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## Collection Overview

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## Administrative Information

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## Descriptive Entry

This accession is a continuation of Accession 91-082 and consists of project files documenting the renovation or improvement of facilities for the Smithsonian museums. These records include blueprints, architectural drawings, specifications, correspondence (primarily with contractors), payroll sheets, estimates, progress and inspection reports, photographs, and construction requests for extensions.

Buildings and museums documented in this collection include: Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden, National Museum of American History, National Museum of Natural History, Smithsonian Institution Building (Castle), National Museum of American Art, National Portrait Gallery, National Air and Space Museum, Renwick Gallery, Freer Gallery of Art, Silver Hill Facility, Museum Support Center, the National Mall, General Post Office Building, L'Enfant Plaza offices, Smithsonian Environmental Research Center, Quadrangle Building, Arts and Industries Building, Cooper-Hewitt Museum, and miscellaneous locations.

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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:

- Architectural design
- Buildings -- Maintenance
- Buildings -- Repair and reconstruction

Museum buildings  
Smithsonian buildings

Types of Materials:

Architectural drawings  
Black-and-white photographs  
Drawings  
Manuscripts

Names:

Arts and Industries Building (Washington, D.C.)  
Cooper-Hewitt Museum  
Freer Gallery of Art  
Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden  
L'Enfant Plaza (Washington, D.C.)  
National Air and Space Museum (U.S.)  
National Air and Space Museum (U.S.). Silver Hill Facility  
National Museum of American Art (U.S.)  
National Museum of American History (U.S.)  
National Museum of Natural History (U.S.)  
National Portrait Gallery (Smithsonian Institution)  
Post Office Building (Washington, D.C.)  
Quadrangle Building (Washington, D.C.)  
Renwick Gallery  
Smithsonian Environmental Research Center  
Smithsonian Institution Building (Washington, D.C.)  
Smithsonian Institution. Museum Support Center

Geographic Names:

Mall, The (Washington, D.C.)

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## Container Listing

### Box 1

	Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden (HMSG)
Box 1 of 20	Pending
Box 1 of 20	CE156 Fountain Finish, Hirshhorn 16254 (see also 1386)
Box 1 of 20	CO22 Acceptance, Confirmation, Finding of Fact, Record of Negotiations, Certificate of C&P Data - Sculpture Garden 16254
Box 1 of 20	CE47/CE47A/CO22
Box 1 of 20	CE3 Cancelled
Box 1 of 20	CE47A/CO22
Box 1 of 20	CE25 Hirshhorn 16254
Box 1 of 20	CE25 Scale Model BCA 3477
Box 1 of 20	CE Rea. 82 Steel Lintels for Mech. Openings in Masonry Walls (Docket 3585)
Box 1 of 20	CE85 Claim for Universal Form Delay (Docket 3447)
Box 1 of 20	CE99 Claim for Damages Due to Hurricane Agnes
Box 1 of 20	CE119 Contr. Request for Extension of Time Due to Inclement Weather
Box 1 of 20	CE121 Claim Rearranging Ductwork and Linear Diff. Users Serving Auditorium
Box 1 of 20	CE122 Request for Extension of Time (Roofers and Waterproofers Strike)
Box 1 of 20	CE130 Claim re Redesign Required Due to Core III Duct Conflicts
Box 1 of 20	CE25 Scale Model
Box 1 of 20	Docket 3477 Supplement
Box 1 of 20	CE134
Box 1 of 20	CE140 Claim Due to Changes in Panel Thickness and Panel Supports
Box 1 of 20	CE150 Claim for Installing Re-steel in Center Portion of Circular Foundation

Box 1 of 20	CE151 Claim for 2 Day Extension of Time Due to Delay in Installing Resilient Flooring
Box 1 of 20	CE47/CO22 Relocation of Sculpture Garden
Box 1 of 20	CE153 Claim for Additional Concrete Test Work 16254
Box 1 of 20	CE154 Claim for "Resequencing Concrete Pours"
Box 1 of 20	CE155 Fabrication and Installation of 13 Volume Dampers
Box 1 of 20	CE47/CO22 Request for Audit and Original Proposal, PCC
Box 1 of 20	Docket 3477 GS03B-16254
Box 1 of 20	CE500 10 Ton Re-steel Allowance (all used up)
Box 1 of 20	CO22 Removal of Pipe, Hirshhorn Sculpture Garden
Box 1 of 20	CE92 Correcting Conflicts between Post-Tens. Tendons and Main Core Col. Reinforced Steel 3751
Box 1 of 20	Total Contract Summary
Box 1 of 20	Piracci Construction Company
Box 1 of 20	Potomac Iron Works
Box 1 of 20	Ratrie, Robbins and Schweizer
Box 1 of 20	Piracci Construction Company (Commission)
Box 1 of 20	CPM Quantity Surveyors
Box 1 of 20	R.A. Weaver and Association
Box 1 of 20	Maryland Sandblasting (Revised Sculpture Garden)
Box 1 of 20	Metal Trims Industries
Box 1 of 20	T Fanell Company
Box 1 of 20	Maurice P. Foley
Box 1 of 20	Yorrick, Inc.
Box 1 of 20	Capital Steel Corp.
Box 1 of 20	Millstone Erectors
Box 1 of 20	Swenson Grants

Box 1 of 20	Exposaic Industries
Box 1 of 20	Rudolph and West
Box 1 of 20	Mayhew Painting
Box 1 of 20	Commercial Roofing and Sheet Metal
Box 1 of 20	Truland Corporation
Box 1 of 20	Mark Masonry
Box 1 of 20	Hutchison Brothers Excavating Co., Inc.
Box 1 of 20	W.G. Burton

Box 2

Box 2 of 20	Payment 27, July 1972
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Box 2 of 20	Payment 33, January 1973
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Box 2 of 20	Payment 40, August 1973
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Box 2 of 20 Payment 45, December 1973  
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Box 2 of 20 Payment 53, August 1974  
Box 2 of 20 Payment 54, September 1974  
Box 2 of 20 Payment  
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Box 2 of 20 Hirshhorn Museum, Washington D.C.  
Box 2 of 20 General Correspondence (3 folders)

Box 3

Miscellaneous Locations

Box 3 of 20 ODC Project No. 890014: Soundproofing of Business Management Office (BMO) Conference Room  
National Museum of American History (NMAH)  
Box 3 of 20 ODC Project No. 8330104: 4th and 5th Floor Windows, NMAH  
Box 3 of 20 ODC Project No. 8430130: Public Address System, NMAH  
Box 3 of 20 ODC Project No. 8430130: Public Address System, NMAH  
Box 3 of 20 ODC Project No. R8730105: CB064 Asbestos Abatement, NMAH  
National Museum of Natural History (NMNH)  
Box 3 of 20 ODC Project No. 8531137: Automatic Data Processing Unit, NMNH



Box 3 of 20 ODC Project No. 8631105: SI Library Renovation Phases 4 & 6

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Smithsonian Institution Building (SIB - Castle)

Box 3 of 20 ODC Project No. 8732110: Flag Tower Roof Renovation, SIB  
National Museum of Natural History (NMNH)

Box 3 of 20 ODC Project No. 8333104: 5th Floor Penthouse Replacement, NMAH

Box 3 of 20 ODC Project No. 883314A: Centennial Exhibits / Office / Storage, NMAH

Box 3 of 20 ODC Project No. 883314A: Period Doors / Amendment

Box 3 of 20 ODC Project No. 893305: Exterior Painting Windows, A&I (Specs and Drawings)

Box 3 of 20 ODC Project No. 893305: Window Problems, A&I

Box 3 of 20 ODC Project No. 893313: OMP Office Renovation, A&I

Box 4

American Art and Portrait Gallery (AAPG)

Box 4 of 20 ODC Project No. 903401: NPG Presidential Exhibit Oliphant, AAPG

Box 4 of 20 ODC Project No. 903402: Training the Hand and Eye Exhibit, AAPG

Box 4 of 20 ODC Project No. 903407: Kiosk for Irving Penn Master Images, AAPG

National Air and Space Museum (NASM)

Box 4 of 20 ODC Project No. 7635419: Delta Solar, NASM

Box 4 of 20 ODC Project No. 8435132: Rehabilitation of Emergency Exit Doors, NASM

Box 4 of 20 ODC Project No. 8635108: Terrace Repaving, NASM

Box 4 of 20 ODC Project No. 8635108: Terrace Repaving, NASM

Box 4 of 20 ODC Project No. 903502: Reconfiguring of Administrative Offices, NASM

Renwick Gallery

Box 4 of 20 ODC Project No. 893604: Facade Repairs, Renwick Gallery

Box 4 of 20 ODC Project No. 893604: Facade Repairs, Renwick Gallery (Specs and Drawings)

Box 5

Box 5 of 20 ODC Project No. 903602: New American Furniture Exhibit, Renwick Gallery  
Freer Gallery of Art (FGA)

Box 5 of 20 ODC Project No. 8637015: Collection Relocation to Galleries, FGA  
Silver Hill Facility (SHF)

Box 5 of 20 ODC Project No. 8538105: Roof Repairs Buildings 7, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, SHF

Box 5 of 20 ODC Project No. 8538105: Roof Repairs Buildings 7, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, SHF

Box 5 of 20 ODC Project No. 8538105: Roof Repairs Buildings 7, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, SHF  
(2 folders)

Museum Support Center

Box 5 of 20 ODC Project No. 8339109: Museum Support Center

National Mall

Box 5 of 20 ODC Project No. 8670104: Open Term Asbestos Abatement, Miscellaneous  
Projects

Box 5 of 20 ODC Project No. 8670104: Open Term Asbestos Abatement, Miscellaneous  
Projects

General Post Office Building

Box 5 of 20 ODC Project No. 887301: Replace Steam Station Equipment, Tariff Building

L'Enfant Plaza Offices

Box 5 of 20 ODC Project No. 897501: OEMS Relocation 4th Floor

Box 5 of 20 ODC Project No. 897506: 4th Floor Leased Area, SNAP

Box 6

Smithsonian Environmental Research Center (SERC)

Box 6 of 20 ODC Project No. 8344108: Fire Protection and Emergency Lighting, SERC

Box 6 of 20 ODC Project No. 8344117: Erosion Control Main Gate Culverts, SERC

Box 6 of 20 ODC Project No. 8644106: Discovery Room Construction, SERC

Box 6 of 20 ODC Project No. 8644109: Lab Addition Phase I, SERC

Box 6 of 20 ODC Project No. 8644109: Instrument Shop Phase II, SERC

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Box 6 of 20 ODC Project No. 8744101: Miscellaneous Fire Protection, SERC

Box 6 of 20 ODC Project No. 884403: Emergency Power Study, SERC

Box 6 of 20 ODC Project No. 894401: NE Silo Ladder and Roof Repairs, SERC

Box 6 of 20 ODC Project No. 894402: Road Improvements, SERC

Box 6 of 20 ODC Project No. 894403: Emergency Power Study, SERC

Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden

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Box 6 of 20 ODC Project No. 894517: Francis Bacon Exhibit, HMSG

Box 6 of 20 ODC Project No. 904506: Ilya Kabakov Exhibit, HMSG

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Quadrangle Building (SQ)

Box 7 of 20 ODC Project No. 8663000: Visual and Audio Communication System, SQ (3 folders)

Box 7 of 20 ODC Project No. 8563103: Security Room Equipment Layout, SQ

Box 7 of 20 ODC Project No. 886314: Registration and Conservation Areas, NMAfA

Box 7 of 20 ODC Project No. 896317: R.A.P. Missing Furniture, SQ

Box 7 of 20 ODC Project No. 896320: Selections from the Islamic Collection, SQ

Box 7 of 20 ODC Project No. 896323: SITES New Office Enclosure

Box 7 of 20 ODC Project No. 896325: Yoruba Exhibit

Box 7 of 20 ODC Project No. 906304: Relocation of Security Hardware, AMSG

Box 7 of 20 ODC Project No. 906305: South Gallery Renovation, SQ

Box 7 of 20 ODC Project No. 906318: Stone Plinth Bust S. Dillon Ripley

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National Museum of American History

Box 8 of 20 ODC Project No. 8230119: Security Office Relocation, NMAH

Box 8 of 20 ODC Project No. 8530121: Constitution Show Mezzanine Phase IA, NMAH

Quadrangle Building

Box 8 of 20 ODC Project No. E86304: BAMUM, SQ

National Museum of American History

Box 8 of 20 ODC Project No. 8630112: Fire Protection Phase V, NMAH

Box 8 of 20 ODC Project No. 8730111: Frank Lloyd Wright Exhibit

Box 8 of 20 ODC Project No. 8730129: Ceremonial Court Exhibit

National Museum of Natural History

Box 8 of 20 ODC Project No. 8531121: Upgrading Existing Cooling Tower, NMNH

Arts and Industries Building (A&I)

Box 8 of 20 ODC Project No. 8633109: Replace HVAC System OIRM, A&I

Box 8 of 20 ODC Project No. 8733106: National Science Resource Center, A&I

Box 8 of 20 ODC Project No. 8733111: Relocation of Benefits Office OPERSA, A&I

Box 8 of 20 ODC Project No. 8733119: Relocation of Joseph Henry Papers, A&I

American Art and Portrait Gallery

Box 8 of 20 ODC Project No. 8534121: Fire Protection Phase II, AAPG

Box 8 of 20 ODC Project No. 883418: On the Air Exhibit, AAPG

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Renwick Gallery

Box 9 of 20 ODC Project No. 8236103: Renwick Sprinkler (Drawings)

Silver Hill Facility

Box 9 of 20 ODC Project No. 8438102: Building 19, SHF, No. FC-701985

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Smithsonian Environmental Research Center

Box 10 of 20 ODC Project No. 8644108: Boat Dock, SERC, No. FC-801804

Cooper-Hewitt Museum

Box 10 of 20 ODC Project No. 8548128: Asbestos Abatement, No. FC-702974

Quadrangle Building

Box 10 of 20 ODC Project No. 8663111A: Tropical Rainforest Misc., No. BL-870430

Box 10 of 20 ODC Project No. E86305: Shoowa Design, AfA/SQ, No. FC-803852

Box 10 of 20 ODC Project No. 886311: Sokaria Exhibit, SQ, No. FC-807171

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American Art and Portrait Gallery

Box 11 of 20 ODC Project No. 8534121: Fire Protection Phase II, AAPG (7 pages)

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Arts and Industries Building (A&I)

Box 12 of 20 ODC Project No. 903313: OMP Office Renovation, A&I (1 page)

Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden

Box 12 of 20 ODC Project No. R894508: Lower Level Gallery, HMSG (9 pages)

Smithsonian Institution Building

Box 12 of 20 ODC Project No. 8632115: Fire Protection Implementation Phase VII, SIB (18 pages)

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National Air and Space Museum

Box 13 of 20 ODC Project No. 8735101: Fire Alarm System, NASM (1 page)

Silver Hill Facility

Box 13 of 20 ODC Project No. 8738101: Safety Railings for Buildings 15, 16, 18, 19 (2 pages)

Box 13 of 20 ODC Project No. 8738102: Lightweight Security Vehicle Path, Silver Hill Facility (2 pages)

Box 13 of 20 ODC Project No. 893804: Tire Storage Sprinkler System (1 page)

National Museum of Natural History

Box 13 of 20 ODC Project No. 8231126: SI Library Renovation Phase V (3 pages)

Quadrangle Building

Box 13 of 20 ODC Project No. 8463104: Quadrangle Signage (1 page)

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National Air and Space Museum

Box 14 of 20 ODC Project No. 903502: Reconfiguration of Administrative Offices, NASM (2 pages)

Smithsonian Environmental Research Center

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Box 14 of 20 ODC Project No. 894401: NE Silo Ladder and Railing

National Air and Space Museum

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Box 15 of 20 ODC Project No. 8335143: Restaurant Addition As Built, NASM (1-19 and 26 of 26 pages)

Arts and Industries Building

Box 15 of 20 ODC Project No. 8733101: Sprinkler Enclosure for Sprinkler Piping, A&I (9 pages)

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Smithsonian Environmental Research Center

Box 16 of 20 ODC Project No. 8744101: Miscellaneous Fire Protection (5 pages)

National Mall

Box 16 of 20 ODC Project No. 8470102: Mall Master Raceway System Phase 2 (3 pages)

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Smithsonian Institution Building

Box 17 of 20 ODC Project No. 8532117: Fire Protection Improvements Phase VI, SIB (4 pages)

Smithsonian Environmental Research Center

Box 17 of 20 ODC Project No. R8544105: SERC Facilities Improvements, Sewage System

Box 18

National Museum of American History

Box 18 of 20 ODC Project No. 8330104: 4th Floor Roof & 5th Floor Window Replacements, NMAH

Quadrangle Building

Box 18 of 20 ODC Project No. 8763111: Gallery Doors, Corridor 2028, Sackler (1 page)

Box 18 of 20 ODC Project No. 8763111: Gallery Doors, Corridor 2013, Sackler (1 page)

Box 18 of 20 ODC Project No. 906304: General Gallery Work Phase II, Sackler (3 pages)

Box 18 of 20 ODC Project No. 906305: South Galleries, Sackler (5 pages)

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Smithsonian Institution Building

Box 19 of 20 ODC Project No. R883206: Fire Protection Phase VIII, SI Visitor Center (11 pages)

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Smithsonian Environmental Research Center

Box 20 of 20 ODC Project No. 8644109: A&B Laboratory Addition, SERC (22 pages)

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- Oversize Shop Drawings, Renwick Gallery
- Oversize Smithsonian Environmental Research Center (SERC) Facility Improvement
- Oversize ODC Project No. 8335143: National Air and Space Museum (NASM) Restaurant Addition
- Oversize ODC Project No. 8644109A: Lab Addition, Smithsonian Environmental Research Center (SERC)