

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

CAPITOL HILL RECEPTION

CAPITOL HILL CLUB

Wednesday - December 4, 1974

Departure: 5:00 P.M.

From: Terry O'Donnell **DD**

BACKGROUND:

A reception is being held this evening from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. in the Third Floor Dining Room of the Capitol Hill Club honoring the 16 newly elected Republican Congressmen and their wives. (List attached at TAB A). This event is a capstone of two days of extensive briefings during which time the following members of the Administration will have addressed the group: Vice President-designate Rockefeller, Secretaries Morton, Schlesinger, Butz, Simon and Weinberger, Mr. Ash, Assistant Secretary Holton, Mr. Timmons and Mr. Friedersdorf.

In addition to the new Republican Members of Congress, GOP Leaders and their wives and Members of the Cabinet and their wives have been invited to attend. Participation of the Congressional Leaders will depend on what is taking place on the Hill and there is a possibility that not too many will be on hand when you arrive.

Due to a previous commitment, Mrs. Ford will not accompany you. She is scheduled to attend an event at the Dulles Airport Holiday Inn sponsored by "No Greater Love" and the Washington Redskins on behalf of children of fathers killed in action or missing in action.

Your participation will be to mingle informally with the guests for a brief period and depart. (You are not expected to make remarks.)

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SEQUENCE:

5:00 p.m.

Depart South Grounds via motorcade en route the Capitol Hill Club.

5:15 p.m.

Arrive Capitol Hill Club.

You will be met by GOP representatives, including a Capitol Hill official (probably Congressman Collier) and escorted up the elevator to the third floor dining room.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE

Mingle informally with the guests.

5:30 p.m.

Depart reception, proceed to motorcade, board, and depart en route the White House.

5:45 p.m.

Arrive South Grounds of the White House.

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FRESHMEN REPUBLICANS - 94th CONGRESS

Richard Kelley (Florida - 5th District)

George Hansen (Idaho - 2nd District - former MC)

Henry Hyde (Illinois - 6th District)

Charles C. Grassley (Iowa - 3rd District)

W. Henson Moore (Louisiana - 6th District) (Runoff election in January)

David Emery (Maine - 1st District)

Tom Hagedon (Minnesota - 2nd District)

Virginia Smith (Nebraska - 3rd District)

Millient Fenwick (New Jersey - 5th District)

Willis Gradison (Ohio - 1st District)

Thomas Kindness (Ohio - 8th District)

Richard Schulze (Pennsylvania - 5th District)

William Goodling (Pennsylvania - 19th District)

Gary Myers (Pennsylvania - 25th District)

Larry Pressler (South Dakota - At Large)

James Jeffords (Vermont - At Large)

Robert Kasten (Wisconsin - 9th District)