

THE WHITE HOUSE		THE DAILY DIARY OF PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD	
PLACE DAY BEGAN		DATE (Mo., Day, Yr.)	
CROWN CENTER HOTEL		AUGUST 16, 1976	
KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI		TIME	DAY
		?	MONDAY
TIME		PHONE	ACTIVITY
In	Out	P=Placed R=Rec'd	
			The President and the First Lady were overnight guests at the Crown Center Hotel, 1 Pershing Road, Kansas City, Missouri.
?			The President had breakfast.
8:29	8:32		The President walked from his suite to Centennial Room A.
8:32	9:00		The President met with delegates and alternate delegates from Hawaii and Guam to the Republican National Convention. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "A."</u>
9:00	9:06		The President walked from Centennial Room A to his suite.
9:34	9:38		The President walked from his suite to his motorcade.
9:38	9:46		The President motored from the Crown Center Hotel to the Kansas City Municipal Airport Trade Mart Exhibition Center.
9:46	10:14		The President attended a coffee for the "Presidentials," a President Ford Committee (PFC) youth group. Members of the press
9:50	10:04		The President addressed the "Presidentials."
10:14			The President returned to his motorcade.
10:14	10:20		The President motored from the Trade Mart Exhibition Center to the Crown Center Hotel.
10:20	10:24		The President walked from his motorcade to his suite.
10:50			The President went to his office.
10:50	12:25		The President met with: Richard B. Cheney, Assistant Edward C. Schmults, Deputy Counsel
12:25	1:15		The President met with: Robert T. Hartmann, Counsellor
12:25	1:15		Robert C. Orben, Special Assistant
12:25	1:15		Douglas J. Smith, Special Assistant
12:40	1:15		Don Penny Schneider, Consultant

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1:15 p.m. MONDAY

TIME		PHONE	ACTIVITY
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1:15	1:35		The President met with: Mr. Cheney Max L. Friedersdorf, Assistant for Legislative Affairs
1:40	2:25		The President met with delegates from Minnesota to the Republican National Convention. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "B."</u>
2:25	2:55		The President met with delegates and alternate delegates from Wyoming to the Republican National Convention. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "C."</u>
3:05	4:00		The President met with delegates and alternate delegates from Mississippi to the Republican National Convention. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "D."</u>
4:00	5:00		The President met with: Bryce N. Harlow, Vice President for National Government Relations, Procter and Gamble Manufacturing Company, Washington, D.C. and member of the Advisory Committee for the PFC Robert M. Teeter, Executive Vice President of Market Opinion Research Corporation, Detroit, Michigan Stuart K. Spencer, Deputy Chairman for Political Organization, PFC Mr. Cheney
5:05	5:15		The President met with Charles E. "Pete" Hughes, state Senator (R-Delaware) and delegate from Delaware to the Republican National Convention.
5:20	6:03		The President met with delegates from Kansas, Arizona, Missouri, West Virginia, New Mexico, Virginia and Illinois to the Republican National Convention. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "E."</u>
6:00	6:04		The President walked from his office to his motorcade.
6:04	6:08		The President motored from the Crown Center Hotel to the Radisson Muhlebach Hotel, Baltimore Wyandotte and 12th Street
6:08	6:41		The President attended a reception hosted by Congressman John J. Rhodes (R-Arizona) for Members of Congress, Republican Governors, and heads of state delegations to the Republican National Convention. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "F."</u>

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TIME DAY

6:41 p.m. MONDAY

TIME		PHONE P=Placed R=Rec'd	ACTIVITY
In	Out		
6:41			The President returned to his motorcade.
6:41	6:45		The President motored from the Radisson Muehlebach Hotel to the Crown Center Hotel.
6:45	6:49		The President walked from his motorcade to his suite.
6:50	?		The President and the First Lady hosted a private dinner party. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "G."</u>
7:20	7:23	P	The President talked with professional golfer John Stockton.
9:05			The President went to the Plaza Suite.
9:05	10:20		The President worked with a videotape recorder on his acceptance speech for the Republican Presidential nomination.
10:20			The President met with Vice President Nelson A. Rockefeller.
11:05			The President returned to his suite.

Attendance not confirmed.

MEETING WITH DELEGATES AND ALTERNATE DELEGATES FROM HAWAII AND GUAM  
TO THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION

Hallmark Crown Center Hotel  
Centennial Room A  
Kansas City, Missouri  
August 16, 1976

The President

Delegates from Guam to the Republican National Convention:

Paul M. Calvo

Peter F. Perez

T. Frank Flores

Ramona Teresita Perez

Alternate Delegates from Guam to the Republican National Convention:

Carlos M. Santos

James Peter Castro

Dolores Mendiola Balbin

Francisco P. Cruz

Delegates from Hawaii to the Republican National Convention:

Susan Lounsbury

Alvin T. Amaral

Masu K. Dyer

Ralph Seewald, Jr.

Pii Kamakahi

Violet H. Magaret

Senator Hiram L. Fong (R-Hawaii)

Patricia B. Davis

John Leopold

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Delegates from Hawaii to the Republican National Convention (continued):

George Henrickson

Carla W. Coray

Edward Brennan

Gay Hawley

Carl K. Mirikitani

V. Thomas Rice

William B. Paul

George L. Dyer, Jr.

Mary George

Hannibal Tavares

Alternate Delegates from Hawaii to the Republican National Convention:

Baryn Futa

John J. Harding, Jr.

Herman S. Fong

Thomas J. Wells

Michael B. Clark

Derrick S. Nakanishi

Leilani Ayson

Elwin Spray

Thomas E. Lawrence III

Robert Conger

Richard Penhallow

Ray T. Sarmiento

Michael S. Downing

Betty Berry

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Alternate Delegates from Hawaii to the Republican National Convention (cont.):

Ellen O. Harding

Kinau Boyd Kamalii

Obie Olson

Douglas Shanaman

Charles Isaak

NOTE: In addition to the delegates and alternates listed above,  
some spouses were expected to attend.

Staff:

A list of staff members participating in the meeting was not available.

APPENDIX "B"

✓ indicates confirmed by Patricia Presock. Staff attendees not confirmed.

MEETING WITH DELEGATES FROM MINNESOTA TO THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION

The President's Office  
Hallmark Crown Center Hotel  
Kansas City, Missouri  
August 16, 1976

✓ The President

Delegates from Minnesota to the Republican National Convention:

- ✓ Glenn Annexstad, farmer from St. Peter, Minnesota
- ✓ Verne E. Long, grain and livestock farmer from Pipestone, Minnesota
- ✓ Gene Smith, farmer from Montevideo, Minnesota
- ✓ Robert C. Jackson, life insurance agent from Duluth, Minnesota
- ✓ Robert M. Barry, manager for Multi-Clean Company, St. Paul, Minnesota
- ✓ Ancher Nelson, former Congressman (R-Minnesota)

Staff

APPENDIX "C"

Attendance confirmed by  
Patricia Presock as indicated.  
List may not be complete.

MEETING WITH DELEGATES FROM WYOMING TO THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL  
CONVENTION

The President's Office  
Hallmark Crown Center Hotel  
Kansas City, Missouri  
August 16, 1976

✓ The President

Delegates from Wyoming to the Republican National Convention:

- ✓ Mrs. Bruce (Charlotte) McMillan , Riverton, Wyoming
- ✓ Mrs. Minnie Newton, Cheyenne, Wyoming
- ✓ George Bower, real estate and insurance broker, Worland, Wyoming
- ✓ M.L. "Bud" Hertzler, farmer, Veteran, Wyoming
- ✓ Mrs. Mary Masterson, Casper, Wyoming
- ✓ John C. Ostlund, state Senator (R-Wyoming)
- ✓ Senator Clifford P. Hansen (R-Wyoming)
- ✓ Mrs. Neal A. (Mary) Garman , housewife and rancher, Sundance, Wyoming
- ✓ Mrs. Ruth Adam
- Mrs. Bernadette Gosar
- ✓ Mrs. Lucetta Grummon
- ? Dick Jones
- ? Mrs. Peggy Mallick
- X Tom Stroock
- ? Mr. Tom Parnell
- ? Jim Thompson
- ? Mrs. Ann Wiser

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Delegates from Wyoming to the Republican National Convention:  
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✓ Sam Kelly

Alternate Delegate from Wyoming to the Republican National  
Convention:

Tom Stroock, Chairman of the Wyoming Republican State Committee

Staff:

✓ Bryce N. Harlow, Vice President for National Government Relations,  
Procter and Gamble Manufacturing Company, Washington, D.C.  
and Member of the Advisory Committee for the President  
Ford Committee (PFC)

✓ Richard B. Cheney, Assistant

APPENDIX "b"

Attendance confirmed by  
Patty Presock as indicated.

MEETING WITH DELEGATES FROM MISSISSIPPI TO THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL  
CONVENTION

The President's Office  
Hallmark Crown Center Hotel  
Kansas City, Missouri  
August 16, 1976

The President

Delegates from Mississippi to the Republican National Convention:

- X Dene Pace, President of the Mississippi Federation of Republican Women
- ✓ Lillian Todd, Republican National Committeewoman-elect from Mississippi
- ✓ Dr. Ed Carruth, M.D.
- ? Mrs. Ed Carruth
- Clarke Reed, Chairman of the Mississippi Republican Party
- ? Jack Lee II
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Alternate Delegates from Mississippi to the Republican National Convention:

- X Thomas S. Giordano, Secretary of the Mississippi Republican Party
- ✓ J. Daniel Jaber, Chairman of the Mississippi Teenage Republicans (TARS)
- X Gerald Gafford, attorney, Oxford, Mississippi
- X Col. James B. "Jim" Eggar, USA, ret., Member of the Mason County, Mississippi  
Republican Executive Committee
- ✓ C.L. Manderson II, owner of United Realty Company
- ✓ E.C. "Bubba" Harris
- ✓ Mrs. E.C. Harris
- ✓ John Simms

Other

- ✓ Harry S. Dent, attorney, Columbia, South Carolina
- ✓ Governor James E. Holshouser (R-North Carolina)

Staff

- ✓ Richard B. Cheney, Assistant
- ✓ H. James Field, Jr., Associate Director of the Presidential  
Personnel Office (Staff Assistant to Mr. Cheney)

Note: List may not be complete.

APPENDIX "E"

Attendance confirmed by  
Patty Presock, Kathy Berger,  
and Nancy Kenned.  
indicates present.

MEETING WITH DELEGATES FROM KANSAS, ARIZONA, MISSOURI, WEST VIRGINIA,  
NEW MEXICO, VIRGINIA, AND ILLINOIS TO THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION

The President's Office  
Hallmark Crown Center Hotel  
Kansas City, Missouri  
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✓ The President

Delegates from Kansas to the Republican National Convention:

- ✓ Calvin James, haberdasher, Jewell, Kansas
- ✓ Bob Williams, oil producer, Wichita, Kansas
- ✓ Charles Hostettler

Delegates from Arizona to the Republican National Convention:

- ✓ Jim Hartdegen, Pinal County, Arizona
- ✓ Joe Stephens, Tucson, Arizona

Delegates from Missouri to the Republican National Convention:

- ✓ William Skaggs, real estate broker, St. Louis, Missouri
- ✓ Joseph Swartz, Kansas City, Missouri
- ✗ Fred Whaley, contractor, St. Louis, Missouri

Delegate from West Virginia to the Republican National Convention:

- ✗ Joseph A. Laurita, Jr.

Delegate from New Mexico to the Republican National Convention:

- ✗ R.O. "Russ" Derbyshire

Delegates from Virginia to the Republican National Convention:

- ✓ Eliza Sprinkle
- ✓ James E. Crockett, retired clerk of the Wythe County, Virginia  
Circuit Court
- ✓ Teddy Bailey, Bristol, Virginia

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Delegate from Illinois to the Republican National Convention:

✓ Patricia R. Hans

Staff:

✓ Richard B. Cheney, Assistant

✓ H. James Field, Jr., Associate Director of the Presidential  
Personnel Office (Staff Assistant to Mr. Cheney)

NOTE: List may not be complete.

APPENDIX "F"

RECEPTION HOSTED BY CONGRESSMAN JOHN J. RHODES FOR MEMBERS OF CONGRESS,  
REPUBLICAN GOVERNORS, AND HEADS OF DELEGATIONS TO THE REPUBLICAN  
NATIONAL CONVENTION

Radisson Muhlebach Hotel  
Kansas City, Missouri  
August 16, 1976

A list of guests attending the reception was not available for inclusion in the President's diary.

APPENDIX "G"

Attendance confirmed by  
Nell Yates. All present.

PRIVATE DINNER HOSTED BY THE PRESIDENT AND THE FIRST LADY

Presidential Suite  
Hallmark Crown Center Hotel  
Kansas City, Missouri  
August 16, 1976

The President

The First Lady

Steve Ford

Jack Ford

Susan Ford

James Ford, brother

Mrs. James Ford

Thomas G. Ford, brother

Mrs. Thomas G. (Janet) Ford

Richard Ford, brother

Mrs. Richard Ford

Peter J. Secchia, President of Universal Forest Products, Grand Rapids,  
Michigan

Leon W. Parma, Group Executive Teledyne Ryan Aeronautical Company, Inc.,  
San Diego, California and member of the Advisory Committee for the  
President Ford Committee (PFC)

Mrs. Leon W. Parma

Julie Parma, daughter

James E. Brown, Aerospace Group Executive for Thiokol Corporation,  
Promontory, Utah

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Mrs. Pepi (Sheika) Gramhammer, restaurant and lodge owner, Gasthof  
Gramhammer, Inc., Vail, Colorado

Tony Orlando, singer

Mrs. Tony Orlando