**Delmarva Republican Women records**

1 linear feet, 1 manuscript boxes

1999-2012, bulk 1999-2002

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**Accession Number:** 2014.054

**Creator:** Delmarva Republican Women

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**Related Materials:** Mary Nock papers, 1989.030
Republican Women of Worcester County records, 2014.082
Wayne Gilchrest Congressional papers, 2011.034

**Separated Materials:** Artifacts have been transferred to object storage at Blackwell Library.
Administrative History: The Delmarva Republican Women began their organization in March, 1999 when they held their first official meeting; forming to engage and empower women as well as educate, train and encourage women to become active in politics. The club was a part of the 41 other Federated Republican Women’s clubs throughout Maryland and was a member of both the Maryland and National Federations of Republican Women. Membership was open to Republican women in Maryland, Virginia and Delaware and to Independent women who believe in Republican ideals. Associate memberships were available to men who qualify to party registration. Together the women participated in many types of fundraisers including those for the Wounded Warrior Project. The organization dissolved in 2012.

Scope and Content Note: Delmarva Republican Women records document the political organizations history and activities on the Eastern Shore of Maryland from 1999-2012 via administrative files that include meeting minutes, by laws, correspondence and photographs. Also documented are the many fundraising activities conducted by the women consisting of the Vet’s Valentines Dinner as well as live performances by William and Sue Wills as the President and his First Lady.

Arrangement Statement: Folders are listed by their location in each box; any given subject may be dispersed throughout the entirety of the collection.

Subject Terms:

General Terms

Politics
Social Groups

Corporate Names

Maryland Federation of Republican Women
Republican Party

Personal Names

Brous, Rose
Granados, Ann Horner
Heckman, Betty
Holt, Marjorie S.
Wills, Sue
Wills, William
Box 1

5. Administrative Files, 2001
6-8. Administrative Files, 2002
13. Fundraiser, Valentines for Vets, 2002
14. Certificates of Appreciation, 2009 March 24
15. Newsletter, 1999-2009
17. Newspaper Clippings, 2001 January – May
18. Newspaper Clippings, 2001 June – December
19. Photographs, 1999-2004

Artifacts

1. Banner, 2014.054.001
2. Plate, Commemorative, 2014.054.002