

**Update on Archives for June 2024 through July 2024  
Board of Trustees Meeting September 2024**

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**Digitization Project.** There are 72,712 images, 1,288 maps, and 14,168.pdfs available in the South Dakota Digital Archives. Digitization and cataloging work is almost complete on the Doane Robinson collection.

**Outreach** 111 people were reached in June and July through presentations and consultations by the archives staff.

**Archives Month**

Archives Month will be celebrated during the month of October.

**Personnel**

The government records archivist position was posted August 23<sup>rd</sup> and will be open for four weeks.

**Statistics for June 2024 through July 2024**

The Archives received 26 gifts and transfers totaling 8.35 cubic feet and 123,982 MB. Twenty collections totaling 32.83 cubic feet and 664,516 MB were processed. Archives staff handled a total of 449 reference requests by mail, telephone, or email.

**AWARDS/HONORS:** None

**ALERTS:** None