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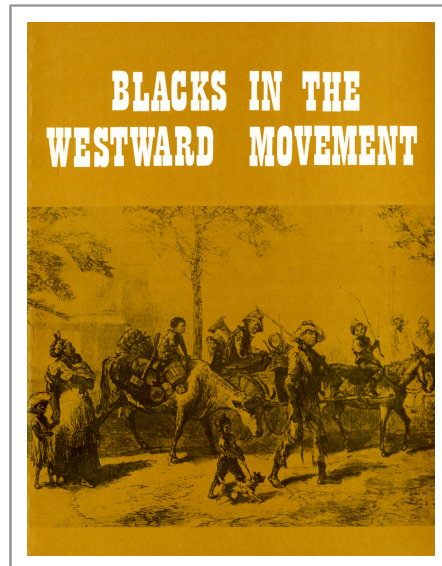
## *Anacostia Community Museum*

### *Blacks in the Westward Movement* Exhibition Records

ACMA.03-023

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## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	Anacostia Community Museum Archives
<b>Title:</b>	<i>Blacks in the Westward Movement</i> Exhibition Records
<b>Date:</b>	1975-02 - 1975-06
<b>Identifier:</b>	ACMA.03-023
<b>Creator:</b>	Smithsonian Institution. Anacostia Community Museum Smithsonian Institution. Traveling Exhibition Service
<b>Extent:</b>	3.52 Linear feet (6 boxes)
<b>Language:</b>	English .
<b>Summary:</b>	An exhibition on African American contributions to America's westward expansion. Organized by the Anacostia Neighborhood Museum and circulated by the Smithsonian Institution Traveling Exhibition Service. The show was held at the museum from February --June, 1975. These records document the planning, organizing, execution, and promotion of the exhibition. Materials include correspondence, research files, exhibit script, administrative records, brochures, press coverage, education packets, loan agreements, floor plans, and catalogues.

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## Administrative Information

### Other Finding Aids

Box list in accession file.

### Preferred Citation

*Blacks in the Westward Movement* exhibition records, Anacostia Community Museum Archives, Smithsonian Institution

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## Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

African American history  
Museum exhibits  
Traveling exhibitions

Types of Materials:

Brochures  
Contact sheets  
Exhibit scripts  
Exhibition records -- 1967-1989  
Manuscripts  
Photographic prints

Names:

Anacostia Community Museum  
Anacostia Neighborhood Museum

Places:

West (U.S.) -- history

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## Container Listing

### Series 2: Audiovisual Materials, 1975

#### 1 Video recording (open reel; 1/2 inch)

Language: English.  
Scope and Contents: Includes footage of the exterior of the Anacostia Neighborhood Museum and the large posters for the exhibition, Blacks in the Westward Movement, hanging on the exterior. Also contains unedited or b-roll footage of the exhibition

ACMA AV004335: Opening of Blacks in the Westward Movement Exhibition, circa 1975

1 Video recording (open reel; 1/2 inch)  
003232

Creator: Anacostia Neighborhood Museum  
Smithsonian Institution. Traveling Exhibition Service

Technical: 003232

Language: English.

Notes: Footage of the exterior of the Anacostia Neighborhood Museum (ANM) and the large posters for the exhibition, Blacks in the Westward Movement, hanging on the exterior walls of ANM. Interior footage includes patrons viewing exhibit displays and artifacts for Blacks in the Westward Movement. Recording includes live musical performances for the exhibition's opening.

Unedited or b-roll footage. Part of Blacks in the Westward Movement Audiovisual Records. AV004335: exhibition footage until 001230 (followed by Live Musical Performances at Outdoor Event). Undated.

Names: Anacostia Community Museum  
Anacostia Neighborhood Museum

Topic: African Americans  
Museums  
Community museums  
Museums and community  
Museum exhibits

Place: Black people -- History  
West (U.S.) -- history  
Washington (D.C.)  
United States

Genre/Form: Video recordings

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