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Name of Document: BRIEFING PAPERS FOR  
PRESIDENT'S SCHEDULED  
APPOINTMENTS FOR OCT 1981

Subject Codes:  
PR 007.01

Subject: Summary Schedule for Mrs Reagan  
for September 17-19

PP 005.01

2. Audio Taping / Filming Sessions for:
  - A. message for Chicago Law Enforcement  
Week
  - B. Salute to James CAGNEY
  - C. Message for Vincent LOMBARDI  
dinner
  - D. Interview with Jim ZABEL  
of WTHO Radio to be broadcast  
during University of Iowa  
football game.

PR 011.  
JL 006.  
ME 002.  
AR  
RE 010.  
HE 001.02  
ME 002.06  
PR 016.01

3. Speaking notes for Yorktown  
Battlefield Ceremony.

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Referral Note:

MONDAY

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON  
MEMORANDUM

TO: Schedule Distribution List  
FROM: Gregory J. Newell  
DATE: October 19, 1981  
SUBJ: The President's Schedule

Following is the revised schedule for the President for today:

<del>2:48</del>	Arrive back South Grounds	South Grounds
<del>2:52</del>	Taping Session	Library
<del>3:17</del>	<del>REM, MKD MTC. - OVAL OFF</del>	
3:23 4:13	Briefing for Cancun Trip (60 min) (Richard Allen)	Cabinet Room
<del>4:13</del>	Personal Staff Time for remainder of the afternoon	Oval Office/ Residence
4:22 - Residence		
5:30 pm (30 min)	<u>Staff Time</u>	Residence

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON  
THE PRESIDENT'S SCHEDULE  
Monday, October 19, 1981

Approx. . . <del>1:35 pm</del> 1:40	<u>The President and Mrs. Reagan return from Virginia trip</u>	South Grounds
2:00 pm (60 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
3:00 pm (60 min)	<u>Briefing for Cancun Trip</u> (Richard Allen)	Cabinet Room
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5:15 pm	<u>To Private Quarters</u>	Residence

October 16, 1981  
5:00 pm

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WASHINGTON  
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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

MRS. REAGAN'S SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1981

5:30 pm Private appointment in Family Residence

6:30 pm THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Reagan depart White House  
en route Washington Hilton for "Salute to the  
USO" Dinner

10:15 pm THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Reagan return to  
White House

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1981

11:40 am THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Reagan depart South Lawn  
en route Yorktown Bicentennial Celebration

MONDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1981

1:35 pm THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Reagan return to  
White House



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 15, 1981

FILMING SESSION

DATE: October 19, 1981

LOCATION: The Library

TIME: 4:15 PM *1:45*

FROM: Mark Goode

I. PURPOSE

To film a message from the President.

II. BACKGROUND

This message will be used as the keynote address for Chicago Law Enforcement Week (October 19 - 23). This event is sponsored by the Chicago Crime Commission which is the oldest and most important citizen organizations of its kind, and is clearly supported by business, Chicagoians and law enforcement groups. The purpose is to support the law enforcement officials; local, State and Federal, and to endorse the orderly administration of justice.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President

IV. PRESS PLAN

none

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

This message will be one in many which will be read from a teleprompter in the Library.

CHICAGO CRIME COMMISSION -- OCTOBER 19, 1981

For 62 years the Chicago Crime Commission has demonstrated what it means for citizens to get involved in their community's problems. In this case the problem is a tough one: CRIME.

America is experiencing an epidemic of crime today inconceivable only a few years ago. From 1973 to 1979, for example, there were over 40 million rape, robbery and assault victims in this country. And during that time, there were over 118,000 victims of homicide.

The latest figures indicate this brutality continues to grow. Nineteen-eighty violent crime jumped 11 percent and overall serious crime rose 9 percent over 1979. Over the last 10 years, while the population increased only 9 percent, violent crime rose a staggering 60 percent.

These cold statistics have a way of masking the human suffering they represent. But our people are not unaware of what the statistics mean.

Because of the gravity of the problem, early in the Administration Attorney General Smith proclaimed violent crime a primary target of his Department. And while Washington's role is limited by the very nature of our Federal system, there are some things that can and should be done at this level.

In April Attorney General Smith put together a task force to make specific suggestions of how to stop this onslaught of violent crime. I would like to take this opportunity to thank your speaker today, Governor James

Thompson, for his outstanding service as co-chairman of that task force. Under his leadership, it provided us with an action plan to tackle this problem. Governor Thompson shares my commitment to the safety of all our citizens. I am sure his speech today will reflect that concern.

Each of you also deserves a special thanks. Your presence at the meeting of the Chicago Crime Commission demonstrates an admirable community spirit. Over the years your organization has had a program that can and has served as a model for similar efforts in major cities around the Nation. Members of your commission provided important testimony to the Attorney General's task force -- testimony which was instrumental in formulating its final recommendations.

Your influence on the Criminal Justice System has been invaluable. Civic minded associations like your Commission are islands of independence in a sometimes confusing sea of political and governmental power.

But more than anything else, your organization is a reminder that we cannot just sit back and expect Government to solve this Nation's problems. In the face of a rising tide of crime and violence, citizen involvement is essential. Today I join you in saluting the individuals who are outstanding examples of good citizenship. I also join you in honoring those dedicated law enforcement professionals whose duty it is to protect our safety 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

My best wishes to all of you -- and, in behalf of all Americans, thank you for the great work you are doing.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

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II. BACKGROUND

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The 55 minute special presented by CBS Radio will feature among others, Pat O'Brien, Milos Forman, Jack Lemmon, John Travolta. According to CBS, the President first worked with Cagney in "Boy Meets Girl" in 1938.

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The President

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## SALUTE TO CAGNEY, NOVEMBER 2, 1981

In 1936 Jimmy Cagney starred in a film entitled Great Guy. Those of us who have had the honor of working with him can tell you that the title of the film describes the Cagney we know and love.

In 1938 I was in a film with Jimmy called Boy Meets Girl. His professionalism and unmatched enthusiasm are something anyone who's ever done a picture with him won't forget.

Early in his career he developed that tough guy image projected in many of his films. But off camera Jimmy is one of the most compassionate people around. He probably won't like this description. . . You see, he may be tough on camera, but he is a real soft touch the rest of the time -- always willing to help and to lend a hand.

Over the years he's used his influence in the film business -- which is considerable -- to help those factors struggling to make ends meet. - As President of the Screen Actors Guild, I could always count on Jimmy. And there were times when his support kept a lot of us going when the going got rough.

All of this is, of course, consistent with his upbringing. Jimmy was raised in the "hell's kitchen" section of New York City. There he learned his values of hard work, compassion and loyalty. He learned how to act tough.

He played in numerous roles, but many Americans will remember him as George M. Cohan in Yankee Doodle Dandy. His

academy award winning performance in that film inspired the Nation at a time in the Second World War when we sorely needed inspiration.

His tough guy image may be a fine job of acting, but I know that Jimmy's patriotism is deep and genuine.

Unfortunately for this generation of Americans, James Cagney went into retirement about 20 years ago. So I am more than happy tonight to be part of this welcome back broadcast. The film industry has missed this great artist -- America has missed James Cagney and we're happy he's coming back.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

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TIME: 4:15 ~~PM~~ 1:45

FROM: Mark Goode

I. PURPOSE

To film a message.

II. BACKGROUND

The message will be used at the Lombardi Dinner in Houston sponsored by the Rotary Club of Houston, benefitting the American Cancer Society. The Lombardi award is presented to the American college football player of the year who best typifies and exhibits the philosophies of the late coach Vince Lombardi. Over the last eleven years, the dinner has raised well over \$500,000 for the American Cancer Society.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President

IV. PRESS PLAN

none

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(Parvin/TD)

October 19, 1981

TAPING: LOMBARDI DINNER IN HOUSTON  
OCTOBER 19, 1981

Good evening to all of you at the Lombardi Dinner in Houston. You know there was a football coach by the name of Gil Dobie who had an interesting method of recruitment. "When I'm traveling," he used to say, "I ask farm boys how to get to a certain place. If they point with their finger I move on. If they pick up the plow and point with it, I stop and sell them on the University of Minnesota."

Well, the outstanding players you are honoring tonight also know something about plowing -- plowing through their opponent's line. You four players are being honored in the name of a man who believed in winning, yes, but even more he believed in the basic, decent values. He trusted courage and country, family and religion -- these made winning meaningful and worthwhile.

I understand one of you will become the Lombardi College Lineman of the Year and with that honor goes a 40-pound block of granite trophy with one word written on it -- discipline. Wish I could give a trophy with that same word on it to those who want to bust the budget.

Discipline was a word Vince Lombardi liked. He practiced it and he preached it. Vince knew that through discipline was the fulfillment of potential. He found that potential in the men he coached and then made them find it in themselves.

To Vince it was a sin not to use the talent God gave you to the fullest, and I think the man this dinner is named after believed potential was another of those words that belongs carved in granite.

And really that is what this gathering is all about tonight -- the players here who are exploring the heights of potential and our other citizens who, struck down by cancer, will never realize theirs.

I want to commend the citizens of Houston, the Rotary Club and the fundraising efforts you have undertaken over the years for the American Cancer Society. Well, I better go -- I can see Woody Hayes pacing back and forth behind the dais. Good night and God bless you.

THE WHITE HOUSE

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TIME: 4:15 PM /CS

FROM: Mark Goode

I. PURPOSE

Audio taped interview with Jim Zabel of WHO Radio, Des Moines, Iowa.

II. BACKGROUND

The first football game the President announced for WHO radio was the Iowa-Minnesota game of 1932. On October 24, Iowa will play Minnesota. This interview is to discuss the President's days of Iowa football sportscasting for a pre-game and half-time show on WHO October 24.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President

Jim Zabel - Interviewer and sportscaster for WHO.

IV. PRESS PLAN

none

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

After the conclusion of the other tapings scheduled in the Library, we will proceed with the 15 minute interview.

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OCTOBER 19, 1981

OPENING REMARKS: YORKTOWN BATTLEFIELD

SINCE TODAY IS A DAY TO CELEBRATE  
FREEDOM, I FEEL IT ONLY APPROPRIATE THAT  
I EXERCISE ONE OF THE MORE PLEASANT POWERS  
OF THE PRESIDENCY. AFTER CONSULTATION WITH  
GOV. DALTON & WITH HIS APPROVAL, BY THE  
POWER VESTED IN ME AS PRES. OF THE U.S.,  
I HEREBY GRANT AMNESTY TO THE CORPS OF  
CADETS OF THE VIRGINIA MILITARY INSTITUTE  
UNDER THE TERMS & CONDITIONS TO BE SPECIFIED  
BY THE SUPERINTENDENT.

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**HANDWRITING FILE**

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(MASENG/RR)

OCTOBER 19, 1981

YORKTOWN BATTLEFIELD

MR. PRES., LORD CHANCELLOR, GOV. DALTON,  
DISTINGUISHED GUESTS & MY FELLOW CITIZENS,  
THIS FIELD, THIS CEREMONY & THIS DAY HOLD  
SPECIAL MEANING FOR P. THE WRLD OVER, —  
— WHETHER FREE IN THEIR LIVES OR ONLY IN THEIR  
DREAMS. NOT LONG AFTER..BATTLE OF YORKTOWN,  
LAFAYETTE WROTE HOME TO FRANCE. HERE,  
HE SAID, HUMANITY HAS WON ITS BATTLE,  
LIBERTY NOW HAS A COUNTRY.

IT WAS AN EXTRAORDINARY MOMENT IN HIST.  
THE CONTINENTAL ARMY HAD MARCHED MORE THAN  
400 MILES, FROM THE HUDSON RIVER IN N.Y. TO  
THE TIDEWATERS OF VIRGINIA. THEY SURPRISED  
& STRANDED LORD CORNWALLIS ON THE TIP OF  
THIS PENINSULA. WHEN ADMIRAL DE GRASSE &  
HIS FRENCH FLEET BLOCKADED THE CHESAPEAKE,  
THE TRAP WAS SPRUNG: THERE COULD BE NO  
RESCUE BY LAND OR BY SEA.

NEARLY 8,000 BRITISH SOLDIERS HAD SWEEPED FROM CHARLESTON TO RICHMOND TO THIS SPOT BTWN THE YORK & THE JAMES RIVERS, WITH FAR MORE VICTORIES THAN DEFEATS. BUT, AS THEY WERE ENCIRCLED & BESIEGED BY THE CONTINENTALS, AS THEY WITHSTOOD DAY AFTR DAY OF GRUELING BOMBARDMENT, THEY MUST HAVE KNOWN IN THEIR HEARTS THEY WERE FIGHTING FOR A CAUSE THAT COULD NOT WIN.

THEIR ENEMIES WERE A BAND OF COLONISTS, WITH BANDAGED FEET & MUSKETS THAT COULDN'T BE COUNTED ON TO FIRE, BUT THE BRITISH WERE THOUSANDS OF MILES FROM HOME, & THE AM'S WERE FIGHTING WHERE THEY LIVED. THOSE REBELS MAY NOT HAVE HAD FANCY UNIFORMS, OR EVEN ADEQUATE RESOURCES, BUT THEY HAD SOMETHING ~~THEIR ADVERSARIES COULD NEVER HAVE HAD:~~ A PASSION FOR LIBERTY BURNING IN THEIR HEARTS.

IN A MASTERLY EXECUTION OF A TEXTBOOK SIEGE, GEN'L WASH. & HIS GRAB-BAG ARMY DEFEATED THE FINEST TROOPS KING GEORGE COULD FIELD.

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THE MORNING OF THE SURRENDER MUST HAVE BEEN VERY MUCH LIKE THIS ONE TODAY: ~~THE~~ FIRST REAL CHILL OF AUTUMN WAS IN THE AIR.

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THE TREES WERE TURNING BRILLIANT WITH HUES OF RED & GOLD & BROWN, & ~~THE SKY WAS BRIGHT & CLEAR.~~ QUIET HAD FINALLY RETURNED TO THIS LOVELY COUNTRYSIDE. HOW STRANGE THE SILENCE MUST HAVE SEEMED AFTER THE THUNDERING VIOLENCE OF WAR.

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THEN THE SILENCE WAS BROKEN BY A MUFFLED BEAT OF BRITISH DRUMS, COVERED WITH BLACK HANDKERCHIEFS, AS THE REDCOATS MARCHED TO SURRENDER. THE PAGEANTRY WAS SPECTACULAR. THE FRENCH IN THEIR SPOTLESS WHITE UNIFORMS LINED ONE SIDE OF THE ROAD.

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~~PLUMED & DECORATED OFFICERS WERE AT THEIR  
HEAD & SILK FLAGS WITH GOLDEN FLEUR-DE-LIS  
WAVED IN THEIR RANKS.~~

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THE RAGGED CONTINENTALS WERE BROWN &  
DREARY ON THE OTHER SIDE, BUT THE JOURNALS  
OF THOSE WHO WERE PRESENT MENTION THAT THE  
AM'S STOOD EVERY BIT AS STRAIGHT & EQUALLY  
AS PROUD AS ANY ARMY COULD. THEY HAD, ON  
THAT DAY, A MILITARY BEARING THAT WAS NOT  
TO BE OUTDONE BY THEIR COMRADES IN  
WHITE & BLUE NOR KING GEORGE'S MEN IN  
THEIR BRILLIANT RED.

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AS THE BRITISH MARCHED BTWN THE ALLIED  
ARMIES TO THIS FIELD OF SURRENDER, TEARS  
STREAMED DOWN MANY OF THEIR FACES. THEIR  
MUSICIANS PLAYED A TUNE POPULAR IN ENGLAND  
AT THE TIME: "THE WORLD TURNED UPSIDE DOWN."  
& THAT'S JUST WHAT THE COLONISTS HAD DONE.

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BUT THOSE AM'S WERE NOT PROFESSIONAL  
SOLDIERS AT ALL. THEY HAD FOUGHT FOR FREEDOM  
FROM QUEBEC TO SARATOGA, FROM CAMDEN &  
COWPENS TO GERMANTOWN, VALLEY FORGE &  
MONMOUTH — TOWNS & COUNTRYSIDES ONCE SO  
ANONYMOUS KING GEORGE COMPLAINED HE COULD  
NEITHER PRONOUNCE THEM NOR FIND THEM ON  
THE MAP.

BY YORKTOWN, THEY WERE VETERANS BUT  
THEY STILL WERE NOT SOLDIERS. THEY WERE  
FARMERS, BACKWOODSMEN, TRADESMEN, CLERKS &  
LABORERS — COMMON MEN FROM ALL WALKS OF LIFE,  
ANXIOUS TO RETURN TO THEIR FAMILIES & THE  
BUILDING OF A NATN. ON THAT DAY IN 1781  
A PHILOSOPHY FOUND A PEOPLE & THE WORLD  
WOULD NEVER BE THE SAME.

WE WHO HAVE TRAVELED HERE TODAY —  
 & I AM TOLD WE NUMBER MORE THAN 60,000 —  
 DID NOT COME JUST TO ADMIRE THE STRATEGIES,  
 BATTLEMENTS & TRENCHES OF A SIEGE. WE DID  
 NOT COME TO IDEALIZE HUMAN SUFFERING.

THE WOUNDS OF THIS BATTLE HAVE LONG  
 SINCE HEALED. OUR NATIONS HAVE MATURED &  
 BONDS OF FRIENDSHIP <sup>Now</sup> EXIST BETWEEN ONE TIME  
 ENEMIES. THE SAME HAS BEEN TRUE OF OTHER  
 WARS, <sup>SINCE</sup> WHICH MAKES YOU WONDER, IF, AFTER ALL  
 THE HATRED, ALL THE PAIN & ALL THE SACRIFICE,  
 WE FIND OURSELVES ABLE TO BE FRIENDS, <sup>of Allies</sup>  
 WHY COULDN'T WE FIND OURSELVES ABLE TO BE  
 FRIENDS WITHOUT <sup>ST</sup> GOING TO WAR?

~~BT~~ WE HAVE COME TO THIS FIELD TO  
 CELEBRATE THE TRIUMPH OF AN IDEA. THE  
~~SURRENDER AT YORKTOWN WAS A VICTORY FOR THE~~  
~~RIGHT OF SELF-DETERMINATION.~~ IT WAS & IS  
 THE AFFIRMATION THAT FREEDOM WILL EVENTUALLY  
 TRIUMPH OVER TYRANNY.

IT IS & ALWAYS WILL BE A WARNING TO THOSE WHO  
WOULD USURP THE RIGHTS OF OTHERS: TIME WILL  
FIND THEM BEATEN. THE BEACON OF FREEDOM  
SHINES HERE FOR ALL WHO WILL SEE, INSPIRING  
FREE MEN & CAPTIVES ALIKE, & NO WALL, NO  
CURTAIN NOR TOTALITARIAN STATE CAN SHUT  
IT OUT.

THE COMMEMORATION OF THIS BATTLE MARKS  
THE END OF THE REVOLUTION & THE BEGINNING  
OF A NEW WORLD ERA. THE PROMISE MADE ON  
JULY 4TH WAS KEPT ON OCTOBER 19TH. THE  
DREAM DESCRIBED IN THAT PENNSYLVANIA HALL  
WAS FULFILLED ON THIS VIRGINIA FIELD.

THROUGH COURAGE, THE SUPPORT OF OUR ALLIES  
& BY THE GRACIOUS HAND OF GOD, A REVOLUTION  
WAS WON, A P. WERE SET FREE & THE WORLD  
WITNESSED THE MOST EXCITING ADVENTURE IN THE  
HISTORY OF NATIONS: THE BEGINNING OF THE  
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

BUT WE DID NOT WIN THIS BATTLE OR THIS  
 WAR BY OURSELVES. FROM YOUR CO., MR. PRES.,  
 CAME MEN & SHIPS & GOODS. GENERALS  
 ROCHAMBEAU & LAFAYETTE & ADMIRALS DE GRASSE  
 & DE BARRAS WERE AMONG THOSE WITHOUT WHOSE  
 HELP THIS BATTLE & THIS WAR COULD NEVER  
 HAVE BEEN WON. FRANCE WAS 1ST TO OUR SIDE,  
 1ST TO RECOGNIZE OUR INDEPENDENCE, &  
 STEADFAST IN FRIENDSHIP EVER SINCE. WE ARE  
 BONDED IN SPIRIT & IN FACT BY FREEDOM.

"ENTRE VOUS, ENTRE NOUS, A LA VIE, A LA MORT,"  
 ROCHAMBEAU SAID — BETWEEN YOU, BETWEEN US,  
 THROUGH LIFE, OR DEATH.

AND OTHERS CAME TO OUR AID — POLES,  
 SPANIARDS, SCOTS, CANADIANS, SWEDES,  
 GERMANS, DUTCH, IRISH, & STILL MORE.

OUR REVOLUTION WAS WON BY & FOR ALL  
 WHO CHERISH THE TIMELESS & UNIVERSAL RIGHTS  
 OF MAN.

THIS BATTLE WAS A VINDICATION OF IDEAS THAT HAD BEEN FORMING FOR CENTURIES IN THE WESTERN MIND.

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FROM THE MEDITERRANEAN HAD COME THE PHILOSOPHIES OF GREECE & THE LAWS OF ROME. ENGLAND CONTRIBUTED REPRESENTATIVE GOV'T & THE FRENCH & THE POLES SHARED THEIR DREAMS OF EQUALITY & LIBERTY. ON OUR OWN FRONTIER WE LEARNED DEPENDENCE ON FAMILY & NEIGHBORS, & IN OUR REVOLUTION FREE MEN WERE TAUGHT RELIANCE ON OTHER FREE MEN. DYNAMIC FORCES THAT HAD LONG BEEN BLOWING IN EUROPE CRYSTALIZED ON THIS BATTLEFIELD, WHICH LIKE A PRISM HAS SINCE SENT THE LIGHT TO THE REST OF THE GLOBE.

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WE OF THE WEST HAVE LIVED THE CENTRAL TRUTHS — THE VALUES — AROUND WHICH WE NOW MUST RALLY: HUMAN DIGNITY, INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS & REPRESENTATIVE DEMOCRACY.

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OUR NATIONS SHARE THE FOUNDATION OF COMMON  
LAW, SEPARATION OF POWERS & LIMITED GOV'T.  
WE MUST UNITE BEHIND OUR COMMON CAUSE OF  
FREEDOM.

THERE ARE THOSE IN THE WORLD TODAY,  
AS THERE ALWAYS HAVE BEEN, WHO RECOGNIZE  
HUMAN RIGHTS AS ONLY SELECTIVE FAVORS TO BE  
DOLED OUT BY THE STATE. THEY PREACH  
REVOLUTION AGAINST TYRANNY, BUT THEY INTEND  
TO REPLACE IT WITH THE TYRANNY OF  
TOTALITARIANISM.

ONCE AGAIN, TODAY, THOUSANDS OF FREE  
M & W HAVE GATHERED ON THIS BATTLEFIELD IN  
TESTIMONY TO THEIR BELIEFS. LET US REMEMBER  
OUR FOREBEARS 200 YRS AGO, THE PRICE THEY  
WERE WILLING TO PAY FOR LIBERTY, & REDEDICATE  
OURSELVES TO THE PRINCIPLES OF OUR REVOLUTION.  
LET THE STRUGGLE THAT TOOK PLACE HERE REMIND  
US ALL: THE FREEDOM WE ENJOY TODAY HAS NOT  
ALWAYS EXISTED, & CARRIES NO GUARANTEE.

IN OUR SEARCH FOR AN EVERLASTING PEACE,  
 LET ALL OF US RESOLVE TO REMAIN ~~SO FILLED~~  
~~WITH SPIRIT~~ & SO SURE OF STRENGTH THAT THE  
 VICTORY FOR MANKIND WE WON HERE IS NEVER  
 THREATENED.

~~WILL WE MEET~~  
~~ALL OF US WHO ARE FREE SHOULD REMEMBER~~  
 THE CHALLENGE JOSEPH WARREN PUT TO AM'S  
 200 YRS AGO, & ~~ASK:~~ <sup>WILL WE ACT-WORTHY</sup>  
 OF OURSLVS? "

~~WE MUST — OUR HERITAGE CONFERS ON US~~  
~~A SOLEMN OBLIGATION.~~ EACH GENERATION BFOR  
 US HAS STRUGGLED & SACRIFICED FOR FREEDOM.  
 CAN WE DO ANY LESS?

~~TODAY, WHEN P. TELL ME SOME OF WHAT WE~~  
~~ARE TRYING TO DO CANNOT BE DONE, I REMEMBER~~  
~~THAT MOMENT AT YORKTOWN; WHEN WE ACHIEVED~~  
~~A MIRACULOUS SUCCESS WITHOUT THE HELP OF A~~  
~~MASSIVE & CENTRALIZED GOV'T.~~

THE MEN & BOYS WHO FOUGHT ON THIS FIELD  
 SOMEHOW UNDERSTOOD THAT GOV'T MUST BE CLOSE  
 TO ~~THE~~ P. & RESPONSIVE TO THEM, THAT IF ALL  
 MEN ~~WERE~~ FREE TO PROSPER, ALL <sup>WICE</sup> ~~WOULD~~ BENEFIT.  
 TODAY, IN OUR CO., THOSE CONCEPTS ARE  
 THREATENED BY GOVT'S BLOATED SIZE & THE  
 DISTORTION OF ITS TRUE FUNCTIONS. OUR P.  
 ARE STRUGGLING UNDER A PUNISHING TAX BURDEN  
 MANY TIMES HEAVIER THAN THAT WHICH IGNITED  
 OUR 1ST REBELLION. REGULATIONS THAT INHIBIT  
 OUR GROWTH & PROSPERITY WOULD BE  
 INCOMPREHENSIBLE TO THE COLONISTS WHO  
 REVOLTED BCUS OF THE STAMP ACT.

OUR FOUNDING FATHERS DESIGNED A SYSTEM  
 OF GOV'T UNIQUE IN ALL THE WORLD — A  
 FEDERATION OF SOVEREIGN STATES WITH AS MUCH  
 LAW & DECISION-MAKING AUTHORITY AS POSSIBLE  
 KEPT AT THE LOCAL LEVEL.

THIS CONCEPT OF FEDERALISM HAS BEEN THE  
SECRET OF AM'S SUCCESS, & WILL BE A PRIORITY  
AGAIN AS WE RESTORE THE BALANCE BTWN THE  
FED'L, STATE & LOCAL LEVELS THAT WAS  
INTENDED IN THE CONSTITUTION.

BUT OF EQUAL CONCERN TO ME IS THE  
UNCERTAINTY SOME SEEM TO HAVE ABOUT THE NEED  
FOR A STRONG AMERICAN DEFENSE. THAT IS A  
PROPER TASK FOR THE NATIONAL GOV'T.

MILITARY INFERIORITY DOES NOT AVOID A CONFLICT,  
IT ONLY INVITES ONE, & THEN INSURES DEFEAT.  
~~WE MUST KEEP THIS NATN STRONG ENOUGH TO  
REMAIN FREE.~~

WE HAVE BEEN TRUSTED WITH FREEDOM & MUST  
ENSURE IT FOR OUR CHILDREN & FOR THEIRS.

~~WE ARE RESTORING OUR ECONOMY TODAY SO THAT IT  
WILL WORK FOR TOMORROW'S GENERATION.~~

WE ARE REBUILDING OUR DEFENSES SO THAT OUR  
SONS & DAUGHTERS NEED NEVER BE SENT TO WAR.

WHERE ARE THE VOICES OF COURAGE & VISION  
THAT INSPIRED US IN THE PAST? ARE WE EVER  
TO HEAR THOSE VOICES AGAIN?

^... YES. WE HAVE BEEN THROUGH TROUBLED  
TIMES BFOR, & KNOW BETTER THAN TO CONFUSE  
THE P. WHO COMPLAIN THE LOUDEST WITH THOSE  
WHO KNOW THE MOST. THOMAS PAINE, A VOICE  
OF PATRIOTISM, SAID, "THOSE WHO EXPECT TO  
REAP THE BLESSINGS OF FREEDOM MUST UNDERGO  
THE FATIGUE OF SUPPORTING IT."

WE ALWYS HAVE & WE ALWYS WILL. THAT'S  
JUST PART OF BEING AN AMERICAN.

OUR DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE HAS  
BEEN COPIED BY EMERGING NATN'S AROUND THE  
GLOBE — ITS THEMES ADOPTED IN PLACES MANY  
OF US HAVE NEVER HEARD OF.

~~LET US REMEMBER THAT~~ HERE, IN THIS LAND,  
FOR THE 1ST TIME, IT WAS DECIDED THAT MAN IS  
BORN WITH CERTAIN GOD-GIVEN RIGHTS.

~~WE THE PEOPLE — & THAT IS STILL THE MOST  
POWERFUL PHRASE — WE THE P. DECLARED THAT  
GOV'T IS CREATED BY THE P. FOR THEIR OWN  
CONVENIENCE. GOVT. HAS NO POWERS EXCEPT THOSE  
VOLUNTARILY GRANTED TO IT BY <sup>WE</sup> THE PEOPLE.~~

~~THERE HAVE BEEN REVOLUTIONS BFOR &  
SINCE OURS, REVOLUTNS THAT SIMPLY EXCHANGED  
ONE SET OF RULERS FOR ANOTHER. OURS WAS A  
PHILOSOPHICAL REVOLUTION THAT CHANGED THE  
VERY CONCEPT OF GOV'T. A ~~FACT WE SHOULD~~  
ALWYS ~~REMEMBER.~~~~

~~JOHN ADAMS WROTE HOME FROM PHILADELPHIA  
SHORTLY BFOR SIGNING THE DECLARATION OF  
INDEPENDENCE, & SAID, "I AM WELL AWARE OF THE  
TOIL & BLOOD & TREASURE, THAT IT WILL COST  
US TO MAINTAIN THIS DECLARATN, & SUPPORT &  
DEFEND THESE STATES. ~~f~~ YET THRU ALL THE GLOOM,  
I CAN SEE THE RAYS OF RAVISHING LIGHT & GLORY.~~

I CAN SEE THAT THE END IS MORE THAN WORTH  
ALL THE MEANS ... & THAT POSTERITY WILL  
TRIUMPH..."

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IT IS THAT VISION WE MUST RECALL TODAY.  
WE HAVE EC. PROBLEMS AT HOME & WE LIVE IN A  
TROUBLED & VIOLENT WORLD. BUT THERE IS A  
MORAL FIBRE RUNNING THRU OUR P. THAT MAKES  
US MORE THAN STRONG ENOUGH TO FACE THE TESTS  
AHEAD. WE CAN LOOK AT OUR PAST WITH PRIDE,  
& OUR FUTURE CAN BE WHATEVER WE MAKE IT.  
WE ONLY HAVE TO ACT WORTHY OF OURSELVES.  
GOD BLESS AMERICA.

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