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1:00 pm (2 hrs)	Personal Staff Time	Oval Office
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3:30 pm (45 min)	Interview with Knight-Ridder Editors (McManus/Speakes)	Roosevelt Room
4:30 pm (30 min)	Private Meeting (Deaver) (TAB B)	Oval Office
5:00 pm (5 min)	Audiotaping for the Citizens for the Republic Dinner	Oval Office Study
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MEETING WITH KING HUSSEIN I OF JORDAN

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Monday, February 13

11:00 a.m. -- Pre-Brief -- Oval Office

The President

Secretary Shultz

-Robert C. McFarlane

__Ambassador Viets

Ambassador Murphy

_Geoffrey Kemp, NSC

Messrs. Meese, Baker, Deaver to attend at their discretion

11:30 a.m. -- Photo with King Hussein -- Oval Office

US:

The President

Jordan:

King Hussein I

11:35 a.m. -- Meeting with King Hussein -- Oval Office

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The President

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King Hussein I

Ambassador Ibrahim Izziddin

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12:00 noon -- Luncheon -- Cabinet Room

US:

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Jordan: .

Same as Oval Office Meeting

MEET ING WITH PRESIDENT MUBARAK OF EGYPT

Tuesday, February 14

10:30 a/m. -- Pre-Brief -- Oval Office

The President
The Vice President
Secretary Shultz
Robert C. McFarlane
Ambassador Veliotes
Ambassador Murchy
Geoffrey Kemp, NSC

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

INTERVIEW WITH EDITORS OF KNIGHT-RIDDER

DATE: February 13, 1984

TIME: 3:30 p.m. (45 minutes)

LOCATION: Roosevelt Room

FROM: Larry Speakes

I. PURPOSE

An opportunity for the President to be interviewed by the correspondents of Knight-Ridder Newspapers and editors from other papers in the chain.

II. BACKGROUND

This fulfills a request from the Knight-Ridder Newspapers for an interview with the President. Knight-Ridder represents 31 papers, with a combined circulation of four million, in the following states: California, Florida, Georgia, Indiana, Kentucky, Michigan, Minnesota, North Carolina, North Dakota, Pennsylvania and South Dakota.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President
James K. Batten, President, Knight-Ridder Newspapers
Larry Jinks, Senior Vice President
Saul Friedman, White House correspondent
Larry Eichel, political writer
Owen Ullmann, economics writer
Robert Boyd, Washington Bureau Chief
Kent Bernhard, Washington News Editor

David Lawrence, Executive Editor, Detroit Free Press
Heath Meriwether, Executive Editor, Miami Herald
Robert D. Ingle, Executive Editor, San Jose Mercury-News
Paul Poorman, Editor, Akron Beacon Journal
Stewart Spencer, Executive Editor, Fort Wayne
News-Sentinel
Beverly Kees, Executive Editor, Grand Forks Herald

IV. PRESS PLAN

White House Photographer only

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

After introductions, the interview will begin.

NOTE: Foreign Affairs briefing materials will be provided verbally at the time of the interview preparation meeting. Briefing papers on domestic issues submitted separately.

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BUDGET AND DEFICIT DOWNPAYMENT PLAN

Prospects for negotiations?

- o Democrats and Republicans were calling for this kind of effort, even before SOTU.
- o Almost everyone says the deficit is a serious problem. RR thinks that bipartisan concerns about the deficit should be enough to motivate both sides to focus on making a realistic start -- and now's the time.
- o If Democrats mean what they say, then there ought to be some cuts -- and, yes, some ways to raise revenues -- that we can agree to if we're serious.
- o Hope Democrats will come back to table soon. We've been willing to meet daily since SOTU but so far, only one session has been held (last Wednesday.)

Dems want defense cuts -- is RR willing?

- o Jim Baker, RR's chief negotiator with Hill, has said we would be willing to discuss defense spending. In Thursday letter, he repeated that commitment.
- o Have always said that "everything is on the table."
- o Administration went to the table Wednesday with a list of deficit reductions that total about \$100 billion. RR thinks that's worth talking about and hopes the Democrats will agree.
- o If Dems have other ideas -- defense cuts included -- they should put them on the table.
- o Real progress on downpayment will require compromise from both sides. RR knew that when he proposed the negotiations in the first place.
- o Can't get anywhere in these talks if we can't even get back to the table. Hope Dems will come back this week.
- o Key point: Takes two to work this out. We're willing.

Without downpayment, is RR's FY85 budget dead? Has RR already walked away from it?

- o Haven't walked away from it at all. If budget request is best we can do in election year, then it's what we want.
- o RR continues to believe we can do better, but only if there's a real bipartisan commitment and the downpayment negotiators get down to business soon.

Can recovery survive these \$180 billion deficits?

- o RR still bullish on the economy.
- o He's not the only one. One <u>consumer confidence</u> measure shows it's now highest in 18 years. (University of Michigan index highest since 1966.)
- o Most recent economic statistics show good reason for confidence:
 - -- Inflation under 4% for two years in a row;
 - -- Unemployment continuing to fall as growing economy puts over 300,000 a month back to work.
 - -- New home sales at a 5 year peak;
 - -- Car sales back from 4 year slump;
- o Not just consumer led recovery. Business spending for new plants and equipment is also up. Was strong in the 4th quarter and managers predict continued capital spending growth in 1984. (Commerce Department survey estimated real growth over 9% in 1984.)

Satisfied that Fed policy will support the recovery?

- o Not looking for any downturn in economy -- the recovery is strong.
- o Fed generally has stayed within targets for money supply growth and that allowed this recovery to occur.
- Those targets can be consistent with continued recovery -- but Congress has to do its part by working with us on fiscal policy. That is, we have to cooperate on controlling spending.
- No one, not the Federal Reserve or anyone else, can fine tune the economy with any precision. The key is maintaining a steady course over the longer term.

FAIRNESS

Economic mess we inherited was fair to no one

- o Democrats who harp on fairness are in no position to criticize. Nothing hurt the needy more than Democrats' double-digit inflation of late 1970s.
- o In midst of the 1981-82 recession, they blamed hardship on our program. It was a false charge but they got away with it among some of the public.
- Now that we have a strong recovery, people can see that RR's program is working -- keeping prices down, and creating jobs. That makes it a much harder sell for the Democrats. Don't think they can make it stick.

Unfair to whom?

- o Lower taxes not unfair to taxpayers.
- Lower inflation not unfair to fixed income poor and elderly.
- o Restored growth helped 4.2 million find jobs in last 13 months -- nothing unfair about that.

HOMELESS BY CHOICE

NOTE: Knight-Ridder reporters say they may ask if RR regrets his Good Morning America comments and agrees they seemed "insensitive?"

- o By choice might have been poor choice of words.
- o Fact that there are some (no matter how few or how many) who refuse government help -- perhaps because they are intimidated by government or any kind of authority -- just underscores RR's point that private sector efforts are essential.

RELATIONS WITH PRESS

o Generally, RR thinks relationship is healthy. He has respect for job the press has; thinks generally the respect is mutual.

Is RR concerned that Grenada, censorship rules -- and now the Wick "blacklist" containing journalists names -- has soured the relationship?

- o Don't think so. So-called "blacklist" nothing we wanted. Wick didn't want it either.
- o It's a mistake such a list was ever drawn-up in the first place -- and you can be sure USIA officials know we have strong feelings here at the WH that it not happen again.
- o On Grenada, RR just not willing to second guess field commanders' decision not to send press in with first wave. Thought press would be in sooner, but heavy resistance slowed the schedule.
- o DoD's Commission working with press organizations to set future policies.

WH STAFF -- JOE COORS TO REPLACE MEESE?

- o RR pleased with present staff arrangement.
- o Meese, as Attorney General, still going to be close to RR -- and trusted adviser.
- o Much of the concern about this comes from those who don't understand how much RR's Administration relies on Cabinet-involvement in decision making.
- o White House staff is strong -- but doesn't dictate to RR's Cabinet.
- o So no plans to replace Ed with anyone else because RR will keep getting his counsel.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

PRIVATE MEETING WITH LEW LEHRMAN

Monday, February 13, 1984 4:30 p.m. (30 mintues) The Oval Office Study

FROM: RICHARD G. DARMAN A W

I. PURPOSE

The meeting is to allow Lew Lehrman an opportunity to discuss issues of concern to him.

II. BACKGROUND

Lew Lehrman sent you two papers prior to the State of the Union on issues he felt strongly about -- one favoring a flat tax; the second favoring more accommodative monetary policy. He was originally scheduled to discuss these with you in January, but the meeting had to be rescheduled. He is pleased that you came out for the tax simplification plan in the State of the Union. He remains deeply concerned about monetary policy.

III. AGENDA

We do not know what else Lew may wish to bring up, but he will certainly wish to argue for a more growth-oriented monetary policy. He has promised to provide a paper on this subject. It will be forwared separately when it arrives.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 10, 1984

TAPED MESSAGE FOR THIRD ANNUAL RONALD REAGAN DINNER SPONSORED BY CITIZENS FOR THE REPUBLIC

DATE:

Monday, February 13, 1984

LOCATION:

Oval Office Study

TIME:

5:00 p.m.

FROM:

Margaret Tutwiler MOT

I. PURPOSE

To show appreciation and support for the commitment made by dinner participants to Citizens for the Republic.

II. BACKGROUND

Since its establishment by Ronald Reagan in 1977, Citizens for the Republic has supported almost 850 candidates for federal, state and local office. Among those candidates supported by CFTR are 32 United States Senators and 89 Representatives currently serving in Washington.

CFTR's Third Annual Ronald Reagan Dinner will be held at the Century Plaza Hotel in Los Angeles on Friday, February 17, 1984. The guest of honor at the event will be Michael K. Deaver. Mr. Deaver will receive CFTR's "Ronald Reagan Award" at the dinner. In past years, this award has been presented to Edwin Meese and William P. Clark.

The following individuals will be participating in the event as dinner chairmen: Holmes Tuttle, Margaret Brock, Henry Salvatori, Jack Rather and Bill Wilson. W. Clement Stone and Franklyn Nofziger will also be attending. The Master of Ceremonies will be Johnny Grant.

III. PARTICIPANTS

Taping crew

IV. PRESS PLAN

None

V. TALKING POINTS

Remarks have been prepared by White House speechwriters.

(Dolan/BE) February 10, 1984 3:00 p.m.

PRESIDENTIAL TAPING: CITIZENS FOR THE REPUBLIC DINNER MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1984

Good evening. I'm sorry Nancy and I can't be with you in person tonight. It would be one of those special moments when we'd find ourselves surrounded by our friends and fellow believers. So I'm especially glad to at least have this opportunity to speak with you.

First, I want to congratulate you for honoring our very close friend and advisor, Mike Deaver. I think you all agree that in being part of this Administration -- at considerable personal sacrifice -- Mike has made a real contribution to his country. I can't tell you how much Nancy and I rely on Mike, his judgement, his instincts, and his personal loyalty. He doesn't get a lot of thank-yous, but believe me, he deserves all the thanks and support we can give him. And I'm grateful to all of you for extending this recognition to him tonight.

I also want to thank the rest of you -- my friends who make up the membership of Citizens for the Republic -- for your loyal support. Most of you have been at my side or campaigning for the conservative cause for a great many years. And it is you I most count on in the critical days ahead.

Yes, together we have achieved a great deal during the last 3 years. Whether it's lower inflation, lower interest rates, or lower taxes -- whether it's prosperity at home or enhanced security abroad, America is moving forward again.

But there's so much left to do. Congress must be persuaded to continue rebuilding our defenses, to hold steady against tax increases, to cut spending and to move ahead with our social agenda like prayer in school, tuition tax credits, control of pornography, and anti-abortion legislation. I have not wavered one inch from my positions on these fundamental issues and I know you haven't either. That's why these next few months are so important. We must maintain a united and solid front against the special interests that would take us back to the days of malaise at home and retreat abroad. We must continue our drive to return basic values to American culture and restore the family as the cornerstone of our society. We've come so far; we must not — and we will not — give up now.

So, again, let me thank you for all you've done in the past and call on you for even greater efforts in the future.

Together, we are making America great again.

Thank you very much, and God bless you all.