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Abstract

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Creator

American Association of Retired Persons. Blacksburg Chapter

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0.3 Cubic Feet 1 box

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Administrative History

The American Association of Retired Persons (AARP), Blacksburg [Virginia] Chapter was first organized in 1976 and within a year became a chartered member of the AARP. The original members who created the organization called themselves the "Liaisurees". The chapter states that the purpose of their organization is the "education of seniors in the various communities of Blacksburg and cities and towns in the New River Valley." The chapter was renamed AARP New River Chapter in 2025.

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AARP Blacksburg: Historical Overview, AARP Blacksburg Chapter, <https://web.archive.org/web/20230927012826/https://www.blacksburgaarp.org/test>, accessed October 21, 2025.

"About Our Chapter", AARP New River Chapter, <https://www.nrvaarp.org/about>, accessed October 21, 2025.

Scope and Content

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Description of Subordinate Components

AARP Newsletters

Unit Date 1984-1993

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Lists of Members, Committees, and Officers

Unit Date 1988-1989

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Historical Notes

Unit Date 1981-1985

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Secretary's Minutes

Unit Date 1981

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"History of the Blacksburg, Virginia Chapter of the American Association of Retired Persons (AARP)"

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