## FEBRUARY 14, 2008 MEMORIAL PROJECT RESEARCHERS USE POLICY

The 2/14 Memorial Project was established to document the tragic events of February 14, 2008 on the Northern Illinois University-DeKalb campus. Documentation includes manuscripts and audiovisual materials as well as artifacts left at the various spontaneous memorials on campus.

The 2/14 archives will not be available to the general researcher. The collection is accessible for scholarly, educational, and journalistic purposes only. We will consider all specific requests for access and use; however, the collection is not open to random browsing. Prior arrangements should be made for scholarly research and study. Credit line should read, Regional History Center, Northern Illinois University.

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