

DeKalb History Center

Pine Lake Collection

Scope and Content: The Pine Lake Collection is composed of documents related to the City of Pine Lake from 1937 to 2006, but primarily focused on the years 1998 to 2005. There are documents, newsletters, newspaper clippings, event fliers, photographs, court records, city records and a video cassette documenting various aspects of Pine Lake history, especially legal and political fights from 1998 to 2002.

Provenance: Gift of Dallas Denny. Accession # 2006.10.

Access: Single photocopies may be made for research purposes. Permission to publish materials from this collection must be requested from the archivist, DeKalb History Center. Citation should be as follows:

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Size: 2 document boxes

Brief history of Pine Lake: Pine Lake was founded in 1935 by the Pine Woods Company and developed as a summer resort. Carl W. Schaub was the mastermind of the community and it was primarily non-permanent homes. The charter was approved in 1937. The first mayor was C.W. Childs and in 1965 Mayor Linden mason put in storm water ditches that did not significantly impact the city's lake. However, it was closed for a time in the 1960s due to pollution. In 2003 the census listed the population at 621.

Description: The Pine Lake Collection is composed of materials dealing with the City of Pine Lake from 1937 to 2006. There are newspaper clippings, newsletters, and event fliers, as well as copies of many documents related to legal and political battles from 1998 to 2002. The collection also includes a CD-ROM containing pictures of a variety of subjects, including Pine Lake, Georgia, United States cities, European cities, and individuals. It also includes a 1995 VHS video cassette of an investigative hearing, which has been dubbed to DVD. See also the *I Remember Hour* program with Ira B. Melton in our collection.

Subject Headings: Where possible, Library of Congress Subject Headings have been used.

Main Entry: Pine Lake (Ga.)

Subject/Added Entries: DeKalb County (Ga.)

Folder List

Box	Folder	Contents	Date(s)
1	1	Animal control	
	2	Annual Financial Report	2000
	3	Charter	
	4	City administrator memorandums	2001-2002
	5	City code and ordinance amendments	1992-1999
	6	City council minutes	2001-2002
	7	Community events	
	8	Compact disc of photographs	
	9	Financial assistance	1999-2000
	10	Ira B. Melton honored	1941-2000
	11	<i>The Laker's Exchange</i>	1993-1994
	12	Miscellaneous documents	1938-1999
		Undated photograph of police and police car at Pine Lake; notice of legislation to repeal Pine Lake charter; warranty deed from Pine Woods Company to Claud Poss for Pine Lake lots 1273 and 1274	Mar 19 1938
		computer printout of officials and personnel	1998
	13	Miscellaneous newspaper articles	1991-2003
	14	photographs of political yard signs	
	15	<i>The Pine Cone</i>	1978-1979
	16	<i>The Pine Cone</i>	1992-1994
	17	Pine lake association of involved neighbors	1999-2000
	18	Pine Lake Baptist church	1948-1999
	19	<i>Pine Lake Independent</i>	2002
	20	Pine Lake welcome packet	2006
	21	Pine Lake Woman's Club	1938-1949
	22	<i>Plain Talk</i>	1995
	23	<i>Plain Talk</i>	1998-1999
	24	<i>Plain Talk</i>	1999-2000
	25	<i>Plain Talk</i>	2001
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	3	<i>Plain Talk</i>	2004
	4	<i>Plain Talk</i>	2005-2006
	5	Political campaigns	
	6	Political cartoons	
	7	Real estate advertisements	
	8	Recall of Vicki McCall	2001-2002
	9	Removal of Alfred L. Fowler, Mayor	2002
		A.L. Fowler vs. Pine Lake	
	10	Removal of Alfred L. Fowler, Mayor	
		Miscellaneous documents	

Box	Folder	Contents	Date(s)
2	11	Removal of Alfred L. Fowler, Mayor Newspaper clippings	2002
	12	Removal of Mimi Woods, council member	2001
	13	Resident directory	1949
	14	Town hall meeting, transcript	Mar 7, 2002
	15	Traffic enforcement controversy	1992-2002
	16	unidentified scrapbook	1950s
	17	Voting rights violation allegations And city administrator removal	2002
	18	VHS tape dubbed to DVD Richard Dunn investigative hearing	Apr 24, 1995 & May 16, 1995

Original VHS Video Cassette, Richard Dunn Investigative Hearing, 1995 stored in basement Archives storage