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WHS Electronic Records Portal

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NHPRC Grant Project

Wisconsin State Preservation of Electronic Records Project

WiSPER





Key Project Pieces

- ✓ State agency e-record identification and management
- ✓ ✓ Content transfer and acquisition from agencies
- ✓ ✓ ✓ E-records management testing at the agency level
- ✓ ✓ Repository development
- ✓ Access to state records (web, reading room, catalog)

✓ Year 1

✓ Year 2

✓ Year 3



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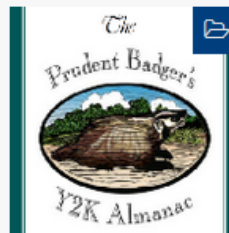
Featured Collections



**Wisconsin State
Coin Drafts**



**Brochures – Fact
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**Year 2000 (Y2K)
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User Guide

How to Use the WHS Electronic Records Portal (WERP)

Try these tricks for searching and browsing collections.

Search


Enter any subject keyword, creator name, record title etc. to get a list of results based on a full-text search of our collections.

Advanced Search Options:

To filter your search results

1. Select the FILTER button to the right of the search bar.
2. From the drop down menu select the term you would like to filter by. Options include Call Number, Collection Title, Creator, Series Number, and Subject.
3. Click the 'Add' button next to your filter to start the search

The screenshot shows a search interface with a grey background. On the left, there is a dark blue button labeled "BROWSE ARCHIVE". To its right is a search bar with the placeholder text "Search all...". Further right is a dark blue button labeled "ARCHIVE" with a magnifying glass icon. To the right of the search bar is another dark blue button labeled "+FILTER". Below the search bar, there is a dropdown menu with "Call Number" selected. To the right of the dropdown menu is the text "matches" followed by a white input field. To the right of the input field is a dark blue button labeled "ADD".

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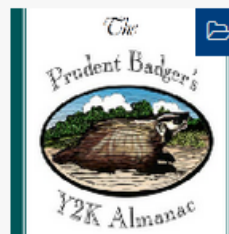
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Search all...

ARCHIVE


+FILTER

Complete Archive

Sort by Type ▾ ▲

REFINE YOUR SELECTION

No refinements
available for these
results

	Title	Date	Creator
	Wisconsin State Agencies		



Wisconsin State Agencies

Sort by Type ▾ ▲

Object Type: Collection

In root of archive

Wisconsin State Agencies

00001

Show more ▾

Search within...

COLLECTION 🔍

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No refinements available for these results

	Title	Date	Creator
	Office of the Governor		Wisconsin. Governor
	Office of the Commissioner of Insurance		Wisconsin. Office of the Commissioner of Insurance
	Department of Public Instruction		Wisconsin. Department of Public Instruction
	Department of Justice		Wisconsin. Department of Justice
	Department of Health Services		Wisconsin. Department of Health Services
	Department of Employee Trust Funds		Wisconsin. Department of Employee Trust Funds



Department of Workforce Development

Sort by Type ▲

Object Type: Collection

In Collection: **Wisconsin State Agencies**

Department of Workforce Develop...

445

Details:

Creator: Wisconsin, Department of...

Show more ▼

Search within...

COLLECTION 🔍

REFINE YOUR SELECTION

No refinements available for these results

	Title	Date	Creator
	Division of Employment and Training		Division of Employment and Training
	Department records		Wisconsin, Department of Workforce Development
	Equal Rights Division		Wisconsin, Department of Workforce Development
	Division of Vocational Rehabilitation		Wisconsin, Division of Vocational Rehabilitation



Department records

Sort by Type ▲

Object Type: Collection

In Collection: **Department of Workforce Development**

Department records 445/general **Details:** **Creator: Wisconsin, Department of Workforce Development** [Show more ▼](#)

Search within... **COLLECTION** 🔍

REFINE YOUR SELECTION

Series Number

- Series 2050
- Series 3070
- Series 3155
- Series 3265
- Series 3340

Subject

- Employment agencies
- Industrial relations
- Information technology
- Labor laws and legislation

	Title	Date	Creator
	Records of the secretary's office	1994-2003	Wisconsin, Department of Workforce Development
	Teams, projects, and workgroup records	2001-2010	Wisconsin, Department of Workforce Development
	Public information news releases	1995-2010	Wisconsin, Department of Workforce Development
	Secretary's correspondence and subject files	2000-2006	Wisconsin, Department of Workforce Development
	Agency organizational planning	2001-2003	Wisconsin, Department of Workforce Development





Agendas

Sort by Type ▾ ▲

Object Type: Folder
In Folder: **Hmong**

Agendas
2012/023
Details:

Date Range: 2003-2005
Creator: [Wisconsin. Department of ...](#)
Description: Records, 2003-2005, of t...

Accession/Collection Addition: [201...](#)
In Series: Series 3265
License: This item may be protected ...

Restrictions on Access: No access re...

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Search within... **FOLDER** 🔍

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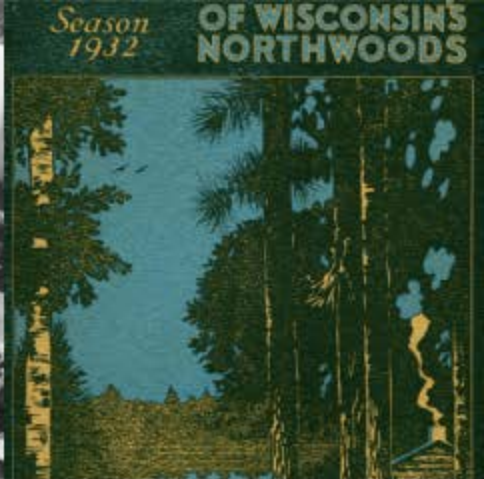
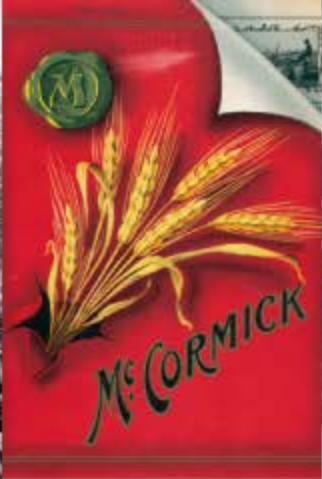
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	Title	Date	Creator
	TaskForce Aug 20_posted.doc	Wed Aug 18 20:35:28 UTC 2004	Wisconsin. Department of Workforce Development
	TaskForce Aug 20 Meeting Agenda.doc	Thu Aug 12 18:19:24 UTC 2004	Wisconsin. Department of Workforce Development



Any Questions?





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