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SCHEDULE PROPOSAL

DATE: THRU:

September 1, 1976 Max Friedersdorf

WASHINGTON

Charles Leppert

FROM:

Tom Loeffler

VIA:

Bill Nicholson

MEETING:

Rep. Dan Rostenkowski (D.-Ill.)

DATE:

Next Congressional Hour

PURPOSE:

Opportunity for Congressman Rostenkowski to

present a golf club to the President

FORMAT:

The Oval Office

5 Minutes

PARTICIPANTS:

The President

Rep. Dan Rostenkowski Tom Loeffler (staff)

SPEECH

MATERIAL:

Talking points will be provided

PRESS

COVERAGE:

Announce to Press as part of Congressional Hour

White House Photographer only

STAFF:

Tom Loeffler

BACKGROUND:

- 1. Congressman Rostenkowski wants to personally present this golf club to the President.
- 2. The Congressman's golf pro gave the club to Rostenkowski and said the driver would improve the President's driving distance on the fairways.

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WASHINGTON

September 1, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR:

MAX FRIEDERSDORF

FROM:

CHARLES LEPPERT, JR.

SUBJECT:

Priorities on Congressional Hour

Attached is a list of pending schedule proposals. Pursuant to your memo of August 30, I have listed below the priority requested based on those individuals or states which can be helpful during the next 60 days.

- 1. Democratic Research Organization
- 2. Manuel Lujan New Mexico
- 3. Robert Stephens Georgia
- 4. James Quillen Tennessee
- 5. Bizz Johnson California
- 6. Shirley Pettis California
- 7. Clarence Miller Ohio
- 8. Dick Schulze Pennsylvania
- 9. Dan Rostenkowski Illinois
- 10. Paul Findley Illinois

September 1, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR:

MAX L. FRIEDERSDORF

FROM:

CHARLES LEPPERT, JR.

SUBJECT:

Pending Schedule Proposals

The pending schedule proposals in our office for Members of the House of Representatives are as follows:

Rep. James Quillen (R. - Tenn.) - To present John Allen Maxwell and Clifford E. Maxwell to the President. The Maxwells are nationally known artists and are introducing Revolutionary War commemorative plates in honor of the Bicentennial and have reserved plate number 38 for the President as the 38th President of the U. S. Schedule proposal dated 5-23-75.

Rep. George Hansen (R. - Idaho) - To introduce the 1975-76 Miss National Teenager pageant winner. Schedule proposal dated 9-24-75.

Rep. Margaret Heckler (R. - Mass.) - To introduce five leaders of the Lebanese-American Heritage Group. Schedule proposal dated 10-29-75.

Rep. Tennyson Guyer (R. - Ohio) - To present Dr. Hancho Cris Kim and a portrait of the President. Schedule proposal dated 1-5-76.

Rep. Elford Cederberg (R. - Mich.) - To introduce members of the Michigan High School Coaches Association and give the President an honorary membership. Schedule proposal dated 1-5-76.



- Rep. Manuel Lujan (R. N. Mex.) With Senator Domenici to discuss problems in New Mexico. Schedule proposal dated 1-22-76.
- Reps. Wolff, Murphy, Gilman, Rodino, and Rangel To discuss trip to Colombia, Costa Rica, Mexico, and Panama and the drug situation. Schedule proposal dated 2-2-76.
- <u>Democratic Research Organization</u> To meet on a variety of legislative and political subjects. Schedule proposal dated 3-24-76.
- Rep. Floyd Hicks (D. Wash.) To have Mr. Ron Reme present the President with painting of Northwest landscape. Schedule proposal dated 3-13-76.
- The Candlelighters To present President with scroll to thank him or Mrs. Ford for their efforts in the crusade against cancer. Schedule proposal dated 3-13-76.
- Rep. William Ketchum (R. Calif.) To present hand made flag and letter. Schedule proposal dated 3-21-76.
- Rep. Dan Flood (D. Pa.) To have color photo with the President. Schedule proposal dated 3-26-76.
- Rep. William Walsh (R. N. Y.) To present a Bicentennial table made from 350-year-old tree. Schedule proposal dated 5-12-76.
- Rep. Harold T. Bizz Johnson (D. Calif.) To present plaque and resolution from the Kanawha Water District, California. Schedule proposal dated 5-14-76.
- Rep. Carlos J. Moorhead (R. Calif.) To present greetings from the Glendale School children in honor of the Bicentennial. Schedule proposal dated 5-14-76.
- Rep. Ed Eshleman (R. Pa.) To introduce representatives of Train Collectors Association and present the Bicentennial Train Special No. 1. Letter to MF dated 5-11-76.
- Rep. Clarence Miller (R. Ohio) To introduce John Cronin and present ceramic plaque of the President. Schedule proposal dated 5-17-76.

Pending Schedule Proposals Page 3

- Rep. William Whitehurst (R. Va.) To introduce Edwin Walter, 14-year-old, 8th grader who made study of Presidents. Schedule proposal dated 5-17-76.
- Rep. Paul Findley (R. Ill.) To present a Bicentennial quilt from 5th grade students of Rochester Elementary School. Letter dated 5-22-76.
- Rep. Richard Schulze (R. Pa.) To present a tapestry depicting the Conestoga Wagon Train. Schedule proposal dated 7-20-76.
- Rep. Robert Stephens, Jr. (D. Ga.) To present a Bicentennial quilt made by the 7th grade students of the Clarke Middle School in Athens, Georgia. Schedule proposal dated 7-20-76.
- Rep. Gary A. Myers (R. Pa.) To present a Bicentennial birthday card on which Mr. DeVon Smith has gathered over 15,000 signatures. Schedule proposal dated 7-20-76.
- Rep. James H. Quillen (R. Tenn.) To present a Lincoln cabin which has been handcrafted. Schedule proposal dated 7-28-76.
- Rep. Shirley Pettis (R. Calif.) To present items from Brownie Troop 416 of Hemet, California. Schedule proposal dated 8-9-76.
- GOP Candidate Jerry Lausmann (for 4th District, Oregon) To have picture taken with the President. Schedule proposal dated 8-24-76.
- Rep. Dan Rostenkowski (D. Ill.) To present a Bicentennial golf club. Schedule proposal dated 9-1-76.

Thursday, September 2

8 - 9 a.m. in the Cabinet Room. NW Gate. (selected members of the House Wednesday Group and Senate Wednesday Group) Re campaign.

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yes McKinney	55541	Lynn Lauman
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yes—Regula	53876	Jaggy Chinghouse

Called - 8/30 2:30-3 fm Wednesday, September 8

9:00 a.m. - meeting with President for 15 minutes in the Oval Office to discuss federal judgeship for the western district of Virginia. NW gate.

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ges	William Wampler	3861	Gosh bill
yes	Ken Robinson	6561	Barbara Daniel

a/3-invited



Charlie --

Nancy has asked me to confirm with the following Congressmen their appointment this morning with the President at 11:00 in the Cabinet Room (enter thru NW Gate) with the House Study and Senate Steering Groups --

gus Crane	3711	Diana
Mo Derwinski	3961	ann
GLA Paul	5951	Kathy
A Burgener	3906	Carol
ext Armstrong	4422	Mary Spaulding.
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WASHINGTON

September 9, 1976

MEETING WITH SENATE REPUBLICAN STEERING COMMITTEE

AND HOUSE REPUBLICAN STUDY GROUP
Thursday, September 9, 1976
11:00-12:00 noon (60 minutes)
The Cabinet Room

From: Max L. Friedersdorf



I. PURPOSE

To discuss the campaign.

II. BACKGROUND, PARTICIPANTS AND PRESS PLAN

A. Background:

- The President has approved a series of three meetings with the Republican Congressional leadership; the House and Senate Wednesday groups, and the House Republican Study group and the Senate Republican Steering Committee, to discuss the campaign.
- 2. The President has met with the leadership and the Wednesday groups.
- 3. Representative Marjorie Holt (R-MD) is Chairman of the House Republican Study group and Senator Jim McClure (R-IDAHO) is Chairman of the Senate Republican Steering Committee
- B. Participants: See TAB A
- C. Press Plan: Announce to the Press; White House photos only.

III. TALKING POINTS

- 1. I wanted this opportunity to discuss the campaign with all of you.
- 2. We can answer your questions about the campaign, but it would be of great assistance if we could have your comments, ideas and suggestions.
- 3. So, let us begin by having comments by Marjorie and Jim, and then we will call on the others.

PARTICIPANTS

The President
The Vice President

SENATE

Bob Dole
Jim McClure
Bill Brock
Jake Garn
Roman Hruska
Cliff Hansen
Strom Thurmond
Milt Young
Jesse Helms
Carl Curtis
Paul Fannin
Bill Scott

HOUSE

Marjorie Holt
Phil Crane
Ed Derwinski
Ron Paul
Clair Burgener

STAFF

Bob Hartmann Jack Marsh Dick Cheney Jim Cannon Jim Lynn Max Friedersdorf Brent Scowcroft Bill Seidman Alan Greenspan Bill Baroody Dave Gergen Jim Baker Stu Spencer Rog Morton Roy Hughes Mary Louise Smith Bill Kendall Charlie Leppert

REGRETS

Sen. Buckley - out of town Sen. Goldwater - out of the country



Jack Marsh met with this group in the Rose Garden on May 21 and accepted the gifts on behalf of the President.

Vera 9/14 (spoke with Donna)

THE WHITE HOUSE SCHEDULE PROPOSAL

WASHINGTON

DATE:

April 6, 1976

THRU:

Max Friedersdorf

FROM:

Charles Leppert, Jr

VIA:

Bill Nicholson

MEETING:

Rep. J. Kenneth Robinson (R-Va.)

DATE:

May 21, 1976

PURPOSE:

Present to the President hand made gifts from the

Nelson County Senior Citizens Center.

FORMAT:

The Oval Office - 5 minutes

PARTICIPANTS:

The President

Rep. J. Kenneth Robinson (R-Va.)

Senior Citizen group

Charles Leppert, Jr. (staff)

SPEECH

MATERIAL:

Talking points

PRESS

COVERAGE:

Announce to press - White House photographer

STAFF:

Charles Leppert, Jr.

RECOMMEND:

Max Friedersdorf

BACKGROUND:

- 1. By letter of March 30, Rep. Robinson requested a meeting with the President for his constituents from Nelson County, Virginia, who will be visiting Washington, on May 21 and wish to present to the President a hand made tie and a knitted ski cap.
- 2. The Nelson County Senior Citzens Center has a model program for service to Senior Citizens. This group will be meeting with Rep. Robinson and Senator Byrd at the Capitol.
- 3. Mr. Robinson is in his third term and is a member of the House Committee on Appropriations.

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cc: Jack Marsh

April 6, 1976

Dear Ken:

Thank you for your letter of March 30 in which you request that the Nelson County Senior Citizens group present to the President some hand-made gifts.

I am pleased to pass along your request to the Scheduling Office and will be back in touch with you as soon as a decision has been made.

With kind personal regards, I am

Sincerely pours,

Charles Leppert, Jr. Deputy Assistant to the President

Honorable J. Kenneth Rebiason House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

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bcc: Bitkix Bill Nicholson FYI (schedule proposal done 4/6/76)

bcc: Jack Marsh FYI -dispatched-



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MAR 31 1976

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Congress of the United States House of Representatives

Washington, D.C. 20515

March 30, 1976

Mr. Vernon C. Loen Deputy Assistant to the President The White House Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Vern:

On May 21, a group from the Nelson County (Va.) Senior Citizens Center at Shipman, Virginia, will be visiting Washington.

As they are from my Congressional district, I will be meeting with them at the Capitol as will Senator Byrd of Virginia.

The Nelson County Senior Citizens Center has developed a most successful program, which has been cited in Virginia as a model of a wellconceived plan for service to senior citizens.

The group had hoped to be able to present personally to the President some modest handmade gifts for him and Mrs. Ford, but I explained that it would not be possible for the group to see the President, because of his heavy schedule, but that it might be arranged for the gifts to be delivered to a representative of the President.

I should be grateful for your assistance in this regard, on the understanding that a procedure has been established for the receipt of such mementoes.

With every good wish, I am

Sincerely yours

enneth Robinson





WASHINGTON

Chris Seeger, AA to Rep. Ketchum, told me that they sent the flag and letter to the President on July 28.

They received a copy of a letter sent to Mrs. Dorthy A. Blair from Milt Mitler acknowledging the Bicentennial gift.

Chris said as far as their office is concerned, this request has been done, not to their satisfaction, but it is finished.

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SCHEDULE PROPOSAL

DATE: April 21, 1976

THRU: Max Friedersdorf

Charles Leppert, Jr.

FROM:

Patrick Rowland

VIA:

Bill Nicholson

MEETING:

Rep. William Ketchum (R-Calif.)

DATE:

Next Congressional Hour

PURPOSE:

To allow Rep. Ketchum to present a framed, handmade flag and letter from Mrs. Dorothy

A. Blair of Bakersfield, California.

FORMAT:

The Oval Office - 5 minutes

PARTICIPANTS:

The President

Rep. William Ketchum (R-Calif.)

Patrick Rowland (staff)

SPEECH MATERIAL:

Talking points to be provided

PRESS COVERAGE:

White House photographer

STAFF:

Patrick Rowland

RECOMMEND:

Max Friedersdorf

BACKGROUND:

- Mrs. Blair is a Gold Star Mother and 1. a strong supporter of the President.
- 2. Mrs. Blair made and framed a needlepoint flag and asked Rep. Ketchum to present it and a letter to the President.

Dear Bill:

Thank you for your April 8 letter to the President on behalf of Mrs. Dorothy A. Blair of Bakersfield, a Gold Star Mother and a strong supporter of the President, who has sent you a letter and a framed, handmade flag she would like for you to present to the President.

I will be pleased to bring your letter to the Fresident's attention, and I will also check to see what arrangements can be made for a presentation. You will hear further as soon as possible.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely,

Charles Leppert, Jr. Deputy Assistant to the President

The Monorable William M. Ketchum House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

book w/inc. to Charles Leppert, as requested, for Congressional Mour consideration or Schedule Proposal.

CL: JEB: rg

WILLIAM M. KETCHUM 18TH DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA

413 CANNON HOUSE OFFICE BUILDING WASHINGTON, D.C. 20515 (202) 225-2915

> ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT CHRISTOPHER C. SEEGER

DISTRICT REPRESENTATIVE MEL BAUGHMAN

Congress of the United States

House of Representatives

Washington, P.C. 20515

COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

April 8, 1976

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President Gerald R. Ford The White House Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Mr. President,

One of my constituents, Mrs. Dorothy A. Blair, from Bakersfield, California recently sent a framed, handmade flag and letter, which she wants me to present to you and Mrs. Ford. Mrs. Blair is a Gold Star Mother, a strong supporter of yours and has obviously spent much time and effort on this beautiful piece of work.

It would certainly be a pleasure for me to do this, Mr. President, Could we perhaps set up a convenient time for you for such a presentation?

Thank you and best wishes, Mr. President.

Sincerely,

WILLIAM M. KETCHUM Member of Congress

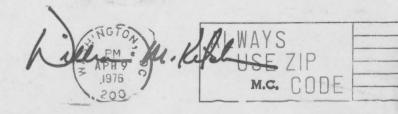
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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHING

SCHEDULE PROPOSAL DATE: January 5, 1976

THRU: Max Friedersdorf

FROM: Vern Loen VL VIA: Bill Nicholson

MEETING:

Rep. Elford A. Cederberg (R-Mich.)

DATE:

Future Congressional Hour

PURPOSE:

Rep. Cederberg would like to introduce members of the Michigan High School Coaches Association who wish to present the President with an honorary membership

into the M.H.S.C.A. Hall of Fame

FORMAT:

The Oval Office - 5 minutes

PARTICIPANTS:

The President

Rep. Elford A. Cederberg (R-Mich.) Paul Smarks - Executive Director

Jack Striedl - President

Dick Snyder - Secretary / Treasurer

Brick Fowler - Past President Ed Graybiel - Past President Bob James - Past President Ed Wernet - Past President William C. Odykirk - Director

Vern Loen (staff)

SPEECH MATERIAL:

Talking points to be provided

PRESS COVERAGE:

White House photographer

STAFF:

Vern Loen

RECOMMEND:

Max Friedersdorf

BACKGROUND:

Rep. Cederberg requested this personal 1. presentation to the President in a November 13, 1975, letter.

- 2. Mr. William C. Odykirk, M.H.S.C.A. Director, wrote the President on July 7, 1975, requesting that he accept this membership. A Presidential letter of acceptance was sent to Mr. Odykirk on August 5, 1975.
- 3. The M.H.S.C.A. Hall of Fame is located on the campus of Central Michigan University at Mt. Pleasant, Michigan.

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COMMITTEE:
APPROPRIATIONS
MICHAEL A. FORGASH
ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

HOME ADDRESS: "

WASHINGTON OFFICE: 2303 RAYBURN BUILDING WASHINGTON, D.C. 20515 PHONE: 225-3561

Congress of the United States House of Representatives

Washington, 20.C. 20515

December 24, 1975

Dear Vera:

Attached is the list of individuals who would participate in the Hall of Fame presentation outlined in the Congressman's letter of November 13.

I regret the delay in getting these to you, however, the letter arrived in the office during my Christmas holiday and I have just returned.

I appreciate your efforts in making these arrangements.

Enclosures

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Mike:

Attached is a list of the names, addresses and social security numbers of those who would be involved in the presentation of the honorary membership into the Michigan High School Coaches Hall of Fame to President Ford.

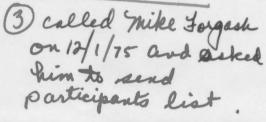
Bill Odykirk, director of the Hall of Fame, indicates not all may finally show up since several are old and in poor health, and one or two may be in Florida during the winter months. Whatever the case, Odykirk reports anytime after January 15 is fine. I'll probably come along with Jim Hansen from our Washington office. As I mentioned earlier we will probably schedule a luncheon after or before the event. I assume we'll have two weeks or more notice of the date to take care of arrangements, right?

Any other questions give me a call.

Thanks for your help,



will do Schedule Proposel 11/17 O called background out of Central File @ Called Mike Forgrat, Q.a., to request Participants - he will call back. 3) called mike Forgash on 12/1/75 and paked



COMMITTEE:
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RANKING MINORITY MEMBER

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House of Representatives

Washington, D.C. 20515

November 13, 1975

COMMITTEE ON THE BUDGET

MICHAEL A. FORGASH

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

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Mr. Vernon C. Loen
Deputy Assistant to the President
for Legislative Affairs
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Vern:

It is my understanding that the President has accepted an honorary membership in the Michigan High School Coaches Hall of Fame. This information has been brought to my attention by a member of the Development Fund Board of Central Michigan University at Mt. Pleasant, Michigan which is the home of the Hall of Fame in our state.

In an effort to find an opportunity for a formal presentation of the award, officials of the Hall of Fame communicated with the President's scheduling office. It was suggested by that office that, due to the nature of the situation and the time required, the best opportunity for making such a presentation would be during the "Congressional Hour". This letter then is to request that, at the next Congressional Hour opportunity, I be afforded a few minutes, along with a small delegation from the Hall of Fame and Central Michigan University, to make the presentation of the President's honorary membership in the Michigan High School Coaches Hall of Fame.

Any assistance that you can provide in making this time available would be appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

Elfori A. Cederberg

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August 5, 1975

Dear Mr. Odykirk:

It was a genuine pleasure to receive your letter of July 7, inviting me, to accept an bonorary appointment into the Michigan High School Coaches Association Hall of Fame.

I have always admired those who have chosen the profession of coaching in our Mation's secondary schools. They enjoy a unique opportunity not only to help develop superior athletic ability in the young people, but also to instill in them the principles of perseverance, sportsmanship and fair play which they will carry with them throughout their lives. Because of my special feeling for the coaching profession and because Michigan is my home state, I am especially happy to be able to accept the kind invitation extended by you and your colleagues. Please convey to them my sincere appreciation for this thoughtful gesture on their part.

With warm best wishes,

Mr. William C. Odykirk
N.H.3.C.A. Representative
Central Michigan University
Mt. Pleasant, Michigan 48859

Enclosure: 2 5 x 7 color photos of Pres.

bcc: Bill Casselman, Bob Anderson

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July 7, 1975

The Honorable Gerald R. Ford The President The White House Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President,

It is with honor and pride that I have the privilege to represent the Michigan High School Coaches' Association in requesting you to accept an honorary appointment into the M. H. S. C. A. Hall of Fame.

The M. H. S. C. A. Hall of Fame is located on the campus of Central Michigan University. It's purpose is to acknowledge those persons who have given superior service to the youth of the state of Michigan through the coaching profession for a period of 20 years or more, as well as service to their community and country. I have enclosed a copy of our most recent induction program to provide you with the names of those who have been honored to date and with whom you will share your honorary appointment if you can accept.

The M.H.S.C.A. Hall of Fame was made possible through a gift from Mr. Paul Smarks of Warren, Michigan who started the M.H.S.C.A. and is the executive Director at the present time. He has also endowed the Coaches' Hall of Fame sufficiently so that no fund raising or other promotion is necessary or acceptable.

The members of the Michigan High School Coaches' Association who have been honored to date represent both public and parochial school systems, as well as all races and creeds. Now that women are a part of the M. H. S. C. A. I'm sure you will see women represented in the future also.

May we, if you accept, get from you two 5" x 7" natural color photos from which we will make your photo plaque to place in the M. H. S. C. A. Hall of Fame and one for presentation to you personally from a representative of the association.



The Honorable Gerald R. Ford Page Two July 7, 1975

Mr. Ford, if you could so honor the Michigan Coaches' Association and our fine state of Michigan, we all would be most pleased. We feel you strongly represent the Association's motto which is, "May their achievements forever inspire our youth."

Should you desire more information regarding the M. H. S. C. A. Hall of Fame or our request, please advise and I would be delighted to serve you.

Sincerely,

William C. Odykirk
William C. Odykirk

M. H. S. C. A. Representative Central Michigan University



9/16/16 - Apoke w/ Teddi; they may contact THE WHITE HOUSE SCHEDULE PROPOSAL WASHINGTON DATE: May 12, 1976 THRU: Max Friedersdorf FROM: Charles Leppert, Jr VIA: Bill Nicholson Rep. William F. Walsh (R. - N. Y.) Future Congressional Hour, after mid-June 1976 Present to the President a Bicentennial table made from a 350-year-old tree The Oval Office - 5 minutes The President Rep. William F. Walsh Mr. Walt Watson Mrs. Ann Watson Mary Ann Watson (daughter) Mark Watson (son) Charles Leppert, Jr. SPEECH MATERIAL: Talking points to be provided PRESS COVERAGE: White House photographer only Charles Leppert, Jr. Max L. Friedersdorf 1. Treeforms is a family owned business which is composed of custom furniture craftsmen.

> 2. They have recently purchased a tree which is over 350 years old, and plan to make a special Bicentennial table from this tree which will clearly show the 200

3. They feel it will be a lasting and outstanding symbol

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rings, thus attesting to its age.

of our 200 years of history.

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PURPOSE:

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RECOMMEND:

BACKGROUND:

PARTICIPANTS:

DATE:

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Congress of the United States

House of Representatives

Washington, **B.C.** 20515

April 28, 1976

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484 South Main Street Geneva, New York 14456 315 789-3360

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Mr. Charles Leppert, Jr.
Deputy Assistant to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Charlie:

This is in further reference to our correspondence relative to the possible presentation to the President, of a bicentennial table made from a 350 year-old tree.

I have again contacted Mr. Watson, and have secured the additional information your office requested, which is attached in the form of an information sheet. I hope this will be helpful.

Awaiting your further word, I am

Sincerely,

William F. Walsh Member of Congress

WFW:th Enclosure Treeforms is a family owned business, so if possible, the family would all like to participate in the presentation. They are: Mr. Walt Watson, Mrs. Ann Watson (wife), Mary Ann Watson (daughter), and Mark Watson (son), all of whom live at 24 Ferguson Road, Dryden, New York. However, Mr. Watson has indicated that if the involvement of all four of them is too complicated, the son, Mark, should make the presentation. They have also invited the Congressman, who will make every effort to work it into his schedule.

The table is scheduled for completion by early June, so a presentation date of any time after mid June that is agreeable to the President could be worked out by them.

The table will be approximately 35" across and 45" long, but the base type has not yet been determined so exact height is unknown.

The approximate age of the tree has been estimated to be around 330 years. Mr. Watson indicated they referred to 200 rings because that is about all that are visible to the naked eye, the inner rings being so small that they are difficult to count.

THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

4/23 Janet:

I called Teddi Hathaway in Walsh's office to request further details and info for a schedule proposal. They will send to Charlie in a follow-up letter. When you receive this info you can prepare a schedule proposal for the presentation.

Kathy

4/27 -Teddi will send letter w/ details.

Suspense

April 23, 1976

Dear Bill:

Thank you for your letter concerning the special bleestennial table the Treeforms Company would like to present to the President in recognition of this Bleestennial year.

As my secretary indicated to your office today by phone, we shall be happy to pass this request along to the Presidential Scheduling Office and we await further details regarding this request which your office has indicated they will send to us. We shall be in touch with you further regarding this matter as soon as possible,

Stocerely,

Charles Leggert, Jr. Deputy Assistant to the President

The Henerable William F. Walsh House of Representatives Washington, D. G. 20515

cc: w/copy of incoming to Bill Nicholson for consideration. Schodule Proposal will be forthcoming

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Mr. Charles Leppert, Jr.
Deputy Assistant to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Charlie:

Mr. Walt Watson, who is an owner of a business firm in Dryden, New York, known as Treeforms, has recently purchased a rather special tree which is over 350 years old. The firm, which is composed of custom furniture craftsmen, plans to make a special bicentennial table from this tree which will clearly show the 200 rings, thus attesting to its age. They feel it will be a lasting and outstanding symbol of our 200 years of history.

Mr. Watson has asked me to attempt to make arrangements to donate the first table made from this tree to the White House, hopefully making the presentation to the President. I would deeply appreciate your ascertaining the possibilities of this request being fulfilled.

Once again, my sincere thanks for your continued cooperation and assistance.

With best regards, I am

Sincerely,

William F. Walsh Member of Congress

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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

April 27, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR:

BILL NICHOLSON

THROUGH:

MAX FRIEDERSDORF

FROM:

CHARLES LEPPERT, JR. 64.

SUBJECT:

Rep. Floyd V. Hicks (D.-Wash.) Schedule Proposal of April 13, 1976

I advised Congressman Hicks' office that the President would be unable to accept the painting from Mr. Ron Reme during the week of April 24. At the same time, I asked if the Congressman would like to be considered for the next Congressional hour when this presentation would be made.

Although Mr. Reme would not be able to make another trip to Washington, the Congressman would like to make this presentation on behalf of Mr. Reme during one of the Congressional hours.

WASHINGTON

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After informing Congressman Hicks' office that the President will not be in town on April 28 to accept a painting from Mr. Ron Reme, they advised that Mr. Reme would be in Washington from April 24 through April 29. Any time which would be convenient for the President during this time period would be acceptable to Congressman Hicks and Mr. Reme.

I would appreciate being advised if another date could be arranged for this event.

WASHINGTON

Charlie:

Nancy K. called regarding your schedule proposal request for Congressman Hicks for a painting presentation on April 28th.

The President will be out of town at this time.

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DATE: April 13, 1976

THRU: Max Friedersdorf

FROM: Charles Leppen

VIA: Bill Nicholson

MEETING:

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DATE:

April 28, 1976

PURPOSE:

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The Oval Office - 5 minutes

PARTICIPANTS:

The President

Rep. Floyd V. Hicks (D-Wash.)

Ron Reme

Charles Leppert, Jr. (staff)

SPEECH MATERIAL: Talking points to be provided

PRESS COVERAGE: Announce to press - White House photographer only

STAFF:

Charles Leppert, Jr.

RECOMMEND:

Max Friedersdorf

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Congress of the United States

House of Representatives

Washington, **B.C.** 20515

April 6, 1976

Mr. Charles Leppert, Jr. Special Assistant for Legislative Affairs The White House Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Leppert:

Ron Remé, a well known Pacific Northwest traditional landscape mountain painter, will be visiting Washington, D.C. for an exhibition of his paintings on April 27. Senators Magnuson, Jackson and I are happy to cohost this exhibition in Room S. 239 of the Capitol.

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Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely yours,

FLOYD V. WICKS

Member of Congress

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September 13, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR:

BILL KENDALL
CHARLIE LEPPERT

FROM:

MAX FRIEDERSDORF

SUBJECT:

Congressional Hour

Scheduling advises me the chances of having a Congressional Hour before Congress adjourns are next to nil.

I believe we need to call those Members who have kept in contact on their requests to explain that due to the pressures of the campaign, etc., it is very unlikely that we'll be able to schedule their request this year.

Many thanks.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

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SCHEDULE PROPOSAL

DATE:

May 23, 1975

THRU:

Max Friedersdorf

FROM:

Vern Loen //

VIA:

Warren Rustand

MEETING:

Rep. James H. Quillen (R-Tenn.)

DATE:

Part of the next Congressional Hour

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PARTICIPANTS:

The President

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SPEECH

MATERIAL:

Talking points to be provided

PRESS

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STAFF:

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March 10, 1973

Vern Loens Journeywest

Doar Jimmy:

Thank you for your March & latter asking about the possibility of arranging for the President to accept plate No. 38 of the Revolutionary War Series of commemorative plates which are being introduced by Mosare. John Alea and Chiffonl E. Earwell.

Schedule Proposal for next C.H.

I will be pleased to ask that your request be given proupt consideration. Too will hear further as soon as possible.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely,

Har L. Priodersdorf Assistant to the President

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Congress of the United States House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20515

March 6, 1975

Dear Max:

MAR 7 1975

John Alan Maxwell, a nationally known artist and historian, and his brother, Clifford E. Maxwell, are introducing their Revolutionary War Series of commemorative plates in honor of our Nation's Bicentennial.

The first plate is called "First in War," and depicts George Washington as General of the Continental Army.

The Maxwells have reserved plate No. 38 for President Ford, since he is the 38th President of the United States.

They have reserved plate No. 448 for Vice President Rockefeller.

I have the plates in my office, and would like to make arrangements for the Maxwells to come to Washington and the three of us to personally present them to the President. This could be worked out on a thirty-day notice, and it would give quite a boost to the Bicentennial, as John Alan Maxwell is one of the Nation's top illustrators.

I am enclosing a brochure, together with a reprint of a news article which appeared in the Johnson City, Tennessee, PRESS-CHRONICLE, showing the picture of the plate and giving additional information.

Your consideration and advice will be appreciated.

Sincerely,

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Mr. Max L'. Friedersdorf Assistant to the President The White House Washington, D. C. 20500



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Dear Congressman:

Charles Leppert has forwarded, along with his own personal endorsement, your letter concerning the presentation of a token of appreciation to the President from the Citizens to Save Valley Forge organization when he goes to Philadelphia for the debate.

The President was indeed grateful to Mr. Robert Toland, Jr., who wrote him to ask if he and his associates could make this presentation to him on September 23, and is most appreciative of your expression of interest in this instance. However, because of the limited time the President will have in Philadelphia, arrangements cannot be worked out for him to accept this gift, and I enclose for your information a copy of my letter to Mr. Toland to this effect.

With the President's best wishes,

Sincerely,

William W. Nicholson Director Scheduling Office

The Honorable Richard T. Schulze House of Representatives Washington, D. C. 20515

Enclosure - photocopy of WWN 9/ 16/76 letter to Mr. Toland.

Courtesy copy to Cong. Schulze bcc: Charles Leppert : 2-N. Gemmell

Routed through Mr. Leppert before dispatch.

Sent by messenger 9/23/76

September 17, 1976

Dear Dick:

Thank you for your letter of September 16 concerning the presentation of a token of appreciation from the Citizens to Save Valley Porge organization to the President for his efforts regarding establishment of the Valley Forge National Park.

I have already forwarded your letter to the President's Scheduling Office for their consideration of such a meeting next week during the President's trip to Philadelphia.

You will receive a direct reply from their office as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

Charles Leppert, Jr. Deputy Assistant to the President

The Honorable Richard T. Schulze U. S. House of Representatives Washington, D. C. 20515

CL/jm

bcc: w/incoming to Scheduling Office for direct reply to Congressman, w/copy to our office, please



Charlie --

This request was made after notification there would be no Congressional Hour.

Should I refer this on to Scheduling? (Schedule Proposal attached.).

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SCHEDULE PROPOSAL DATE: July 20, 1976

THRU: Max Friedersdorf

FROM: Charles Leppert,

VIA: Bill Nicholson

MEETING:

Rep. Richard T. Schulze (R. - Pa.)

DATE:

Future Congressional Hour

PURPOSE:

To present to the President a tapestry depicting

the Conestoga Wagon Train.

FORMAT:

The Oval Office - 5 minutes

PARTICIPANTS:

The President

Rep. Richard T. Schulze Charles Leppert, Jr. (staff)

SPEECH MATERIAL:

Talking points to be provided

PRESS COVERAGE:

White House photographer

STAFF:

Charles Leppert, Jr.

RECOMMEND:

Max L. Friedersdorf; Jack Marsh

BACKGROUND:

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 Powell of Trdyffrin Township, Pennsylvania.
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APPROVE	DISAPPROVE	

Congress of the United States

House of Representatives . Washington, D.C. 20515

RICHARD T. SCHULZE . 5TH DISTRICT, PENNSYLVANIA . COMMITTEES: ARMED SERVICES . BANKING, CURRENCY AND HOUSING

September 16, 1976

Mr. Charles Leppert, Jr.
Deputy Assistant to the President
for Legislative Affairs
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20500

SEP 16 1976

Dear Charlie:

Enclosed is a copy of a letter to the President from Mr. Robert Toland, Jr., Chairman of the Citizens to Save Valley Forge organization.

Mr. Toland requests an opportunity to present to the President, possibly during the President's September 23 visit to Philadelphia, a small token of appreciation for the President's efforts in behalf of the law establishing Valley Forge National Historical Park.

I would greatly appreciate it if arrangements could be made for such a presentation.

Perhaps at the same time the Conestoga Wagon Train tapestry mentioned in the enclosed letter of July 7 to Mr. Marsh, could be presented to the President. Both presentations should not take more than a few moments.

Anything you can do in regard to both of these matters would be appreciated.

Sincerely,

Richard T. Schulze

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NEW WASHINGTON ADDRESS: 422 CANNON HOUSE OFFICE BUILDING WASHINGTON, D.C. 20515

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Citizens Save Valley Forge P.O. Box 471 to Save Valley Forge Pa 19481

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9 September 1976

Dear Mr. President:

Thank you very much for your good letter of August 6th which awaited our return from a family vacation in Jackson Hole.

The some 10,000 Citizens to Save Valley Forge were truly joyful on July 4th when you signed into law the bill establishing Valley Forge National Historical Park. It was a perfect climax to a long and complicated struggle, including legal action to prevent the Veterans Administration from its effort to convert Valley Forge to a national Veterans Cemetery.

We have a small token of our appreciation which we would like to present to you. Both Elsie Hillman and Tom McCabe, who are members of our Steering Committee, join me in the desire to do this in person. Possibly, there might be five minutes during your September 23rd visit to Philadelphia for the first debate.

We thank you again for your part in assuring for future generations the integrity of this great national historical site.

Sincerely,

Robert Toland, Jr.

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The President Gerald R. Ford The White House Washington, D.C.

cc: Mrs. Henry Lea Hillman Mr. Thomas B. McCabe



Honorable John O. Marsh, Jr. Counselor to the President
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear John:

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Since President Ford's extensive Bicentennial activities that day precluded any deviation from his schedule, I would very much appreciate your assistance in arranging an appropriate time for me to present the Conestoga Wagon Train tapestry to President Ford as we discussed.

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Sincerely, ,

Richard T. Schulze, M.C.



9/16/16 - Called Jim Smith. no Cong. Thus. wants to meet on Lept. 23 upp. in Philip.
THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

SCHEDULE PROPOSAL DATE: July 20, 1976

THRU: Max Friedersdorf

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VIA: Bill Nicholson

MEETING:

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APPROVE _____ DISAPPROVE ____



Charlie --

I didn't mention the "Save Valley Forge" presentation which Mr. Marsh referred to since this is to be handled by Sen. Scott (according to Rep. Schulze's letter attached).

Also, please check the last sentence -- I'm not sure you want this added.

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July 8, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR:

MAX FRIEDERSDORF

CHARLIE LEPPERT

FROM:

JACK MARSH

The President told Schulze on the chopper last weekend he would meet with him.

I would appreciate your making the necessary schedule request for the presentation of the Wagon Train tapestry.

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Many thanks.

Congress of the United States

House of Representatives . Washington, D.C. 20515

RICHARD T. SCHULZE = 5TH DISTRICT, PENNSYLVANIA = COMMITTEES: ARMED SERVICES = BANKING, CURRENCY AND HOUSING

July 7, 1976

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Date 7-13-76
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FROM: Max L. Friedersdorf
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On a similar note, it is my understanding that Senator Hugh Scott has or will soon be in touch with appropriate White House personnel on behalf of the Citizens to Save Valley Forge. Mr. Robert Toland, Chairman of the Steering Committee of this group would like to present President Ford with a reproduction of the cup used by General George Washington on many a cold night during the winter of 1777-78. Mr. Toland's group represents over 10,000 Citizens to Save Valley Forge from 50 states and some foreign nations. As a token of their appreciation, the presentation of Washington's cup will represent the success of an effort that dates back as far as 1845.

Ideally, both presentations would occur on the same day in sequence.

Again, it was a delight having you at Valley Forge to share the glory and excitement of this historic event.

Sincerely,

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