



Inventory for FOIA Request 2016-0025-F

Records related to Libby, Montana

Extent

22 folders, approximately 1,840 pages / 1,826 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 2201) 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 administered by the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) under the provisions of the Presidential Records Act (PRA).

Processing by

Staff Archivists, 2018. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released. Last Modified: 07/13/2020.

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2016-0025-F are a selective, not necessarily all inclusive, body of documents responsive to the topic of the FOIA. Researchers should consult the archivist about related materials.

FOIA 2016-0025-F requested materials related to Libby, Montana.

The textual records primarily contain draft and final correspondence, schedules, briefings, published materials, press releases, inscribed photographs of President George W. Bush, and administrative documents such as forms, routing documents, barcode scanning sheets, envelopes, and fax cover sheets. Most material relates to Libby, Montana through the inclusion of a mailing address. Correspondence consists of letters from President George W. Bush congratulating military retirees, letters from President George W. Bush to couples celebrating marriage anniversaries, letters requesting President George W. Bush and Mrs. Laura Bush's participation

in or endorsement of events or organizations, letters from White House staff responding to resolutions submitted by various local governments related to the Community Development Block Grant program, letters from members of the public with attached monetary donations, letters from White House staff returning those contributions, and letters from White House staff declining scheduling opportunities. Also included are documents relating to ProviderPals, a charitable organization located in Libby, Montana, that Laura Bush served as an honorary chair for and received a Preserve America award.

The electronic records consist of news articles, fact sheets, excerpts from the Federal Register and Congressional Record, correspondence with members of the public, published or routine reports about the activities of Federal agencies, routine emails about the Environmental Protection Agency's asbestos investigation and cleanup efforts, scheduling documents and meeting agendas, draft and final copies of legislation, factual summaries of legislation, correspondence and briefing papers regarding the Presidential Scholars Medallion Ceremony and the Preserve America Presidential Awards Ceremony, speeches and drafts thereof, invitations to attend events and conferences, box inventory lists for retired Council on Environmental Quality and Office of Management and Budget records, interview requests, lists of pending Freedom of Information Act requests at various agencies, correspondence regarding Environmental Protection Agency staff travel, Congressional hearing schedules, and purchase invoices from a Libby, Montana vendor.

System of Arrangement

The materials in FOIA 2016-0025-F are a systematic body of documents responsive to the topic of the FOIA. Researchers should consult an archivist about related materials.

Documents responsive to this FOIA were found in these collection areas –White House Office of Records Management (WHORM) and George W. Bush Presidential Electronic Records.

WHORM Subject and WHORM Alpha Files are processed at the document level.

The WHORM Alpha File was compiled by the White House Office of Records Management and is a series of documents arranged by name of persons, organizations, or events.

The WHORM Subject File compiled by the White House Office of Records Management is comprised of a series of documents assigned a letter/number combination and filed in a subject category. A complete listing of the subject categories including a detailed description of each category is available in our research room and on our website at www.georgewbushlibrary.smu.edu

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) and folders processed in response to FOIA 2016-0025-F:

George W. Bush Electronic Records

Exchange contains 1,409 assets

33_Days contains 1 asset

40_Days contains 21 assets

ARMS contains 159 assets

CEA contains 16 assets

OA contains 15 assets

RNC_PST contains 9 assets

WHO contains 196 assets

George W. Bush Textual Records

Box 1

Records Management, White House Office of

Subject Files - FG001-07 (Briefing Papers)

06/25/2001 [460621]

05/03/2004 [623170]

Subject Files - FG006-01 (White House Staff)

662741

Subject Files - FG006-03A (Chief of Staff, Office Files)

504542 [Folder 1] [1]

504542 [Folder 1] [2]

504542 [Folder 2]

Subject Files - FG006-27 (Office of Senior Advisor - Karl Rove)

685756 [1]

Box 2

Subject Files - FG006-27 (Office of Senior Advisor - Karl Rove)

685756 [2]

Subject Files - ME001 (Messages Sent to Individuals)

702461

Subject Files - PP005-01 (First Lady)

622242

639840

663577

Subject Files - PR005-01 (Photographs Granted)

634485

723190

Subject Files - PR013-12 (Endorsement, Request for Presidential)

653197

Alpha Files

571062 Desiree Thompson Folder 1 [1]

571062 Desiree Thompson Folder 1 [2]

Alpha Files - PP005-01 (First Lady)

659904 January Zell [1]

659904 January Zell [2]

Presidentials - ME001-01 (Messages - Anniversary/Wedding)

729524

Presidentials - ND007-07 (Retirement, Military)

719319