



Inventory for FOIA Request 2023-0242-F

Records Related to the Dates and Visits Ray Dalio of Bridgewater Associates Made to the White House in 2007 and 2008

Extent

83 assets

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.

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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: 11/30/2023

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2023-0242-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 2023-0242-F requested materials related to the dates and visits Ray Dalio of Bridgewater Associates made to the White House in 2007 and 2008 as well as the names of those present at the meetings.

This FOIA primarily contains emails about scheduling and rescheduling meetings, comments on news articles, schedule proposals and drafts thereof, follow-up emails and presentation slides from a meeting with the White House Senior Economist, meeting logistics, White House visitor logs, and emails related to administrative or routine office functions.

System of Arrangement

The materials in FOIA 2023-0242-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 – George W. Bush Presidential Electronic Records.

The Executive Office of the President (EOP) instance of the Electronic Records Archive (ERA) contains electronic records created or received by President George W. Bush. These records are stored in Search and Access Sets (SAS) that represent their originating computer program, such as Exchange Email or the Worker and Visitor Entry System (WAVES). In addition to records captured from the White House's electronic systems, EOP-ERA also contains records from the home and shared drives used by White House staff.

The following is a list of electronic search results lists (SRLs) processed in response to FOIA 2023-0242-F:

George W. Bush Electronic Records

Exchange contains 75 assets, of which 74 are released in full, and 1 is withheld in part. CEA contains 1 asset, which is withheld in full. OPD contains 2 assets, all of which are released in full. WHO contains 2 assets, all of which are released in full. WAVES contains 3 assets, all of which are withheld in part.