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WASHINGTON

August 5, 1982

Dear Miss Austin:

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Thank you for your recent letter concerning proposed tax increases being considered by the United States Congress. I appreciate your support for President Reagan's policies and your concern for their future success.

Last year President Reagan signed legislation providing one of the largest tax rate reductions in our nation's history. The bill which is currently pending in Congress substantially supplements the Economic Recovery Act of 1981 by providing better mechanisms to insure compliance with the law as it now stands. Although it is not possible for me to comment on all of the provisions of the current bill before it is approved in its final form by both Houses of Congress, I want you to know that I have taken careful note of your comments and suggestions.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

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

Miss Dorothy L. Austin Post Office Box 2833 D Pasadena, CA 91105

P. O. Box 2833 D Pasadena, California July 29, 1982

Mr. Michael K. Deaver Presidential Assistant The White House 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a copy of a letter sent to Senator Dole, showing the concern of the average low-middle income citizen, who is likely to be most seriously handicapped - if such a tax package should be enacted.

The Democrats of the House of Representatives, no doubt, will work for the bill's passage, knowing that it will bring about the defeat of the Republican party. We will then have lost any gains the Administration has made toward "turning this country around".

Or - Have we really gained anything - except to try to accustom the peasants to accept hunger? I feel sure that if anything is deleted from the "grab bag", it will not be the "nickle and dime" items.

Fespectfully submitted,

Noistley Fernation Dorothy L. Austin

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WASHINGTON

April 5, 1982

MEMORANDUM TO MICHAEL K. DEAVER

WILLIAM F. SITTMANN FROM:

The American Council of Young Political Leaders SUBJECT:

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FROM THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON, D.C.

> Mr. Bill Tetsch 10100 Santa Monica Blvd. Los Angeles, CA 90067

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WASHINGTON

8-5-82

Dear Henry:

Thank you for your recent letter and worthwhile effort to gain greater public awareness of the President's defense program. Considering the tempo of our national security agenda and the enormous military challenges we face, it is certainly reassuring to know that those outside of government stand ready to help.

In response to your request for a point of contact, I recommend that you contact Dr. Andrew Marshall (202-695-1811), the Director of Net Assessment for the Defense Department. Dr. Marshall's office provides a broad range of military assessments that should meld nicely with your project.

Thanks again for your support.

Sincerely,

Michael K. Deaver

Mr. Henry O. Dormann President and Editor-in-Chief Leaders 59 East 54th Street New York, N.Y. 10022 MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 3, 1982

ACTION

MEMORANDUM	FOR	MICHAEL	K.	DEAVER	/
FROM:		CHARLES	P.	TYSON	

SUBJECT: Recommended Reply to Henry D. Dormann, President and Editor-in-Chief, Leaders

Al Myer, a member of the defense unit on the National Security Staff, has reviewed Mr. Dormann's letter to you and has prepared a recommended response, attached at Tab A.

Upon approval of the recommended reply, Dr. Marshall will be alerted of this action.

RECOMMENDATION

That you sign the letter at Tab A.

Approve _____ Disapprove _____

Attachments: Tab A - Ltr to Dr. Dormann B - Ltr from Dr. Dormann **LEADERS**

30 June 1982

The Honorable Michael K. Deaver Deputy Chief of Staff & Assistant The White House Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mike:

Under separate cover, I've sent you a thank you letter with another copy of our latest issue but this has to do with a different subject.

Within this issue, you will find a special report on "The Navy." During 1983 we would like to do a special report on "The Defense of the World." This would be a booster for The Department of Defense and for the necessity of the United States to keep a strong and ready defense and to be prepared for the future.

In order to do this correctly, so that it would have a good effect on the Hill, we should be working closely with The Department of Defense but I'm concerned to do this thing right so that we do not get bogged down in red tape.

I have not seen Cap Weinberger since we were together at the Bohemian Grove but I think this type of thing should have some stamp of approval from someone, and then, should we go ahead with it, we should have someone in authority with whom we can work.

I'm afraid The Department of Defense is so diversified that unless we get something from the top, this whole thing isn't worth doing at all.

I think we are trying to do something good here and I don't want to be lost in the scurrying for position.

The Honorable Michael K. Deaver 30 June 1982 Page Two

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I'd value your thoughts and your advice as to who we should contact.

HENRY O. DORMANN President & Editor-in-Chief 1 1

Cordially yours,

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THE HONORABLE MICHAEL K, DEAVER DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF & ASSISTANT THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON, D.C. 20500

DID YOU RECEIVE MY LETTER REGARDING OUR SPECIAL REPORT TO BE PUBLISHED DURING 1983 ON "THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE?" I WOULD LIKE VERY MUCH TO CONTACT SOMEONE AND BEGIN WORK BUT I HAVE NOT HEARD A REPLY AND I'M WONDERING IF YOU WOULD GIVE ME YOUR KIND THOUGHTS.

- DID YOU RECEIVE THE ISSUE WITH PRESIDENT REAGAN ON THE COVER ALONG WITH MY MOST SINCERE THANKS AND APPRECIATION TO YOU? YOU ARE TERRIFIC AND SO IS THAT GREAT SECRETARY OF YOURS WHO I HOPE WILL COME AND WORK WITH US AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. I'LL WAIT TO HEAR
- FROM YOU.

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- HENRY O. DORMANN PRESIDENT & EDITOR-IN-CHIEF LEADERS MAGAZINE 649333 LEADERS NYK

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July 16, 1982

Dear Henry:

Thank you very much for your generous words and for your kind treatment of me in your fine magazine. I'm most grateful and more than a little proud.

Best regards.

Sincerely,

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Mr. Henry O. Dormann President and Editor-in-Chief LEADERS 59 East 54 Street New York, New York 10022

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WASHINGTON

August 5, 1982

Dear Mr. Myhre and Mr. Walker:

Thank you for your recent message. I appreciate the concern which prompted you to write.

Administration officials have recently met with representatives of the construction industry regarding possible changes in the completed contract method of accounting. During that meeting industry representatives described what they believed to be the undesirable and unintended consequences of changing the existing law. Officials within the Treasury Department have since undertaken a review of the proposed changes.

I was grateful to have the benefit of your comments and suggestions concerning the completed contract method of reporting taxable income. You can be sure that your message will receive serious attention.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

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

Mr. Paul C. Myhre Mr. C. Larry Walker Wright Schuchart, Inc. Post Office Box 3764 Seattle, WA 98124

WASHINGTON

August 5, 1982

Dear Mr. Barlough:

Thank you for your letter. I appreciate the time you have taken to bring your views concerning the feasibility of alcohol based fuels to my attention.

Certainly, it would be difficult to overstate the distortions which spiraling fuel prices have produced in our economy over the last decade. So too, achieving economic independence from foreign cartels remains an important goal. It was good of you to give me your thoughts on these topics. You can be sure that I will keep your comments in mind during discussions with my colleagues.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

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

Mr. Ernest E. Barlough 6740 Holt Los Angeles, CA 90056

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July 15, 1982

Mr. Michael K. Deaver Assistant to the President Deputy Chief of Staff The White House Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Deaver:

When I wrote you about a year ago, you responded promptly and I thank you for keeping my name on file.

While my expertise over the years has been in the field of credit & collections, peaking when I served as the President of the California Association of Collectors; now, being semi-retired, this letter is prompted by the current situation of the average family of today.

A good part of it boils down to the fact that a goodly portion of the money we used to spend on other things, all kinds, we now spend these dollars filling the gasoline tanks of our automobiles. It used to cost \$20.00 per month per car not too long ago- now it's \$80.00 per month per car.

So in my opinion, and many others agree, it's not the cars or interest ratesit's the <u>cost of the fuel</u>. (I really haven't read anywhere that interest rates keep people from buying Toyotas and Datsuns- even though they don't really like the small cars)

If my memory serves correctly, during World War II Fulton Lewis Jr. used to tell us on the radio how, our country, struck by oil shortages, took all the surplus corn, grain, etc. and from it made alcohol to help our military machine.

The enclosed articles, published one day apart, tell the story of how incredible things can get. You would think someone in political office or in business would take the idea and run with it. Just think- we would have clean air again, large (profitable to sell) U.S. cars again, and probably a booming economy againand the money spent on fuels would stay here in the U.S.A..

I know, it probably is too simple- but here in Los Angeles they just "discovered" that police on horseback (hardly a new idea) can keep excellent crowd control!

We all thank you for the sacrifices the President and all of you are making to try to turn the economy around and make the world a better place to live in.

Most sincerely yours, E. E. Barloŭgh.

WASHINGTON

August 5, 1982

Dear Mr. Price:

Thank you for your correspondence regarding Dick Smith and the first solo around-the-world helicopter flight.

Although the President would have enjoyed meeting Mr. Smith, the heavy demands on his schedule precluded such a visit. As I am sure you are aware, the Secretary of Transportation, Drew Lewis was scheduled to meet with Dick Smith on August 6, at 2:30 p.m. Two days ago, Mr. Smith called Secretary Lewis' office and cancelled his appointment with the Secretary.

On behalf of the President, I would like to extend every best wish to Dick Smith for the success of his flight.

Sincerely,

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

Mr. Geoffrey J. Price Charge d'Affaires a.i. Embassy of Australia Washington, D.C. 20036

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WASHINGTON



August 3, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR Michael K. Deaver

FROM: Michael A. McManus, Jr.

The attached letter was given to me for action in the form of a recommendation. In looking into the matter I found that Secretary Drew Lewis was scheduled to meet with Dick Smith on August 6, 1982, at 2:30 p.m. Dick Smith called Secretary Lewis' office today and cancelled his appointment with the Secretary.

EMBASSY OF AUSTRALIA

WASHINGTON. D. C.

14 July 1982.

Muche and a muleiter Muche en annuleiter Ne fue commune I have been asked by the Prime Minister, the Right Honourable Mr Malcolm Fraser, to enquire whether it would be possible to bring to President Reagan's notice an attempt that is to be made by an Australian businessman and private citizen to carry out a solo around-the-world helicopter flight. The Australian in question is a Mr Dick Smith who is a very successful self-made businessman and the proprietor now of a large retail company in Australia known as Dick Smith Electronics Pty. Ltd. with its headquarters in Sydney. Following representations from Mr Smith, the Prime Minister has agreed to be a patron of Mr Smith's solo helicopter flight and I understand that the large media company News Ltd. will be a major sponsor.

Mu Deaver,

Mr Smith will be taking delivery of a Bell Jet Ranger helicopter at Fort Worth on 23 July and plans to arrive in Washington on 6 August. He would hope to depart on that same day for his trans-Atlantic crossing via New York, Canada, Greenland, Iceland and the Shetland Islands to London. In London he is expected to be received by His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales on 19 August - this arrangement having been made through Buckingham Palace following representations made by the Governor-General of Australia.

I have been asked to enquire specifically whether there would be any possibility of President Reagan finding time in his schedule either to farewell Mr Smith on his departure or, if that is out of the question, to receive Mr Smith for a few minutes while he is in Washington. If the President is unable to do this, the query has been put to me that perhaps another

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The Honourable Michael K. Deaver Deputy Chief of Staff The White House WASHINGTON D.C.

member of the Cabinet of the Administration might be willing to be associated with this exploit. For example, the Secretary for Transport, Mr Drew Lewis, might be interested in the event. In passing I might add that the thought was put forward also that Mr Smith might be permitted to take off from the White House lawn but I have informed the appropriate people in Canberra that such a concession would be quite out of the question for a private citizen and amateur pilot, no matter what his nationality.

I realise that this request is unusual and, given President Reagan's extraordinarily busy schedule from day to day, that there could be difficulties in trying to make such an arrangement. As I said above, however, I have been directed by the Prime Minister to put the request to the President mainly because the Prime Minister regards Mr Smith as an outstanding example of what the free enterprise spirit can accomplish in our sort of society. Another characteristic of this exploit is that a solo helicopter trip around the world has not been attempted before and therefore it remains one of the few frontiers of aviation that has yet to be crossed. It might be relevant also to point out that the attempt is to be made in an American designed and built helicopter. If Mr Smith does succeed in his attempt, it would say much for American aeronautical design and engineering.

Given these considerations I would be most grateful if you could consider my request and advise me of the reactions of the President towards being associated with this event or whether it might be suggested to another member of the Cabinet that he may care to extend some official United States recognition to Mr Smith in some way on or before his departure from Washington.

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(G.J. Price) Charge d'Affaires a.i.

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August 6, 1982 ,

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MEMORANDUM TO DAVID STOCKMAN

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FROM: MICHAEL K. DEAVER

SUBJECT: Speaking Engagement at the Frederick Atkins Buying Office

Attached is a request from Senator Mathias soliciting a speaker from the Administration to address the September meeting of the Frederick Atkins Buying Office to be held in Baltimore. Would you be interested in speaking on behalf of the Administration? CHARLES McC. MATHIAS, JR. MARYLAND

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

July 27, 1982

Mr. Michael K. Deaver Deputy Chief of Staff The White House Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Mike:

Enclosed is a copy of a letter I have received from Ward Woods, President of Hochschild-Kohn department stores, expressing his hope that the President, the Vice President, or Secretary Regan might be able to speak to the September meeting of the Frederick Atkins Buying Office to be held in Baltimore.

The members of this organization are the Chief Executive Officers of major department stores in this country, and the focus of their meetings will be the economy. It would be an excellent forum for presentation of an economic message to many of the retail industry's highest officers.

It would be appreciated if you could get this letter to the proper channels for consideration in planning the fall schedule. If we can provide any further information for your assistance, please let me know.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

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Charles McC. Mathias, Jr.

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REPLY TO: 358 RUSSELL SENATE OFFICE BUILDING WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

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1726 Whitehead Road Baltimore, Maryland 21207

EXECUTIVE OFFICES

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June 30, 1982

The Honorable Charles McC Mathias, Jr. United States Senate Washington, D. C. 20510 Dear Senator Mathias: Mac

I would like your support in soliciting the President to speak at the Frederick Atkins Buying Office Store Principals Meeting in September of this year in Baltimore.

The Frederick Atkins Buying Office is a research and merchandising company totally owned by member department stores throughout the country.

The meeting will be held at the Hyatt Regency in Baltimore, Maryland from September 19 - 22nd.

The group attending will be the Chief Executive Officers of over 45 major department stores from 29 different states with a total retail volume of over \$4 Billion dollars! Joining the store principals will be the Chief Financial Officers of their respective companies to address topics under the general theme "Operating Our Businesses in a Period of Economic Uncertainty".

Our agenda could be adjusted for the convenience of the President. The following dates and time periods will be available:

Sunday, September 19th:	Evening only
Monday, September 20th:	Afternoon only
Tuesday, September 21st:	Morning or Afternoon
Wednesday, September 22nd:	Morning only

If the President is unavailable, we would like Vice President Bush or Secretary Regan to speak, with the Vice President as our second choice.

I'm sure you would agree that this is a magnificent opportunity for the Administration to address a group of influential business The Honorable Charles McC Mathias, Jr. June 30, 1982 Page 2.

leaders who have supported the President and look to him and his Administration to add more certainty and direction for the near future.

Please contact me if there is need for further explanation and/or amplification.

Sincerely yours,

WARD R. WOODS President

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cc: Suite 1616 Federal Building 31 Hopkins Plaza Baltimore, Maryland 21201

ATTN: Mr. Dan Zaccaginni

WASHINGTON

August 6, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR: SENIOR STAFF

MICHAEL K. DEAVER

SUBJECT:

FROM:

REVISED SCHEDULING PROCEDURES

With the new appointment of William K. Sadleir as director of Presidential Appointments and Scheduling, I wish to inform you and remind you of certain procedures that should be followed with respect to the President's schedule.

Schedule Proposals

All schedule requests, including photo opportunities and courtesy calls, must be submitted to the Office of Presidential Appointments and Scheduling at least 14 days prior to the proposed event. Thereafter, only legitimate, unforeseen requests will be considered for addition to the schedule. Please send any correspondence or memoranda concerning the President's schedule directly to the Appointments and Scheduling Office.

Format

As a reminder, attached is a copy of the format that all schedule proposals must follow.

Scheduling Meetings

As part of a new program for determining short and long-range scheduling strategies, the Appointments and Scheduling Office will be meeting regularly with all White House offices that impact on the President's schedule.

We appreciate your cooperation in following these procedures.

WASHINGTON

SCHEDULE PROPOSAL

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то:	WILLIAM K. SADLEIR, DIRECTOR PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENTS AND SCHEDULING
FROM:	
REQUEST:	(Meeting, briefing, speech, reception, drop-by, etc.)
PURPOSE:	(Reasons why the President should honor the request)
BACKGROUND:	(Additional pertinent information)
PREVIOUS PARTICIPATION:	(The President's previous participation with this organization or similar events)
DATE AND TIME:	(OPEN if no date is given) DURATION:
LOCATION:	
PARTICIPANTS:	(List attached if more than five)
OUTLINE OF EVENT:	(Including description of the President's participation)
REMARKS REQUIRED:	(Major speech, keynote, brief remarks, etc.)
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PROJECT OFFICER: (Individual responsible for implementing the request and submitting the briefing paper)

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WASHINGTON

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With best wishes.

Sincerely,

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

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Mr. Thomas R. Hutson Executive Director The American Council of Young Political Leaders 426 "C" Street, N.E. Third Floor Washington, D.C. 20002



MICHAEL K. DEAVER dear Harry Thunk for the unitation to speak to the Count to chich I'd he delighted when I get some time. By soon as something cleans - D'll give you a call. Many Hauton. Miche

THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

> Mr. Harry M. Tonkin P.O. Box 60346 Sacramento, CA 95860

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DATE_Aug. 3, 1982

HARRY M. TONKIN

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Howdy Mike Deaver-

Forgive this informality but just wanted to tell you how much we enjoyed the interview with Carolyn and you in People's magazine.

Further, if and when you retire in November (or even before then) The Comstock Club would deem it an honor and privilege to have you assume its prestigious podium. We usually meet on Monday noon, but can change the date to suit your inconvenience if we have advance motice. I think it would be great, Mike, because you have so many close and personal friends in this area.

If there is a possibility, let me know and we can arrange the usual formal invitation, etc.

Meanwhile , all good wishes.

Harry -

P.O. Box 60346 Sacramento, CA 95860 Phone: 916/482-2020