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# **Kane (Edward A.) Papers**

## **An inventory of Edward A. Kane at DC Public Library**

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository:</b>	People's Archive, MLK Library
<b>Creator:</b>	Kane, Edward A.
<b>Title:</b>	Edward A. Kane Papers
<b>ID:</b>	008
<b>Date [inclusive]:</b>	1953-1979
<b>Physical Description:</b>	2 Boxes
<b>Physical Description:</b>	1.75 Linear feet
<b>Language of the Material:</b>	English
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## Biographical / Historical

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Dr. Edward A. Kane (1902-1998) was born in Massachusetts and arrived in D.C. in 1924. Kane attended the University of Massachusetts, earned a Masters in chemistry from Catholic University, and a doctorate in biochemistry from Georgetown University. Kane worked for the Department of Agriculture in the Agriculture Research Service for 38 years, retiring in 1965. Kane served in the Army Air Corps during World War II; and then in the Air Force Reserves, retiring as a colonel in 1965.

Mary (Kerwin) Kane (1907-1993) was born in Silver Lake, Wisconsin and arrived in D.C. in 1923. She attended George Washington University and was a secretary for Representative Hamer Harold Budge (R-Idaho), Senator Frank J. Lausche (D-Ohio), and Senator/Vice President Walter Mondale (D-Minn.). She retired in 1979.

The Kane's were married in 1935 and had three children. They were active members of the Health Committee of the Federation of Citizens Association, the Michigan Park Citizens Association, the National Gateway Citizens' Association, and the Northeast Council of Citizens' Association. Dr. Kane served as Chairman of the Health Committee and Mrs. Kane served as President of the Michigan Park Citizens Association and the Northeast Council of Citizens Associations. In 1968 Dr. Kane was the recipient of the Washington Star award from the Federation of Citizens Associations for his community work.

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## Scope and Contents

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The papers include correspondence, meeting minutes, newsletters, reports, resolutions, and membership lists from the Federation of Citizens Associations, the Michigan Park Citizens Association, the National Gateway Citizens' Association, and the Northeast Council of Citizens' Association. The papers also contain newspaper clippings and a photograph of Dr. Kane as a young man. The collection is arranged by Association or Organization name.

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## Arrangement

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Federation of Citizens Associations Michigan Park Citizens Association National Gateway Citizens' Association Northeast Council of Citizens' Association Woodridge-Michigan Park News Photograph

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## Administrative Information

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### Custodial History

Donated by Dr. Edward A. Kane and Mrs. Mary Kane in 1988.

## Processing Information

Standard archival processing procedures were applied to the collection when it was processed.

## Conditions Governing Use

No known restrictions.

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## Controlled Access Headings

- Neighborhoods
- Citizens' Associations
- Organizational Records
- Minutes (Records)
- Newsletters
- Correspondence
- Michigan Park (Washington, D.C.)

## Collection Inventory

<b>Federation of Citizens Association, 1950-1989</b> <u>Physical Description:</u> 1.75 Linear feet 2 boxes		Box 1
Title/Description	Instances	
Newsletter, 1980-1983 <u>Physical Description:</u> 1.75 Linear feet 2 boxes	folder 1	
Federation of Citizens Association, Health Committee, 1950-1989 <u>Physical Description:</u> 1.75 Linear feet 2 boxes	folder 2	

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<b>Michigan Park Citizens Association, 1955-1985</b> <u>Physical Description:</u> 1.75 Linear feet 2 boxes		Box 1
Title/Description	Instances	

Constitution, undated <u>Physical Description:</u> 1.75 Linear feet 2 boxes	folder 3
Membership list, 1981-1982 <u>Physical Description:</u> 1.75 Linear feet 2 boxes	folder 4
Meeting minutes, 1980-1982 <u>Physical Description:</u> 1.75 Linear feet 2 boxes	folder 5
Newsletters, 1980-1985 <u>Physical Description:</u> 1.75 Linear feet 2 boxes	folder 6
General, 1955-1985 <u>Physical Description:</u> 1.75 Linear feet 2 boxes	folder 7

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<b>National Gateway Citizens' Association, 1955</b> <u>Physical Description:</u> 1.75 Linear feet 2 boxes	Box 1
<b>Title/Description</b>	<b>Instances</b>
National Gateway Citizens' Association, 1955 <u>Physical Description:</u> 1.75 Linear feet 2 boxes	folder 8

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<b>Northeast Council of Citizens' Association, 1955-1966</b> <u>Physical Description:</u> 1.75 Linear feet 2 boxes	box 1-2
<b>Title/Description</b>	<b>Instances</b>
Correspondence, 1955-1956 <u>Physical Description:</u> 1.75 Linear feet 2 boxes	folder 9
Correspondence, 1956 <u>Physical Description:</u> 1.75 Linear feet 2 boxes	folder 1
Minutes, 1955-1956 <u>Physical Description:</u> 1.75 Linear feet 2 boxes	folder 2
Newsletter, 1955 <u>Physical Description:</u> 1.75 Linear feet 2 boxes	folder 3
Clippings, 1950-1960 <u>Physical Description:</u> 1.75 Linear feet 2 boxes	folder 4
General, 1953-1966	

Physical Description: 1.75 Linear feet 2 boxes

folder 5

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Box 2

Physical Description: 1.75 Linear feet 2 boxes

Title/Description	Instances
Woodridge-Michigan Park News, 1961	folder 6
<u>Physical Description:</u> 1.75 Linear feet 2 boxes	

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Box 2

Physical Description: 1.75 Linear feet 2 boxes

Title/Description	Instances
Dr. Edward A. Kane, 1958-04-16	folder 7
<u>Physical Description:</u> 1.75 Linear feet 2 boxes	

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