# **President Ford Committee**

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November 4, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

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SUBJECT:

Weekly Report #17, Week Ending October 31, 1975

#### I. GENERAL CAMPAIGN ORGANIZATION

The PFC's top staff positions have been filled and the Committee's major organization completed. Stu Spencer has agreed to remain in Washington in order to serve as Deputy Campaign Chairman for Political Organization. Bob Marik was hired on Friday to become Deputy Chairman for Administration and will begin work in this new position on November 10. Marik brings an impressive background of government, private sector, and political experience to the Committee. In 1972, he served as Director of Planning and Research for CRP.

Former Kansas Lieutenant Governor and 1974 Bob Dole campaign director Dave Owen has been hired as Regional Coordinator for the Plains States. With Owen's appointment, all regional field positions have been filled.

#### II. STATE CAMPAIGN ORGANIZATION

PFC State Chairmen are now on board in twenty-one States with appointments pending in five additional States. A list of the Chairmen is provided at Tab A. A rundown on activity in several areas follows.

- 1. Nebraska -- Bill Barrett of Lexington has accepted the position of State PFC Chairman. From 1972-74 Barrett served as Chairman of the Republican State Central Committee. He is highly regarded as a centrist with good rapport with both wings of the State GOP.
- 2. Florida -- I visited the State last week along with B. Oglesby, the PFC field man who has been assigned to Florida on an almost exclusive basis. Visits with Republican leadership in approximately six communities provided very positive indications of support, although Reagan sympathies were evident among some of the participants. Miami Herald editor, Don Shoemaker, made the observation

that we are getting the "right people" involved with the State PFC, and Reagan will be making a major error if he permits his campaign to focus on the normal right-wing issues and limits his base of supporters to this faction. PFC organizational activities are clearly moving ahead well.

- 3. New York -- Dick Mastrangelo, in traveling to the State, reports that Republican State Chairman Dick Rosenbaum has initiated early action toward assuring a favorable Convention delegation. Rosenbaum does not currently anticipate a major Reagan challenge in New York; however, a strong effort is being made to control the delegate process should Reagan activity develop.
- 4. <u>Illinois</u> -- Skip Watts and Bruce Ladd met with State PFC leadership to review strategy and budget considerations. All but five of the 24 Congressional Districts now have campaign chairmen in place, and District campaigns will be launched in unison once appointments in these five areas are completed.

#### III. FINANCE

Dave Packard's resignation as Finance Chairman was announced on Thursday. Ed DeBolt has agreed to leave his political consultant role with the Committee for the next two weeks in order to give full-time attention to the activities of the Finance Committee. In addition, Finance Vice Chairman Max Fisher will be spending a greater portion of his time on Finance affairs during this interim period pending the selection of a new Chairman.

Approximately \$88,964 was received last week for a total to date of \$988,375.85, and with approximately \$441,000 now qualifiable for matching funds. Kansas continues to lead all states in reaching their respective quotas with 36.8% of their quota raised. A copy of the Treasurer's Report is attached at Tab B.

#### IV. LEGAL

Bob Visser and Tim Ryan reviewed the state legal aspects of the delegate selection process with RNC General Counsel Bill Cramer and are coordinating their efforts with Jack Stiles.

A meeting with the FEC legal staff was held regarding payment of Presidential travel expenses by the RNC, and Bob is of the opinion that the FEC will decide in the near future that such expenditures may not be borne by the RNC following a certain date (i.e., probably January 1-15). Although several FEC staff members are considering

the retroactive application of any such ruling, a decision of this nature seems unlikely.

# V. ELECTED OFFICIALS CONTACT PROGRAM

Leo Thorsness has contacted approximately 80 Republican mayors and 1,000 state legislators to date to solicit their support for your election. In addition to obtaining endorsements, Thorsness is seeking to establish open and continuing communication with these officials to get their input and active support.

#### VI. YOUTH TELEPHONE BANK

For the past several weeks, a telephone program has been conducted to contact young people around the nation who have demonstrated political leadership through their involvement in previous campaigns and/or Party posts. The preliminary results are very encouraging. Of the 548 completed calls, 404 individuals have indicated their willingness to work in your behalf, and 150 of these have volunteered to compile and send to our attention lists of other young voters.

These supporters will be brought to the attention of PFC State Chairmen and will be a key factor in our later formation of a program involving young people.

### VII. MAJOR APPOINTMENTS SCHEDULE

Monday Max Fisher

Ed DeBolt Bill Springer

Tuesday Bob Shogan, Los Angeles Times

Larnie Horton, Black Voters Program

Dick Sellars

Wednesday TV interview for Westinghouse Broadcasting

Thursday Clarke Reed

Tully Plesser, Cambridge Opinion Studies

Jim Reichley, Fortune Magazine

Friday John Pritzlaff, State Senator, Arizona

Copy to: Don Rumsfeld

Dick Cheney

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# SUMMARY OF CONTRIBUTIONS AND EXPENSES

# FUND RAISING EXPENSES IN THE STATES

			-		THE STATES
		CONTRIBUTIO	ONS	·	•
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	QUOTA	RECEIVED .	% OF QUOTA	AMOUNT	%+OF CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED
ALABAMA ALASKA	\$ 75,000	21,200	28.2		
ARIZONA	20,000 140,000	6,200	31.0	·	
ARKANSAS	50,000	9,955	7.1		
CALIFORNIA	1,795,000	159,408.50	-	}	( )
COLORADO	150,000	10,830	8.9		
CONNECTICUT	300,000	28,665	7.2 9.6	<u>.</u>	
DELAWARE DISTRICT OF CO	100,000	5,600	5.6		l
FLORIDA	,,,,,,	27,737	9:3		,
GEORGIA	450,000 150,000	26,545	5.8		
HAWAII	45,000	43,950	29.3	ľ	
IDAHO	35,000	1,020	2.3	1	
ILLINOIS	950,000	1,000	2.9	1	
INDIANA	275,000	82,796.50 9,356.75	8.7		
IOMA	150,000	,260	3.3		
KANSAS	135,000	49,655	0.2 ·· 36.8		
KENTUCKY	100,000	7,525	7.5	,	
LOUISIANA MAINE	75,000	5,760	7.7	1	
MARYLAND	45,000	200	0.4		,
MASSACHUSETTS	225,000	18,547	8.2	[	
MICHIGAN	325,000	17,035	5.2		
MINNESOTA	550,000 275,000	52,005	9.5		
MISSISSIPPI	40,000	24,071	8.8		
MISSOURI	250,000	15	-		
MONTANA	40,000	26,895 500	10.8	,	
NEBRASKA	85,000	2,110	1.2		
NEVADA	25,000	5,050	2.4 20.2		
NEW HAMPSHIRE	40,000	-, -, -, -	20.2		
NEW JERSEY NEW MEXICO	350,000	11,748.33	3.4		
NEW YORK	50,000	2,210	4.4		
TOTAL .	1,650,000	94,831.50	5.7		

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WEEK ENDING: OCTOBER 31, 1975

	Peginning Totals	This Week	Totals to Date	
ONTRIBUTIONS:	10013	· · ·	CO DACIS	. <u> </u>
Individual				
Identified	\$861,449.60	\$ 81,129.00	\$942,578.60	
Suspense	25,662.25	7,835.00		
Total	\$887,111.85	\$ 88,964.00	33,497.25	
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Conmittees, Reg				
Identified	\$ 11,500.00	- 0 -	\$ 11,500.00	-
Suspense	1,000.00	- 0 -	1,000.00	
Total	\$ 12,500.00	- 0 -	\$ 12,500.00	
Pledges	500	- 0 -	\$ 500	
Otal Contributions	\$900,111.85	- 0 -	\$989,075.85	
interest Income	\$ 1,005.05	- 0 -	\$ 1,005.05	
Total Receipts	\$901,116.90	\$ 88,964.00	\$990,080.90	_
ATCHING FUNDS (MINO ACCO	UIJI)			
walifiable - States Qualifiable	·			
Funds Qualifiable			21.	
Tunds guarritaine			\$440,996.00	
ISBURSEMENTS:				
Fund Raising	\$186,557.55	\$ 6,757.70	¢102 215 25	
Non Fund Raising	\$237,466.20	\$ 17,800.19	\$193,315.25 \$255,266.39	
Refundable Deposits	\$ 20,650.00	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 22,150.00	
Contribution Returns	\$ 5,001.00	- 0 -	\$ 5,001.00	
Advances	\$ 42,147.00	\$ 15,950.00	\$ 58,097.00	
otal Disbursements	\$491,821.75	\$ 42,007.89	\$533,829.64	
UNDS BALANCE:		12,007.00	733,027.04	
.Cash in Bank			\$354,418.47	
Petty Cash Certificate of Deposit			\$ 351.22	
Securities in Process of	of Colo		\$100,981.57	
Pledges Receivable	or saie		- 0 -	
Total Funds Balance	<u>.                                      </u>	\$ 500		
TOTAL FAIRS DATABLES			\$456,251.26	<u>.                                      </u>
TATISTICS:				
Total Number of Contrib	outors as of Octobe	or 31 1975	1,888	
Average Amount of Contr		. 31, 17/3	1,000 \$52%	-

\$524 19%

Average Amount of Contribution to date

Cost of Fund Raising to date - percent of contribution

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	·	CONTRIBUTIONS			SING EXPENSES HE STATES	
	QUOTA	RECEIVED	% OF QUOTA	AMOUNT	% OF CONTRIBUTIO RECEIVED	N <b>S</b>
NORTH CAROLINA NORTH DAKOTA OHIO OKLAHOMA OREGON PENNSYLVANIA RHODE ISLAND SOUTH CAROLINA SOUTH DAKOTA TENNESSEE TEXAS UTAH VERMONT VIRGINIA WASHINGTON WEST VIRGINIA WISCONSIN WYOMING	\$ 125,000 30,000 650,000 120,000 90,000 700,000 50,000 30,000 175,000 650,000 25,000 250,000 175,000 40,000 225,000 30,000	\$ 10,230 1,100 36,325 7,075 10,025 39,645.27 1,025 1,060 100 21,540 55,493 	8.2 3.7 5.6 5.9 11.1 7 5.7 2.0 1.3 0.3 12.3 8.5 - 10.1 3.0 5.0 6.5			
TERRITORIES		<u>-</u>	•	,		
UNIDENTIFIED		5 15				
TOTALS	\$12,720.000	\$983,574.85	7.7	1/	1/	

<sup>1/</sup> No significant fund-raising expenditures have been made in the States. These columns will be completed for subsequent reports as expenditures are made.

Total	STATE	CUM. THRU.	MoN	Tues	Lica	THURS	FRI	CUM. THRU.
Quota (000)	. • ,		13/27	11/28	17/27	1730	17/31	
75	Λlabama	21,200.				.		21,200
20	Λlaska	2.000_			4200			6,200
140	Arizona	9,955.			,			9,955
50	Arkansas							
1,795	California	148, 394.50	1,000.	1,000	3845	2544	2625.	159,408.50
<u>150</u>	Colorado	10,830	l					10,830.
300	Connecticut	25,465	1,000.		1100		1100	28,665.
100	Delaware	5.600						,5,600.
300	D.C.	25,622.		/00.	1000.	15.	1000.	27,737
450	Florida	26,545				4		26,545.
150	Georgia	36,575		425.	3750.		3200	43,950.
45	Nawaii	1,020						1,020
35	Idaho	1,000						1,000
950	Illinois	74,136.50	4,825.		2300		1535.	82,796.50
, 275	Indiana	9,336.75	`	10			10	9,356.75
150	Iowa	260. •						260.
135	Kansas	45,405			3250-		1,000.	49,655.
100	Kentucky	7,525				, <u></u>		7.525
75	Louisiana	4.750.	1,000 -	7	10	,		5,760
45	Maine	200. •					·	200
225	Maryland -	17.687.	600.	/0	250,			18,547
325	Massachusett:	15, 335.	500.		1000		200.	17,035
550	Michigan	48,755.		~			3250.°	52,005
275	Minnesota	16,816.	3,950	405.	1300.		1600.	24,071
40	Mississippi	15		<u></u>		,		15
250	Missouri	21,845	500.		2000.		2550.	26,895.
40	Montana	500.						500.
85	Nebraska	2,110						2.110.
25	Nevada	4,800	250.					5,050
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Quot: (000)		,	10/27	10/28	15/29	10/50	10/51	,
40	N. Hampshire							
350	New Jersey	10,748.33			·		1060.	11,748.33
50	New Mexico	2,110.				ļ	100.	2,210.
1,650	New York	92,727.50	100.	3		2,000	1.*	94,831.50
125	N. Carolina	7,780		350	1200.		900	10,230.
30	N. Dakota	1, 100.						1,100.
650	Ohio	35,325.			1000.			36,325
120	Oklahoma	6,975	100.	,		1		7.075
90	Oregon	6,525.			1500.		2,000.	10,025
700	Pennsylvani.	35,644.27	500-	1,001	·		2,500.	39,645.27
50	Rhode Island	1,025.						1,025
75	S. Carolina	1,010.					50.	1.060.
30	S. Dakota	/00.						100.
175	Tennessee	19.015.	2500.	25.7				21,540
650	Texas	48,093.	100.	300	5000.		2.000.	55,493
35	Utah							
25	Vermont							
250	Virginia	21,910.			2100	•-	1300 -	25.310
175	Washington	5,325		-				<i>5</i> , 325
40	W. Virginia	2.000					,	2,000
225	Wisconsin	13,510.	100		10.	1.000		14,620
30	Wyoming					·		
	Territories							
Sta	ates Cum. Tota	894,605.85	17,025.	3,629:	34,815.	5,559.	27,921.	983,554.85
	Unidentific	5 -						5
	Sub-total					<u> </u>		
	Other Recei	ts			15	· .		15
,	TOTAL	894.610.85	17.025	3629.	34,830,	5,559.	27.927.	983.574.85