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2/2/76
12:00 noon

PROPOSED SCHEDULE

MRS. FORD'S VISIT TO NEW HAMPSHIRE

Saturday and Sunday
February 7th and 8th, 1976

9:50 am See President's Schedule for South Lawn departure and Manchester, New Hampshire arrival. *she will provide back-ground info. on event*

11:45 am Mrs. Ford, escorted by Vesta Roy, Co-Chairman, New Hampshire President Ford Committee, proceeds to motorcade for boarding.

MOTORCADE DEPARTS Grenier Field en route Salem Center, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 30 minutes]

12:15 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Old Town Hall, Salem Center, New Hampshire.

Mrs. Ford, escorted by Vesta Roy, proceeds inside Old Town Hall to view Senior Citizens' Program and Childrens' Recreation Program.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE

12:45 pm Mrs. Ford bids farewell and departs Old Town Hall en route motorcade for boarding.

MOTORCADE DEPARTS Salem Center, New Hampshire en route Nashua, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 30 minutes]

1:15 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES President Ford Committee Headquarters, Nashua, New Hampshire (23 Temple Street).

Mrs. Ford will be met by:

Martha Barrett, Phone Center Chairman

Mrs. Ford, escorted by Mrs. Barrett, proceeds into President Ford Headquarters to observe phone center operation.



NOTE: Mrs. Ford will be given an opportunity to participate in the phone center operation.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE

1:45 pm Mrs. Ford bids farewell and departs phone center en route motorcade for boarding.

MOTORCADE DEPARTS en route Thurber Residence.

[Driving time: 15 minutes]

2:00 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Thurber Residence.

Mrs. Ford will be met by:

Mr. and Mrs. Thurber

Mrs. Ford proceeds into residence.

PERSONAL/STAFF TIME: 4 hours, 15 minutes

6:15 pm See President's Schedule for evening activity.



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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

February 2, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: SUSAN FORD
VIA: RED CAVANEY 
FROM: PETER SORUM
SUBJECT: YOUR VISIT TO NEW HAMPSHIRE
February 7-8, 1976

Attached at TAB A is the Proposed Schedule for the subject event.

APPROVE _____

DISAPPROVE _____



BACKGROUND

Susan has been invited to present the awards in the Slalom Competition for the New Hampshire Skiing Championship at Mt. Cranmore near Conway, New Hampshire. 150 competitors under 19 years of age will participate in the three days of ski racing which will conclude with the Giant Slalom Competition on Sunday. To permit Susan an opportunity to ski, she will remain overnight in North Conway and following several practice runs will open the Giant Slalom Competition at Mt. Cranmore Sunday morning, before returning to Concord to join the President and Mrs. Ford at the volunteer's reception. Susan will follow the President's schedule for the duration of the visit.

DAVID CURRIER

David Currier is a 23 year old full-time racer with the U.S. Ski Team. A resident of Madison, New Hampshire, David has raced full-time since 1971 and has been a member of the 1972 U.S. Olympic Team, the 1974 World Championship Team and the 1976 Olympic Team. In practice runs at Innsbruck 10 days ago David cracked a Fibula which eliminated him from the competition. To permit a younger

U. S. Skier the opportunity to come to Innsbruck, David returned to New Hampshire and will serve as Susan's escort for her visit to Mt. Cranmore. Following two years in the Army, David enrolled at Dartmouth where he is a part-time Sophomore in Economics.

VISIT TO MIKE & GAYLE FORD

Susan and Mrs. Ford have been invited to visit Mike and Gayle at their home on Sunday evening after the President departs New Hampshire. If this option is approved Susan and Mrs. Ford would return to Washington on Monday afternoon.



2/2/76
1:00 pm

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and arrival at Grenier Field in New Hampshire.

11:40 am MOTORCADE DEPARTS Grenier Field en route
Laconia, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 1 hour, 20 minutes]

NOTE: Susan's car will travel in the
President's motorcade as far as Concord
and will continue on independently to
Laconia.

1:00 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Laconia for rest stop.

1:30 pm MOTORCADE DEPARTS Laconia en route Mt. Cranmore,
North Conway, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 2 hours]

3:30 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Mt. Cranmore.

Susan will be met by:

Herbert Schneider, Owner, Mt. Cranmore

William Paine, Chairman, New Hampshire

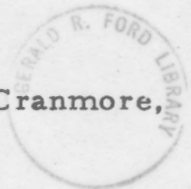
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OPEN PRESS COVERAGE

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4:30 pm MOTORCADE DEPARTS Mt. Cranmore en route New England Inn.

[Driving time: 15 minutes]

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Susan proceeds to her cottage.

PERSONAL TIME: 2 hours

NOTE: A proposal for an interview with the local radio station is under consideration at this time to be conducted during this time.



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[Driving time: 10 minutes]

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NOTE: Balance of activity for evening is open to Susan's desires.

OVERNIGHT



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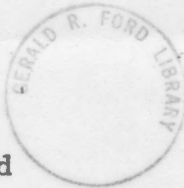
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[Driving time: 2 hours]

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See President's schedule for balance of day's activities.



2/5/76
7:00 pm

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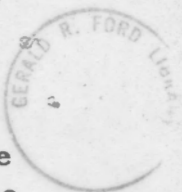
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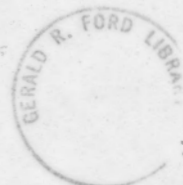
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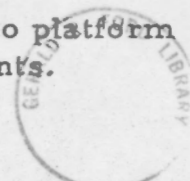
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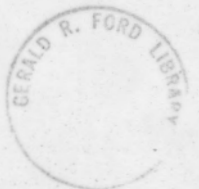
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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

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MEMORANDUM FOR: MRS. FORD

VIA: RED CAVANEY 

FROM: PETER SORUM

SUBJECT: THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. FORD'S
VISIT TO NEW HAMPSHIRE
Saturday and Sunday
February 7th and 8th, 1976

Attached at TAB A is the Proposed Schedule for Mrs. Ford's independent activities on Saturday, February 7th, 1976.

APPROVE _____ DISAPPROVE _____

BACKGROUND

In addition to the arrival activity at Grenier Field in Manchester, New Hampshire, Mrs. Ford will join the President at the Nashua Chamber of Commerce Dinner on Saturday evening, a church service in Bedford, and a supporters' reception in Concord, both on Sunday.

Independently, Mrs. Ford will visit Salem, New Hampshire and the President Ford Committee Telephone Center on Saturday. It is recommended that she also join the President for his address at the University of New Hampshire on Sunday. This will depend on the choice of the following options:

OPTION #1: Travel with the President to the University of New Hampshire and take personal time until the speech. Following the speech, Mrs. Ford would return to Washington with the President.



OPTION #2: Travel with the President to the University of New Hampshire, attend the speech and depart independently for Ipswich, Massachusetts for an overnight with Mike and Gayle.

OPTION #3: Depart independently from Concord, New Hampshire en route Ipswich, Massachusetts for an overnight with Mike and Gayle.

NOTE: If this option is chosen, it is recommended that Mrs. Ford undertake an independent activity en route.

APPROVE:

Option #1 _____

Option #2 _____

Option #3 _____

Based on Mrs. Ford's choice of the above options, a Proposed Schedule for Sunday, February 8th, 1976, will be forthcoming.



TAB

A



1/28/76
5:00 pm

PROPOSED SCHEDULE

THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. FORD'S
VISIT TO NEW HAMPSHIRE

Saturday & Sunday, February 7 & 8, 1976



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1976

9:50 am The President and Mrs. Ford board helo on
(EST) South Lawn.

HELO DEPARTS South Lawn en route Andrews AFB.

[Flying time: 15 minutes]

10:05 am HELO ARRIVES Andrews AFB.

The President and Mrs. Ford board Air Force One.

10:10 am AIR FORCE ONE DEPARTS Andrews AFB en route
Grenier Field, Manchester, New Hampshire.

[Flying time: 1 hour, 5 minutes]
[No time change]

11:15 am AIR FORCE ONE ARRIVES Grenier Field, Manchester,
New Hampshire.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE
OPEN ARRIVAL

The President & Mrs. Ford will be met by:
Representative Jim Cleveland (R-N. H.)
Former Governor Walter Peterson

NOTE: En route motorcade, the President
will pause to talk to local press in the
press area.

The President boards motorcade.

NOTE: Mrs. Ford will proceed independently to color event and then to Residence. Susan will proceed independently to High School Ski Races in West Conway, New Hampshire.

11:35 am MOTORCADE DEPARTS Grenier Field en route Rundlett Junior High School, Concord, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 35 minutes]

12:10 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Rundlett Junior High School.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE
CLOSED ARRIVAL

The President proceeds to holding room.

12:15 pm The President arrives holding room.

12:25 pm The President departs holding room and proceeds to off-stage announcement area to await announcement.

12:28 pm The President arrives announcement area.

12:30 pm Announcement.

12:30 pm The President proceeds to podium and opens Budget Briefing with statement.

FULL PRESS COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE: 350
DURATION: 90 minutes



12:40 pm Remarks conclude and the President opens the briefing for questions and answers.

1:55 pm Briefing concludes.

The President departs platform and proceeds to holding room, while guests proceed to Reception Room.

2:00 pm The President arrives holding room.

2:05 pm The President departs holding room and proceeds to Reception Room.

2:08pm The President arrives Reception Room and informally greets guests.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE

ATTENDANCE: 350

2:30 pm The President departs Reception Room and proceeds to motorcade for boarding.

2:35 pm MOTORCADE DEPARTS Rundlett Jr. High School en route Thurber Residence, Nashua, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 1 hour]

3:35 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Thurber Residence, Nashua, New Hampshire.

The President & Mrs. Ford will be met by:
Mr & Mrs. Thurber

PRESS POOL COVERAGE
OPEN ARRIVAL

The President proceeds inside Residence.

PERSONAL/STAFF TIME: 2 hours, 40 minutes

6:15 pm The President and Mrs. Ford depart Residence and proceed to motorcade for boarding.

6:20 pm MOTORCADE DEPARTS Thurber Residence en route Nashua Senior High School.

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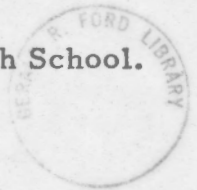
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6:30 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Nashua Senior High School.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE
CLOSED ARRIVAL

The President & Mrs. Ford will be met by:
Mr. & Mrs. Ross A. Tait, Chamber of
Commerce President

6:32 pm The President and Mrs. Ford arrive Reception Room and informally greet Head Table Guests.



PRESS POOL COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE: 50

7:00 pm The President and Mrs. Ford depart Reception Room
and proceed to holding room.

 The President and Mrs. Ford arrive holding room.

7:00 pm Members of the Head Table are introduced
onto the dais.

7:13 pm The President and Mrs. Ford depart holding room
and proceed to off-stage announcement area and
pause for announcement.

7:15 pm Announcement.

7:15 pm The President and Mrs. Ford proceed onto dais
and remain standing.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE: 1100

7:16 pm Invocation by Rev. Robert D. Schenhil.

7:18 pm National Anthem.

7:20 pm The President and Mrs. Ford take their seats.

7:21 pm Dinner begins.

8:25 pm Dinner concludes.

8:26 pm Welcoming remarks by Ross A. Tait.

8:30 pm Remarks by Governor Meldrim Thomson (R-N. H.)

8:34 pm Remarks by Congressman Norman E.
D'Amours (D-N. H.).

8:37 pm Remarks by Major Dennis J. Sullivan.

8:41 pm Remarks by Cong. James C. Cleveland (R-N. H.).

8:45 pm Presentation to Immediate Past President
by Ross A. Tait.



8:49 pm A special presentation by Ross A. Tait.

8:55 pm Presentation of the Citizen of the Year
by Joseph M. Kerrigan.

9:10 pm Introduction of the President by Ross
A. Tait.

9:15 pm Presidential remarks.

FULL PRESS COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE:

9:35 pm Remarks conclude.

9:40 pm The President and Mrs. Ford, escorted by Ross
A. Tait, depart dais and proceed through audience
to motorcade for boarding.

9:50 pm The President and Mrs. Ford board motorcade.

MOTORCADE DEPARTS Nashua Senior High School
en route Thurber Residence.

[Driving time: 10 minutes]

10:00 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Thurber Residence.

The President and Mrs. Ford proceed inside
Residence.

OVERNIGHT

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10:15 am The President and Mrs. Ford depart Residence en route motorcade for boarding.

10:20 am MOTORCADE DEPARTS Thurber Residence en route Church, New Boston, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 35 minutes]

10:55 am MOTORCADE ARRIVES Church, New Boston.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE
OPEN ARRIVAL

The President and Mrs. Ford, escorted by a Church Leader, proceeds inside Church to attend Service.

10:58 am The President and Mrs. Ford arrive pew and are seated.

11:00 am Service begins.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE

11:50 am Services conclude.

11:50 am The President and Mrs. Ford, escorted by a Church Leader, departs Church en route motorcade for boarding.

11:55 am MOTORCADE DEPARTS Church, New Boston, en route Rundlett Jr. High School, Concord, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 35 minutes]

12:30 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Rundlett Jr. High School, Concord, New Hampshire.

The President and Mrs. Ford proceed inside school and informally greet campaign workers and their families.

FULL PRESS COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE: 600



1:25 pm The President and Mrs. Ford arrives at stand-up microphone.

NOTE: Mr. J. Sanders Haas, Executive Director of the White Mountains, 93 Association will present the President with a life time Gold Ski Pass.

1:30 pm The President accepts the Ski Pass and offers brief informal remarks.

FULL PRESS COVERAGE

1:40 pm Remarks conclude.

The President and Mrs. Ford depart School and proceed to motorcade for boarding.

1:45 pm MOTORCADE DEPARTS Rundlett Jr. High School, Concord, New Hampshire, en route University of New Hampshire President's Residence, Durham, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 1 hour]

2:45 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES University of New Hampshire President's Residence, Durham, New Hampshire.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE OPEN ARRIVAL

2:50 pm The President and Mrs. Ford arrive inside Residence.

PERSONAL/STAFF TIME: 1 hour, 5 minutes

NOTE: Mrs. Ford proceeds independently to local color event.

3:55 pm The President departs Residence and proceeds to motorcade for boarding.

MOTORCADE DEPARTS Residence en route Memorial Union Building for Statewide Press Conference.

[Driving time: 3 minutes]



3:58 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Memorial Union Building.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE

The President proceeds inside auditorium en route off-stage announcement area.

4:00 pm The President arrives announcement area and pauses for announcement.

4:01 pm Announcement.

FULL PRESS COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE: 200

4:02 pm Statewide Press Conference begins.

5:00 pm Statewide Press Conference concludes.

The President departs auditorium and proceeds to motorcade for boarding.

NOTE: The President may desire to shake hands with members of the press corp en route motorcade.

5:12 pm The President boards motorcade.

MOTORCADE DEPARTS Memorial Union Building en route Residence.

[Driving time: 3 minutes]

5:15 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Residence.

The President proceeds inside Residence.

PERSONAL/STAFF TIME: 1 hour, 25 minutes

6:40 pm The President and Mrs. Ford depart Residence en route motorcade for boarding.

MOTORCADE DEPARTS Residence en route University Gymnasium.

[Driving time: 3 minutes]



6:43 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES University Gymnasium.

The President and Mrs. Ford proceed to dais reception room.

6:45 pm The President and Mrs. Ford arrive dais reception room and informally greet guests.

6:58 pm Dais guests are introduced onto the dais.

6:59 pm The President and Mrs. Ford departs reception room and proceed to off-stage announcement area and await announcement.

The President and Mrs. Ford arrive off-stage announcement area.

7:00 pm Announcement.

The President and Mrs. Ford proceed onto dais and remain standing.

7:02 pm Invocation.

7:05 pm Introduction of the President by the President of the University of New Hampshire.

7:10 pm Presidential remarks.

FULL PRESS COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE: 3500

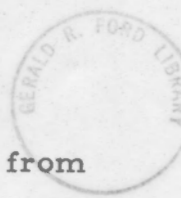
7:25 pm Remarks conclude.

The President opens the floor for questions from the audience.

DURATION: 25 minutes

7:50 pm The President and Mrs. Ford depart dais and proceed to motorcade for boarding.

8:00 pm MOTORCADE DEPARTS University Gymnasium en route Pease AFB, Portsmouth, New Hampshire.



[Driving time: 15 minutes]

8:15 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Pease AFB.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE
CLOSED DEPARTURE

8:25 pm The President and Mrs. Ford board Air Force One.

AIR FORCE ONE DEPARTS Pease AFB, Portsmouth,
New Hampshire, en route Andrews AFB.

[Flying time: 1 hour, 15 minutes]

[No time change.]

9:40 pm AIR FORCE ONE ARRIVES Andrews AFB.

The President and Mrs. Ford board helo.

9:45 pm HELO DEPARTS Andrews AFB en route South Lawn.

[Flying time: 15 minutes]

10:00 pm HELO ARRIVES South Lawn.



1/23/76
11:00 pm

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PROPOSED SCHEDULE

THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. FORD'S
VISIT TO NEW HAMPSHIRE

Saturday & Sunday, February 7 & 8, 1976

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1976

9:50 am The President and Mrs. Ford board helo on
(EST) South Lawn.

HELO DEPARTS South Lawn en route Andrews AFB.

[Flying time: 15 minutes]

10:05 am HELO ARRIVES Andrews AFB.

The President and Mrs. Ford board Air Force One.

10:10 am AIR FORCE ONE DEPARTS Andrews AFB en route
Grenier Field, Manchester, New Hampshire.

[Flying time: 1 hour, 5 minutes]

[No time change]

11:15 am AIR FORCE ONE ARRIVES Grenier Field, Manchester,
New Hampshire.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE

OPEN ARRIVAL

The President & Mrs. Ford will be met by:
Representative Jim Cleveland (R-N. H.)
Former Governor Peterson

NOTE: En route motorcade, the President
will pause to talk to local press in the
press area.



The President boards motorcade.

NOTE: Mrs. Ford will proceed independently to color event and then to Residence. Susan and Jack Ford proceed independently to High School Ski Races.

11:35 am MOTORCADE DEPARTS Grenier Field en route Rundlett Junior High School, Concord, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 35 minutes]

12:10 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Rundlett Junior High School.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE
CLOSED ARRIVAL

The President proceeds to holding room.

12:15 pm The President arrives holding room.

12:25 pm The President departs holding room and proceeds to off-stage announcement area to await announcement.

12:28 pm The President arrives announcement area.

12:30 pm Announcement.

12:30 pm The President proceeds to podium and opens Budget Briefing with statement.

FULL PRESS COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE: 350
DURATION: 90 minutes

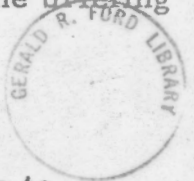
12:40 pm Remarks conclude and the President opens the briefing for questions and answers.

1:55 pm Briefing concludes.

The President departs platform and proceeds to holding room, while guests proceed to Reception Room.

2:00 pm The President arrives holding room.

2:05 pm The President departs holding room and proceeds to Reception Room.



2:08pm The President arrives Reception Room and informally greets guests.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE: 350

2:30 pm The President departs Reception Room and proceeds to motorcade for boarding.

2:35 pm MOTORCADE DEPARTS Rundlett Jr. High School en route Thurber Residence, Nashua, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 1 hour]

3:35 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Thurber Residence, Nashua, New Hampshire.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE
OPEN ARRIVAL

The President proceeds inside Residence.

PERSONAL/STAFF TIME: 2 hours, 40 minutes

6:15 pm The President and Mrs. Ford depart Residence and proceed to motorcade for boarding.

6:20 pm MOTORCADE DEPARTS Thurber Residence en route Nashua Senior High School.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE

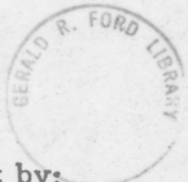
[Driving time: 10 minutes]

6:30 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Nashua Senior High School.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE
CLOSED ARRIVAL

The President & Mrs. Ford will be met by:
Mr. & Mrs. Ross A. Tait, Chamber of
Commerce President

6:32 pm The President and Mrs. Ford arrive Reception Room and informally greet Head Table Guests.



PRESS POOL COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE: 50

7:00 pm The President and Mrs. Ford depart Reception Room
and proceed to holding room.

The President and Mrs. Ford arrive holding room.

7:00 pm Members of the Head Table are introduced
onto the dais.

7:13 pm The President and Mrs. Ford depart holding room
and proceed to off-stage announcement area and
pause for announcement.

7:15 pm Announcement.

7:15 pm The President and Mrs. Ford proceed onto dais
and remain standing.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE: 1100

7:16 pm Invocation by Rev. Robert D. Schenhil.

7:18 pm National Anthem.

7:20 pm The President and Mrs. Ford take their seats.

7:21 pm Dinner begins.

8:25 pm Dinner concludes.

8:26 pm Welcoming remarks by Ross A. Tait.

8:30 pm Remarks by Governor Meldrim Thomson (R-N. H.)

8:33 pm Remarks by Senator Thomas J. McIntyre (D-N. H.)

8:36 pm Remarks by Senator John A. Durken (D-N. H.)

8:39 pm Remarks by Congressman James C. Cleveland
(R-N. H.)

8:42 pm Remarks by Congressman Norman E. D'Amours
(D-N. H.)



8:45 pm	Remarks by Major Dennis J. Sullivan.
8:48 pm	Presentation to Immediate Past President by Ross A. Tait.
8:58 pm	A special presentation by Ross A. Tait.
9:01 pm	Presentation of the Citizen of the Year by Joseph M. Kerrigan.
9:11 pm	Introduction of the President by Ross A. Tait.

9:15 pm Presidential remarks.

FULL PRESS COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE:

9:35 pm	Remarks conclude.
9:40 pm	The President and Mrs. Ford, escorted by Ross A. Tait, depart dais and proceed through audience to motorcade for boarding.
9:50 pm	The President and Mrs. Ford board motorcade.
	MOTORCADE DEPARTS Nashua Senior High School en route Thurber Residence.

[Driving time: 10 minutes]

10:00 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Thurber Residence.

 The President and Mrs. Ford proceed inside Residence.

OVERNIGHT



SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1976

10:15 am The President and Mrs. Ford depart Residence
 en route motorcade for boarding.

10:20 am MOTORCADE DEPARTS Thurber Residence en route
 Church, New Boston, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 35 minutes]

10:55 am MOTORCADE ARRIVES Church, New Boston.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE
OPEN ARRIVAL

The President and Mrs. Ford, escorted by a Church
Leader, proceeds inside Church to attend Service.

10:58 am The President and Mrs. Ford arrive pew and are
 seated.

11:00 am Service begins.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE

11:50 am Services conclude.

11:50 am The President and Mrs. Ford, escorted by a Church
 Leader, departs Church en route motorcade for boarding.

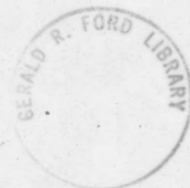
11:55 am MOTORCADE DEPARTS Church, New Boston, en route
 Rundlett Jr. High School, Concord, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 35 minutes]

12:30 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Rundlett Jr. High School,
 Concord, New Hampshire.

The President and Mrs. Ford proceed inside school
and informally greet campaign workers and their
families.

FULL PRESS COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE: 700



1:25 pm The President and Mrs. Ford arrives at stand-up microphone.

NOTE: Mr. J. Sanders Haas, Executive Director of the White Mountains, 93 Association will present the President with a life time Gold Ski Pass.

1:30 pm The President accepts the Ski Pass and offers brief informal remarks.

FULL PRESS COVERAGE

1:40 pm Remarks conclude.

The President and Mrs. Ford depart School and proceed to motorcade for boarding.

1:45 pm MOTORCADE DEPARTS Rundlett Jr. High School, Concord, New Hampshire, en route University of New Hampshire President's Residence, Durham, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 45 minutes]

2:30 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES University of New Hampshire President's Residence, Durham, New Hampshire.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE
OPEN ARRIVAL

2:35 pm The President and Mrs. Ford arrive inside Residence.

PERSONAL/STAFF TIME: 1 hour, 20 minutes

NOTE: Mrs. Ford proceeds independently to local color event.

3:55 pm The President departs Residence and proceeds to motorcade for boarding.

MOTORCADE DEPARTS Residence en route University Auditorium for Statewide Press Conference.

[Driving time: 3 minutes]



3:58 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES University Auditorium.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE

The President proceeds inside auditorium en route off-stage announcement area.

4:00 pm The President arrives announcement area and pauses for announcement.

4:01 pm Announcement.

FULL PRESS COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE: 200

4:02 pm Statewide Press Conference begins.

5:00 pm Statewide Press Conference concludes.

The President departs auditorium and proceeds to motorcade for boarding.

NOTE: The President may desire to shake hands with members of the press corp en route motorcade.

5:12 pm The President boards motorcade.

MOTORCADE DEPARTS University Auditorium en route Residence.

[Driving time: 3 minutes]

5:15 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Residence..

The President proceeds inside Residence.

PERSONAL/STAFF TIME: 1 hour, 25 minutes

6:40 pm The President and Mrs. Ford depart Residence en route motorcade for boarding.

MOTORCADE DEPARTS Residence en route University Gymnasium.

[Driving time: 3 minutes]



6:43 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES University Gymnasium.

The President and Mrs. Ford proceed to dais reception room.

6:45 pm The President and Mrs. Ford arrive dais reception room and informally greet guests.

6:58 pm Dais guests are introduced onto the dais.

6:59 pm The President and Mrs. Ford departs reception room and proceed to off-stage announcement area and await announcement.

The President and Mrs. Ford arrive off-stage announcement area.

7:00 pm Announcement.

The President and Mrs. Ford proceed onto dais and remain standing.

7:02 pm Invocation.

7:05 pm Introduction of the President by the President of the University of New Hampshire.

7:10 pm Presidential remarks.

FULL PRESS COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE: 3500

7:30 pm Remarks conclude.

The President and Mrs. Ford depart dais and proceed to Student Leaders Reception Room.

7:40 pm The President and Mrs. Ford arrive Student Leaders Reception Room and informally greet students.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE: 50

8:05 pm The President and Mrs. Ford depart Student Leaders Reception Room and proceed to motorcade for boarding.



8:10 pm MOTORCADE DEPARTS University Gymnasium en route
Pease AFB, Portsmouth, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 15 minutes]

8:25 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Pease AFB.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE
CLOSED DEPARTURE

8:30 pm The President and Mrs. Ford board Air Force One.

AIR FORCE ONE DEPARTS Pease AFB, Portsmouth,
New Hampshire, en route Andrews AFB.

[Flying time: 1 hour, 15 minutes]
[No time change]

9:45 pm AIR FORCE ONE ARRIVES Andrews AFB.
(EST)

The President and Mrs. Ford board helo.

9:50 pm HELO DEPARTS Andrews AFB en route South Lawn.

[Flying time: 15 minutes]

10:05 pm HELO ARRIVES South Lawn.



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 2, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR:

MRS. FORD

VIA:

RED CAVANEY 

FROM:

PETER SORUM

SUBJECT:

THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. FORD'S
VISIT TO NEW HAMPSHIRE
Saturday and Sunday
February 7th and 8th, 1976

Attached at TAB A is the Proposed Schedule for Mrs. Ford's independent activities on Saturday, February 7th, 1976.

APPROVE _____

DISAPPROVE _____

BACKGROUND

In addition to the arrival activity at Grenier Field in Manchester, New Hampshire, Mrs. Ford will join the President at the Nashua Chamber of Commerce Dinner on Saturday evening, a church service in Bedford, and a supporters' reception in Concord, both on Sunday.

Independently, Mrs. Ford will visit Salem, New Hampshire and the President Ford Committee Telephone Center on Saturday. It is recommended that she also join the President for his address at the University of New Hampshire on Sunday. This will depend on the choice of the following options:

OPTION #1: Travel with the President to the University of New Hampshire and take personal time until the speech. Following the speech, Mrs. Ford would return to Washington with the President.



OPTION #2: Travel with the President to the University of New Hampshire, attend the speech and depart independently for Ipswich, Massachusetts for an overnight with Mike and Gayle.

OPTION #3: Depart independently from Concord, New Hampshire en route Ipswich, Massachusetts for an overnight with Mike and Gayle.

NOTE: If this option is chosen, it is recommended that Mrs. Ford undertake an independent activity en route.

APPROVE:

Option #1 _____

Option #2 _____

Option #3 _____

Based on Mrs. Ford's choice of the above options, a Proposed Schedule for Sunday, February 8th, 1976, will be forthcoming.



PROPOSED SCHEDULE

2/2/76
12:00 noon

MRS. FORD'S VISIT TO NEW HAMPSHIRE

Saturday and Sunday
February 7th and 8th, 1976

9:50 am See President's Schedule for South Lawn departure and Manchester, New Hampshire arrival.

11:45 am Mrs. Ford, escorted by Vesta Roy, Co-Chairman, New Hampshire President Ford Committee, proceeds to motorcade for boarding.

MOTORCADE DEPARTS Grenier Field en route Salem Center, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 30 minutes]

12:15 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Old Town Hall, Salem Center, New Hampshire.

Mrs. Ford, escorted by Vesta Roy, proceeds inside Old Town Hall to view Senior Citizens' Program and Childrens' Recreation Program.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE

12:45 pm Mrs. Ford bids farewell and departs Old Town Hall en route motorcade for boarding.

MOTORCADE DEPARTS Salem Center, New Hampshire en route Nashua, New Hampshire.

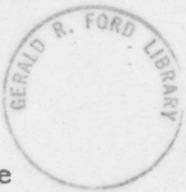
[Driving time: 30 minutes]

1:15 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES President Ford Committee Headquarters, Nashua, New Hampshire (23 Temple Street).

Mrs. Ford will be met by:

Martha Barrett, Phone Center Chairman

Mrs. Ford, escorted by Mrs. Barrett, proceeds into President Ford Headquarters to observe phone center operation.



NOTE: Mrs. Ford will be given an opportunity to participate in the phone center operation.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE

1:45 pm Mrs. Ford bids farewell and departs phone center en route motorcade for boarding.

MOTORCADE DEPARTS en route Thurber Residence.

[Driving time: 15 minutes]

2:00 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Thurber Residence.

Mrs. Ford will be met by:

Mr. and Mrs. Thurber

Mrs. Ford proceeds into residence.

PERSONAL/STAFF TIME: 4 hours, 15 minutes

6:15 pm See President's Schedule for evening activity.



1/16/76
1:30 pm

Nancy/Carolyn
CP

PROPOSED SCHEDULE

THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. FORD'S
VISIT TO NEW HAMPSHIRE

Saturday & Sunday, February 7 & 8, 1976

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1976

9:50 am The President and Mrs. Ford board helo on
(EST) South Lawn.

HELO DEPARTS South Lawn en route Andrews AFB.

[Flying time: 15 minutes]

10:05 am HELO ARRIVES Andrews AFB.

The President and Mrs. Ford board Air Force One.

10:10 am AIR FORCE ONE DEPARTS Andrews AFB en route
Grenier Field, Manchester, New Hampshire.

[Flying time: 1 hour, 5 minutes]

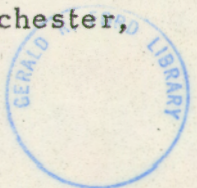
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11:15 am AIR FORCE ONE ARRIVES Grenier Field, Manchester,
New Hampshire.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE
OPEN ARRIVAL

The President & Mrs. Ford will be met by:
Representative Jim Cleveland (R-N. H.)
Former Governor Peterson

NOTE: En route motorcade, the President
will pause to talk to local press in the
press area.



The President boards motorcade.

NOTE: Mrs. Ford will proceed independently to color event and then to Residence. Susan and Jack Ford proceed independently to High School Ski Races.

11:30 am MOTORCADE DEPARTS Grenier Field en route
Civic Auditorium, Concord, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 35 minutes]

12:05 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Civic Auditorium.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE
CLOSED ARRIVAL

12:06 pm The President proceeds to holding room.

12:08 pm The President arrives holding room.

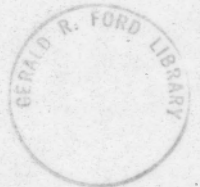
12:24 pm The President departs holding room and proceeds to
off-stage announcement area to await announcement.

12:25 pm The President arrives announcement area.

12:25 pm Announcement.

The President proceeds to podium and opens Budget
Briefing with statement.

FULL PRESS COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE: 350
DURATION: 90 minutes



12:40 pm Remarks conclude and the President opens the briefing
for questions and answers.

1:55 pm Briefing concludes.

1:56 pm The President departs platform and proceeds to
holding room.

1:57 pm. The President arrives holding room.

1:57 pm Briefing guests proceed to Reception Room.

2:10 pm The President departs holding room and proceeds
to Reception Room.

2:11 pm The President arrives Reception Room and informally greets guests.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE: 350

2:35 pm The President departs Reception Room and proceeds to motorcade for boarding.

2:40 pm MOTORCADE DEPARTS Civic Auditorium en route Thurber Residence, Nashua, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 1 hour]

3:40 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Thurber Residence, Nashua, New Hampshire.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE
OPEN ARRIVAL

The President proceeds inside Residence.

PERSONAL/STAFF TIME: 2 hours, 35 minutes

6:15 pm The President and Mrs. Ford depart Residence and proceed to motorcade for boarding.

6:20 pm MOTORCADE DEPARTS Thurber Residence en route Nashua Senior High School.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE

[Driving time: 10 minutes]

6:30 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Nashua Senior High School.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE
CLOSED ARRIVAL

The President & Mrs. Ford will be met by:
Mr. & Mrs. Ross A. Tait, Chamber of
Commerce President

6:32 pm The President and Mrs. Ford arrive Reception Room and informally greet Head Table Guests.



PRESS POOL COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE: 50

6:55 pm The President and Mrs. Ford depart Reception Room
and proceed to holding room.

6:56 pm The President and Mrs. Ford arrive holding room.

6:56 pm Members of the Head Table are introduced
onto the dais.

7:13 pm The President and Mrs. Ford depart holding room
and proceed to off-stage announcement area and
pause for announcement.

7:15 pm Announcement.

The President and Mrs. Ford proceed onto dais
and remain standing.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE: 1400

7:16 pm Invocation by Rev. Robert D. Schenhil.

7:18 pm National Anthem.

The President and Mrs. Ford take their seats.

7:21 pm Dinner begins.

8:25 pm Dinner concludes.

8:26 pm Welcoming remarks by Ross A. Tait.

8:30 pm Remarks by Governor Meldrim Thomson (R-N. H.)

8:33 pm Remarks by Senator Thomas J. McIntyre (D-N. H.)

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FULL PRESS COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE:

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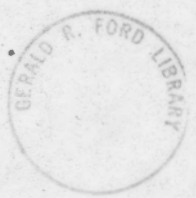
9:50 pm The President and Mrs. Ford, escorted by Ross A. Tait,
depart dais and proceed through audience to motorcade
for boarding.

10:00 pm The President and Mrs. Ford board motorcade.

10:05 pm MOTORCADE DEPARTS Nashua Senior High School
en route Thurber Residence.

[Driving time: 10 minutes]

10:15 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Thurber Residence.



The President and Mrs. Ford proceed inside Residence.

OVERNIGHT

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1976

9:20 am The President and Mrs. Ford depart Residence
en route motorcade for boarding.

9:25 am MOTORCADE DEPARTS Thurber Residence en route
Church, New Boston, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 35 minutes]

10:00 am MOTORCADE ARRIVES Church, New Boston.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE
OPEN ARRIVAL

10:05 am The President and Mrs. Ford, escorted by a Church
Leader, proceeds inside Church to attend Service.

10:10 am The President and Mrs. Ford arrive pew and are
seated.

10:11 am Service begins.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE

11:50 am Services conclude.

11:50 am The President and Mrs. Ford, escorted by a Church
Leader, departs Church en route motorcade for boarding.

11:55 am MOTORCADE DEPARTS Church, New Boston, en route
National Guard Armory, Concord, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 35 minutes]

12:30 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES National Guard Armory,
Concord, New Hampshire.

The President and Mrs. Ford proceed inside armory
and informally greet campaign workers and their
families.

FULL PRESS COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE: 700



1:20 pm The President and Mrs. Ford arrives at stand-up microphone.

NOTE: Mr. J. Sanders Haas, Executive Director of the White Mountains, 93 Association will present the President with a life time Gold Ski Pass.

1:25 pm The President accepts the Ski Pass and offers brief informal remarks.

FULL PRESS COVERAGE

1:30 pm Remarks conclude.

1:40 pm The President and Mrs. Ford depart armory and proceed to motorcade for boarding.

1:45 pm MOTORCADE DEPARTS National Guard Armory, Concord, New Hampshire, en route University of New Hampshire President's Residence, Durham, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 1 hour]

2:45 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES University of New Hampshire President's Residence, Durham, New Hampshire.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE
OPEN ARRIVAL

2:50 pm The President and Mrs. Ford proceed inside Residence.

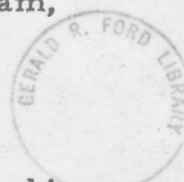
PERSONAL/STAFF TIME: 1 hour, 5 minutes

NOTE: Mrs. Ford proceeds independently to local color event.

3:55 pm The President departs Residence and proceeds to motorcade for boarding.

MOTORCADE DEPARTS Residence en route University Auditorium for Statewide Press Conference.

[Driving time: 3 minutes]



3:58 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES University Auditorium.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE

The President proceeds inside auditorium en route off-stage announcement area.

4:00 pm The President arrives announcement area and pauses for announcement.

4:01 pm Announcement.

FULL PRESS COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE: 200

4:02 pm Statewide Press Conference begins.

5:00 pm Statewide Press Conference concludes.

5:10 pm The President departs auditorium and proceeds to motorcade for boarding.

NOTE: The President may desire to shake hands with members of the press corp en route motorcade.

5:15 pm The President boards motorcade.

MOTORCADE DEPARTS University Auditorium en route Residence.

[Driving time: 3 minutes]

5:18 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Residence.

The President proceeds inside Residence.

PERSONAL/STAFF TIME: 1 hour, 22 minutes

6:40 pm The President and Mrs. Ford depart Residence en route motorcade for boarding.

MOTORCADE DEPARTS Residence en route University Gymnasium.

[Driving time: 3 minutes]



6:43 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES University Gymnasium.

The President and Mrs. Ford proceed to dais reception room.

6:45 pm The President and Mrs. Ford arrive dais reception room and informally greet guests.

6:58 pm Dais guests are introduced onto the dais.

6:59 pm The President and Mrs. Ford departs reception room and proceed to off-stage announcement area and await announcement.

7:00 pm The President and Mrs. Ford arrive off-stage announcement area.

7:01 pm Announcement.

The President and Mrs. Ford proceed onto dais and remain standing.

7:03 pm Invocation.

7:05 pm Introduction of the President by the President of the University of New Hampshire.

7:10 pm Presidential remarks.

FULL PRESS COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE: 3500



7:25 pm Remarks conclude.

7:30 pm The President and Mrs. Ford depart dais and proceed to Student Leaders Reception Room.

7:31 pm The President and Mrs. Ford arrive Student Leaders Reception Room and informally greet students.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE: 50

8:00 pm The President and Mrs. Ford depart Student Leaders Reception Room and proceed to motorcade for boarding.

8:05 pm MOTORCADE DEPARTS University Gymnasium en route
Pease AFB, Portsmouth, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 15 minutes]

8:20 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Pease AFB.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE
CLOSED DEPARTURE

8:25 pm The President and Mrs. Ford board Air Force One.

AIR FORCE ONE DEPARTS Pease AFB, Portsmouth,
New Hampshire, en route Andrews AFB.

[Flying time: 1 hour, 5 minutes]
[No time change]

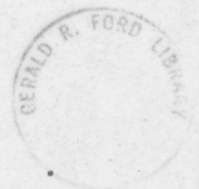
9:30 pm AIR FORCE ONE ARRIVES Andrews AFB.
(EST)

The President and Mrs. Ford board helo.

9:35 pm HELO DEPARTS Andrews AFB en route South Lawn.

[Flying time: 15 minutes]

9:50 pm HELO ARRIVES South Lawn.



PROPOSED SCHEDULE

2/2/76
12:00 noon

MRS. FORD'S VISIT TO NEW HAMPSHIRE

Saturday and Sunday
February 7th and 8th, 1976

9:50 am See President's Schedule for South Lawn departure and Manchester, New Hampshire arrival.

11:45 am Mrs. Ford, escorted by Vesta Roy, Co-Chairman, New Hampshire President Ford Committee, proceeds to motorcade for boarding.

MOTORCADE DEPARTS Grenier Field en route Salem Center, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 30 minutes]

12:15 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Old Town Hall, Salem Center, New Hampshire.

Mrs. Ford, escorted by Vesta Roy, proceeds inside Old Town Hall to view Senior Citizens' Program and Childrens' Recreation Program.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE

12:45 pm Mrs. Ford bids farewell and departs Old Town Hall en route motorcade for boarding.

MOTORCADE DEPARTS Salem Center, New Hampshire en route Nashua, New Hampshire.

[Driving time: 30 minutes]

1:15 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES President Ford Committee Headquarters, Nashua, New Hampshire (23 Temple Street).

Mrs. Ford will be met by:

Martha Barrett, Phone Center Chairman

Mrs. Ford, escorted by Mrs. Barrett, proceeds into President Ford Headquarters to observe phone center operation.



NOTE: Mrs. Ford will be given an opportunity to participate in the phone center operation.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE

1:45 pm Mrs. Ford bids farewell and departs phone center en route motorcade for boarding.

MOTORCADE DEPARTS en route Thurber Residence.

[Driving time: 15 minutes]

2:00 pm MOTORCADE ARRIVES Thurber Residence.

Mrs. Ford will be met by:

Mr. and Mrs. Thurber

Mrs. Ford proceeds into residence.

PERSONAL/STAFF TIME: 4 hours, 15 minutes

6:15 pm See President's Schedule for evening activity.



President & Mrs. Ford's visit
to Nashua, N.H.

Saturday

2:00pm Mrs. Ford arr. res.
3:00pm Mike & Gayle arr R.
4:05pm MTCD arr. Res.
5:50pm Staff to MTCD
6:05pm Pres & Mrs. board MTCD
6:10pm MTCD dept. res.
6:20pm MTCD arr. school
6:25pm Pres & Mrs arr. recep.
6:50pm Pres & Mrs dept. recep.
6:53pm Pres & Mrs. arr. HR
7:05pm Pres & Mrs dept. HR
7:07pm Announce
7:07pm Pres & Mrs to dias
7:09pm Nat. Anth. etc.
7:17pm Pres & Mrs seated
8:23pm Dinner Concludes
9:00pm Pres Remarks
9:20pm Remarks conclude
9:22pm Pres & Mrs dept. dias
Staff to MTCD
9:30pm MTCD dept. school
9:40pm MTCD arr. res.
RON

Sunday

10:00 Staff to MTCD
10:15am Pres & Mrs, Mike &
Gayle board MTCD
10:20am MTCD departs.

THE PRESIDENT & MRS. FORDS
VISIT TO NEW HAMPSHIRE
Feb. 7-8, 1976

C. POREMBKA

10:15 am AF1 dpts en rte
Manchester, N. H.
[D. T. 1+15]
[NTC]

11:20 am AF1 arvs.
Bd Staff Car
in Mrs. Ford's mtrcd.

11:45 am Mtrcd dpts en rte
Lancaster Elem. School
[D. T. 30 mins]

12:15 pm Mtrcd arvs.
Follow Mrs. Ford
inside school.

12:45 pm Proceed to mtrcd
for bding as on arvl.

12:45 pm Mtrcd dpts en rte
Nashua, N. H.
[D. T. 30 mins]

1:15 pm Mtrcd arvs PFC
Headquarters.

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1:45 pm Follow Mrs. Ford
inside Headquarters.
Proceed to mtrcd for
bding as on arvl.

1:45 pm Mtrcd dpts en rte
Nashua Residence.
[D. T. 15 mins]

2:00 pm Mtrcd arvs.
Proceed to your
guest quarters.

Free Day until
5:50 pm.

5:50 pm Bd vehicles at your
quarters for transp.
to C of C Dinner.

6:10 pm Mtrcd dpts en rte
Nashua Sr. HS.
[D. T. 10 mins]

6:20 pm Mtrcd arvs.
You will be escorted
to HT Recep.

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NO SMOKING IN HS.

- 6:50 pm You will be escorted
to C of C Dinner.
- 9:22 pm You will be escorted
to mtrcd for boarding
as on arvl.
- 9:30 pm Mtrcd dpts en rte
Nashua Residence.
[D. T. 10 mins]
- 9:40 pm Mtrcd arvs.
Transportation will
be provided to your
guest house.

FREE EVENING.

OVERNIGHT

Sunday, February 8, 1976

- 10:00 am Bd vehicles at your
quarters for transp.
to Church.
- 10:20 am Mtrcd dpts en rte
Bedford Presbyterian
Church.
[D. T. 35 mins]
- 10:55 am Mtrcd arvs.
You will be escorted
to Pews 3&4.
- 11:50 am You will be escorted
to mtrcd for bding
as on arvl.
- 11:55 am Mtrcd dpts en rte
Rundlett JHS.
[D. T. 30 mins]
- 12:25 pm Mtrcd arvs.
You will be escorted
to Reception Room.
- 1:40 pm You will be escorted
to mtrcd for bding
as on arrival

1:45 pm Mtrcd dpts en rte
Durham, N. H.
[D. T. 1 hour]

2:45 pm Mtrcd arvs.
no
Thurs
Remain in vehicles
for transp to Staff
Lge (Grafton Rm).
3:50 pm You will be escorted
from Staff Lge to
Press Conference.
4:02 pm Press Conf. begins.
5:00 pm Press Conf.
concludes.
You will be escorted
to Staff Lge.
Free time until 6:10 pm.
6:10 pm You will be escorted
from Staff Lge to
Presidential Res. to
bd mtrcd.
get
motorcade
6:40 pm Mtrcd dpts en rte
Lundholm Gym.
[D. T. 3 mins]

6:43 pm Mtrcd arvs.
You will be escorted
to a special seating
area.

8:00 pm You will be escorted
to mtrcd for bding
as on arrival.

8:05 pm Mtrcd dpts en rte
Pease AFB.
[D. T. 15 mins]

8:20 pm Mtrcd arvs.
Bd AF1 as on arvl.

8:25 pm ~~AF1 dpts en rte AAFB.~~
[F. T. 1+15]
[NTC]

9:40 pm AF1 arvs.
Transportation will
be provided to your
destination.

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Schedule	Miniature sized detailed guest and staff schedule for Mrs. Ford's visit to New Hampshire, February 7-8, 1976; with attachments. 30 pages.	2/6/1976, 3:00 PM	B

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