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Item(s): Brief biography of Jody Harmon and other material from her memorial tribute, June 29, 2008; a photo used in an Irving Arts Board calendar and brochure, c. 1980s; a photocopy of an ad for a production called the *Ring-Around-the-Collar Comedy Tour*.

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Description

Jody Harmon was a longtime Irving resident and friend of the arts. She was involved in the local arts scene as a performer, costumer, and founder of the Metro Players. Included in the file is a brief biography of Jody Harmon and a news release announcing a memorial tribute for her; a DVD of the memorial tribute, June 29, 2008; a copy of a State of Texas Resolution recognizing Jody Harmon for her work with theater and arts in Irving; brief reflections on the life of Jody Harmon by people who had worked with and known her; and three digital photos of Jody Harmon.

Also included is a promotional photo used in an Irving Arts Board calendar and brochure of an audience of Irvingites reacting to something taking place on an unseen stage, c. 1980s; and a photocopy of an ad for a production called the *Ring-Around-the-Collar Comedy Tour* starring Judy Truesdell and Cathy Whiteman.