Finding Aid to the Soil Sciences Department,
College of Agriculture, Food Systems, and Natural Resources

Soil Sciences Department
Soil Sciences Department records, 1952-2002
Record Group 10.4.8
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OVERVIEW

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ADMINISTRATIVE HISTORY

“In 1950 and earlier, soil scientists were members of the Agronomy Department in the College of Agricultural and Agricultural Experiment Station. For easier identification soil scientists were classified under Agronomy (Soils) and crop scientists under Agronomy (Crops). In 1959 soil scientists were separated from crop scientists and were members of the Soils Department. The department name of Soils
Department was used from 1959 to 1981. In December 1981 the name of the department was changed to Department of Soil Science which is the present name.”

**ARRANGEMENT**

The records are arranged into the following series:

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**SCOPE AND CONTENT**


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Finding Aid

**10.4.8.1 Departmental Background**
Paper “History of the Soil Science Department” by Professor of Soil Science, J. C. Zubriski - c. early 1980s

**10.4.8.6 Reports and Documents**
Department of Soil Science - Annual Report: 1981
Department of Social Science - Academic Program Evaluation: 1987
Department of Soil Science - Annual Report: 1988

**10.4.8.7 Subjects**
Know Your Soil - NDAC Soils Special Train carries its message to 40 N.D Communities in 1952
10.4.8.8 Publications


*The Horizon Herald* - 1988 - 1990

*The Horizon Herald* - 1990 - 1992

10.4.8.9 Recruitment


A Career for You - Soil Science - 1989