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## Naima Rauam Bridge Watercolors

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## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	Archives Center, National Museum of American History
<b>Title:</b>	Naima Rauam Bridge Watercolors Collection
<b>Date:</b>	1989-1991
<b>Identifier:</b>	NMAH.AC.1584
<b>Source:</b>	National Museum of American History (U.S.). Division of Engineering and Industry
<b>Creator:</b>	Rauam, Naima
<b>Extent:</b>	.25 Cubic feet (1 folder; 10 in x 15 in and 11 in x 14 .75 in )
<b>Language:</b>	English .

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## Administrative Information

### Acquisition Information

Collection donated by Naima Rauam, 1994.

### Provenance

Transferred to the Archives Center from the Division of Work and Industry in February 2022.

### Preferred Citation

Naima Rauam Bridge Watercolors Collection, Archives Center, National Museum of American History

### Restrictions

Collection is open for research.

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## Content Description

Collection consists of 36 watercolors documenting the bridge construction of the Jamaica Bay Bridge and Cross Bay Boulevard Bridge.

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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:

Bridges  
Civil engineering

Types of Materials:

Watercolors

Names:

National Museum of American History (U.S.). Division of Engineering and Industry

Occupations:

Artists

Places:

United States of America -- New York -- Queens County -- Queens

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## Container Listing

Map-folder 1	Looking South, 1991 Notes: See Museum accession #93.0566.01.
Map-folder 1	Good Fishing, 1991 See Museum accession #93.0566.02.
Map-folder 1	View from the Beach, 1991 Notes: See Museum accession #93.0566.03.
Map-folder 1	Beginnings, 1991 Notes: See Museum accession #93.0566.04.
Map-folder 1	Preparation, 1991 Notes: See Museum accession #93.0566.05.
Map-folder 1	Slow Tow, 1991 Notes: See Museum accession #93.0566.06.
Map-folder 1	Rigging the Pile, 1991
Map-folder 1	The Lift, 1991
Map-folder 1	Setting Piles, 1991
Map-folder 1	Pushing Hard, 1991
Map-folder 1	Straight Sighting, 1991
Map-folder 1	Sixty-ton Hammer, 1991
Map-folder 1	Hammering, 1991
Map-folder 1	Dockbuilders Work, 1991
Map-folder 1	The Cutter, 1991
Map-folder 1	Ready and Waiting, 1991
Map-folder 1	The Snap, 1991
Map-folder 1	Overflow, 1991
Map-folder 1	Measuring, 1991

Map-folder 1	Tug Christopher at Work, 1991
Map-folder 1	Capping Piles, 1991
Map-folder 1	Alignment, 1991
Map-folder 1	Finishing Work, 1991
Map-folder 1	Taking Shape, 1991
Map-folder 1	Side by Side, 1991
Map-folder 1	Careful Pick, 1991
Map-folder 1	Bridging the Center Span, 1991
Map-folder 1	Girders, 1991 Notes: See Museum accession #93.0566.28.
Map-folder 1	Setting Slabs, 1991 Notes: See Museum accession #93.0566.39.
Map-folder 1	Rebars, 1991 Notes: See Museum accession #93.0566.30.
Map-folder 1	Concrete Pump, 1991 Notes: See Museum accession #93.0566.31.
Map-folder 1	The Concrete Crew, 1991 Notes: See Museum accession #93.0566.32.
Map-folder 1	Concrete Truck, 1991 Notes: See Museum accession #93.0566.33.
Map-folder 1	Final Details, 1991 Notes: See Museum accession #93.0566.34.
Map-folder 1	Big Bite, 1991 Notes: See Museum accession #93.0566.35.
Map-folder 1	In Use at Last, 1991 Notes: .