

GUIDE TO PRIMARY & SECONDARY SOURCES ON THE SUBURBANIZATION OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MD

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Damascus Heritage Museum

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Website: www.dhsm.org

Name of archive/collection/records: History of Damascus, MD

Date Range of archive/collection/records: Primarily 1960-present (Limited number of older records)

Language of archive/collection/records: English

Background Information: The Damascus Heritage Society was established in 2005. The museum opened in November 2009. The mission is to preserve the unique agricultural, educational, economic, social, and spiritual history of the Damascus community.

Summary and scope of archive/collection/records: The archive primarily comprises newspaper articles, photographs and a small number of maps beginning from 1960 to present. The archive also holds Damascus yearbooks going back to 1948. The collection focuses exclusively on Damascus and nearby surrounding area. The materials are housed on-site.

Format of materials in archive/collection/records: Paper, Maps, Photographs

Suburbanization Subject Terms within archive/collection/records: Biographical Records, Civic/Community Organizations, Education, Maps/Atlas/Street Maps

Special Collections: None.

Access and Use:

Open: Wednesdays and Saturdays, 12:00pm to 5:00pm.

Admission: Free.

Copies: \$.10 each.

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