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MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 5, 1981

MEMORANDUM

TO: ED MEESE
FROM: MICHAEL K. DEEVER
SUBJECT: Fritz Brown

Fritz Brown is a personal friend of mine. I would be happy to help here but I thought you would be interested in talking to this group.

Let me know.

**Brown, Stevens,
Elmore & Sparre**

COMMERCIAL REAL ESTATE

April 29, 1981

Mr. Michael K. Deaver
Assistant to the President
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Mike:

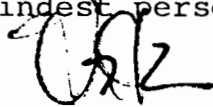
Needless to say, we all were very excited about the President's remarks before the joint session last night. The Sutter Club had a large screen in the downstairs library and coupled the speech with a reception for Lt. Governor Mike Curb. It was well-attended and the enthusiasm for the President was very evident.

On another matter, I am on the Executive Committee of the Golden Empire Council of the Boy Scouts and am also serving as the Chairman for the 1981 fund raising activities. It has been brought to my attention that a group of scouts from Sacramento totaling over 100 together with appropriate leaders will be in Washington touring on July 23rd and 24th (see attached letter).

One of the troop leaders was Ed Meese's son's scout master when he was in Sacramento. I believe Mr. Meese's son received his Eagle Award in Troop 53 (Sacramento). As you can see by the enclosed letter, they had previously written the President to request a brief meeting with him. Under the circumstances, I realize the President's schedule may not permit a visit. In that event, perhaps you and Mr. Meese and/or Elizabeth Taylor (only kidding) could meet with them instead. If John Wayne were alive, I am certain you could arrange that also.

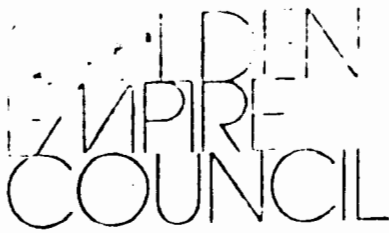
I realize this is asking a lot of you. However, if you were to grant me three wishes, this would be one of them.

Kindest personal regards,


F. Frederick Brown

FFB:gfb

Enclosure



Boy Scouts of America

P.O. BOX 254946 • SACRAMENTO, CA 95825 • TELEPHONE (916) 481-4111
Council Service Center: El Camino Avenue at Fair Oaks Boulevard, Carmichael

July 20, 1981

The Honorable Ronald Reagan
President, United States of America
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President;

The Golden Empire Council, Boy Scouts of America will participate in the National Boy Scout Jamboree, to be held at Fort A.P. Hill, Va. during the last of July and the beginning of August, 1981.

As council Jamboree Chairman, I will be leading a contingent of One Hundred and Eight Scouts, and twelve leaders for the tour and the Jamboree. Prior to our arriving at the Jamboree we will spend four days touring, in Washington, D.C.. This will be the period of July 23rd. to the 27th.

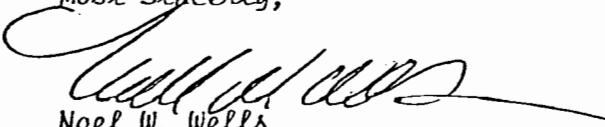
As a past member of our Executive Board and a fellow Silver Beaver recipient, I wondered if it would be at all possible for you and Mrs. Reagan to meet with our contingent for a few minutes during our stay in Washington? I am sure that it would be an experience that would live with each of the Scouts for the rest of their lives, and would allow you a closer look at some fine young men who are active in a very worthwhile program for the Youth of our Country.

The Jamboree's theme is " Scoutings Reunion with History", and continuing with that theme line, our Regional Subcamp has been named after the Rhode Island Regiment, one of many which distinguished themselves during the Revolutionary War. I have enclosed one of our "Recruiting" Posters for your inspection. In addition I am including one of the National Jamboree patches.

A response maybe forwarded to me at either the Council address (above) or directly at P.O. Box 22340, Sacramento, Ca. 95822.

I am most thankfull, as I know the rest of the country is also, that you are recovering from the incident of several weeks ago, with a minimum of dis-comfort.

Most Sincerely,


Noel W. Wells

President G. E. C. Jamboree Chairman
Commissioner NEIL LOVERIDGE
Treasurer EDWARD L. LAMMERDING
Scout Executive RON HEGWOOD

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MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 5, 1981

MEMORANDUM

TO: JAMES A. BAKER, III
FROM: MICHAEL K. DEEVER
SUBJECT: New York Times Editorial

I don't know whether you saw this New York Times editorial, but I agree. It's fine to talk about private industry and producing more, but I don't think we should lose sight of the conservation issue for publicity purposes.

cc: Craig Fuller
Dave Gergen

The Reagan Energy Slogan *The Carter plan poor 5% 1980*

Miraculously, the noose is loosening.

Less than two years ago, angry people waited in predawn gasoline lines; now there seems to be so much gasoline that dealers are shaving prices. Nationwide, the winter just ended was 3 percent colder than last year, yet demand for heating oil went down 13 percent. When Jimmy Carter came down from Camp David to speak of national malaise, America was importing 8.4 million barrels of oil a day. Now the figure is 6 million. OPEC's grip is weakening.

But why stop there? The United States can, at minimal cost and sacrifice, conserve much more, helping our security, our allies and our economy. Why don't we do it?

Decontrolling oil prices has had two immensely favorable effects. When oil costs more, people use less of it — and producers spend money to find more. Both effects are plain: imports have dropped 1.5 million barrels a day since a year ago, while domestic production has jumped 600,000 barrels a day. Those are facts to cheer. They mean less pressure on American diplomacy. They mean paying OPEC \$50 million less every day. They mean helping every other country that must import oil, for the less we buy the less we bid up the world price.

Yet conservation seems to have no place in the Reagan energy policy. In truth, that seems to be no policy at all, only a slogan: Unshackle private industry and produce more.

President Reagan was clearly right to accelerate the decontrol of oil prices already bravely begun by President Carter. Mr. Reagan would be just as right now to ask Congress to do the same for natural gas prices. But when a Federal conservation effort could achieve so much more, why stop there?

For instance, there are still some 20 million under-insulated homes whose owners simply can't afford to insulate. Grants, loans or incentives to help them do so would, could save 700,000 barrels of imported oil a day, loosening the noose by \$8 billion a year. It would loosen the noose more if electric utilities were pressed to burn domestic coal instead of foreign oil . . . and if Government stuck with 55 miles an hour . . . and if Federal thermostat limits were reimposed.

In all, it is reasonable to think that the imports could thus be cut another third, to four million barrels a day — *and at no economic cost*. Yes, low-interest loans for insulation would cost the Treasury. Helping under-write utility coal conversion would, too. But compared to what? Every time the price of oil goes up, the price of almost everything else goes up, too — from airline tickets to labor contracts. Why, then, does the Reagan Administration cling to its singleminded emphasis on production?

There is no obvious explanation. Perhaps it is because the President has allowed energy responsibility to be splattered around Washington. Though not yet dead, the Energy Department is barely twitching. The State Department has taken over the international aspects of energy. Interior has rushed in to take the lead on production.

No one of wisdom and authority in the Administration seems to understand what is being lost. Conservation is not an *alternative* to the market but a supplement, adding to the effect of production. If price decontrol stimulates 600,000 new barrels a day in domestic production, wonderful. But if sensible conservation will save another million barrels, it is reckless and extravagant not to pursue it.

Surely someone in the Reagan Administration will recognize the need and step into the breach. But who? And when?

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 5, 1981

Dear Bishop Walker:

I am very sorry that President Reagan was unable to visit with the Archbishop of Canterbury during his recent stay in Washington.

I do know the Vice President was delighted to fill in and meet all the Bishops of the Anglican Communion, as was I.

The Evensong Celebration at the Cathedral was one of the most moving services I have ever attended, and both Carolyn and I will remember it forever.

I was also delighted to hear from you that there are still some parishes where we may hear the old Prayer Book used. We will see you at 8:00 at the Cathedral.

Warm regards,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Bishop John T. Walker
Mt. St. Albans
Washington, D.C. 20016

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 5, 1981

Dear Hal:

You have been busy since you left Sacramento, but it looks like it's been a good experience for you.

I have taken the liberty of sending your letter over to Secretary Schweiker for his information. You should be hearing from him, or someone in his office shortly.

Many thanks and good luck.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Harold H. Griffin, Ph.D.
Family Health Program
1050 17th Street, N.W.
Suite 320
Washington, D.C. 20036

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 5, 1981

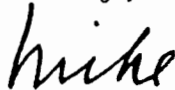
Dear Tim:

Thanks for your nice note.

I am delighted that you are gainfully employed at the Department of Commerce. I am sure by now you have run into Mary Nimmo, who is also working over there.

Good luck and stay in touch.

Sincerely,



MICHAEL K. DEAVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Timothy Coyle
Office of the Secretary
Room 5899
US Department of Commerce
Washington, D.C. 20230

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE



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To : Michael Deaver

From: Tim Coyle

Mike--

I haven't talked with you for awhile and wanted, first, to tell you how relieved I am that you're well and doing Newsweek features. That event last month scared the hell out of me, especially watching it repeated those few times on television. Your being so close to that guy really shook me up. I guess all of us on the campaign, at one time or another, worried of an assassination attempt. I just didn't expect it to happen. But, I thank God that you knew what to do and came away unhurt.

I do want you to know I appreciate the foot in the door over here at Commerce. Presently, I'm wearing two hats: assisting in the Office of the Secretary on personnel business and working special projects in the Office of Intergovernmental Affairs. The Baldrige Administration is shaping up to be an active one and I'm anxious to gather full steam in the IGA office.

I'm also anxious to see the President back to status quo. He's become a true symbol of strength and leadership, and was very much so before that tragedy. He owes his image to not only his mental and physical character, but to the selection of the people to surround him, as well. I think the transition following his injury is a great testament to that fact. You guys have done and continue to do a super job.

But, Mike, I'm going to worry about you as soon as the President returns to his normal schedule, so continue to hone those already good reflexes.

And, I again thank you for your help and encouragement.

Yours truly,

Tim

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 5, 1981

Dear Mrs. Lindsey:

Thank you for your recent letter in support of President Reagan. We are, of course, in total agreement with you about the scandal of waste in government and we are planning a major effort to halt the waste of taxpayers money through mismanagement and in some cases outright fraud. The details of our program in this important area will be made public in the months ahead. Unfortunately, this problem like many others in Washington will not be solved overnight. However, a start must be made and we believe the American people have given us a mandate to take action.

Your continued support in the months ahead will be greatly appreciated by the President.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mrs. Billie B. Lindsey
1843 London Village Drive
Birmingham, AL 35235

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 5, 1981

Dear June:

Thanks so much for the nice letter. I was delighted to hear about everyone. I recently received a delightful book of verse from Ronnie.

I spoke last night to your father and he sounded very strong and vigorous. I think he must eat the same jelly beans that the President does. I'm sending along one of his jelly bean jars just in case.

I'm jealous when I think of the simpler life in Fallon. It reminds me of an earlier time but I suppose I sought what I'm doing. It is exciting and rewarding but one of these days I'm going to have to get out and make some money.

Caroline and the kids are fine. Amanda will be eleven in June and is attending a very fine girl's school in Maryland - and not very happy about it although she was just elected class president. Blair, six is going to a public school in the District. We have been taking some interesting side trips on the week-ends I don't have duty. There is so much beauty and history back here although we yearn for that big Western sky.

We see Paul and Carol Laxalt often and may join them at Tahoe this summer.

Thanks again for writing. Keep me posted on all.

I'm enclosing a recent photo. Guess who's the Prince.

Warm regards,



Mrs. June Brown
c/o Mr. Edward Brown
Fallon, Nevada

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

J. Baker / E. Meese

TO: Mike Deaver
FROM: Helene von Damm
DATE: May 6, 1981

*would this fall into the
Hodwell / W. H. Fellows
category?*

Just a note to remind you of our conversation in which I expressed my desire to serve as a member of the Committee for the Preservation of the White House. I could serve as a liaison with the East Wing and assist in the raising of funds for the preservation of the White House.

~~Helene von Damm~~ *meese, Baker & me have decided*

HvD/lis

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 6, 1981

Dear Mr. Scott:

Thank you for your nice note of support.
I appreciate the fact that you took the
time to let us know that our efforts have
not been in vain.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Mike Scott
Rt 1, Box 293
Elkins, W. Virginia 26241

MD

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 6, 1981

Dear Mr. Higby:

Thank you for your letter to the President concerning the Veterans Administration Vet Centers and their medical care funding.

Both President Reagan and the Congress have expressed their support for strict budgetary restraints and it appears that all federal activities will participate in efforts to control deficit spending. Just how the Veterans Administration programs will be affected, we cannot be sure at this time. The VA does, however, recognize its responsibility to be sure that the very best use of VA resources is made. This requires periodic reviews and the redirection of programs, when this appears indicated. The present VA budget, through realignment of existing resources, permits the continued treatment of a record number of veteran patients with a professional staff of unprecedented quality. We believe the American people can be confident that the health care of this Nation's veterans is not being neglected.

Your concern for Vietnam veterans is one that has been widely shared in recent years, as the society in general and the VA in particular have moved to recognize that the unique nature of the Vietnam War posed special readjustment needs for many veterans. These needs have been addressed in several ways, including taking the lead in an interagency inquiry into the health-related effects of herbicides used in Vietnam and special campaigns to encourage the use of GI Bill educational benefits. A far higher percentage of Vietnam veterans has used these benefits than either World War II or Korean veterans.

The VA readjustment counseling program which was especially designed to reach out to Vietnam veterans is moving well along toward fulfilling its purpose in its two-year lifespan and has served thousands of veterans at 91 special Vet Centers around the country. The original legislation authorizing the Vet Center program expires in the fall of 1981. Several legislative proposals have been introduced in the 97th Session of Congress for varying periods of extension. The Administration's budget, as

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recently presented to Congress, recommends the elimination of the program as a part of the overall reduction in Federal expenses. Although this outreach aspect of veterans' care may terminate, all veterans with entitlement will continue to be served within the VA's health care system.

I appreciate the opportunity to provide this information.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. John Higby
231½ Watson Street
Ripon, Wisconsin 54971

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 6, 1981

Dear Keith:

I have sent RAMBLING WILLIE on to the President. I am sure he will enjoy it very much. Thank you for your thoughtfulness.

I trust things are going well for you.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. L. Keith Bulen
Suite 2050
1 Indiana Square
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 6, 1981

Dear Mr. Goodyear:

President Reagan will not be delivering a commencement address at Tufts University this year. I appreciate your comments and I am grateful for your concern.

Many thanks.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Douglas Goodyear
136 Carmichael Hall
Tufts University
Medford, Mass. 02155

BCC- Greg Nemell

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 6, 1981

Dear Mike:

I hope you can appreciate and pass on to Mr. Muscio the advisability of trying to eliminate a good deal of the things from the President's schedule, due to the recent shooting incident.

I would be happy to receive the tiles. I am sure the President would respond directly to Mr. Muscio, but a meeting with the President at this time is not possible.

Please let me know how Mr. Muscio would like to handle this in light of the above.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Michael Wootton
District Assistant
2332 Rayburn Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

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MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 6, 1981

MEMORANDUM


TO: MUFFIE BRANDON
FROM: MICHAEL K. DEEVER
SUBJECT: Nancy Hanks

I spoke to you the other day about Nancy Hanks' interest in your idea about a White House series for young performers. Attached are her thoughts. You may want to respond to her directly.

Keep me posted.

April 29, 1981

MEMORANDUM

To: Michael Deaver
From: Nancy Hanks 
Subject: White House Series for Young Performers

At your request I gave some preliminary thought to the proposal for young performers.

General: Excellent idea, that requires thorough exploration.

Timing: Still possible to arrange for fall, though timing very tight to do superbly, which is essential.

Funding: Casual check of concept indicates funding would be available, though I did not have a budget figure.

Possible Format: There are many alternates. The following appeals to me the most for several reasons, including selection process and audience building.

Select six (or whatever number you decide) highly respected senior artists, like Serkin, Price, Baryshnikov. These six recommend one or two young artists with final selection by White House to be certain to get balance of programming.

Use the six senior artists to introduce or participate in some manner in the series. Mrs. Reagan's personal participation will help greatly in audience building but the famous artists will augment interest and this very much needed, especially at the beginning.

Using respected senior artists obviates need for a formal jury or panel and is a valid selection process.

Stress always this is first of a series so those not included know they have a later opportunity. Also, gives room to change selection process in later rounds if desired.

Costs: Budget must contain adequate payment and reimbursement of expenses for the young performers.

The issue of donating talent for public service is becoming highly sensitive. Also, corporations and other funders tend to put up the funds for television production, giving far too little thought to the real costs of training, rehearsal, or actual production costs.

The White House's understanding of both these issues could be an added benefit to the primary goal of promoting young American talent.

Talent: Top flight professional direction of the series is essential, especially given short time frame.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 6, 1981

Dear Jesse:

I received your letter regarding the Charlotte Civitan Club.

I am sure you understand, due to recent activities, we have limited the President's speaking engagements. I am sorry we can't accommodate this request which I am sure would be a delightful event for President Reagan.

Many thanks for bringing this to my attention.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

The Honorable Jesse Helms
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

BCC to Greg Newell w/ all attachments

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 6, 1981

Dear Julian:

Many thanks for sending on the message that Paul Thayer and The LTV Corporation have been sending out to their employees and shareholders.

I am continually overwhelmed by the grass roots support for the program in support of President Reagan's economic package. All those efforts will be rewarded by a favorable vote in Congress soon.

Thanks again.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Julian Scheer
The LTV Corporation
1155 Fifteenth Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20005

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 6, 1981

MEMORANDUM

TO: ADM OFFICE (Mr. Morris)
FROM: MICHAEL K. DEEVER
SUBJECT: Newspaper Delivery

The following Newspapers are requested daily
(includes Saturday and Sunday):

THE WASHINGTON POST
THE WASHINGTON STAR
THE NEW YORK TIMES
THE LOS ANGELES TIMES

Please discontinue the following:

Chicago Times
Sacramento Bee
Baltimore Sun
New York Daily News
San Francisco Chronical

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 6, 1981

Dear Bruce:

It was good to see you and your wife at the recent White House Fellows Reception.

I am delighted with what Gary Shansby is doing in support of the President's programs. The continued grass roots effort is tremendous.

Many thanks for passing this along.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Bruce H. Hasenkamp
Shaklee Corporation
Shaklee Terraces
444 Market Street
San Francisco, CA 94111

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 6, 1981

Dear Mr. Gilbert:

Please add the Sony wireless (to which this letter is attached) to the memorabilia for President Reagan. It was given to Shirley Moore, my Staff Assistant, by Mrs. Reagan at the Santa Barbara Ranch.

Sincerely,



MICHAEL K. DEAVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Daniel Gilbert
President
Eureka College
Eureka, Illinois 61530