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ADVISOR TO PRESIDENT FORD TO TALK ON NIXON PARDON

Ann Arbor, Mich... **Attorney Benton Becker** was a key advisor to **President Ford** in the pardon of **Richard Nixon** and the disposition of **Nixon's papers** and the famous tapes. Join us to hear **Professor Becker** on **Wednesday, March 10, 2010 at 7:30 p.m.** upon the **35th anniversary** of one of our most dramatic presidential transitions. **There is no charge for this event, there will be open seating, and a reception will follow the program.**



Although not a member of Gerald Ford's congressional or White House staff, **Benton L. Becker** played an integral role in some of the most important events of the U.S. President's career, including the investigation of Associate Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas, Ford's confirmation as Vice President, the Nixon pardon, and the disposition of Nixon's papers. Mr. Becker has served as an Adjunct Professor of constitutional law at University of Miami for many years. Professor Becker has a law practice in Florida.

The Gerald R. Ford Presidential Library is open 8:45 a.m. - 4:45 p.m. Monday-Friday and is closed on Federal Holidays. The Ford Library is located at 1000 Beal Avenue on the North Campus of the University of Michigan. Admission and Parking are free. For information please call (734) 205-0555 or visit us on the web at www.fordlibrarymuseum.gov.

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