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Office of Policy Development, Deputy Assistant to the President for, 1984-September 1985
Office of Policy Development, Assistant to the President, Director of the Office of Policy Development, October 1985-January 1987
Interagency Low-Income Opportunity Advisory Board, Chairman – Assistant to the President, 1987-1989 - [see separate inventory](#)

Charles Hobbs was Chief Deputy Director of Social Welfare for Governor Reagan's administration in California from 1970-1972. He was heavily involved in the California welfare reform movement under Reagan. After leaving the Governor's office, Hobbs started his own consulting firm serving a wide variety of federal, state, and local government agencies in the development of public service programs and management plans.

In 1984, Hobbs joined the Reagan administration in the Office of Policy Development. He worked on welfare and budgeting issues. In October 1985, Hobbs was promoted to Director of the Office of Policy Development.

On January 30, 1987, Hobbs was moved to the White House Office as Assistant to the President. His primary responsibilities were to develop and implement reforms of the Nation's public assistance system. In July 1987, the Interagency Low Income Opportunity Advisory Board was formed with Hobbs as chairman. The Board worked to assist state welfare programs to receive permission and support to make changes and create innovations in their public assistance programs outside of current federal regulations.

At this time we see documentary evidence that Hobbs continued to work with the Office of Policy Development throughout 1987 and 1988. The Library has put only material directly related to the ILIOAB within that collection in the Charles Hobbs series. All other material is within this collection. There is also a great deal of information about welfare reform within this OPD collection.

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