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In honor of Mrs. Ford The Congressional Club requests the pleasure of your company at breakfast on Thursday, the twenty-second of May at twelve noon Shoreham Hotel Regency Ballroom

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# **BETTY** FORD

OUR FIRST LADY

#### "Thank you, Michigan,"

- ... for bringing us a First Lady who is a unique combination of all that is feminine, yet is equally strong in her beliefs and outspoken about them;
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For all this, Michigan, we thank you.

#### HONORING

MRS. GERALD R. FORD

THE CONGRESSIONAL CLUB
ANNUAL BREAKFAST

THURSDAY, MAY 22, 1975

THE SHOREHAM AMERICANA HOTEL
Regency Ballroom

Washington, D.C.

The Congressional Club Members are happy to present a check in honor of Mrs. Gerald Ford to the Recording for the Blind Chapter which is being established here in Washington. Since 1951, one of the most impressive volunteer organizations in America has been Recording for the Blind. The purpose of this nationwide nonprofit group is purely educational — to help students whose visual, perceptual or physical impairment prevents them from performing one of man's most basic acts, reading. In honor of our First Lady, the Congressional Club is proud to assist, through this contribution, the formation of a Recording for the Blind Chapter in our nation's capital.

#### **PROGRAM**

Music

United States Marine Band Lt. Colonel Jack Kline, Conductor

Introduction of Distinguished Guests

The National Anthem Michael Ryan, Soloist

Invocation
Mrs. Robert McClory

Greetings from Mrs. Preyer

Response from Mrs. Ford

Guest Artist

Marge Champion Choreographer, Author, Dancer

Assisted By
Kathe Green, New Recording Artist
Motown Records

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#### MENU

Romaine — Spinach — Cherry Tomato Lemon Dressing

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London Broil - Mushroom Sauce

Belgium Carrots

French String Beans

Rolls - Butter

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Strawberry Bavarois

Coffee

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#### THE WHITE HOUSE

May 21, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR:

MRS. FORD AND SUSAN FORD

VIA:

RED CAVANE

FROM:

MARY FISHER

SUBJECT:

YOUR ATTENDANCE AT THE FIRST

LADY'S BREAKFAST

Shoreham Hotel

Thursday, May 22, 1975

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ATTENDANCE AT
THE FIRST LADY'S BREAKFAST
The Shoreham Hotel
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11:10 am

Mrs. Senghor, interpreter, and Mrs. Assane Seck arrive South Grounds to be met and escorted to motorcade for boarding.

11:15 am

Mrs. Ford and Susan board motorcade on South Grounds.

MOTORCADE DEPARTS South Grounds enroute Shoreham Hotel.

[Driving time: 15 minutes]

11:30 am

MOTORCADE ARRIVES Shoreham Hotel (Bird Cage Entrance).

Mrs. Ford, Susan, Mrs. Senghor and Mrs. Seck will be met by:

Mrs. Richardson (Emily) Preyer, Congressional Club President

Mrs. William (Dorothy) Hungate, First Lady's Breakfast Chairman

11:30 am Guests arrive Regency Ballroom.

11:33 am

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Mrs. Ford, Mrs. Senghor and Mrs. Seck arrive Ambassador Room and join receiving line to greet guests.

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Susan Ford, escorted by Barbara Dellenback, informally greets guests in VIP Reception.

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1:20 pm Mrs. Ford responds.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE

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1:26 pm Mrs. Preyer introduces Marge Champion for entertainment.

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Susan, escorted by Barbara Dellenback, departs luncheon table enroute motorcade for boarding.

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