, December 17, 1957	E-006	07

Municipal General Election, November 03, 1959	E-006	08
Municipal Primary Election, September 12, 1961	E-006	09
Municipal General Election, November 07, 1961	E-006	11
Municipal Primary Election, October 08, 1963	E-006	10
Municipal General Election, November 05, 1963	E-006	12
Municipal Special Election (Ward 11), March 10, 1964	E-006	13
Municipal Special Election (Ward 13), December 08, 1964	E-006	14
Municipal Primary Election, October 05, 1965	E-006	15
Municipal General Election, November 02, 1965	E-006	16
Municipal Primary Election, October 03, 1967	E-006	17
Municipal General Election, November 07, 1967	E-006	18
Municipal Primary Election, October 07, 1969	E-006	19
Municipal General Election, November 04, 1969	E-006	20
State Special Election (Ward 09), November 03, 1970	E-006	21
<i>Note: Includes return of votes for a City referenda ballot regarding sale of sweepstakes tickets.</i>		
Municipal Primary Election, October 05, 1971	E-007	01
Municipal General Election, November 02, 1971	E-007	02
Municipal Primary Election, October 02, 1973	E-007	05
Municipal General Election, November 06, 1973	E-007	06
State Special Election, September 16, 1975	E-007	09
Municipal Primary Election, October 07, 1975	E-007	10
Municipal General Election, November 04, 1975	E-007	11
Municipal Special Election (Ward 06), April 19, 1977	E-007	16
Municipal Primary Election, October 04, 1977	E-007	17
Municipal General Election, November 08, 1977	E-007	18
State Primary Election, September 12, 1978	E-007	19
State General Election, November 07, 1978	E-007	20
Municipal Primary Election, October 02, 1979	E-007	21
Municipal General Election, November 06, 1979	E-007	22
Presidential Primary Election, February 26, 1980	E-007	24
State Primary Election, September 09, 1980	E-007	25
Presidential and State General Election, November 04, 1980	E-007	26
Municipal Special Election (Ward 05), March 10, 1981	E-007	31
Municipal Primary Election, October 06, 1981	E-007	32
Municipal General Election, November 03, 1981	E-007	33
State Primary Election, September 14, 1982	E-008	03
State General Election, November 02, 1982	E-008	04
Municipal Special Election (Ward 05), January 06, 1983	E-008	05
Municipal Primary Election, September 20, 1983	E-008	12
Municipal General Election, November 08, 1983	E-008	15
Presidential Primary Election, February 28, 1984	E-008	18
State Primary Election, September 11, 1984	E-008	19
Presidential and State General Election, November 06, 1984	E-008	20
State Special Primary Election (Ward 12), March 12, 1985	E-009	04
State Special General Election (Ward 12), April 16, 1985	E-009	05
Municipal Primary Election, September 17, 1985	E-009	07
Municipal General Election, November 05, 1985	E-009	09

State Special Primary Election (Ward 02), December 10, 1985	E-009	10
State Special General Election (Ward 02), January 14, 1986	E-009	13
State Primary Election, September 09, 1986	E-009	14; 15
State General Election, November 04, 1986	E-009	18
Municipal Primary Election, September 15, 1987	E-010	05
Municipal General Election, November 03, 1987 <i>See also: Recount Records, Box E-010 Folder 09.</i>	E-010	07
Presidential Primary Election, February 16, 1988	E-011	04; 06
State Primary Election, September 13, 1988	E-011	07
Presidential and State General Election, November 08, 1988	E-011	09
Municipal Primary Election, September 19, 1989 <i>See also: Recount Records, Box E-012 Folder 02.</i>	E-012	01
Municipal General Election, November 07, 1989 <i>See also: Recount Records, Box E-012 Folder 04.</i>	E-012	06
State Special General Election (Ward 07, 11), November 07, 1989	E-012	07
State Special General Election (Ward 11), December 12, 1989	E-012	09
State Primary Election, September 11, 1990	E-012	14
State General Election, November 06, 1990	E-012	16
Municipal Primary Election, September 17, 1991	E-013	05
Municipal General Election, November 05, 1991 <i>See also: Recount Records, Box E-013 Folder 10.</i>	E-013	09
State Special General Election (Ward 11), December 10, 1991	E-013	11
Presidential Primary Election, February 18, 1992	E-013A	08; 09
State Primary Election, September 08, 1992	E-013A	12
Presidential and State General Election, November 03, 1992	E-013A	13
Municipal Primary Election, September 21, 1993	E-014	11
Municipal General Election, November 02, 1993 <i>See also: Recount Records, Box E-014 Folder 15.</i>	E-014	13
Municipal Special Primary Election (Ward 05), April 05, 1994	E-015	07; 08
State Primary Election, September 13, 1994	E-015	10
State General Election, November 08, 1994	E-015	14
Municipal Primary Election, September 19, 1995	E-016	05
State Special Election (Ward 12), October 03, 1995 <i>Note: Includes sample ballots and absentee ballot request list.</i>	E-016	12
Municipal General Election, November 07, 1995 <i>See also: Recount Records, Box E-017 Folder 02.</i>	E-017	01
Municipal Special Election Re: City Charter Commission, January 23, 1996	E-017	09
Presidential Primary Election, February 20, 1996	E-017	18
State Primary Election, September 10, 1996	E-018	04
Presidential and State General Election, November 05, 1996	E-018	10
Municipal Primary Election, September 16, 1997 <i>See also: Recount Records, Box E-019 Folder 10.</i>	E-019	09
Municipal General Election, November 04, 1997	E-020	06
State Special Primary Election (Ward 11), January 20, 1998	E-021	05
State Special General Election (Ward 11), February 24, 1998	E-021	08
State Primary Election, September 08, 1998	E-021	11
State General Election, November 03, 1998	E-022	05
Municipal Primary Election, September 21, 1999	E-023	11

Municipal General Election, November 02, 1999 <i>See also: Recount Records, Box E-024 Folder 11.</i>	E-024	09
Presidential Primary Election, February 01, 2000	E-026	10
State Primary Election, September 12, 2000	E-027	02
Presidential and State General Election, November 07, 2000	E-027	09
Municipal Primary Election, September 18, 2001	E-028	10
Municipal General Election, November 06, 2001	E-029	08
State Special Primary Election, February 05, 2002	E-030	07
State Special General Election, March 12, 2002	E-030	12
Municipal Special Election Re: Charter Question, September 03, 2002	E-031	01
State Primary Election, September 10, 2002	E-031	08
State General Election, November 05, 2002	E-033	04
Municipal Special Election Re: Charter Commission, November 05, 2002	E-033	09
State Special General Election, March 04, 2003	E-034	08
Municipal Primary Election, September 16, 2003	E-034	17
Municipal General Election, November 04, 2003 <i>See also: Recount Records, Box E-036 Folders 04-05.</i>	E-036	03
Presidential Primary Election, January 27, 2004	E-036	17
State Primary Election, September 14, 2004	E-037	09
Presidential and State General Election, November 02, 2004	E-038	12
Municipal Primary Election, September 20, 2005	E-040	02
Municipal General Election, November 08, 2005 <i>See also: Recount Records, Box E-042 Folders 02-05.</i>	E-041	09
State Primary Election, September 12, 2006	E-044	03-07
State General Election, November 07, 2006	E-045	06-09
State Special Primary Election (Ward 02), April 24, 2007	E-046	09
State Special General Election (Ward 02), May 29, 2007	E-046	13
Municipal Primary Election, September 18, 2007	E-047	09-12
Municipal General Election, November 06, 2007 <i>See also: Recount Records, Box E-049 Folder 04.</i>	E-048	08-11
Presidential Primary Election, January 08, 2008	E-049 E-050	10-11 01-05
State Primary Election, September 09, 2008	E-051	04-08
Presidential and State General Election, November 04, 2008	E-052 E-053	06-08 01-10
Municipal Primary Election, September 15, 2009	E-055	03-15
Municipal General Election, November 03, 2009 <i>See also: Recount Records, Box E-056 Folder 03.</i>	E-056	04-16
State Special Primary Election, January 12, 2010	E-057	05-08
State Special General Election, February 16, 2010	E-057	13-16
State Primary Election, September 14, 2010	E-058 E-059	01-10 01-03
State General Election, November 02, 2010	E-059 E-060	08-11 01-09
Municipal Primary Election, September 20, 2011	E-064	02-14
Municipal General Election, November 08, 2011 <i>See also: Recount Records, Box E-067 Folders 01-02.</i>	E-066	1A-12

State Special Primary Election (Ward 03), December 20, 2011	E-067	05
Presidential Primary Election, January 10, 2012	E-068	08-13
	E-069	01-06
State Special General Election (Ward 03), February 21, 2012	E-069	12
State Primary Election, September 11, 2012	E-070	02-10
	E-071	01-03
Municipal Special Election, September 11, 2012	E-071	07-18
Presidential and State General Election, November 06, 2012	E-072	01-08
	E-073	01-04
Municipal Special Election, November 06, 2012	E-073	08-17
	E-074	01-03
State Special General Election (Ward 02), March 19, 2013	E-074	08
State Special General Election (Ward 07), September 17, 2013	E-074	14
Municipal Primary Election, September 17, 2013	E-074	24-36
Municipal General Election, November 05, 2013 <i>See also: Recount Records, Box E-075 Folder 08.</i>	E-075	09-21
State Primary Election, September 09, 2014	E-076	07-18

**Series II: Recount Records, 1868 – 2013**

This series contains records related to contested elections that required a recount. Arranged chronologically.

Although no recount records are available, the mayoral election of 1910 between Edward C. Smith and James Sullivan resulted in a recount. The proceedings and results can be found in the meeting minutes of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

<i>Folder Title</i>	<i>Box Number</i>	<i>Folder Number</i>
Municipal General Election, December 08, 1868 <i>See also: Return of Votes: Box E-004, Folder 21.</i>	E-004	20
Municipal General Election, November 06, 1906	E-005	18
Municipal General Election, November 06, 1923	E-005	20
Municipal General Election, November 08, 1927	E-005	23
Municipal Special Election, June 26, 1956 <i>See also: Return of Votes: Box E-006, Folder 04.</i>	E-006	05
Municipal General Election, November 03, 1987 <i>See also: Return of Votes: Box E-010, Folder 07.</i>	E-010	09
Municipal Primary Election, September 19, 1989 <i>See also: Return of Votes: Box E-012 Folder 01.</i>	E-012	02
Municipal General Election, November 07, 1989 <i>See also: Return of Votes: Box E-012 Folder 06.</i>	E-012	04
Municipal General Election, November 05, 1991 <i>See also: Return of Votes: Box E-013 Folder 09.</i>	E-013	10
Municipal General Election, November 02, 1993 <i>See also: Return of Votes: Box E-014 Folder 13.</i>	E-014	15
Municipal General Election, November 07, 1995 <i>See also: Return of Votes: Box E-017 Folder 01.</i>	E-017	02
Municipal Primary Election, September 16, 1997 <i>See also: Return of Votes: Box E-019 Folder 09.</i>	E-019	10
Municipal General Election, November 02, 1999 <i>See also: Return of Votes: Box E-024 Folder 09.</i>	E-024	11
Municipal General Election, November 04, 2003 <i>See also: Return of Votes: Box E-036 Folder 03.</i>	E-036	04; 05
Municipal General Election, November 08, 2005 <i>See also: Return of Votes: Box E-041 Folder 09.</i>	E-042	02-05
Municipal General Election, November 06, 2007 <i>See also: Return of Votes: Box E-048 Folders 08-11.</i>	E-049	04
Municipal General Election, November 03, 2009 <i>See also: Return of Votes: Box E-056 Folders 04-16.</i>	E-056	03
Municipal General Election, November 08, 2011 <i>See also: Return of Votes: Box E-066 Folders 1A-12.</i>	E-067	01; 02
Municipal General Election, November 05, 2013 <i>See also: Return of Votes: Box E-075 Folders 09-21.</i>	E-075	08

**Series III: Correspondence, 1849 – current**

*Correspondence* includes letters, memorandums, and any attachments sent to or from the Office of the City Clerk related to local, state, and federal elections, voting issues, or related topics. Many files contain documentation related to locations of polls, the number of registered voters in each ward, and other data collected by the City Clerk during an election. Common correspondents include the Board of Registrars, the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, the Police Department, political candidates and their representatives, and others. Many political candidates also sent letters to the City to appoint ballot inspectors. Political mailers from candidates may be included in later years, starting in the 2000s.

Arranged chronologically.

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Correspondence, 1859	E-003	21
Correspondence, 1861	E-004	03
Correspondence, 1862	E-004	06
Correspondence, 1864	E-004	11
Correspondence, 1898	E-005	15
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Correspondence, 1933	E-005	30
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Correspondence, 1935	E-005	32
Correspondence, 1936	E-005	33
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Item Note: Also includes Return of Votes for a State Constitutional Convention.		
Correspondence, 1938	E-005A	03
Item Note: Also includes one Sample Ballot.		
Correspondence, 1939	E-005A	04
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Correspondence, 1954	E-006	02
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Correspondence, 1982	E-008	01
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Correspondence, 1983	E-008	06
Correspondence, 1983	E-008	08
Correspondence, 1984-1985	E-008	21
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Correspondence, 1988	E-011	01
Correspondence, 1989	E-011	12
Correspondence, 1990	E-012	11
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Correspondence, 1995	E-016	14
Correspondence, 1996	E-017	05
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**Series IV: Campaign Financial Records, 1926 – 2005**

The *Campaign Financial Records* consist of political candidates' statements of receipts and expenditures, which document each candidate's financial activities relating to campaigns, and are disclosed to the City Clerk. Supplemental administrative documents created within the City Clerk's Office may be attached. Arranged chronologically.

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Statement of Receipts and Expenditures, 1985	E-009	06
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Statement of Receipts and Expenditures, 1986	E-009	17
Statement of Receipts and Expenditures, 1987	E-010	04
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Statement of Receipts and Expenditures, 1991	E-013	06
Statement of Receipts and Expenditures, 1991	E-013	07
Statement of Receipts and Expenditures, 1991	E-013	08
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*Sample Ballots* are examples of official ballots that were used during a specific election. They list names of candidates, the office he or she is running for, and his or her affiliated political party (if running during a partisan election). The format of ballots has evolved dramatically over the course of Manchester's and New Hampshire's history. Folders include all city wards unless otherwise noted. Arranged chronologically by election date.

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