<u>Description of the Riverbend School Municipality Archival Group</u>

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Riverbend School Municipality Archival Group
1939-1961

1 conventional box, equivalent to 0.33 linear meter

According to the master's thesis of historian Dany Coté, the municipality of Riverbend in Lac-Saint-Jean was founded by Price Brothers in 1925. The company then owned all the land and buildings on the territory and rented the houses to its managers and employees, most of them were English-speaking. The other employees, most of whom were French-speaking, reside in St-Joseph d'Alma or Naudville. In the early years of the municipality, temporary schools were created to accommodate students of both Catholic and Protestant professions. In 1927, the St.Michael's School was opened and was open to Protestant students until 1948. The same year, the school was taken over by English-speaking Catholics following disagreements with English families practising Roman Catholicism.

In 1948, two school municipalities were created in Riverbend, one for Catholics and one for Protestants. Also in 1948, the trustees of the Riverbend School Municipality purchased lot 23

Most documents are in English; some documents are bilingual, English and French. Some documents have been translated into French.

Board of School Commissioners of the Town of Riverbend

Board of School Commissioners of the Municipality of Riverbend

Municipalité scolaire de Riverbend

Protestant School Board of Riverbend

Protestant School Municipality of Riverbend

Riverbend School Board

Riverbend School Commission

School Municipal Corporation of Riverbend

School Municipality of Riverbend

The School Commissioners for the Municipality of Riverbend

The School Commissioners for the Town of Riverbend

The archival group consists of the following series:

- 1. Education Resources:
- 2. Financial Resources; and
- 3. Administrative and Property Resources.

Student Progress Report*	1935-1955 and
9. 22. 7. 2 p	1956-1974

^{*} The years of this document precede and follow the extreme dates of this archival group, as the school changes jurisdiction several times.

Budgets