



## **Santa Fe Place Historic District Collection (K0456)**

**Collection Number:** K0456

**Collection Title:** Santa Fe Place Historic District Collection

**Dates:** 1986-2005

**Creator:** Susan Richards Johnson & Associates

**Abstract:** This collection contains the National Register for Historic Places Nomination forms and update forms spanning from 1986 to 2005, for the Santa Fe Place Historic District in Kansas City, Missouri. The packets include lists of structures included in the nomination, photographs of structures, historical information regarding the district, and the architectural style of the district known as Kansas City Shirtwaist Style. In addition, there is a packet of information regarding the apartment complex of Lovett Place, which was part of the Santa Fe Place Historic District, prior to its demolition. This packet includes floor plan layouts and photographs of the structure.

**Collection Size:** 0.3 cubic foot  
(5 folders, 17 photographs)

**Language:** Collection materials are in English.

**Repository:** The State Historical Society of Missouri

**Restrictions on Access:** Collection is open for research. This collection is available at [The State Historical Society of Missouri Research Center-Kansas City](http://www.shsmo.org). If you would like more information, please contact us at [kansascity@shsmo.org](mailto:kansascity@shsmo.org). Collections may be viewed at any research center.

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**Historical Note:**

The Santa Fe Place Historic District is a residential area in northeast Kansas City, Missouri. The neighborhood is encompassed between 27th Street and 31st Street. The district was originally platted in 1897, and is one of the first examples of a planned inner-city community, with the peak of construction happening between 1902 and 1925. The Santa Fe Place Historic District mainly has architectural examples of Kansas City Shirtwaist Style or Bungalow, and the area remains relatively intact stylistically. The area is best known for being a neighborhood for upper and middle class African Americans in Kansas City during the Great Depression. In addition, the area became known for its small stylistically cohesive multifamily apartment homes.

**Arrangement:**

The collection has been arranged into five folders.

**Scope and Content Note:**

This collection consists of the original National Register for Historic Places Nomination for the Santa Fe Place Historic District in Kansas City, Missouri, along with two updated nomination packets. In addition, there are a group of photographs that accompany the final nomination, and documentation of the Lovett Place Apartments prior to its demolition. The Lovett Place Documentation packet includes information regarding the structures' floor plan, architectural style, and why it was included in the original Santa Fe Place Historic District Nomination.

**Container List:**

- f. 1-3 National Register for Historic Places Nomination, 1986-2005
- f. 4 National Register for Historic Places Nomination Photographs, 2005
- f. 5 Lovett Place Apartments Documentation, 2004

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