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- 1) Subject: List of invitees/attendees at meeting of National Security Planning Group
- 2) Teleconference broadcast by satellite to congratulate NEWSWEEK Magazine on its 50th anniversary.
- 3) Meeting with State and local elected officials from southern states for a regional briefing on Administration programs
- 4) Meeting with the Cabinet Council on Natural Resources and the Environment to discuss natural gas deregulation legislation.

ROUTE TO:		ACTION		DISPOSITION		
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5) Subject: Meeting with Congressman
Phil Gramm

6) Meeting with the Reserve Officers
Association to accept the
Minuteman of the Year Award

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and the staff of the Presidential
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8) Meeting with Ed Rollins and the
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9) Reception for the American Legion
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THE SCHEDULE OF
PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN



THE PRESIDENT'S SCHEDULE
Thursday, February 24, 1983

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9:00 am (30 min)	<u>Staff Time</u> (Baker, Meese, Deaver)		Oval Office
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11:40 am (20 min)	<u>Briefing for State & Local Officials</u> (Williamson)	(TAB B)	East Room
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1:00 pm (60 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>		Oval Office
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9:30 am (15 min)	<u>National Security Briefing</u> 9:10 - 9:31 (Clark) <i>BUSH, QU, JB, MRO, McCARLANE, KENDAM</i>	Oval Office
<i>9:45</i> am (15 min)	Senior Staff Time	Oval Office
10:00 am (90 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u> 9:31 -	Oval Office
11:40 am (20 min)	<u>Briefing for State & Local Officials</u> (Williamson) 11:39 - 11:49 (TAB B)	East Room
12:00 m (60 min)	<u>Lunch with Vice President</u>	Oval Office
1:00 pm (60 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u> -	Oval Office
2:00 pm (60 min)	<u>Cabinet Council on Natural Resources and Environment</u> 2:03 - 2:26 (Fuller) (TAB C) <i>2:26- DON REAGAN, W. CLARK</i>	Cabinet Room
3:00 pm (60 min)	<u>NSPG Meeting</u> 3:06 - 4:10 (Clark)	Situation Room
4:00 pm (30 min)	<u>Personnel Time</u> 4:12 - 4:25 (von Damm) <i>JB</i>	Oval Office
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5:00 pm (20 min)	<u>Reception for American Legion Women's Auxiliary</u> (Cavaney) 4:59 - 5:18 (TAB E)	State Floor
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REQUEST FOR APPOINTMENTS

To: Officer-in-charge
Appointments Center
Room 060, OEOB

NSPG

Please admit the following appointments on February 24, 1983

for The President of White House
(NAME OF PERSON TO BE VISITED) (AGENCY)

The Vice President ✓
Admiral Daniel Murphy ✓

White House:
Mr. James Jenkins ✓
Mr. James A. Baker III ✓
~~Mr. Michael K. Deaver~~
Judge William P. Clark ✓
Robert C. McFarlane ✓

State:
Acting Secretary Kenneth Dam ✓
Amb Thomas O. Enders ✓

Defense:
Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger ✓
Dr. Fred C. Ikle ✓

NSC:
Mr. Alfonso Sapia-Bosch ✓
Mr. Roger Fontaine ✓
Mr. Douglas McMinn ✓
Major Oliver North ✓

Justice:
Attorney General William French ✓

Admiral John M. Poindexter ✓

CIA:
Mr. William J. Casey ✓

Former Senator Richard Stone ✓
Graeme Banneman (aide - to sit outside only)

USUN:
Amb Jeane J. Kirkpatrick ✓

OMB:
Dr. Alton Keel ✓

JCS:
General John W. Vessey, Jr. ✓
Lt Gen Paul F. Gorman ✓

MEETING LOCATION

Building West Wing White House Requested by Carol Cleveland
Room No. Situation Room Room No. 374 Telephone 3044
Time of Meeting 3:00 p.m. Date of request Feb 24, 1983

Additions and/or changes made by telephone should be limited to three (3) names or less.

APPOINTMENTS CENTER: SIG/OEOB - 395-6046 or WHITE HOUSE - 456-6742

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1983

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: EDWARD J. ROLLINS *ER*

RE: Meeting with Congressman Gramm

I. PURPOSE

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II. BACKGROUND

Phil Gramm was elected to Congress as a Republican from the Sixth Congressional District of Texas. Re-elected to Congress as a Democrat for his third term in November, he resigned late last year to switch parties and seek election as a Republican. He won a stunning victory on February 12th.

III. PARTICIPANTS

- Congressman and Mrs. Phil Gramm
- John Williams, guest of Congressman Gramm
- Senator Paul Laxalt
- Congressman Guy Vander Jagt
- ~~Congressman Bob Michel~~
- ~~Congressman Trent Lott~~
- Frank Farenkopf, Chairman, Republican National Committee

IV. PRESS PLAN *John Williams*

White House Photographer

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS


- Introductory remarks and congratulations.
- Photographs: President and Congressman Gramm
- President, Congressman and Mrs. Gramm
- President, Congressman, Mrs. Gramm and guest
- President, Congressman, Senator Laxalt,
- Congressmen Michel, Vander Jagt, Lott and
- Frank Farenkopf

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1983

TELECONFERENCE REMARKS FOR NEWSWEEK 50th ANNIVERSARY

DATE: Thursday, February 24, 1983
LOCATION: Diplomatic Reception Room
TIME: 8:30 a.m. (15 minutes)
FROM: Karna Small 

I. PURPOSE:

To congratulate Newsweek magazine on the occasion of its 50th anniversary and to speak to groups in four locations around the world who are attending celebrations.

II. BACKGROUND:

Newsweek began publication in February of 1933. To commemorate this event, Newsweek has arranged a teleconference - by satellite - to reach four locations. There will be a breakfast here in Washington at the Madison Hotel attended by the Newsweek hierarchy as well as many from the diplomatic corps. There will be luncheons in both London and Zurich where CEOs from throughout Europe as well as politicians and press will hear your remarks. There will also be a dinner in Tokyo where CEOs are attending from Manila, Seoul and Hong Kong. PM Nakasone is expected to be in this audience. The general theme of the presentation is an Economic Forum.

III. PARTICIPANTS:

The President
Essential technical staff

IV. PRESS PLAN:

No press in the Diplomatic Reception Room
TV Monitors and mult will be set up in the WH Press Briefing Room. Networks are allowed to record your remarks from the satellite, but they may not broadcast the remarks "live", they are embargoed until conclusion of your presentation. There will be press at the locations around the world.

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS:

The teleconference program begins at the Madison Hotel where Newsweek Editor in Chief Bill Broyles will introduce you. You will then read your remarks from the teleprompter and depart. (No questions).

VI. REMARKS:

Submitted separately by speechwriters

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1983

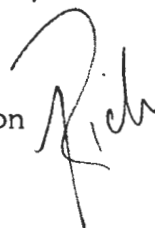
MEETING WITH STATE AND LOCAL-ELECTED OFFICIALS
FROM SOUTHERN STATES

DATE: Thursday, February 24, 1983

LOCATION: East Room

TIME: 11:30 - 11:50 a.m.

FROM: Richard S. Williamson



I. PURPOSE

To brief approximately 150 selected state and local elected officials from Florida, Georgia, Alabama, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, West Virginia, Kentucky, and Mississippi on Administration initiatives. This will give them the background and information to be able to return to their respective states and speak effectively on behalf of your programs.

II. BACKGROUND

This is the first in a series of regional briefings for state and local government officials to build support and strong spokesmen for your programs.

Prior to your arrival, the group will be briefed by Undersecretary-designate of Health and Human Services, Jack Svahn, on social security and other HHS issues, by Secretary Donald Hodel on energy issues, and by Deputy Director of the Office of Management and Budget, Joe Wright, on budget issues.

III. PARTICIPANTS

Approximately 150 state and local-elected officials.

IV. PRESS PLAN

White House Photographer.

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

11:30 a.m. - You enter the East Room and make remarks.
(Talking Points attached).

11:40 a.m. - You may depart. Meeting adjourned.

SEQUENCE OF EVENTS
Briefing for State and Local Officials
Thursday, February 24, 1983

REVISED
February 23

FROM: Muffie Brandon Muffie Brandon

- 8:45 a.m. Guests begin to arrive the SouthWest Gate and will be led through the First Lady's Garden into the East Foyer where they will check their coats. They are then led up the Grand Staircase to the State Dining Room for coffee.
- 9:15 a.m. Guests begin to be led from the State Dining Room into the East Room to be seated.
- 9:25 a.m. All guests should be seated at this time.
- 9:30 a.m. Mr. Rich Williamson will proceed to the platform and podium and will begin the briefing. There will be several speakers.
- 11:30 a.m. THE PRESIDENT will arrive the State Floor via the elevator and will proceed to the entrance of the East Room via the Cross Hall. THE PRESIDENT will be announced into the East Room and will proceed to the podium where he will make remarks.
- 11:50 a.m. THE PRESIDENT will depart the East Room via the Cross Hall and will proceed to the elevator.
- All guests may depart via the Grand Staircase and the Diplomatic Reception Room.

SUGGESTED TALKING POINTS
FOR MEETING WITH STATE AND LOCAL OFFICIALS

- Welcome to the White House. I am delighted that you are able to be here for this briefing on many of the initiatives which are being undertaken by my Administration.
- I am also pleased to inform you that I am today transmitting to the Congress my revised Federalism Initiative, which incorporates four major megablock grants to state and local governments.
- These legislative proposals represent a continuation and expansion of the efforts of my Administration to return authority, responsibility and revenue resources to state and local governments.
- You and I know that in the two decades between 1960 and 1980, we saw an ever-accelerating encroachment by the federal government on state and local prerogatives. Narrow and restrictive federal grant-in-aid programs were to grow from under 50 to over 500, pervading such obvious local concerns as rat control and sewer extensions. The cost of these programs exploded from over \$7 billion in 1960 to \$95 billion in 1981.
- The federal government had too much control. Programs lacked flexibility. Regulations were restrictive. Federal mandates were depleting state and local treasuries.

Expenditures were being made for programs that weren't really needed in particular communities and localities.

- At the same time, state and local officials began calling for a reordering of priorities and a sorting out of responsibilities among the various levels of government.
- We have attempted to address these concerns in this Administration.
- In 1981, we were successful in consolidating 57 categorical grant programs into 9 block grants. The Administration's regulatory relief effort has been directed in large part to removing the regulatory manacles which bind state and local governments.
- This effort has continued into 1982 with enactment of the Job Training Block Grant and the Urban Mass Transportation Block Grant.
- The legislative proposal which I am sending to Congress today will contain four megablock grants. Those four block grants are: a Federal-State block grant; a Federal-Local block grant; a Transportation block grant; and a Rural Housing block grant.

-- It incorporates the input which we have received from state and local officials during the course of the last two years:

-- It will provide a stable and certain funding source for state and local governments, by guaranteeing funding for the programs at the levels enacted for FY '84. It is not a vehicle for budgetary savings.

-- It will provide greater flexibility to state and local officials.

-- It will provide a pass-through to local governments for programs which have historically gone to the states, but where the states have passed through funding to local governments.

-- It provides special protections for revenue sharing and the entitlement portion of the Community Development block grant program.

-- The program will be phased in to avoid dislocations on state and local governments.

-- That, in short, is the package. I am requesting that Congress give this legislation its immediate attention.

-- Working together, we can make government work more effectively for all Americans.

-- Thank you.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1983

CABINET COUNCIL ON NATURAL RESOURCES
AND THE ENVIRONMENT

DATE: February 24, 1983
LOCATION: Cabinet Room
TIME: 2:00 P.M.

FROM: Craig L. Fuller 

I. PURPOSE

To review the findings of Secretary Hodel on the natural gas deregulation issue with an eye toward an Administration decision on new legislation

II. BACKGROUND

The CCNRE met with you a couple of weeks ago to review the issue of natural gas deregulation. Secretary Hodel presented several options which the Department of Energy had developed for consideration which would end regulation of all natural gas immediately or speed up the deregulation process. He outlined some consumer safeguards which he felt could be included in the legislation. The Cabinet Council directed Secretary Hodel to engage in further consultations with Members of Congress and report back with a final recommendation based on these consultations.

III. PARTICIPANTS

Members of the Cabinet Council on Natural Resources and the Environment. The list will be attached to the agenda.

IV. PRESS PLAN

None

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Secretary Hodel will be prepared to lead the discussion.

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IV. PRESS PLAN

White House Photographer

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1983

MEETING WITH RESERVE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION

DATE: February 24, 1983

LOCATION: Oval Office

TIME: 4:45 p.m.

FROM: Red Cavaney 

I. PURPOSE

To accept the Minuteman of the Year award from the Reserve Officers Association.

II. BACKGROUND

ROA draws its 126,000 members from all the armed services, including Coast Guard. This organization has been the lead organization in the military and veterans area in support of your legislative programs. Typically, the ROA will endorse a measure such as the AWACS sale, then the VFW follows suit, then the American Legion follows the VFW.

You are a lifetime member of the Reserve Officers Association.

The ROA actively supports the national Reserve Officers Training Corps (ROTC).

III. PARTICIPANTS.

See attached list.

IV. PRESS PLAN

White House photographer

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

4:45 p.m. Guests arrive and make presentation of the Minuteman of the Year award.

4:48 p.m. You make brief remarks of thanks.

4:50 p.m. Guests depart the Oval Office.

PARTICIPANTS

RESERVE OFFICERS ASSOCIATIONS LEADERS

February 24, 1983

Captain Bennet S. Sparks, USCGR, President

Colonel Artis grant, USAR, Vice President for Army Affairs

Captain Stanley Donohoo, USNR, V.P. for Navy Affairs

Colonel Walter Vartan, USAFR, V.P. for Air Force Affairs

General J. Milnor Roberts, AUS (Ret), Executive Director

SUGGESTED TALKING POINTS FOR FEBRUARY 24
MEETING WITH RESERVE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION
LEADERS

- o I want to thank the Reserve Officers Association and your President, Captain Sparks, for this high honor.

- o I want you and the members of ROA to know how deeply I appreciate the enthusiastic support your organization has given me in all of my major battles in the Congress.

- o I think your early and strong support for key pieces of legislation has been clearly responsible for much of the support we have enjoyed from other major armed forces and veterans groups.

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PHOTO WITH PRESIDENTIAL PERSONNEL OFFICE STAFF

DATE: February 24, 1983
LOCATION: Oval Office
TIME: 4:30 pm (5 minutes)
FROM: Helene von Damm

Helene von Damm

I. PURPOSE

To provide photographs for Presidential Personnel Office staff.

II. PARTICIPANTS

List attached

III. PRESS PLAN

White House Photographer only

PRESIDENTIAL PERSONNEL

1. Achiu, Grayling	Manager - Computer Center
2. Beck, Elizabeth	Administrative Assistant
3. Bedell, Catherine	Staff Assistant
4. Bullock, Katja	Manager - Information Center
5. Campbell, Peggy	Staff Assistant
6. Canty, John	Staff Assistant
7. Ceremsak, Karen*	Administrative Assistant
8. Chase, Jeanine	Staff Assistant
9. Christian, Sally	Staff Assistant
10. Cothran, Joy	Special Assistant
11. Day, Melanie	Administrative Assistant
12. Gibbons, Janet	Administrative Assistant
13. Hausenfluck, Robert*	Assistant Director
14. Hicks, Christopher	Associate Director
15. Holleman, Connie	Administrative Assistant
16. Kinser, Richard	Deputy Director
17. McGeehan, Anne	Staff Assistant
18. McQuown, Barbara	Director, Boards/Commissions
19. Nalder, Susan	Administrative Assistant
20. Newman, Bonnie	Associate Director
21. O'Donnell, Claire	Administrative Assistant
22. Patrick, Dennis	Associate Director
23. Probst, Sheila	Administrative Assistant
24. Reed, Jeannie	Assistant Director
25. Rowe, Priscilla	Staff Assistant
26. Ryan, Joseph	Associate Director
27. Schrote, John	Deputy Director
28. Short, Virginia*	Assistant Director
29. St. Cyr, Lindy	Administrative Assistant
30. Tharp, T.A.D.	Executive Assistant
31. Tognalli, Tag	Assistant Director
32. Tuttle, Robert	Special Assistant to the President
33. Tyvoll, Angela	Staff Assistant
34. Urban, Maryann	Associate Director
35. Vasiliou, Rosalie*	Assistant Director
36. von Damm, Helene	Assistant to the President and Director, Presidential Personnel
37. Whitehead, Margaret	Administrative Assistant
38. Williams, Debra	Administrative Assistant
39. Wood, Lynn Ross	Deputy Director
40. Zatarga, Maureen	Administrative Assistant

* Former staff members.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1983

PRESIDENTIAL PHOTO OPPORTUNITY WITH POLITICAL AFFAIRS STAFF
February 24, 1983
The Oval Office
4:30 p.m.

FROM: ED ROLLINS

I. PURPOSE

To meet with staff members of the Political Affairs Office for personal photos.

II. BACKGROUND

The Political Affairs Office, headed by Ed Rollins, serves as liaison between the White House and the National Republican campaign committees, as well as primary contact for the individual Republican State Parties.

III. PARTICIPANTS

Ed Rollins, Assistant to the President for Political Affairs
Lee Atwater, Deputy Assistant to the President for
Political Affairs

Paul Russo, Special Assistant to the President for
Political Affairs

(NOTE: This will be Paul Russo's last day at the White House, as he will be leaving to serve as Deputy Undersecretary at the Department of Labor.)

Bill Lacy
Michele Davis
Joan Sweetland
Linda White
Marcy Head
Craig Helsing
Susan Montgomery
Betsy Strong
Liece Rowland

IV. PRESS PLAN

None


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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1983

MEETING WITH AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY

DATE: February 24, 1983
LOCATION: East Room
TIME: 5:00 p.m. - 5:20 p.m.
FROM: Red Cavaney 

I. PURPOSE

To acknowledge a patriotic women's organization which is deeply supportive of this Administration and its policy of a strong national defense.

II. BACKGROUND

The American Legion Auxiliary supports the policies of the American Legion (whom you addressed on Tuesday). The American Legion Auxiliary, one of the largest women's organizations, has a membership of over 1 million. They are generally supportive of traditional values, very patriotic, and committed to the causes of the veteran.

Mrs. Walter Stolte is their National President.

The American Auxiliary:

- Opposes an immediate nuclear arms freeze resolution and would work for its defeat in Congress.
- Want any job program to include unemployed veterans.
- Supports your budget proposal for the Veterans Administration as very responsible.

III. PARTICIPANTS

See attachment

IV. PRESS PLAN

Open press

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

See attachment

SEQUENCE OF EVENTS
Reception Honoring the American Legion
Auxiliary
Thursday, February 24, 1983

Revised
February 22, 1983
4:00 p.m.

FROM: Muffie Brandon

- 3:45 p.m. The buses begin to arrive the SouthEast Gate, Diplomatic Reception Room, and guests are led up the Grand Staircase to the State Dining Room and the East Room for refreshments.
- 4:45 p.m. All guests should be encouraged to go into the East Room to await the entrance of THE PRESIDENT.
- 4:55 p.m. All guests should be in the East Room at this time, and there should be an aisle from the Cross Hall entrance of the East Room to the platform.
- 5:00 p.m. THE PRESIDENT arrives the State Floor via the elevator and proceeds to the entrance of the East Room via the Cross Hall. THE PRESIDENT is announced into the East Room, and he then proceeds to the platform where he will make remarks.
- Following THE PRESIDENT'S remarks, THE PRESIDENT will mix and mingle with the guests.
- 5:30 p.m. THE PRESIDENT will depart the East Room via the Cross Hall and will continue to the elevator.
- All guests may depart via the Grand Staircase and the Diplomatic Reception. Their buses will be waiting outside the Diplomatic Reception Room.

TALKING POINTS

- I want to welcome all you members of the American Legion Auxiliary here today on the occasion of your Awareness Assembly. As you know, I had the opportunity to address the American Legion on Tuesday of this week. As an old Legionnaire it does my heart good to be with folks like you and the members of the Legion who share the same strong feelings as I do about our great country.

- I want you to know that I appreciate what you are doing. We all owe you a debt of gratitude for your continuing service to America.

- I am aware of the strong support of the Auxiliary for America's veterans. One of the ways we Americans express our gratitude to those who serve our country in the military is by providing the care that they deserve. As members of the military services they obligated themselves to serve to defend our country, and our country has an obligation to keep its promises to them. This we will do.

- I note that the theme of your meeting is "a call to action" and that your commitment to our country is expressed in many ways in addition to your support for our veterans. I know that yours is the only veterans organization which has volunteers

in every Veterans Administration medical center in the country. I thank you for that. As you may know, voluntarism is something which is close to my heart. Americans freely giving to their neighbors in need is one of the qualities which has set us apart in the world community of nations.

-- I also know of your opposition to a resolution calling for an immediate nuclear freeze and your commitment to work against any such resolution. Now, you are as concerned as I am about keeping the peace, and know that such an immediate freeze on nuclear arms at the present level would leave the United States in a vulnerable position.

-- ,Unfortunately, the Soviet Union in recent years has built up its arms at such an accelerated pace that a freeze at present day levels would leave us far outdistanced and place us in a weakened bargaining position with them.

-- To attempt to halt this ongoing build-up of nuclear arms, I have initiated with the Soviets in Geneva the START negotiations -- the Strategic Arms Reduction Talks -- to not only stop the build-up but to actually reduce the number of nuclear weapons.

-- America is a non-aggressive nation. It is difficult for us Americans to realize that all nations of the world do not share our views. We are not interested in ruling others or acquiring more world real estate, but the truth is that there are those nations in the world who are.

-- Perhaps no one can experience quite as deeply as a mother the feelings of concern for the future of our country -- for their children will be the men and women of tomorrow. The greatest inheritance we can bestow upon them is peace and the security of a free nation. We must do all that we can to safeguard the future of our children and our children's children. I am committed to that and I am grateful that you share in this commitment.