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Collection/Series Title: **OFFICAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE
RECORDS OF THE AUSTRALIAN
REPUBLICAN MOVEMENT**

Creator	Australian Republican Movement
Creator's Activity/Occupation	Lobbyists

Creator's Historical Note

The Australian Republican Movement (ARM) was founded in July 1991, following the Australian Labor Party's adoption of republicanism as a policy at its conference in June of that year. The ARM is a non-profit, non-party political organisation that advocates an Australian republic within the Commonwealth, with an Australian Head of State.

The ARM's first chairman was the novelist Thomas Keneally, with other founding members including the investment banker (and later Federal Opposition Leader and Prime Minister) Malcolm Turnbull, the former Australian cricket captain, Ian Chappell, and the film director Fred Schepisi. Since July 2015 the ARM has been headed by Peter FitzSimons.

Creator	Lovering, Kerry OAM
Creator's Activity/Occupation	Local government politicians

Creator's Historical Note

Kerry Lovering was elected unopposed to the vacant Studley Park ward seat in April 1974 and supported by the Kew Association where she was a secretary. Lovering was also a member of Women's Electoral Lobby (WEL), the Local Government Women's Association, the Studley Park Progress Association and a former member of the Kew Primary School Committee. She is married to John Lovering, Professor of Geology. Councillor Lovering's work involved development and support for the Council's urban renewal scheme for land south of the Kew junction.

Date Range of Collection/Series	1991-2003
Size/Extent	3 boxes (0.87m)
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Scope and Content of Collection/Series

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The majority of this collection is official and administrative documentation of ARM with a small amount of personal correspondence from Kerry Lovering in her capacity as committee member of the South Australian and Victorian branches. Official documentation includes items circulated among ARM members such as statements, reports and campaign material. Collection material is organised according to subject matter and contains original as well as copied documents. Of note is an article by Malcolm Turnbull "Five Republican Models", documentation of "The People's Conference - Corowa" 2001-2002 and articles, research notes and papers relating to the prelude and outcome of the Australian Republic Referendum 6 November 1999.

Collection Category

Community and Political, organisations

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Unit/Box	Item Number	Title	Date Range	Description
2015.0142 Unit 1	2015.0142.0000 .0001		1995-2006	Folder entitled "Australian Republican Movement Victorian Branch: State Council Election 2000". Folder entitled "ARM S.A.", 1995-1997. Folder entitled "Strategies", 2000-2002. Folder entitled "Australian Republican Movement" 1997-2006.
2015.0142 Unit 2	2015.0142.0000 .0002		1997-2004	Folder entitled "ARM Articles", 1997-2001. Folder entitled "ARM Flyers, Newsletters etc.", 1999-2004. Untitled folder relating to The People's Conference - Corowa, 2001-2002. Folder entitled "Models", 1999-2003. Contains article by Malcolm Turnbull "Five Republican Models".
2015.0142 Unit 3	2015.0142.0000 .0003		1997-2003	Folder entitled "Direct Election", 2000-2002. Folder entitled "S.A. ARM", 1997-2001. Folder entitled "Vic State Council Minutes", 2000-2003.

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