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Please note President's comments.

Richard G. Darman Deputy Assistant to the President and Staff Secretary (X2702)

cc: Greg Newell Max Friedersdorf

Recommended Telephone Call To: Liles Williams



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WASHINGTON

MEMORANDUM

JULY 2, 1981

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TO:

GREGORY J. NEWELL, DIRECTOR

PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENTS AND SCHEDULING

FROM:

LYN NOFZIGER

RE:

RECOMMENDED TELEPHONE CALL.

TO:

Liles Williams

Republican Candidate, Special Election Mississippi 4, Runoff, July 7, 1981

Telephone number: 601-969-2141 (Ramada Room 1)

Address:

Coliseum Ramada Inn, Jackson MS

(400 Greymont Avenue)

DATE:

July 6, 1981

10:45-11:00 AM EDT

RECOMMENDED

BY:

Lyn Nofziger, Lee Atwater

PURPOSE:

Congressman Trent Lott will be in the 4th District on 7/6/81 campaigning for Williams. A press conference will be held at the Coliseum Ramada Inn from 9:45-10:15an A telephone call from the President would afford the opportunity to maximize the benefits of the electioneve press conference as well as serve as a tool urging voters to the poll.

BACKGROUND:

Liles Williams received 45% of the vote in the 6/23/81 He is highly likely to win. non-partisan primary.

A letter from the President expressing his support for Williams was sent April 25, 1981.

TOPICS OF

DISCUSSION:

- 1. Williams and his wife, Ruth Ann, met with the President in the Oval Office on June 12, 1981.
- 2. Williams shares the Administration's interest in getting the economy back on its feet and he has pledged his support of Administration proposals on lower tax rates and increased national security.
- 3. In a special election turnout is the key, it is of paramount importance that all supporters vote on Tuesday, July 7.

MEMORANDUM

July 2, 1981

THE WHITE HOUSE

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Lyn Nofziger

FROM:

Lee Atwater

SUBJECT:

4th DISTRICT CONGRESSIONAL RACE

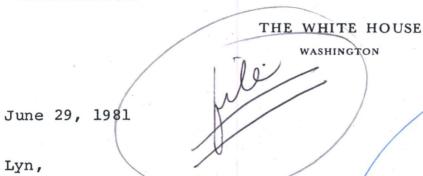
As you know, the special election for the Fourth District of Mississippi is on Tuesday, July 7. It looks very good for Republican candidate Liles B. Williams, but in a special election, turnout is the key. With this in mind, the National Republican Congressional Committee and the Williams campaign have asked if the President could make a telephone call to Williams Headquarters on Monday to urge voters to go to the polls. Congressman Trent Lott will be in the Fourth District Monday campaigning for Williams, so a call with public-address hook-up capabilities could be made the centerpiece of election-eve activities.

P.S. I Hunk this is extremely important for us all through the south, p

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MEMORANDUM

Greg Newell



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The attached memo is a rundown on the political situation in the 4th Congressional District of Mississippi.

In a nutshell: The result of Tuesday's Primary causes me to strongly recommend a visit by the President to the district.

I feel that there is an 80% or better chance that Republican Liles Williams will win the July 7th runoff and win big (more than 55%) regardless of a visit by the President. However, a Presidential visit should insure a near landslide win for Williams, more importantly, it would serve the President's interest because it could dramatically counter recent drops in the polls. (I believe there will be several other less than favorable polls released in the next few weeks.) A big win in the Deep-South could be subtle but positive proof to "Boll Weevils" that regardless of national polls the President still packs a mean wallop down in their turf and could serve as more than ample proof of what may happen in 1982 if the President decides to go "visiting around" in various congressional districts.

Due to the short amount of time remaining before the runoff, I would like to recommend the 3rd, 5th and 6th of July as possible dates for a Presidentail visit to Mississippi.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 29, 1981

To: Lyn Nofziger

Fr: Lee Atwater

Re: Mississippi 4

Because of the results of yesterday's special election, I am now convinced that a victory of potential national importance to the Administration is now within reach.

Basically, the situation is this: our candidate, Liles Williams, will be in the run-off on Tuesday, July 7, with the 2nd-place finisher, Democrat Wayne Dowdy. The final results from yesterday's "non-partisan" primary are as follows:

Liles Williams (R) 39,557 (45%)
Wayne Dowdy (D) 22,170 (25%)
Britt Singletary (D) 12,535 (14%)
Ed Ellington (D) 11,886 (14%).

Though we feel we're in the driver's seat now, Dowdy will continue to run a strong campaign, and much of the divided Democratic electorate will coalesce behind him.

Dowdy, who is part owner of several radio stations, is pouring his considerable family fortune into the race (his investment is now over \$50,000). As Mayor of McComb, he has a political base in the rural southern part of the district, but this is expected to turn out less than 20 percent of the run-off vote. He has made a fairly good impression in public appearances, and has been advertising on television, radio, and billboards.

Dowdy is vulnerable on several issues that give the GOP an opportunity to press an effective ideological attack. This is safer than trying to garner support along traditional party lines, as this district has a pronounced Democratic registration edge. The race is going to be a classic liberal-conservative confrontation, and current plans are for the new media themes to indicate this.

Dowdy is vulnerable on many issues and has been campaigning more on national than local themes. He has been the only candidate to support the Democratic/Ways and Means Committee proposal that calls for a tax cut for only one year. He also supports food stamps for strikers, and has the endorsement of the AFL-CIO, as well as the Mississippi Education Association.

Lyn Nofziger June 29, 1981 Page Two

In another respect, this will be a contest between the strengths of the Jackson metropolitan area and the rural portions of the district. Williams most significant win was in the city of Jackson:

Hinds County Results (Jackson)

Williams		20,437
Ellington		8,318
Dowdy.		8,184
Singletary	7	5,451.

Democratic State Senator Ed Ellington represents the Republican area of North Jackson. We need to do well in this area to win the run-off, and with Ellington out of the race, his voters are a prime target for garnering additional support.

Clearly, the President -- his personal popularity and his program -- is a major issue here.

Republican strategists expect to win this one, but a tough fight still is before us. You can be sure the "Boll Weevils" are watching this one; if Williams can pull this one off on the basis of his support for the President and his policies, they won't fail to get the message.

For these reasons, we urgently need the President to make a personal appearance in Mississippi on behalf of Liles Williams. Now, more than ever, the result of the July 7 election will be viewed as a referendum on the President's program and his personal effectiveness. National media attention is already focused on this race, and a Reagan appearance there would make for a national news story of considerable magnitude.

Due to the short amount of time remaining before the July 7 runoff, I would like to recommend the 3rd, 5th and 6th of July as possible dates for a Presidential visit to Mississippi.

MEMO TO THE FILES

RE:

RESULTS OF MISSISSIPPI 4 PRIMARY, BROKEN DOWN BY COUNTY

Candidates :

	Williams	Singletary	Dowdy	Ellington	Others
Adams (Natches)	3371	1171	1664	560	84
Amite	1215	210	1049	99	53
Lincoln	2440	751	1560	264	73
Pike (Macomb)	2625	492	4077	218	49
Walthall	762	303	806	213	77
Warren	3587	1440	929	962	241
Clayburn (17/18 precincts	472	692	519	110	36
Copiah	1997	1242	968	436	152
Franklin	641	246	581	74	163
Hinds (109/113 precinc	20437 ts)	5451	8184	8318	619
Jefferson (10/17 precincts)	240	135	473	161	33
Wilkinson (10/17 precincts)	508	42	377	102	39
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TOTALS (in percentages)	38448 44.98%	12240 14.3%	21423 25.06%	11692 13.6%	1671

TOTAL VOTES = 85474

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Richard G. Darman
Deputy Assistant to the President
and Staff Secretary
(X2702)

cc:

Recommended Telephone Call Long. Dan Glickman THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON



RECOMMENDED TELEPHONE CALL

TO:

Representative Dan Glickman, Democrat, 4th District of Kansas (central part of state, including Wichita), 3rd term; member of the Agriculture Committee, the Judiciary Committee and the Science and Technology Committee; Chairman of the Science and Technology Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials.

DATE:

RECOMMENDED BY:

PURPOSE:

BACKGROUND:

July 6, 1981.

Max L. Friedersdorf M. Duberstein

To request Dan's support for the Conable-Hance bipartisan tax proposal.

Dan has not supported the Administration's position on the three most important House Floor votes on the Budget which have occurred thus far in the 97th (1) the Gramm-Latta amendment to the Congress: First Budget Resolution on May 7, 1981, (2) the procedural move on June 25, 1981 to have a single vote on Gramm-Latta II (reconciliation), and (3) the Gramm-Latta II amendment when it was formally considered on June 26, 1981. However, Dan has supported Administration positions on the Budget on three occasions: (1) final House passage of the bipartisan Budget Resolution on May 7, 1981, (2) the Conference Report on the First Budget Resolution on May 20, 1981, and (3) a procedural motion following final House passage of the reconciliation bill on June 26, 1981.

Dan has co-sponsored legislation calling for personal tax rate reductions in 1981 and 1982, with a third year "trigger" tied to overall performance of the nation's economy. Under this proposal, personal tax rate reductions would be "triggered" in the third year if all of the following conditions are met: (1) the Fiscal Year 1982 Budget deficit does not exceed \$37.7 billion, (2) the third quarter 1982 Consumer Price Index does not exceed 300 percent of its 1967 base (the CPI stood at 266.8 of the base in April, 1981), and (3) interest rates do not exceed Administration forecasts of Treasury Bill rates (the Gramm-Latta bipartisan Budget Resolution assumed that Treasury Bill rates would average 8.9 percent during Fiscal Year 1982).

BACKGROUND (cont.):

During a June 9, 1981 phone conversation with White House staff, Dan indicated that he remained concerned about an unrestricted three-year personal tax cut (as evidenced by his own proposal); but he also said that he was keeping an open mind on the tax issue. During a July 1, 1981 phone conversation with Treasury Secretary Regan, Dan reportedly said he was leaning in favor of the Conable-Hance bipartisan tax proposal and wanted to vote with the President on this issue. Representative Kent Hance (D-Texas) also has had a very positive conversation with Dan.

TOPICS OF DISCUSSION:

See Attachment.

DATE OF SUBMISSION:

July 6, 1981.

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SUGGESTED TALKING POINTS FOR TELEPHONE CALL TO REPRESENTATIVE DAN GLICKMAN (D-KANSAS)

- Acknowledge that Members of Congress have varied ideas about what should be included in this first tax bill. Indicate that you and Secretary Regan have listened to and worked with Members of Congress and a wide range of experts in the private sector in order to develop a balanced package.
- -- Indicate awareness of the proposal Dan has sponsored for personal tax rate reductions (two years with a third year trigger); and emphasize that you are convinced a full 25 percent tax cut along the lines of the Conable-Hance proposal (5-10-10) is essential just to offset the higher taxes the American people otherwise would have to pay under existing law.
- Note that the Conable-Hance bipartisan tax proposal will shrink
 the Fiscal Year 1982 deficit about \$17 billion from the \$38.9
 billion originally assumed in the Budget Resolution, that it contains the largest single tax cut for business in history aimed at the creation of private sector jobs, and that tax relief for individuals is calculated to spur savings and investment.
- Note also that some of the more targeted tax relief provisions, such as the estate and gift tax proposals, should be particularly beneficial in agricultural areas.
- -- Ask Dan for his support of the Conable-Hance bipartisan tax proposal, stressing that you are convinced that it is the right thing to do if we are serious about America's economic recovery.

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Richard G. Darman

Deputy Assistant to the President
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(X2702)

Recommended Telephone Call To: Sen. Roger Jepsen TOPICS OF DISCUSSION:

- 1. State that you understand that he mét with Judge O'Connor on Wednesday and ask for his feedback from that meeting.
- 2. Try to get him to express his satisfaction with the nominee.
- 3. Urge that he support her nomination.

DATE OF SUBMISSION:

July 16, 1981

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RECOMMENDED TELEPHONE CALL

TO:

Senator Roger Jepsen (Iowa)

DATE:

Thursday, July 16, 1981

RECOMMENDED BY:

Max L. Friedersdorf M. Powell A. Moore PM.

PURPOSE:

To dispel any misgivings which Senator Jepsen may have regarding Judge Sandra O'Connor in the wake of his visit with her Wednesday. To urge him to support her nomination.

BACKGROUND:

Senator Jepsen, who was one of the 7 Senators to support your nomination before the New Hampshire primary, requested an opportunity to visit with Judge Sandra O'Connor. Although he is not a member of the Senate Judiciary Committee, we complied with his request.

During the course of that meeting, Senator Jepsen seemed to have difficulty comprehending that nominees to the Supreme Court cannot express approval or disapproval in connection with past Supreme Court decisions, and cannot express opinion on current public policy issues which they may be called to rule upon on the Court, if confirmed. This difficulty arose in connection with his concerns regarding the Supreme Court's decision in Roe v. Wade (the landmark abortion decision of 1973). As a result, Judge O'Connor's visit with Senator Jepsen was cool and not very satisfactory.

Senator Jepsen met with Judge O'Connor immediately following his luncheon with Mrs. Carolyn F. Gerster of Phoenix, Arizona. Mrs. Gerster is Vice President in charge of International Affairs of the National Right to Life Committee, Inc.

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Deputy Assistant to the President and Staff Secretary

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Recommended Telephone Call Mrs. Susie De Concini

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RECOMMENDED TELEPHONE CALL

TO:

Mrs. Susie DeConcini (wife of Senator Dennis

DeConcini, D-Arizona)

DATE:

July 17, 1981

RECOMMENDED BY:

Max L. Friedersdorf M. C. Powell A. Moore P.A.M.

PURPOSE:

To thank Susie DeConcini for her special efforts in hosting a luncheon and a tea for all the Senate wives to meet Judge O'Connor.

BACKGROUND:

Mrs. DeConcini, on her own initiative, held a luncheon and a tea for all the Senate wives (and several Congressional wives) to meet and visit with Judge O'Connor. All the wives of the Members of the Senate Judiciary Committee were invited to the luncheon as were the wives of the Senate leadership. Both the luncheon and the tea were well attended, with Judge O'Connor being well received and applauded by all. These meetings were particularly useful to Judge O'Connor's confirmation process since, as you know, a good rapport with the wife of a Senator often impacts on the Senator's views.

TOPICS OF DISCUSSION: 1.

- 1. Thank Mrs. DeConcini for her gracious and successful efforts on behalf of Judge O'Connor.
- 2. State that Judge O'Connor would not have had such an excellent opportunity to make an impression on the people closest to every Senators' thoughts without her help.
- 3. Tell her that you understand that both the luncheon and the tea were great successes.

DATE OF SUBMISSION: July 17, 1981

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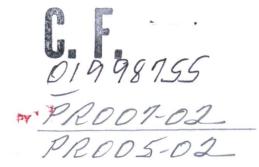
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Recommended Telephone Call Cong. Mario Biaggi

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RECOMMENDED TELEPHONE CALL

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Congressman Mario Biaggi (D-NY), who represents the 10th district that includes southeast Bronx and north Queens. Biaggi serves on the Education and Labor committee and is the second ranking Democrat on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries committee.

DATE:

July 22, 23, or 24

RECOMMENDED BY:

Max L. Friedersdorf M ()
Kenneth M. Duberstein

PURPOSE:

To encourage Biaggi to support the Conable-Hance bipartisan tax package.

BACKGROUND:

Biaggi did not support Gramm-Latta and he has opposed Kemp-Roth in the past, but, recently he has indicated some preference for the President's bipartisan tax package.

Biaggi serves as the chairman of the Ad Hoc Congressional Committee for Irish Affairs, an informal group of approximately 130 representatives who work through the Congress and with the President to seek peace and justice in Ireland.

TOPICS OF DISCUSSION:

- 1. Acknowledge that every Member of Congress has different views as to what should be included in spending reductions and taxes.
- 2. Stress that the Conable-Hance proposal is a consensus package aimed at stimulating savings, investment, productivity and economic growth.
- 3. Note that the full three year 25% tax cut is needed to offset the higher taxes facing the American people. Anything less is a vote for a tax increase.

- 4. Emphasize that the bipartisan tax rate cut is fair and equitable. It cuts taxes for the people who pay taxes. People earning between \$5,000-\$50,000 now pay 67 percent of all income taxes and they will receive 70 percent of the tax cut.
- 5. Point out that the Ways and Means proposal will result in higher tax rates for most working families by 1984. Rather than helping the working people by creating new jobs, the Ways and Means alternative will result in continued economic stress for the working people of this country.
- 6. Ask Congressman Biaggi for his support for the Conable-Hance bipartisan tax package.

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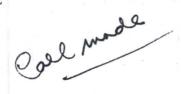
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Recommended Telephone Call Mrs. Janis Dodge

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON



RECOMMENDED TELEPHONE CALL

TO:

Mrs. Janis Dodge, widow of Navy Commander Ronald W. Dodge,

whose recently returned remains from

Vietnam were identified on Monday, July 20.

DATE:

Before Friday, July 24, afternoon. The funeral will take place in Arlington Cemetery at 2 PM on Friday, July 24.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Elizabeth H. Dole; Morton Blackwell

PURPOSE:

To offer condolences.

BACKGROUND:

See accompanying article and picture of Mrs. Dodge with the President.

Navy Commander Dodge had been an MIA since he was shot down over North Vietnam in 1967. His picture, with the head bandage, was on the cover of Life magazine and became a symbol of thousands of servicemen who were then missing in action in Vietnam. He had been a young pilot with hopes of a career in professional baseball.

His widow has been very active in the League of Families of POW/MIA's in Southeast Asia and served on the National Board of Directors for the past three years. She has two children - Brad, 17 years and Wendy, 20 years. (Brad was 3 years old when his father was shot down.)

No letter has been sent by Correspondence for this purpose.

TOPICS OF DISCUSSION:

- 1. Offer condolences.
- 2. Praise her husband for all he did for our country.
- 3. Compliment her for the work she has done for the POW/MIA cause.

DATE OF SUBMISSION: Wednesday, July 22.

Phone numbers where Mrs. Dodge can be reached: Day: 223-6846

THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

Mrs. Janis Dodge
with President Reagan
in Rose Garden at
POW/MIA Recognition Day
bill and proclamation signing
ceremony
June 12, 1981



TUF WASHINGTON POST, SATURDAY, JUNE 13, 1981



At a Rose Garden ceremony for National POW/MIA Recognition
Day, President Reagan hands signing pen to Sen. Dennis Deold Hollenbeck (R-N.J.), center, and Jeremiah Denton (R-Ala.).

Long Wait Ends
For 3 Families
Of Missing GIs

By Nicholas D. Kristof Washington Post Staff Writer

Brad Dodge was 4 when his father was shot down over North Vietnam in 1967. He's grown up wondering about his father, trying to learn more about this baseball-loving pilot whose picture was on the cover of Life magazine, a symbol of thousands of servicemen who were then missing in action in Vietnam.

Brad barely remembers his dad, and he has long doubted whether he would see him again. Now it is over. Yesterday the Pentagon announced the names of three servicemen, among them Navy Cdr. Ronald W. Dodge, Brad's father, whose remains Hanoi returned to the United States two weeks ago.

Brad Dodge, like members of the families of Air Force Capt. Richard H. Van Dyke and Lt. Stephen O. Musselman, grieved. But, he said, in a way he was relieved.

The Vietnamese returned the remains, incomplete and packed in separate small wooden boxes, on July 7, after repeated inquiries about those missing in action, military officials said. Laboratory technicians

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The Waiting Is Over for 3 Families

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identified the remains Monday, and officials notified the families.

Cdr. Dodge, who had been a young pilot with hopes for a career in professional baseball, became a symbol of the 2,500 servicemen MIAs. A photo of him, after capture and escorted by North Vietnamese soldiers, was published in Paris Match, a French magazine, and later reprinted on the cover of Life and in 5 million brochures urging that more attention be paid to the missing.

Dodge, who was flying an F8 Crusader jet when he was shot down on May 17, 1967, was 31. Paris Match published the photo on Sept. 9, 1967, and nothing had been seen or heard of him since.

Capt. Van Dyke, of Salt Lake City, was shot down over North Vietnam on Sept. 11, 1968, at age 24. Lt. Musselman was shot down over North Vietnam on Sept. 10, 1972, when he was 26.

Officials said they were certain of the identifications, which were made at an Army laboratory in Honolulu after the remains were flown there.

Identifications were made by comparing the characteristics of the bones with medical information of missing servicemen, especially those considered to be most likely because of when and where they disappeared, said Maj. Cliff Purcell, an Army spokesman in Honolulu.

"We definitely won't know when they died," said Lt. Col. Jerry Grohowski in Washington. "We probably won't know how they died, but that is a remote possibility."

Yesterday the survivors sorted through their memories. Brad Dodge said his father attended high school in Olympia, Wash., and then attended the University of Oregon, where he played football and baseball.

Ronald Dodge was a fine catcher who had played for the Seattle Rainiers and who might have played for the Cincinnati Reds if he had not been shot down, his son said.



Associated Press

Ronald W. Dodge on the flight line, inset, and after capture by North Vietnamese.

Steve Musselman had been very proud, one week before he was shot down, when his name was painted on the outside of his bomber in recognition of his successful missions, his mother, Ethel Musselman recalled yesterday from her home in Texarkana, Tex. But on the day of his last mission, his plane was being repaired, so he took another.

"He was bombing a missile site and got a few hits in," she said. Then he was hit by a missile, and "his plane went in an uncontrolled dive. He radioed, 'My altitude is...,' and he was cut off. He landed in a rice paddy 14 miles from Hanoi."

Ethel Musselman said Navy officials told her that Steve probably had been shot to death, perhaps as he floated to earth by parachute. "I'm more fortunate than many mothers," she said. "I still have four sons."

Kay Van Dyke said from her home in Salt Lake City that her son, Richard, attended Wakefield High School in Arlington, Va., and then joined the Air Force after attending the University of Colorado.

"He was a personable young man, a large man," she said. "He loved everything. He was just a fun-loving, living, man."

Her son's plane was hit by a missile and he ejected safely, she said. "He was seen to land, to stow his parachute and to go into the woods."

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Her husband, Milton, added that prisoners of war later released said their son was in the same camp, with a broken leg apparently resulting from his bail-out. The North Vietnamese "took him from the camp and said, 'your buddy has to have his leg amputated.' Then one of the guards came back and said, 'Your buddy didn't make it.'"

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MEMORANDUM FOR:

CRAIG FULLER

Director of Cabinet Administration

FROM:

JIM HOOLE

Executive Assistant to the Secretary

SUBJECT:

Possible Telephone Courtesy Call by

President Reagan to Union Leaders Meeting

On Monday, April 27, 1981, Secretary Donovan has scheduled the first of two meetings with the major union presidents to brief them on the President's Economic Recovery Program.

A request has been made to Mike Deaver to have President Reagan place a one or two minute courtesy call to the meeting, some time between 10:30 and 11:30, to greet the leaders and encourage their support of the program.

Attached you will find a copy of Monday's agenda, along with a list of the expected attendees. As you will note on the agenda, Murray Weidenbaum, Chairman of the CEA and David Glickman from the Department of Treasury will be participating in the briefing.

Mike Deaver has suggested that we send this information to your attention for follow-up, since President Reagan will be at Camp David on Monday.

FYI - there may also be a senior administration official dropping by during the course of the meeting.

I will be in touch with you on Monday morning on this matter, however, should you need to reach me before then, my home number is 521-3764.

Thank you for your help.

AGENDA

BRIEFINGS FOR UNION PRESIDENTS ON THE ECONOMIC RECOVERY PROGRAM

MONDAY, April 27, 10:00 a.m. - 12 Noon (Conference Room - Secretary of Labor)

10:00	am	Introduction & Overview Statement (Secretary Donovan)
10:10	am	Economic Program - Budget Emphasis (Murray Weidenbaum, Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisors)
10:30	am	Economic Program - Tax Policy (David Glickman, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Treasury for Tax Policy)
11:00	am	Open Discussion (Q & A) chaired by Secretary Donovan
11:15	am	Continuation of Open Discussion
12:00	pm	Adjournment

MONDAY, APRIL 27

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Dear Bill:

This is to thank you for your recent letter on behalf of the Cincinnati City-Wide Learning Community, which has requested a telephone conversation with the President.

In checking with the President's Scheduling Office, I have learned that President Reagan is unable to comply with this request. However, he appreciates your interest in writing and sends his best wishes to these Cincinnati students.

With cordial regard, I am

Sincerely,

Max L. Friedersdorf Assistant to the President

The Honorable Bill Gradison House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

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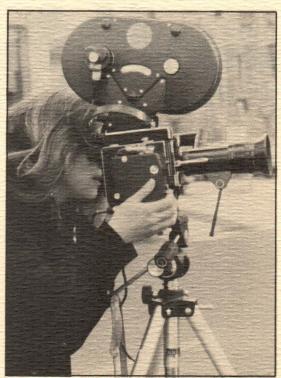


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MAY 29 1981

Mr. Max Friedersdorf
Assistant to the President for Legislative Affairs 026932
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Max:

Enclosed is a letter from the Cincinnati City-Wide Learning Community, an inner-city high school, requesting a brief "amplified telephone conversation" with the President. I would appreciate your bringing their letter to the President's attention.

The City-Wide learning program offers an alternate high school curriculum that teaches students through first-hand experiences throughout the Cincinnati community. They have been enormously successful and would be a well-informed and stimulating audience for the President. Included is the school's brochure for your inspection.

I would appreciate your consideration of their invitation and look forward to your response.

Sincerely,

Bill Gradison

Representative in Congress

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Hughes High School, 2515 Clifton Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio 45219

may 11, 1981

Congressman Willis D. Gradison Second Congressional District of Ohio Federal Office Building 550 Main Street Room 8008 Cincinnati, Ohio 45202

Dear Congressman Gradison:

I am the coordinator of a unique, inner-city high school program of the Cincinnati Public Schools. As the enclosed brochure indicates, we constantly use community resources to enrich the educational projects of our students.

Thus far, we have used only local government, business and cultural resources. However, we are currently exploring the technology that would allow for amplified telephone calls to national figures so that properly prepared high school students could conduct a short dialogue with the issue-makers of the day.

On behalf of our Government In Action class, I would like to ask your help in arranging the initial "telephone speaker," President Ronald Reagan. We are respectful of his pressing schedule, but if he could set aside 15 minutes, we could arrange the needed technology in our classroom for a group of our students to have a short question and answer session with him.

We know that getting even 15 minutes of the President's time would be a long shot. However, we have learned through the past eight years of conducting community-based education that adults in this country, from various walks of life, are surprisingly willing to contribute help in educating America's young people. Obviously, for a government class to be able to talk to the president of the United States would be not only educational but also very inspiring.

Knowing from local news coverage that you have access to the President, we are asking you to carry our request to him.



Hughes High School, 2515 Clifton Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio 45219

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Should this phone call be possible, we are prepared to work our normal class schedule around it. Therefore, the following days and times would be workable: between the hours of 9:00 A.M. and 3:00 P.M. on May 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 26, 27, 28, or 29.

We thank you in advance for your consideration in this matter.

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Mr. Jene M. Galvin

Coordinator

City-Wide Learning Community

Hughes High School

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c.c. Mr. Ron Roberts, Administrative Assistant

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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

Date: 5/21/81

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MAX FRIEDERSDORF

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RECOMMENDED TELEPHONE CALL

TO:

Senator Charles Percy (R-Illinois) Chairman, Senate Foreign Relations Committee

DATE:

As soon as possible

RECOMMENDED BY:

Max Friedersdorf M. C

PURPOSE:

To urge that Senator Percy and the Senate Foreign Relations Committee expeditiously approve the nomination of Ernest W. LeFever to be Assistant Secretary of State for Human Rights and Humanitarian Affairs.

BACKGROUND:

The Senate Foreign Relations Committee today began two days of hearings on the nomination of Ernest W. LeFever to be Assistant Secretary of State for Human Rights and Humanitarian Affairs. Dr. LeFever is founder and President of the Ethics and Public Policy Center of Washington, D.C., an independent research organization. He has been active in civil rights causes in the United States and has been involved in a number of humanitarian activities abroad. He is an ordaine clergyman and has written and lectured extensively on the interplay of ethics and public policy. Since he is not a human rights purist willing to subordinate arbitrary standards of human rights to every other foreign policy consideration his nomination has been criticized.

In opening the hearing this morning, Chairman Percy said that he is uncommitted.

TOPICS OF DISCUSSION:

1. Tell Chairman Percy that LeFever is your choice for Assistant Secretary of State for Human Rights and Humanitarian Affairs and you hope he is confirmed as expeditiously as possible.

- 2. Point out that Dr. LeFever's views on human rights are compatible with your own. Point out that his credentials as a humanitarian and human rights advocate are unquestioned. His record in this area extends back to 1942 when he helped in the relocation of the first Japanese-Americans from a California internment center and have been consistent since then.
- 3. Mention that LeFever is a person of deeds rather than words in the field of human rights, but his commitment to human rights is tempered by the realities of the world in which we live.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 26, 1981

Dear Mr. DeNardis:

Max Friedersdorf has forwarded your letter on behalf of Mr. Robert Norman to our office, as he informed you he would in his letter of July 19.

Please understand that hundreds of local broadcasters have made similar requests, and the demands for the President's time are such that we have not been able to accommodate them.

However, in the months ahead, we hope to implement a communications plan, whereby at least some of these local reporters will get to interview the President. Mr. Norman's request is on file and will get fair consideration.

Sincerely,

Sue Mathis

Deputy Director

Office of Media Liaison

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The Honorable Lawrence J. De Nardis House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515 Dear Larry:

Thank you for your letter of June 4 on behalf of Mr. Robert Norman of WTNH-TV, who has requested a telephone interview with the President.

Please be assured that I have brought your endorsement to the prompt attention of the appropriate White House Office for every consideration. I am sure you will be contacted as soon as a decision can be made.

With cordial regard, I am

Sincerely,

Max L. Friedersdorf Assistant to the President

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Mr. Max Friedersdorf Assistant to the President for Legislative Affairs The White House Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Max:

I am enclosing a copy of a letter sent to Deputy Press Secretary Larry Speakes by Bob Norman of WTNH-TV in New Haven.

Mr. Norman certainly has come up with an unusual suggestion, and one that I believe would be exciting for Channel 8's viewing public as well as interesting for the President.

Bob Norman, I might mention, is a long time television personality with WTNH-TV, as well as a personal friend of mine. Both he and his station have been extraordinarily cooperative with me in my efforts to keep my Congressional District fully informed. Channel 8 is the major television station serving my District, and the only one that serves the entire District.

Mr. Norman has done an exceptional job with the early morning news shows he initiated, and certainly the few minute telephone interviews he seeks with the President would be a major accomplishment for him and for his station.

Anything you can do to expedite his request would certainly be appreciated.

Thank you for your help in this matter.

With best wishes,

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Lawrence J. DeNardis Member of tengress

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May 14,1981

Mr. Larry Speakes
Deputy Press Secretary to the President
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, D.C

DEAR MR. SPEAKES,

I AM THE PRODUCER/CO-ANCHOR OF A MORNING NEWS PROGRAM ON WTNH-TV IN New Haven, Connecticut and I have a far out idea I'd like to throw out. What are the chances of interviewing the President some morning on the telephone in what would be a "personal" and not a "political" interview. I realize the networks have to fight to go one on one with Mr. Reagan but I think it would be a neat thing for him to do; just spend a minute or so on the phone talking about his upcoming day and what he will or has had for breakfast, etc. I realize if such an interview could be worked out, it would open the floodgates from other stations but this would be a one time thing. It's something no other president has ever done; just like lowering taxes and cutting spending and would certainly fit into Mr. Reagan's image of being different and like a breath of fresh air.

I had the honor of meeting Mr. Reagan when he campaigned in Connecticut and at that time wished him success in the election because I felt he was the person the country needed. I obviously feel the same way.

REGARDS,

ROBERT NORMAN

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- 2. Your support on Gramm-Latta made the difference and that support is even more crucial to the success of the Conable-Hance bill, which I wholeheartedly endorse.
- 3. The importance of this tax struggle transcends the bill itself, since it is only one element of our greater overall economic recovery program. The success of each element is crucial -- spending cuts, tax rate cuts, regulatory relief and stable monetary growth.
- 4. If you have some differences with our tax proposals, I request you give careful consideration before making your decision to support the opposition bill. Remember this tax proposal is only one element of a wide range of common interests shared by both the community and administration. The Conable-Hance bill will provide the business community with its largest tax cut in American history.
- 5. Our proposal does satisfy the administration's central concern -fostering the creation of an environment which encourages
 business investment and expansion.
- 6. I hope I can count on your support and cooperation in working with members of my administration in support of Conable-Hance.

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