

Guide to the **James L. Gibbs/ Southside Community Center Collection**

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COLLECTION DESCRIPTION

This collection contains materials of the late James L. Gibbs of Ithaca, from the 1930s and 1940s when he was the program director, and later director of the newly built Southside Community Center. Most of the materials are letters to Mr. Gibbs concerning Southside business, and issues relating to African Americans in Ithaca in the 1930s and 1940s.

It also contains a folder separated from V-1-6-10, containing materials on the donation of photographs from the early Southside years.

CONTAINER LIST

<i>Description</i>	<i>Folders</i>
Materials from Prof. James L. Gibbs Jr.	Folder 1
Correspondence – Southside Athletic and Recreation Concerns	Folder 2
Correspondence – Southside Business	Folder 3
Council of Social Agencies Materials	Folder 4
Correspondence – Personal	Folder 5
Correspondence – Civic and Educational	Folder 6
Correspondence – National Negro Health Week and Other Public health Issues	Folder 7
Correspondence – WPA, NYA, and other Federal And State Government Agencies	Folder 8

Correspondence – Miscellaneous	Folder 9
James Gibbs memorabilia	Folder 10
Southside Annual Reports and other documents (1940-1942)	Folder 11
“The Southside Community Center” by Viola C. Marshall – Cornell University 1942	Folder 12
Newspaper Articles on James Gibbs or Southside	Folder 13
Materials on Southside images from V-1-6-10	Folder 14