



George W. Bush  
Presidential Library

## **Inventory for FOIA Request 2023-0179-F**

### **Office of Media Affairs Records on the Bush White House Website and Social Media Presence Between 2001 - 2003**

#### **Extent**

1 folder, approximately 29 pages

#### **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, 2025. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released. Last Modified: 05/20/2025

#### **Scope and Content**

The materials in FOIA 2023-0179-F are a selective, not necessarily all-encompassing, body of records responsive to the topic of the FOIA. Researchers should consult an archivist about related materials.

FOIA 2023-0179-F requested Office of Media Affairs materials related to the creation, maintenance, planning, usage, design, and updating of the Bush White House Website as well as the creation of a social media presence between 2001 – 2009.

This FOIA contains Jane Cook's interpretation on the formation of the Bush White House Website. The document has several copies that provide Cook's chronological account of the website coming into fruition, per a collaboration with White House personnel.

## **System of Arrangement**

The materials in FOIA 2023-0179-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.

**Related Collections and FOIA Requests** – 2023-0173-F, 2023-0174-F, 2023-0178-F, and 2023-0180-F.

The following is a list of folders processed in response to FOIA 2023-0179-F:

### ***George W. Bush Textual Records***

#### **Box 1**

#### **Staff Member Office Files**

Media Affairs, White House Office of

Cook, Jane

History of The Website, [whitehouse.gov](http://whitehouse.gov), [whitehousekids.gov](http://whitehousekids.gov)