Dating from 1932 to 1987, the Special Interest Files comprise two boxes. Whitten’s office applied the name “Special Interest Files” to these folders, and they were likely a permanent assortment of documents retained in the office as a reference source. Many appear related to speeches Whitten gave, published works he wrote, legislation he helped to pass, printed works about him, or topics of specific interest to him.

The archives preserved the integrity of the office file names and content, with only minor changes for clarification with regards to abbreviations, acronyms, and dates.

**BOX 1**
- Folder: Agriculture Appropriations, FY 1979
- Folder: American Legion Distinguished Public Service Award 20 February 1987
- Folder: Appropriation Committee Rules and Appointments 1975
- Folder: Ezra Taft Benson – Agriculture Appropriation Hearings 1954
- Folder: Berlin – Denmark – Sweden 1954
- Folder: Bradberry – *New Albany Gazette*, Copies of 4 June 1982 Correspondence
- Folder: Budget – “Going After Bigger Slices of the Budget Pie” 1982
- Folder: *Business Week* (15 November 1982)
- Folder: Busing 1968-1971
- Folder: Campaign (Guidelines for Staff) 1981
- Folder: Cancellation Costs
- Folder: Cannon Letter to Walter Sillers, Re: 1961 Campaign/Redistricting
- Folder: Clarence Cannon Remarks, Re: Whitten Speech to Women’s National Press Club 24 February 1953
Folder: Oath of Office to Swear in Speaker

Folder: “Old” Material of Special Interest to Whitten 1953-1984


Folder: Pale Value Modification Appropriations 1973

Folder: Pesticides

Folder: Picture – Whitten, Reagan, Bush (copies only)

Folder: Pictures – Family (copies)

Folder: “A Plush Washington Club” 1979

Folder: “Pork Barrel” – Origin of the Term

Folder: Presidents of U.S. 1789-1963

Folder: Presidents Who Have Served under Whitten

Folder: Press Release 27 June 1985

Folder: Privacy Act

Folder: Public Works Veto Override 1959

Folder: Ragged Old Flag

Folder: Rendezvous with Destiny – Copies of Pages 4-69

Folder: Revenue Sharing 1986

Folder: Roosevelt – Whitten Article Re: Convention Nomination 7 July 1932

Folder: Russian Trip Report 1957 & 1984

Folder: Saccharin Amendment Chairman Whitten 1977

Folder: Salary – Members Pay Raise Information

Folder: R.L. Smallwood Letters 1940-1946

Folder: Special Interest 1932-1983

Folder: Speech and Press Release – University of Southern Mississippi 11 May 1985