



Inventory for FOIA Request 2021-0031-F

Video Footage from September 11, 2001 on Tapes WHTV 606 and WHTV 1501

Extent

6 video clips

Access

Collection is open to all researchers. Access to George W. Bush Presidential records is governed by the Presidential Records Act (PRA) (44 USC 22, as amended) and the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) (5 USC 552, as amended) and therefore records may be restricted in whole or in part in accordance with legal exemptions.

Copyright

Records in this collection that were prepared by officials of the United States government as part of their official duties are in the public domain. Researchers are advised to consult the copyright law of the United States (Title 17, USC) which governs the making of photocopies or other reproductions of copyrighted material.

Provenance

Official records of George W. Bush's presidency are housed at the George W. Bush Presidential Library and are administered by the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) under the provisions of the Presidential Records Act (PRA).

Processing by

Staff Archivists, 2023. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released. Last Modified: 07/11/2023

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2021-0031-F are a selective, not necessarily all inclusive, body of records responsive to the topic of the FOIA. Researchers should consult an archivist about related materials.

FOIA 2021-0031-F requested video footage from September 11, 2001, on Tapes WHTV 606 and WHTV 1501.

This FOIA primarily contains video footage depicting the arrival, departure, and remarks of President George W. Bush, as well as a press statement by Ari Fleischer at Barksdale Air Force Base in Shreveport, Louisiana on September 11, 2001. Footage also includes a reading demonstration at Booker Elementary school in Sarasota, Florida and a rehearsal and address to the nation from the Oval Office by the President on September 11, 2001.

System of Arrangement

The materials in FOIA 2021-0031-F are a systematic body of records responsive to the topic of the FOIA. Researchers should consult an archivist about related materials.

Records responsive to this FOIA were found in these collection areas – Staff Member Office Files.

Staff Member Office Files are maintained at the folder level by staff members within their individual offices and document all levels of administration activity.

Staff Member Office Files are processed at the folder level, that is, individual documents are not selected and removed from a folder for processing. While this method maintains folder integrity, it frequently results in the incidental processing of documents that are not wholly responsive to the subject area.

White House Communications Agency records are processed at the folder/videotape level. While this method maintains folder/videotape integrity, it frequently results in the incidental processing of videotapes that are not wholly responsive to the subject area.

The following is a list of videotapes processed in response to FOIA 2021-0031-F:

Staff Member Office Files

White House Communications Agency

White House Television (WHTV) Video Recordings

WHTV 606 09/11/2001 Arrivals, Departures and OTRs - Trip to Florida and Louisiana

09/11/2001 President's Arrival to Barksdale Air Force Base via Air Force One [and Press Statement by Ari Fleischer] - Shreveport, LA

09/11/2001 Statement on Terrorist Attacks - Shreveport, LA

09/11/2001 President's Departure from Barksdale Air Force Base via Air Force One - Shreveport, LA

WHTV 1502 09/11/2001 Important Footage from 09/11/2001

09/11/2001 Booker Elementary Sarasota, Florida

09/11/2001 Barksdale Air Force Base

09/11/2001 Oval Office Address to the Nation