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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

September 9, 1983

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Dear Bill:

On July 13, I was presented with the letter that you and 145 of your House colleagues signed pledging veto support on excessive spending bills. Because of the overriding importance of Federal spending policies on the Nation's economic recovery, I want to extend my personal thanks for your expression of support -- and my assurance that I will not hesitate to use the veto if bloated spending bills reach my desk.

Our policies are working. Even our strongest critics can no longer deny that the Nation's economy is recovering. We're seeing strong economic growth while inflation is at its lowest level in a decade. Unemployment is still too high, but it's coming down, and the prospect is for continued improvement as the economic recovery proceeds.

We must not abort the recovery by returning to the failed tax and tax, spend and spend policies embodied in the Budget Resolution which was adopted by the Congress on June 23. As you know, as President, I cannot sign or veto the Budget Resolution itself once it clears Congress. But I do have the right -- and the responsibility -- to act on authorization and appropriation bills which reach my desk. You can be sure that I will use the veto again and again, if necessary, to head off undisciplined spending and tax increases.

I'm convinced that the letter presented to me in May, which showed that we could sustain vetoes of unwise tax legislation in the House, was helpful in heading off the attempt to cap the third year of the tax cut. I fully expect that the letter you signed on excessive spending measures will be of similar benefit in protecting the recovery and keeping the lid on runaway spending.

Again, please accept my gratitude for your partnership in the cause of lasting economic recovery.

Sincerely,

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Ronald Reagan

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

Letter sent to those hi-lighted

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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

Oct 12, 1983

TO:

Pat Young

FROM:

**KATHY RATTÉ JAFFKE**

Office of Legislative Affairs

We just received this  
today from Jim Baker's  
office. I believe it is  
the original incoming for  
id # 170731

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Bill Archer



KEN - JAB ASKED THAT  
THIS BE SENT BACK  
TO YOU FOR YOUR FILES -

170731      THANKS - MDT



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<u>NO.</u>	<u>KMD/PRES</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Party/State</u>	<u>Birthdate</u>
235	Stan/Stan	Lundine, Stan	D - NY	02/04/39
236	Dan/Dan	Lungren, Dan	R - CA	09/22/46
237	Connie/Connie	Mack, Connie	R - FL	10/29/40
238	Mr. MacKay/Buddy	MacKay, Kenneth H. "Buddy"	D - FL	03/22/33
239	Ed/Ed	Madigan, Edward R.	R - IL	01/13/36
240	Mr. Markey/Ed	Markey, Edward J.	D - MA	07/11/46
241	Ron/Ron	Marlenee, Ron	R - MT	08/09/35
242	Dan/Dan	Marriott, Dan	R - UT	11/02/39
243	Dave/Dave	Martin, David O'B.	R - NY	04/26/44
244	Jim/Jim	Martin, James G.	R - NC	12/11/35
245	Lynn/Lynn	Martin, Lynn	R - IL	12/26/39
246	Mr. Martinez/Marty	Martinez, Matthew G.	D - CA	02/14/00
247	Bob/Bob	Matsui, Robert T.	D - CA	09/17/41
248	Nick/Nick	Mavroules, Nicholas	D - MA	11/01/29
249	Ron/Ron	Mazzoli, Romano L.	D - KY	11/02/32
250	John/John	McCain, John	R - AZ	08/29/36
251	Al/Al	McCandless, Al	R - CA	07/23/27
252	Mr. McCloskey/Frank	McCloskey, Francis X.	D - IN	06/12/39



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253	Bill/Bill	McCollum, Bill	R - FL	07/12/44
254	Dave/Dave	McCurdy, Dave	D - OK	03/30/50
255	Joe/Joe	McDade, Joseph M.	R - PA	09/29/31
256	Larry/Larry	McDonald, Larry	D - GA	04/01/35
257	Bob/Bob	McEwen, Bob	R - OH	01/12/50
258	Ray/Ray	McGrath, Raymond J.	R - NY	03/27/42
259	Mr. McHugh/Matt	McHugh, Matthew F.	D - NY	12/06/38
260	Jock/Jock	McKernan, John R., Jr.	R - ME	05/20/48
261	Stew/Stew	McKinney, Stewart B.	R - CT	01/30/31
262	Mr. McNulty/Jim	McNulty, Jim	D - AZ	10/18/25
263	Dan/Dan	Mica, Dan	D - FL	02/04/44
264	Bob/Bob	Michel, Robert H. Republican Leader	R - IL	03/02/23
265	Ms. Mikulski/Barbara	Mikulski, Barbara	D - MD	07/20/36
266	Clarence/Clarence	Miller, Clarence E.	R - OH	11/01/17
267	Mr. Miller/George	Miller, George	D - CA	05/17/45
268	Norm/Norm	Mineta, Norman Y.	D - CA	11/12/31
269	Mr. Minish/Joe	Minish, Joseph G.	D - NJ	09/01/16
270	Parren/Parren	Mitchell, Parren J.	D - MD	04/29/22



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271	Joe/Joe	Moakley, Joe	D - MA	04/27/27
272	Guy/Guy	Molinari, Guy V.	R - NY	11/23/28
273	Mr. Mollohan/Alan	Mollohan, Alan B.	D - WV	05/14/43
274	Sonny/Sonny	Montgomery, G. V.	D - MS	08/05/20
275	Mr. Moody/Jim	Moody, Jim	D - WI	09/02/35
276	Henson/Henson	Moore, Henson	R - LA	10/04/39
277	Carlos/Carlos	Moorhead, Carlos J.	R - CA	05/06/22
278	Mr. Morrison/Bruce	Morrison, Bruce A.	D - CT	10/08/44
279	Sid/Sid	Morrison, Sid	R - WA	05/13/33
280	Mr. Mrazek/Bob	Mrazek, Robert J.	D - NY	11/06/45
281	Austin/Austin	Murphy, Austin J.	D - PA	06/17/27
282	John/John	Murtha, John P.	D - PA	06/17/32
283	John/John	Myers, John T.	R - IN	02/08/27
284	Mr. Natcher/Bill	Natcher, William H.	D - KY	09/11/09
285	Mr. Neal/Steve	Neal, Stephen L.	D - NC	11/07/34
286	Bill/Bill	Nelson, Bill	D - FL	09/29/42
287	Bill/Bill	Nichols, Bill	D - AL	10/16/18
288	Howard/Howard	Nielson, Howard C.	R - UT	09/12/42



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289	Mr. Nowak/Henry	Nowak, Henry J.	D - NY	02/21/35
290	Ms. Oakar/Mary Rose	Oakar, Mary Rose	D - OH	03/05/40
291	Jim/Jim	Oberstar, James L.	D - MN	09/10/34
292	Mr. Obey/Dave	Obey, David R.	D - WI	10/03/38
293	George/George	O'Brien, George M.	R - IL	06/17/17
294	Mr. Olin/Jim	Olin, James R.	D - VA	02/28/20
295	Mr. Speaker/Mr. Speaker	O'Neill, Thomas P., Jr. Speaker of the	D - MA	12/09/12
296	Mr. Ortiz/Solomon	Ortiz, Solomon P.	D - TX	06/03/38
297	Dick/Dick	Ottinger, Richard L.	D - NY	01/27/29
298	Mr. Owens/Major	Owens, Major R.	D - NY	06/28/36
299	Mike/Mike	Oxley, Michael G.	R - OH	02/11/44
300	Ron/Ron	Packard, Ron	R - CA	01/19/31
301	Leon/Leon	Panetta, Leon E.	D - CA	06/28/38
302	Stan/Stan	Parris, Stan	R - VA	09/09/29
303	Chip/Chip	Pashayan, Charles, Jr.	R - CA	03/27/41
304	Mr. Patman/Bill	Patman, Bill	D - TX	03/26/27
305	Mr. Patterson/Jerry	Patterson, Jerry M.	D - CA	10/25/34
306	Ron/Ron	Paul, Ron	R - TX	08/20/35



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307	Mr. Pease/Don	Pease, Donald J.	D - OH	09/26/31
308	Mr. Penny/Tim	Penny, Timothy J.	D - MN	11/19/51
309	Senator/Senator	Pepper, Claude D.	D - FL	09/08/00
310	Mr. Chairman/Carl	Perkins, Carl D.	D - KY	10/15/12
311	Tom/Tom	Petri, Thomas E.	R - WI	05/28/40
312	Jake/Jake	Pickle, J. J.	D - TX	10/11/13
313	John/John	Porter, John Edward	R - IL	06/01/36
314	Mel/Mel	Price, Melvin	D - IL	01/01/05
315	Joel/Joel	Pritchard, Joel	R - WA	05/05/25
316	Carl/Carl	Pursell, Carl D.	R - MI	12/19/32
317	Jimmy/Jimmy	Quillen, James H.	R - TN	01/11/16
318	Mr. Rahall/Nick	Rahall, Nick Joe II	D - WV	05/20/49
319	Charlie/Charlie	Rangel, Charles B.	D - NY	06/11/30
320	Mr. Ratchford/Bill	Ratchford, William R.	D - CT	05/24/34
321	Mr. Ray/Richard	Ray, Richard	D - GA	02/02/27
322	Ralph/Ralph	Regula, Ralph	R - OH	12/03/24
323	Mr. Reid/Harry	Reid, Harry	D - NV	12/02/39
324	Mr. Richardson/Bill	Richardson, Bill	D - NM	11/15/47



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325	Tom/Tom	Ridge, Tom	R - PA	08/26/45
326	Matt/Matt	Rinaldo, Matthew J.	R - NJ	09/01/31
327	Don/Don	Ritter, Don	R - PA	10/21/40
328	Pat/Pat	Roberts, Pat	R - KS	04/20/36
329	Ken/Ken	Robinson, J. Kenneth	R - VA	05/14/16
330	Mr. Rodino/Peter	Rodino, Peter W., Jr.	D - NJ	06/07/09
331	Bob/Bob	Roe, Robert A.	D - NJ	02/28/24
332	Buddy/Buddy	Roemer, Buddy	D - LA	10/04/43
333	Hal/Hal	Rogers, Harold	R - KY	12/31/37
334	Charlie/Charlie	Rose, Charles	D - NC	08/10/39
335	Dan/Dan	Rostenkowski, Dan	D - IL	01/02/28
336	Toby/Toby	Roth, Toby	R - WI	10/10/38
337	Marge/Marge	Roukema, Marge	R - NJ	09/19/29
338	Mr. Rowland/Roy	Rowland, J. Roy	D - GA	02/03/26
339	Ed/Ed	Roybal, Edward R.	D - CA	02/10/16
340	Eldon/Eldon	Rudd, Eldon	R - AZ	07/15/20
341	Mr. Russo/Marty	Russo, Marty	D - IL	01/23/44
342	Mr. Sabo/Martin	Sabo, Martin Olav	D - MN	02/28/38



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343	Mr. Savage/Gus	Savage, Gus	D - IL	10/10/26
344	Hal/Hal	Sawyer, Harold S.	R - MI	03/21/20
345	Dan/Dan	Schaefer, Dan	R - CO	01/25/36
346	Mr. Scheuer/Jim	Scheuer, James H.	D - NY	02/06/20
347	Claudine/Claudine	Schneider, Claudine	R - RI	03/25/47
348	Pat/Pat	Schroeder, Patricia	D - CO	07/30/40
349	Dick/Dick	Schulze, Richard T.	R - PA	08/07/29
350	Mr. Schumer/Chuck	Schumer, Charles E.	D - NY	11/23/50
351	Mr. Seiberling/John	Seiberling, John F.	D - OH	09/08/18
352	Jim/Jim	Sensenbrenner, F. James, Jr.	R - WI	06/14/43
353	Mr. Shannon/Jim	Shannon, James M.	D - MA	04/04/52
354	Phil/Phil	Sharp, Philip R.	D - IN	07/15/42
355	Clay/Clay	Shaw, E. Clay, Jr.	R - FL	04/19/39
356	Richard/Richard	Shelby, Richard C.	D - AL	05/06/34
357	Norm/Norm	Shumway, Norman D.	R - CA	07/28/34
358	Bud/Bud	Shuster, Bud	R - PA	01/23/32
359	Mr. Sikorski/Gerry	Sikorski, Gerry	D - MN	04/26/48
360	Mark/Mark	Siljander, Mark D.	R - MI	06/11/51



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361	Paul/Paul	Simon, Paul	D - IL	11/29/28
362	Norm/Norm	Sisisky, Norman	D - VA	06/09/27
363	Joe/Joe	Skeen, Joe	R - NM	06/30/27
364	Ike/Ike	Skelton, Ike	D - MO	12/20/31
365	Mr. Slattery/Jim	Slattery, Jim	D - KS	08/04/48
366	Bob/Bob	Smith, Bob	R - OR	06/16/31
367	Chris/Chris	Smith, Christopher H.	R - NJ	03/04/53
368	Denny/Denny	Smith, Denny	R - OR	01/19/38
369	Mr. Smith/Larry	Smith, Larry	D - FL	04/25/41
370	Mr. Smith/Neal	Smith, Neal	D - IA	03/23/20
371	Virginia/Virginia	Smith, Virginia	R - NE	06/30/11
372	Olympia/Olympia	Snowe, Olympia J.	R - ME	02/21/47
373	Gene/Gene	Snyder, Gene	R - KY	01/26/28
374	Mr. Solarz/Steve	Solarz, Stephen J.	D - NY	09/12/40
375	Jerry/Jerry	Solomon, Gerald B.H.	R - NY	08/14/30
376	Floyd/Floyd	Spence, Floyd	R - SC	04/09/28
377	Mr. Spratt/John	Spratt, John	D - SC	11/01/42
378	Mr. St Germain/Fred	St Germain, Fernand J.	D - RI	01/09/28



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379	Mr. Staggers/Harley	Staggers, Harley O., Jr.	D - WV	02/22/51
380	Arlan/Arlan	Stangeland, Arlan	R - MN	02/08/30
381	Mr. Stark/Pete	Stark, Fortney H.	D - CA	11/11/31
382	Charlie/Charlie	Stenholm, Charles W.	D - TX	10/26/38
383	Mr. Stokes/Louis	Stokes, Louis	D - OH	02/23/25
384	Sam/Sam	Stratton, Samuel S.	D - NY	09/27/16
385	Mr. Studds/Gerry	Studds, Gerry E.	D - MA	05/12/37
386	Bob/Bob	Stump, Bob	R - AZ	04/04/27
387	Don/Don	Sundquist, Don	R - TN	03/15/36
388	Mr. Sunia/Fofo	Sunia, Fofo I. F.	D - AS	03/13/37
389	Mr. Swift/Al	Swift, Al	D - WA	09/12/35
390	Mr. Synar/Mike	Synar, Mike	D - OK	10/17/50
391	Mr. Tallon/Robin	Tallon, Robin	D - SC	08/08/46
392	Tom/Tom	Tauke, Thomas J.	R - IA	10/11/50
393	Billy/Billy	Tauzin, Billy	D - LA	06/14/43
394	Gene/Gene	Taylor, Gene	R - MO	02/10/28
395	Mr. Thomas/Lindsay	Thomas, Lindsay	D - GA	11/20/43
396	Bill/Bill	Thomas, William M.	R - CA	12/06/41



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397	Mr. Torres/Esteban	Torres, Esteban	D - CA	01/27/30
398	Mr. Torricelli/Bob	Torricelli, Robert G.	D - NJ	08/26/51
399	Mr. Towns/Ed	Towns, Edolphus	D - NY	07/21/34
400	Mr. Traxler/Bob	Traxler, Bob	D - MI	07/21/31
401	Mo/Mo	Udall, Morris K.	D - AZ	06/15/22
402	Mr. Valentine/Tim	Valentine, Tim	D - NC	03/15/26
403	Guy/Guy	Vander Jagt, Guy	R - MI	08/26/31
404	Mr. Vandergriff/Tom	Vandergriff, Tom	D - TX	01/29/26
405	Mr. Vento/Bruce	Vento, Bruce F.	D - MN	10/07/40
406	Mr. Volkmer/Harold	Volkmer, Harold L.	D - MO	04/04/31
407	Barbara/Barbara	Vucanovich, Barbara	R - NV	06/22/21
408	Mr. Walgren/Doug	Walgren, Doug	D - PA	12/28/40
409	Bob/Bob	Walker, Robert S.	R - PA	12/23/42
410	Wes/Wes	Watkins, Wes	D - OK	12/15/37
411	Mr. Waxman/Henry	Waxman, Henry A.	D - CA	09/12/39
412	Mr. Weaver/Jim	Weaver, Jim	D - OR	08/08/27
413	Vin/Vin	Weber, Vin	R - MN	07/24/52
414	Ted/Ted	Weiss, Ted	D - NY	09/17/27



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415	Mr. Wheat/Alan	Wheat, Alan	D - MO	10/16/51
416	Bill/Bill	Whitehurst, G. William	R - VA	03/12/25
417	Mr. Whitley/Charlie	Whitley, Charles	D - NC	01/31/27
418	Bob/Bob	Whittaker, Bob	R - KS	09/18/39
419	Mr. Chairman/Jamie	Whitten, Jamie L.	D - MS	04/18/10
420	Lyle/Lyle	Williams, Lyle	R - OH	08/23/42
421	Mr. Williams/Pat	Williams, Pat	D - MT	10/30/37
422	Charlie/Charlie	Wilson, Charles	D - TX	06/01/33
423	Larry/Larry	Winn, Larry, Jr.	R - KS	08/22/19
424	Tim/Tim	Wirth, Timothy E.	D - CO	09/22/39
425	Mr. Wise/Bob	Wise, Bob	D - WV	01/06/48
426	Frank/Frank	Wolf, Frank R.	R - VA	01/30/39
427	Mr. Wolpe/Howard	Wolpe, Howard	D - MI	11/02/39
428	Mr. Won Pat/Tony	Won Pat, Antonio Borja	D - GU	12/10/08
429	George/George	Wortley, George C.	R - NY	12/08/26
430	Jim/Jim	Wright, Jim Majority Leader	D - TX	12/22/22
431	Mr. Wyden/Ron	Wyden, Ron	D - OR	05/03/49
432	Chalmers/Chalmers	Wylie, Chalmers P.	R - OH	11/23/20



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433	Mr. Yates/Sid	Yates, Sidney R.	D - IL	08/27/09
434	Gus/Gus	Yatron, Gus	D - PA	10/16/27
435	Bill/Bill	Young, C. W. Bill	R - FL	12/16/30
436	Don/Don	Young, Don	R - AK	06/09/33
437	Bob/Bob	Young, Robert A.	D - MO	11/27/23
438	Clem/Clem	Zablocki, Clement J.	D - WI	11/18/12
439	Ed/Ed	Zschau, Ed	R - CA	01/06/40



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1	Mr. Ackerman/Gary	Ackerman, Gary L.	D - NY	11/19/42
2	Joe/Joe	Addabbo, Joseph P.	D - NY	03/17/25
3	Dan/Dan	Akaka, Daniel K.	D - HI	09/11/24
4	Don/Don	Albosta, Don	D - MI	12/05/25
5	Bill/Bill	Alexander, Bill	D - AR	01/16/34
6	Glenn/Glenn	Anderson, Glenn M.	D - CA	02/21/13
7	Ike/Ike	Andrews, Ike	D - NC	09/02/25
8	Mr. Andrews/Mike	Andrews, Mike	D - TX	02/07/44
9	Frank/Frank	Annunzio, Frank	D - IL	01/12/15
10	Beryl/Beryl	Anthony, Beryl, Jr.	D - AR	02/21/38
11	Doug/Doug	Applegate, Douglas	D - OH	03/27/28
12	Bill/Bill	Archer, Bill	R - TX	03/22/28
13	Les/Les	Aspin, Les	D - WI	07/21/38
14	Les/Les	AuCoin, Les	D - OR	10/21/42
15	Bob/Bob	Badham, Robert E.	R - CA	06/09/29
16	Doug/Doug	Barnard, Doug, Jr.	D - GA	03/20/22
17	Mike/Mike	Barnes, Michael D.	D - MD	09/03/43
18	Steve/Steve	Bartlett, Steve	R - TX	09/19/47



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19	Herb/Herb	Bateman, Herbert H.	R - VA	08/07/28
20	Mr. Bates/Jim	Bates, Jim	D - CA	07/21/41
21	Berkley/Berkley	Bedell, Berkley	D - IA	03/05/21
22	Mr. Beilenson/Tony	Beilenson, Anthony C.	D - CA	10/26/32
23	Charlie/Charlie	Bennett, Charles E.	D - FL	12/02/10
24	Doug/Doug	Bereuter, Douglas K.	R - NE	10/06/39
25	Mr. Berman/Howard	Berman, Howard L.	D - CA	04/15/41
26	Ed/Ed	Bethune, Ed	R - AR	12/19/35
27	Tom/Tom	Bevill, Tom	D - AL	03/27/21
28	Mario/Mario	Biaggi, Mario	D - NY	10/26/17
29	Mike/Mike	Bilirakis, Michael	R - FL	07/16/30
30	Tom/Tom	Bliley, Thomas J., Jr.	R - VA	01/28/32
31	Sherry/Sherry	Boehlert, Sherwood L.	R - NY	09/28/36
32	Lindy/Lindy	Boggs, Lindy	D - LA	03/13/16
33	Eddie/Eddie	Boland, Edward P.	D - MA	10/01/11
34	Bill/Bill	Boner, Bill	D - TN	02/14/45
35	Mr. Bonior/David	Bonior, David E.	D - MI	12/06/45
36	Mr. Bonker/Don	Bonker, Don	D - WA	03/07/37



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37	Mr. Borski/Bob	Borski, Robert A.	D - PA	10/20/48
38	Mr. Bosco/Doug	Bosco, Douglas H.	D - CA	07/28/46
39	Mr. Boucher/Rick	Boucher, Frederick C.	D - VA	08/01/46
40	Mrs. Boxer/Barbara	Boxer, Barbara	D - CA	11/11/40
41	John/John	Breaux, John B.	D - LA	03/01/44
42	Mr. Britt/Robin	Britt, C. Robin	D - NC	06/29/42
43	Jack/Jack	Brooks, Jack	D - TX	12/18/22
44	Bill/Bill	Broomfield, William S.	R - MI	04/28/22
45	Mr. Brown/George	Brown, George E., Jr.	D - CA	03/06/20
46	Hank/Hank	Brown, Hank	R - CO	02/12/40
47	Jim/Jim	Broyhill, James T.	R - NC	08/19/27
48	Mr. Bryant/John	Bryant, John	D - TX	02/22/47
49	Dan/Dan	Burton, Dan	R - IN	06/21/38
50	Mrs. Burton/Sala	Burton, Sala	D - CA	April 1, 1925
51	Beverly/Beverly	Byron, Beverly B.	D - MD	07/27/32
52	Carroll/Carroll	Campbell, Carroll A., Jr.	R - SC	07/24/40
53	Bill/Bill	Carney, William	R - NY	07/01/42
54	Mr. Carper/Tom	Carper, Thomas R.	D - DE	01/23/47



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55	Mr. Carr/Bob	Carr, Bob	D - MI	03/27/43
56	Rod/Rod	Chandler, Rodney	R - WA	07/13/42
57	Bill/Bill	Chappell, Bill, Jr.	D - FL	02/03/22
58	Gene/Gene	Chappie, Gene	R - CA	03/30/20
59	Dick/Dick	Cheney, Dick	R - WY	01/30/41
60	Mr. Clarke/Jamie	Clarke, James McClure	D - NC	06/12/17
61	Mr. Clay/Bill	Clay, William	D - MO	04/30/31
62	Bill/Bill	Clinger, William F., Jr.	R - PA	04/04/29
63	Dan/Dan	Coats, Dan	R - IN	05/16/43
64	Tony/Tony	Coelho, Tony	D - CA	06/15/42
65	Tom/Tom	Coleman, E. Thomas	R - MO	05/29/43
66	Mr. Coleman/Ron	Coleman, Ronald	D - TX	11/29/41
67	Mrs. Collins/Cardiss	Collins, Cardiss	D - IL	09/24/31
68	Barber/Barber	Conable, Barber B., Jr.	R - NY	11/02/22
69	Sil/Sil	Conte, Silvio O.	R - MA	11/09/18
70	Mr. Conyers/John	Conyers, John, Jr.	D - MI	05/16/29
71	Mr. Cooper/Jim	Cooper, Jim	D - TN	06/19/54
72	Tom/Tom	Corcoran, Tom	R - IL	05/23/39



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73	Mr. Corrada/Baltasar	Corrada, Baltasar	D - PR	04/10/35
74	Larry/Larry	Coughlin, Lawrence	R - PA	04/11/29
75	Jim/Jim	Courter, James A.	R - NJ	10/14/41
76	Mr. Coyne/Bill	Coyne, William J.	D - PA	08/24/36
77	Larry/Larry	Craig, Larry E.	R - ID	07/20/45
78	Dan/Dan	Crane, Daniel B.	R - IL	01/10/36
79	Phil/Phil	Crane, Philip M.	R - IL	11/03/30
80	Mr. Crockett/George	Crockett, George W., Jr.	D - MI	08/10/09
81	Norm/Norm	D'Amours, Norman E.	D - NH	10/14/37
82	Dan/Dan	Daniel, Dan	D - VA	05/12/14
83	Bill/Bill	Dannemeyer, William E.	R - CA	09/22/29
84	Mr. Daschle/Tom	Daschle, Thomas A.	D - SD	12/09/47
85	Hal/Hal	Daub, Hal	R - NE	04/23/41
86	Bob/Bob	Davis, Robert W.	R - MI	07/31/32
87	Kika/Kika	de la Garza, E "Kika"	D - TX	09/22/27
88	Mr. de Lugo/Ron	de Lugo, Ron	D - VI	08/02/30
89	Ron/Ron	Dellums, Ronald V.	D - CA	11/24/35
90	Butler/Butler	Derrick, Butler	D - SC	09/30/36



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91	Mike/Mike	DeWine, Michael	R - OH	01/05/47
92	Bill/Bill	Dickinson, William L.	R - AL	06/05/25
93	Norm/Norm	Dicks, Norman D.	D - WA	12/16/40
94	Mr. Dingell/John	Dingell, John D.	D - MI	07/08/26
95	Mr. Dixon/Julian	Dixon, Julian C.	D - CA	08/08/34
96	Mr. Donnelly/Brian	Donnelly, Brian J.	D - MA	03/02/47
97	Mr. Dorgan/Byron	Dorgan, Byron L.	D - ND	05/14/42
98	Wayne/Wayne	Dowdy, Wayne	D - MS	07/27/43
99	Tom/Tom	Downey, Thomas J.	D - NY	01/28/49
100	David/David	Dreier, David	R - CA	07/05/52
101	John/John	Duncan, John J.	R - TN	03/24/19
102	Mr. Durbin/Dick	Durbin, Richard J.	D - IL	11/21/44
103	Mr. Dwyer/Bernie	Dwyer, Bernard	D - NJ	01/24/21
104	Mr. Dymally/Mervyn	Dymally, Mervyn M.	D - CA	05/12/26
105	Roy/Roy	Dyson, Roy	D - MD	11/15/48
106	Mr. Early/Joe	Early, Joseph D.	D - MA	01/31/33
107	Mr. Eckart/Dennis	Eckart, Dennis E.	D - OH	04/06/50
108	Bob/Bob	Edgar, Bob W.	D - PA	05/29/43



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109	Mr. Edwards/Don	Edwards, Don	D - CA	01/06/15
110	Jack/Jack	Edwards, Jack	R - AL	09/20/28
111	Mickey/Mickey	Edwards, Mickey	R - OK	07/12/37
112	Bill/Bill	Emerson, Bill	R - MO	01/01/38
113	Glenn/Glenn	English, Glenn	D - OK	11/30/30
114	Mr. Erdreich/Ben	Erdreich, Ben	D - AL	12/09/38
115	John/John	Erlenborn, John N.	R - IL	02/08/27
116	Cooper/Cooper	Evans, Cooper	R - IA	05/26/24
117	Mr. Evans/Lane	Evans, Lane	D - IL	08/04/51
118	Mr. Fascell/Dante	Fascell, Dante B.	D - FL	03/09/17
119	Walter/Walter	Fauntroy, Walter E.	D - DC	02/06/33
120	Mr. Fazio/Vic	Fazio, Vic	D - CA	10/11/42
121	Mr. Feighan/Ed	Feighan, Edward F.	D - OH	10/22/47
122	Ms. Ferraro/Gerry	Ferraro, Geraldine A.	D - NY	08/26/35
123	Bobbi/Bobbi	Fiedler, Bobbi	R - CA	04/22/37
124	Jack/Jack	Fields, Jack	R - TX	02/03/52
125	Ham/Ham	Fish, Hamilton, Jr.	R - NY	06/03/26
126	Ronnie/Ronnie	Flippo, Ronnie G.	D - AL	08/15/37



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127	Mr. Florio/Jim	Florio, James J.	D - NJ	08/29/37
128	Tom/Tom	Foglietta, Thomas M.	D - PA	12/03/28
129	Tom/Tom	Foley, Thomas S. Majority Whip	D - WA	03/06/29
130	Mr. Ford/Harold	Ford, Harold E.	D - TN	05/20/45
131	Bill/Bill	Ford, William D.	D - MI	08/06/27
132	Ed/Ed	Forsythe, Edwin B.	R - NJ	01/17/16
133	Mr. Fowler/Wyche	Fowler, Wyche, Jr.	D - GA	10/06/40
134	Mr. Frank/Barney	Frank, Barney	D - MA	03/31/40
135	Webb/Webb	Franklin, Webb	R - MS	12/13/41
136	Bill/Bill	Frenzel, Bill	R - MN	07/31/28
137	Mr. Frost/Martin	Frost, Martin	D - TX	01/01/42
138	Don/Don	Fuqua, Don	D - FL	08/20/33
139	Bob/Bob	Garcia, Robert	D - NY	01/09/33
140	Joe/Joe	Gaydos, Joseph M.	D - PA	07/03/26
141	Mr. Gejdenson/Sam	Gejdenson, Sam	D - CT	05/20/48
142	George/George	Gekas, George W.	R - PA	04/14/30
143	Dick/Dick	Gephardt, Richard A.	D - MO	01/31/41
144	Sam/Sam	Gibbons, Sam	D - FL	01/20/20



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145	Ben/Ben	Gilman, Benjamin A.	R - NY	12/06/22
146	Newt/Newt	Gingrich, Newt	R - GA	06/17/43
147	Dan/Dan	Glickman, Dan	D - KS	11/24/44
148	Mr. Gonzalez/Henry	Gonzalez, Henry B.	D - TX	05/03/16
149	Bill/Bill	Goodling, William F.	R - PA	12/05/27
150	Mr. Gore/Al	Gore, Albert, Jr.	D - TN	03/31/48
151	Bill/Bill	Gradison, Bill	R - OH	12/28/28
152	Phil/Phil	Gramm, Phil	R - TX	07/08/42
153	Bill/Bill	Gray, William H. III	D - PA	08/20/41
154	Bill/Bill	Green, Bill	R - NY	10/16/29
155	Judd/Judd	Gregg, Judd	R - NH	02/14/47
156	Mr. Guarini/Frank	Guarini, Frank J.	D - NJ	08/20/29
157	Steve/Steve	Gunderson, Steve	R - WI	05/10/51
158	Mrs. Hall/Katie	Hall, Katie	D - IN	11/03/39
159	Ralph/Ralph	Hall, Ralph M.	D - TX	05/03/23
160	Sam/Sam	Hall, Sam B., Jr.	D - TX	01/11/24
161	Tony/Tony	Hall, Tony P.	D - OH	01/16/42
162	Lee/Lee	Hamilton, Lee H.	D - IN	04/20/31



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163	John Paul/John Paul	Hammerschmidt, John Paul	R - AR	05/04/22
164	Kent/Kent	Hance, Kent	D - TX	11/14/42
165	George/George	Hansen, George	R - ID	09/14/30
166	Jim/Jim	Hansen, James V.	R - UT	08/14/32
167	Mr. Harkin/Tom	Harkin, Tom	D - IA	11/19/39
168	Mr. Harrison/Frank	Harrison, Frank	D - PA	02/02/40
169	Tommy/Tommy	Hartnett, Thomas F.	R - SC	08/07/41
170	Charlie/Charlie	Hatcher, Charles	D - GA	07/01/39
171	Mr. Hawkins/Gus	Hawkins, Augustus F.	D - CA	08/31/07
172	Bill/Bill	Hefner, W. G. "Bill"	D - NC	04/11/30
173	Mr. Heftel/Cec	Heftel, Cecil	D - HI	09/30/24
174	Mr. Hertel/Dennis	Hertel, Dennis M.	D - MI	12/07/48
175	Jack/Jack	Hightower, Jack	D - TX	09/06/26
176	Jack/Jack	Hiler, John	R - IN	04/24/53
177	Bud/Bud	Hillis, Elwood H.	R - IN	03/06/26
178	Marjorie/Marjorie	Holt, Marjorie S.	R - MD	09/17/20
179	Larry/Larry	Hopkins, Larry J.	R - KY	10/25/33
180	Frank/Frank	Horton, Frank	R - NY	12/12/19



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181	Jim/Jim	Howard, James J.	D - NJ	07/24/27
182	Steny/Steny	Hoyer, Steny H.	D - MD	06/14/39
183	Carroll/Carroll	Hubbard, Carroll, Jr.	D - KY	07/07/37
184	Jerry/Jerry	Huckaby, Jerry	D - LA	07/19/41
185	Mr. Hughes/Bill	Hughes, William J.	D - NJ	10/17/32
186	Duncan/Duncan	Hunter, Duncan	R - CA	05/31/48
187	Earl/Earl	Hutto, Earl	D - FL	05/12/26
188	Henry/Henry	Hyde, Henry J.	R - IL	04/18/24
189	Andy/Andy	Ireland, Andy	D - FL	08/23/30
190	Andy/Andy	Jacobs, Andrew, Jr.	D - IN	02/24/32
191	Jim/Jim	Jeffords, James M.	R - VT	05/11/34
192	Ed/Ed	Jenkins, Ed	D - GA	01/04/33
193	Nancy/Nancy	Johnson, Nancy L.	R - CT	01/05/35
194	Ed/Ed	Jones, Ed	D - TN	04/20/12
195	Jim/Jim	Jones, James R.	D - OK	05/05/39
196	Walter/Walter	Jones, Walter B.	D - NC	08/19/13
197	Ms. Kaptur/Marcy	Kaptur, Marcy	D - OH	06/17/46
198	John/John	Kasich, John R.	R - OH	05/13/52



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217	Mr. Leland/Mickey	Leland, Mickey	D - TX	11/27/44
218	Norm/Norm	Lent, Norman F.	R - NY	03/23/31
219	Mr. Levin/Sander	Levin, Sander	D - MI	09/06/31
220	Mel/Mel	Levine, Mel	D - CA	06/07/43
221	Elliott/Elliott	Levitas, Elliott H.	D - GA	12/26/30
222	Jerry/Jerry	Lewis, Jerry	R - CA	10/21/34
223	Tom/Tom	Lewis, Tom	R - FL	10/26/24
224	Mr. Lipinski/Bill	Lipinski, William O.	D - IL	12/22/37



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200	Mr. Kazen/Chick	Kazen, Abraham, Jr.	D - TX	01/17/19
201	Jack/Jack	Kemp, Jack F.	R - NY	07/13/35
202	Mrs. Kennelly/Barbara	Kennelly, Barbara B.	D - CT	07/10/36
203	Mr. Kildee/Dale	Kildee, Dale E.	D - MI	09/16/29
204	Tom/Tom	Kindness, Thomas N.	R - OH	08/26/29
205	Mr. Kogovsek/Ray	Kogovsek, Ray	D - CA	08/19/41
206	Mr. Kolter/Joe	Kolter, Joseph P.	D - PA	09/03/26
207	Mr. Kostmayer/Peter	Kostmayer, Peter H.	D - PA	09/27/46
208	Ken/Ken	Kramer, Ken	R - CO	02/19/42
209	John/John	LaFalce, John J.	D - NY	10/06/39
210	Bob/Bob	Lagomarsino, Robert J.	R - CA	09/04/26
211	Tom/Tom	Lantos, Tom	D - CA	02/01/28
212	Del/Del	Latta, Delbert	R - OH	03/05/20
213	Jim/Jim	Leach, Jim	R - IA	10/15/42
214	Marvin/Marvin	Leath, Marvin	D - TX	05/06/31
215	Mr. Lehman/Rick	Lehman, Richard	D - CA	07/20/48
216	Mr. Lehman/Bill	Lehman, William	D - FL	10/05/13



225	Bob/Bob	Livingston, Bob	R - LA	04/30/43
226	Marilyn/Marilyn	Lloyd, Marilyn	D - TN	01/03/29
227	Tom/Tom	Loeffler, Tom	R - TX	08/01/46
228	Mr. Long/Clarence	Long, Clarence D.	D - MD	12/11/08
229	Gillis/Gillis	Long, Gillis W.	D - LA	05/04/23
230	Trent/Trent	Lott, Trent Republican Whip	R - MS	10/09/41
231	Bill/Bill	Lowery, Bill	R - CA	05/02/47
232	Mr. Lowry/Mike	Lowry, Mike	D - WA	03/08/39
233	Manuel/Manuel	Lujan, Manuel, Jr.	R - NM	05/12/28
234	Mr. Luken/Tom	Luken, Thomas A.	D - OH	07/09/25



THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

August 18, 1983

7/8/83 OK per RGD,  
but make sure  
DAS says ok.

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MEMORANDUM FOR LYNN SKOLNICK *KmD*

FROM:

M. B. OGLESBY, JR. *As*

SUBJECT:

Draft Gramm Letter Response

To the letter of September 12, add to the first paragraph:

As the Congress returns following the August recess there  
are many major spending issues that have to be resolved.

I wanted to remind you that on July 13 etc. —



DRAFT GRAMM LETTER RESPONSE

Dear \_\_\_\_\_

On July 13, I was presented with the letter that you and 145 of your House colleagues signed pledging veto support on excessive spending bills. Because of the overriding importance of Federal spending policies on the Nation's economic recovery, I want to extend my personal thanks for your expression of support -- and my assurance that I will not hesitate to use the veto if bloated spending bills reach my desk.

Our policies are working. Even our strongest critics can no longer deny that the Nation's economy is recovering. We're seeing strong economic growth while inflation is at its lowest level in a decade. Unemployment is still too high, but it's coming down, and the prospect is for continued improvement as the economic recovery proceeds.

~~Let me assure you that I will not return from your Budget Resolution~~  
We must not abort the recovery by returning to the failed tax and tax spend and spend policies embodied in the Budget Resolution which was adopted by the Congress on June 23. As you know, as President, I cannot sign or veto the Budget Resolution itself once it clears Congress. But I do have the right - and the responsibility - to act on authorization and appropriation bills which reach my desk. You can be sure that I will use the veto again and again, if necessary, to head off undisciplined spending and tax increases.



I'm convinced that the letter presented to me in May, which showed that we could sustain vetoes of unwise tax legislation in the House was helpful in heading off the attempt to cap the third year of the tax cut. I fully expect that the letter you signed on excessive spending measures will be of similar benefit in protecting the recovery and keeping the lid on runaway spending.

Again, please accept my gratitude for your partnership in the cause of lasting economic recovery. :

Sincerely,

RR



**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The White House  
1600 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

We, the undersigned, share your alarm concerning the rapid growth of federal spending embodied in the House and Senate versions of the First Concurrent Budget Resolution. We believe that if unchecked, the massive increase in spending will offset our hard-won savings for fiscal years '82 and '83, rekindle the fires of inflation, reverse our progress on interest rates and choke off the economic recovery which promises hope and jobs for our people.

We urge you, Mr. President, as the chief steward of the public purse, to veto appropriations or authorizations that materially exceed the benchmarks set forth in the attached document. These ceilings are largely based on your FY 1984 budget recommendations, and in combination would amount to a veto-enforced freeze on non-defense discretionary spending.

We pledge to you that we will vote to sustain a presidential veto of bills which exceed these ceilings. Through a joint effort, we can continue to rein in uncontrolled federal spending and assure that our economic recovery is strengthened and sustained.

Your partners in rebuilding the  
American economy,

*Wm. Latta*

*Art Lott*

*Phil Gramm*

*Ben Braden*

*Don Chenev*

*Ed Madigan*

*Jack Kemp*

*Bob Michel*

*Bruce Canabe*

*Bill French*

*Tom Joffe*

*Jim Braxton*

*Nert Denzler*



BENCHMARKS FOR VETO-ENFORCED  
FEDERAL SPENDING FREEZE

(1) Do not enact HR 1983, the mortgage bailout bill -- rely on economic recovery, lender forbearance and existing housing assistance programs.

o Savings compared to HR 1983:

1984-1986

\$687-6,356 million

(2) Do not enact HR 2544 -- the Oberstar Public Works II bill -- continued economic recovery will create far more meaningful jobs without longer-term inflationary spending threat.

o Savings compared to HR 2544:

1984-1988

\$3,185 million

(3) Do not enact HR 1 -- which repeals key 1981-82 housing reforms and continues uncontrolled growth of future housing assistance costs.

o Savings compared to HR 1:

1984-1986

\$12.4 billion

(4) Do not enact HR 3021, or other health benefit program for the unemployed without parallel revenue measure to keep program "deficit neutral".

o Savings compared to House and Senate bills:

1984-1986

\$1,800-6,463 million



(5) Freeze discretionary spending authority in non-defense appropriations at the President's request or the 1983 enacted level, whichever is higher: \*

<u>Appropriations Bill</u>	<u>Level</u>	<u>*</u>
Agriculture & Related Agencies....	\$6,814	million
Commerce/State/Justice.....	9,492	"
District of Columbia.....	570	"
Energy & Water Development.....	14,355	"
HUD/Independent Agencies.....	29,033	" **
Interior.....	7,878	"
Labor/HHS/Education.....	28,719	"
Legislative Branch.....	624	"
Transportation.....	11,205	"
Treasury/Postal Service.....	6,162	"

FY 1984 Budget Authority Savings Compared to:

CBO Baseline.....	\$ -4.8	billion
House Resolution.....	-19.6	"

\* The ceilings shown are for annually funded discretionary programs and exclude entitlements, other mandatory spending, programs outside the Appropriations Committees' direct control.

\*\*Excludes amounts for subsidized housing.



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Jack Fields

Bill Dammeyer

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Leicester Edwards

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David Grier

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Denny Smith

George V. Hoffman

Farmer

Chick

Bige Elmer

Wyle

Charly

Bill Goodling

Tom Lewis

Bel Davis



Sam Campbell

Sam Burton

Michael Duxie

~~Bob Smith~~

Steve Bartlett

Walter Fraublin

Norman F. Lent

Frank R. Wolf

Pat Kline

Gene Chappin

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Jack Edwards

Connie Mack

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Red Mandler

Paul Pritchard

Pat Beltrich



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Eugene Taylor



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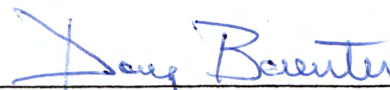
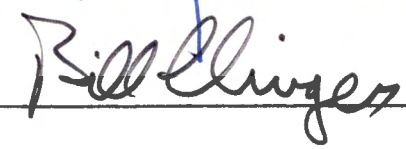
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