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THE PRESIDENT HAS SAID . . . .

## TALKING POINTS

FOR

REPUBLICAN CONTRIBUTORS AND FUNDRAISERS

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1975

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I'M DELIGHTED YOU COULD COME HERE THIS EVENING.

I'M LOOKING FORWARD TO VISITING WITH SOME OF MY OLD FRIENDS

AND GETTING ACQUAINTED WITH THE FEW OF YOU I HAVEN'T MET

BEFORE.

MARY LOUISE AND JERRY ALREADY HAVE TOLD YOU OF THE  
VITAL ROLE THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE WILL PLAY IN  
NEXT YEAR'S ELECTIONS UNDER THE NEW CAMPAIGN LAW. IT IS  
IMPERATIVE THAT THIS NEW IMPORTANCE OF THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE  
BE EMPHASIZED AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE.

EVERYTHING POSSIBLE MUST BE DONE TO MAKE THE COMMITTEE STRONG  
AND EFFECTIVE -- FOR THE SUCCESS OF THE REPUBLICAN  
PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN AND THE KIND OF CONGRESS WE HAVE AFTER  
THE 1976 ELECTIONS WILL DEPEND IN LARGE MEASURE ON THE WAY  
THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE PERFORMS ITS JOB.

IT WON'T BE EASY. WE CANNOT BECOME COMPLACENT.

THE COMMITTEE MUST START WORKING RIGHT NOW IF REPUBLICANS  
ARE TO ACHIEVE THE ELECTION VICTORIES I KNOW ARE POSSIBLE.

THAT WORK STARTS RIGHT HERE WITH YOU.

REPUBLICAN SUCCESSES AT THE POLLS WILL DEPEND UPON THE EFFORTS

OF ALL OF YOU HERE. I URGE YOU TO GO ALL OUT AND MAKE 1976

A YEAR EVERY REPUBLICAN WILL BE PROUD TO REMEMBER.

ALL OF YOU HAVE SEEN THE POLLS WHICH SHOW THE  
REPUBLICAN PARTY IS A MINORITY PARTY IN THIS NATION.  
BUT THE VAST MAJORITY OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE BELIEVE IN THE  
SAME THINGS WE BELIEVE IN.



YOUR JOB IS TO MAKE CERTAIN THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE HAS THE  
RESOURCES TO CONDUCT THE BEST POSSIBLE CAMPAIGNS FOR  
REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES NEXT YEAR. THE FREEDOM OF CHOOSING  
THE KIND OF GOVERNMENT WE BELIEVE IN -- THE VERY FUTURE OF  
THIS GREAT NATION -- DEPENDS ON THE KIND OF JOB YOU DO.

ALL REPUBLICANS ARE COUNTING ON YOU --

AND I AM CONFIDENT YOU WON'T LET THEM DOWN.

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