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1) Subject: Meeting with Cabinet Council on  
Management and Administration to  
discuss:

- A) Reform 88
- B) Work Space Management
- C) Federal Field Structure

2) Meeting with Graduates of Congressional  
Page School

3) Meeting with Gregory KARAM, air traffic  
controller who helped with Air Canada  
Flight 797 and with James  
Gibson, pilot for Reeve Aleutian  
Airway Flight 3 who successfully  
landed his damaged aircraft.

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4) Subject: Schedule for the President's trip to Jackson, Mississippi.

5) Biographical sketches of members of Congress scheduled to fly on Air Force One:  
 A) Thad Cochran  
 B) Trent Lott  
 C) Webb Franklin

6) Fund raising reception for major donors to Mississippi Republican Party

7) Fund raising dinner for Congressman Trent Lott.

8) Memo regarding the political situation in Mississippi

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CABINET COUNCIL ON MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION

*Dave Fischer*

June 20, 1983

PARTICIPANTS

- ✓ The President
- ✓ The Vice President
- ✓ Edwin Meese III
- ✓ Secretary Regan
- ✓ Secretary Weinberger
- ✓ Secretary Hodel
- ✓ Gerald Carmen, Administrator, GSA
- ✓ Loren Smith, Chairman, ACUS
- ✓ Donald Devine, Director, OPM
- ✓ Harry Walters, Administrator, VA
- ~~James Baker III~~
- ✓ Edwin Harper
- ✓ Under Secretary Ford (Designate)  
(Representing Secretary Donovan)
- ✓ Deputy Director Wright  
(Representing Director Stockman)
- ✓ William Niskanen  
(Representing Chairman Feldstein)
- ✓ Richard Darman, Assistant to the President and  
Deputy to the Chief of Staff
- ✓ John Herrington, Assistant to the President for  
Presidential Personnel
- ~~John Rogers~~, Assistant to the President for Management and  
Administration
- ~~Edward Rollins~~, Assistant to the President for Political  
Affairs
- ~~Lee Verstandig~~, Assistant to the President for  
Intergovernmental Affairs
- ✓ Ralph Bledsoe, Executive Secretary
- ✓ Becky Norton Dunlop, Director, Office of Cabinet Affairs

For Presentation:

- Joe Wright ✓
- Gerald Carmen ✓

Additional Attendees:

- ✓ Kenneth Cribb, Assistant Counsellor to the President
- ~~Larry Speakes~~, Deputy Assistant to the President and Deputy  
Press Secretary
- ✓ Nancy Risque, Special Assistant to the President for  
Legislative Affairs
- ✓ Gerald Mossinghoff, Acting Deputy Secretary, DOC
- ✓ Steve Rhodes
- ✓ Jim Jenkins
- ✓ Jim Cicconi

*Al Chipegda, OMB } assisted  
Terry Davis, GSA } presenters*



THE SCHEDULE OF  
PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN

The President has seen \_\_\_\_\_

Monday, June 20, 1983



9:00 am (30 min)	<u>Staff Time</u> (Baker, Meese, Deaver)	Oval Office
9:30 am (15 min)	<u>National Security Briefing</u> (Clark)	Oval Office
9:45 am (45 min)	<u>Meeting with Ambassador Stone</u> (Clark)	Oval Office (distributed separately)
10:30 am (1hr20min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
11:50 am (5 min)	<u>Meeting with Air Traffic Controller</u> <u>Gregory Karam</u> (Fuller)	Oval Office (available Monday a.m.)
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1:00 pm (60 min)	<u>Meeting with Cabinet Council on</u> <u>Management and Administration</u> (Fuller)	Cabinet Room (Tab A)
2:05 pm (10 min)	<u>Greet Graduates Congressional</u> <u>Page School</u> (Duberstein/Henkel)	Rose Garden (Tab B) (draft remarks attached)
2:20 pm	<u>Depart for Trip to Mississippi for</u> <u>GOP Fundraiser (See Separate Schedule)</u> (Henkel/Rollins)	South Lawn (Tab C--trip schedule) (supplementary detail noted below)
9:10 pm	<u>Arrive at White House</u>	South Lawn

SUPPLEMENTARY BRIEFING MATERIALS

Tab D	Briefing for 4:15 Major Donors Reception (Rollins)
Tab E	Briefing for 5:00 Fundraising Dinner for Trent Lott (Rollins)
Tab F	Mississippi Political Briefing (Rollins)
Tab G	Congressmen Travelling on Air Force One (Duberstein)

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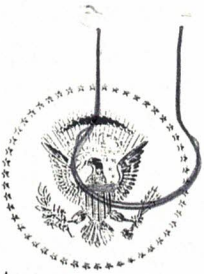


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- 9:00 am (30 min) Staff Time (Baker, Meese, Deaver) *9:23 Clark -* Oval Office
- 9:30 am (15 min) National Security Briefing (Clark) *9:45 PHOTO HABIB, SHULTZ* Oval Office
- 9:45 am (45 min) Meeting with Ambassador Stone (Clark) *HABIB 9:50-10:05 BUSH, SHULTZ, JB, EM, MED, W.C, McFARLAND, TEICHER, Kemp* Oval Office
- 10:30 am (1hr20min) Personal Staff Time *10:05-10:32 SHULTZ, EM, (distributed separately)* *JB, MKO, W.C, OLIVER NORTH, McFARLAND* Oval Office
- 11:50 am (5 min) Meeting with Air Traffic Controller Gregory Karam (Fuller) *11:50-11:55* (available Monday a.m.) Oval Office
- 12:00 m (60 min) Lunch *12:50-1:07 STOCKMAN, JB, DUBERSTEIN* Oval Office
- 1:00 pm (60 min) Meeting with Cabinet Council on Management and Administration (Fuller) *1:08-2:15* (Tab A) Cabinet Room
- 2:05 pm (10 min) Greet Graduates Congressional Page School (Duberstein/Henkel) *2:19-2:27* (Tab B) (draft remarks attached) ~~Rose Garden~~
- 2:26 pm Depart for Trip to Mississippi for GOP Fundraiser (Henkel/Rollins) *2:29* (Tab C--trip schedule) (supplementary detail noted below) South Lawn
- 9:10 pm Arrive at White House *9:22* South Lawn

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MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 4, 1983

TO: DAVE FISCHER  
FROM: PAM TURNER *PT*  
SUBJECT: Attendance at Meeting with President

Senators David Pryor and Christopher Dodd, and Congressmen John Dingell, Bill Emerson, Bill Patman, and Douglas Bosco were invited to participate in a meeting with the Congressional Page School (photo op) on June 20, 1983. All regreted.



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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

June 20, 1983

MEETING WITH GREGORY KARAM AND CAPTAIN GIBSON

DATE: June 20, 1983  
LOCATION: Oval Office  
TIME: 11:50 a.m. (5 Minutes)  
FROM: Craig L. Fuller

I. PURPOSE

To recognize air traffic controller Gregory Karam for the remarkable calm and professional control he demonstrated in talking down the burning Air Canada Flight 797 from 33,000 feet to an emergency landing at Greater Cincinnati Airport on June 2, 1983.

To recognize Captain James Gibson of Reeve Aleutian Airways for the superior airmanship he demonstrated enroute to Seattle, Washington in an emergency situation which required landing in Anchorage, Alaska.

II. BACKGROUND

On June 2, 1983 when Gregory Karam received an urgent message from the copilot of Air Canada Flight 797, his response was instantaneous and reassuring. The airliner was burning at 33,000 feet and Gregory, with remarkable calm and professional control talked the flight down to an emergency landing at Greater Cincinnati Airport. The pilot later told reporters that "we were steered to the airport by the most capable air traffic controller whose voice I have ever heard."

Gregory Karam, who is a non-striking, non-union air traffic controller, deserves the highest praise for an outstanding job.

Captain James Gibson was pilot-in-command of Reeve Aleutian Airways Flight No. 8 on June 8, 1983, enroute to Seattle, Washington from Cold Bay, Alaska. There were 10 passengers aboard and a crew of five. Shortly after take-off, the number four engine separated from the engine, and one of the propeller blades slashed the fuselage hampering significantly the controlability of the aircraft. At all times, it was evident that uppermost in his mind was the safety of the flight, and more particularly of the passengers. In an act of superior airmanship, Captain Gibson carefully evaluated the remaining capability of the

aircraft and a successful landing was made in Anchorage, Alaska. There were no injuries. The passengers praised the professional actions of the crew during the entire emergency. Lynn Helms, Administrator of the FAA, said "This event is one of the few I've ever seen where the capability, calmness, courage, and detailed evaluation of the circumstances by the pilot personally can be clearly and unmistakably established."

### III. PARTICIPANTS

Lynn Helms, Administrator of FAA, Gregory Karam and Mr. Karam, Captain James Gibson and Mrs. Gibson.

### IV. Press Plan

White House Photographer

### V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

You will greet the guests and commend Gregory Karam and Captain Gibson on jobs well done.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 17, 1983

CABINET COUNCIL ON MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION

DATE: June 20, 1983  
LOCATION: Cabinet Room  
TIME: 1:00 P.M. (60 Minutes)  
FROM: Craig L. Fuller *CLF*

I. PURPOSE

To discuss three management initiatives recommended by the Cabinet Council on Management and Administration.

II. BACKGROUND

Reform 88/CM312

Joseph Wright, Deputy Director of OMB, will present the Phase II quarterly results of the Reform 88 program.

Work Space Management/CM311

Gerald Carmen, Administrator of GSA, will give a progress report on the plans to reduce space used by the federal government.

Federal Field Structure/CM365

The results of a 60-day study by the Working Group on Federal Field Structure will be presented and discussed. A decision to direct implementation of the Working Group's recommendations will be requested.

III. PARTICIPANTS

Members of the Cabinet Council on Management and Administration (A list will be attached to the agenda).

IV. PRESS PLAN

None

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Ed Meese will be prepared to open the discussion. Joe Wright will lead the discussion on the first agenda item. Jerry Carmen will make the last two presentations.



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

MEETING WITH THE 37 GRADUATES  
OF CONGRESSIONAL PAGE SCHOOL

DATE: Monday, June 20, 1983  
LOCATION: The Rose Garden  
TIME: 2:10 P.M. (10 minutes)  
FROM: Kenneth M. Duberstein *Ker D.*

I. PURPOSE

To congratulate the U.S. Capitol Page School Class of 1983 on their graduation.

II. BACKGROUND

It has been a tradition for the graduates of the Congressional Page School to be greeted by the President and to be photographed with him. These individuals have successfully received their high school diplomas while attending classes every morning from 6:00 - 10:30 a.m. and working on the floors of the Senate and House throughout the rest of the day. It is likely this will be the last class to graduate from the Capitol Page School as Congress is considering changing the rule to require that only high school juniors serve as pages in the future. Many pages have distinguished themselves in later life and it is interesting to note that two Members of the Senate and four Members of the House of Representatives served as pages during their high school years. Nelson Pierce, First Assistant Usher in the White House, also served as a page and will be in attendance.

III. PARTICIPANTS

See attached list.

IV. PRESS PLAN

White House photographer

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Graduates and families will be assembled in the Rose Garden. The President enters, goes to the podium and makes brief remarks. The graduates will then come up to the dais, shake hands with the President and have their photographs taken. The President will then return to the Oval Office, the pages will assemble on the South Drive to observe the Presidential motorcade depart for the Pentagon helicopter pad.

Attachments: Talking Points (to be provided by Speech Writers)  
Participants

PARTICIPANTS

The President  
The Vice President

Staff

Kenneth M. Duberstein  
Pamela J. Turner  
M. B. Oglesby

FORMER PAGES

Senator David Pryor  
Senator Christopher Dodd  
Congressman John Dingell  
Congressman Bill Emerson  
Congressman Bill Patman  
Congressman Douglas Bosco

First Assistant Usher Nelson Pierce

Graduating Pages

Allison Abbate  
Sherri L. Anderson  
Glenn T. Ault  
Eugenie M. Bauman  
Brian K. Bean  
Christine V. Beeby  
Martin C. Brook  
Reuven M. Carlyle  
Kelly J. Carter  
Martha L. Connell  
Megan R. Connelly  
John M. Crupi  
John S. DeGroote  
Charles M. Doucot III  
Nancy P. Dynan  
Robert D. Henry  
Thomas J. Highlands  
Jill A. Hodges  
Keith A. Hood  
Warren H. Jernigan II  
Thomas B. Kemp  
Albert T. Kroon III  
William D. Lanham  
Robert C. Lavin  
Diane M. Lee  
Jeanette E. Mack  
Marcus E. Manning  
Theodore A. Matlak II  
Marya E. Mogk  
Sandra J. Palmer  
Jane M. Patterson  
William F. Regenold  
Kelly A. Schaben  
David A. Schaefer  
Ruth L. Stern  
Crystal M. Terrell  
Anthony W. Wormack

John C. Hoffman - Principal - Capitol Page School



(Maseng/AB)  
June 17, 1983  
2:30 p.m.

PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: GRADUATES OF CONGRESSIONAL PAGE SCHOOL  
MONDAY, JUNE 20, 1983

Thank you very much, and welcome to the White House. I know the parents here today are a pretty proud bunch, and well they should be. You young people were selected to be pages because of your academic excellence, leadership and civic responsibility. You have just completed a very special time in your lives, a time many other young Americans would give their eye-teeth for. You've seen up close how our Government gets things done -- and sometimes how it has trouble getting things done. Most of you were sitting right on the House and Senate Floors during some of the most historic debates in this century. You heard the Nation's leaders pass landmark legislation on taxes and spending, and forge new policies on nuclear arms reduction and Central America. Those debates and others you heard will go down in history books as some of the most momentous of our times -- and you were right there.

I realize, of course, your lives haven't been entirely weighed down by matters of state. For example, you may think I haven't heard about the cafeteria food fights, or the pages caught sleeping in the cloakroom, or the one who winged a Congressman with a rubber band, but I have. I'm still trying to find out who cut us off that time we were calling a Congressman over there. But no matter -- all sins are forgiven. I have heard excellent reports on all of you, and I am proud to have this chance to thank you and congratulate you for a job well

done -- especially here in the presence of many of the lawmakers you've served.

You have the world before you now, you can shape your lives in any way you choose. Many graduates have chosen to make a career of government. For example, our White House Usher, Nelson Pierce, is a graduate of the page school, as are several Members of the Congress. But whatever you do, from this experience you will have a better understanding of the vast freedoms you enjoy -- and the enlightened vision our Founding Fathers displayed in placing limitations on government in a society such as ours. Explain to all you meet how this land is one of the few places left on earth where men and women can realize their full, God-given potential; where you can fly as high and as far as your own ability and effort will take you. And, of course, with these blessings comes a sacred trust for each of you -- the responsibility to preserve and improve our system of government so that your children will enjoy the same benefits.

This country will depend on hardworking, responsible people like you in the years ahead. Whatever you decide to do in life, you will discover that the greatest unsung heroes are those men and women who get up in the morning, send their children off to school, go to work, pay the bills and volunteer for good causes. It doesn't matter if you become a Congressman or a construction worker, an astronaut or an accountant -- those are the qualities you must have to be a good citizen.

Judging from your performance here in Washington, I know each of you will continue to make the grade. Congratulations on

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your graduation. Good luck in the future, and know that our hopes and prayers are with you.

Thank you very much.



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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

SCHEDULE OF THE PRESIDENT

MONDAY, JUNE 20, 1983

JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI

EVENTS: 1) Major Donors Reception  
2) Mississippi GOP Dinner

DRESS: Men's Business Suit

WEATHER: Partly cloudy, occasional showers, mid 80's

2:15 p.m. Proceed to South Lawn and board motorcade.

2:20 p.m. Depart en route Pentagon Landing Zone.  
Drive Time: 5 mins. In Limo: J. Baker

2:25 p.m. Arrive Pentagon and proceed to Marine One for boarding.  
- Press Pool

2:30 p.m. Marine One departs Pentagon Landing Zone en route  
Andrews Air Force Base.

Flight Time: 15 mins.

2:45 p.m. Marine One arrives Andrews Air Force Base. Proceed to  
Air Force One for boarding.

2:50 p.m. Air Force One departs en route Jackson, Mississippi.  
EDT

Flight Time: 2 hrs. 5 mins.

Time Change: - 1 hr.

Food Service: Snacks

Guests Aboard: Cong. Trent Lott (R-MS)

Mrs. Lott (Trish)

Chet Lott (son)

Tyler Lott (daughter)

3:55 p.m. Air Force One arrives Allen C. Thompson Airfield,  
Jackson, Mississippi. Deplane and proceed to base  
of Air Force One steps. - Open Press

Met by:

Major General Cohen Robertson, Adjutant  
General, Mississippi National Guard  
Lt. Col. Shellie Bailey, Commander, 172nd  
Tactical Airlift Group, Air National  
Guard.

Mrs. Shellie Bailey

CONFIDENTIAL

Commissioner Nielson Cochran(R-MS),  
(brother of Sen. Thad Cochran, R-MS)

Proceed to motorcade for boarding.

- 4:00 p.m. Depart en route Dennery's Restaurant. Drive Time: 15 mins. In Limo: J. Baker, Cong. and Mrs. Lott.
- 4:15 p.m. Arrive Dennery's Restaurant and proceed to off-stage announcement area. - Closed Press  
  
Proceed inside for Major Donors Reception and form receiving line. (Approximately 100 people)  
- Official Photographer
- 4:35 p.m. Depart Reception and proceed to motorcade for boarding.
- 4:40 p.m. Depart en route Mississippi Coliseum. Drive Time: 3 mins. In Limo: J. Baker
- 4:43 p.m. Arrive Coliseum and proceed to holding room. - Closed Press
- 4:45 p.m. Arrive holding room.  
  
PRIVATE TIME: 10 mins.
- 4:55 p.m. Depart en route off-stage announcement area.
- 5:00 p.m. Proceed to dais and take seat. - Open Press  
  
Program begins.
- 5:18 p.m. Cong. Lott makes introduction.
- 5:20 p.m. Proceed to podium and make remarks. - Open Press
- 5:30 p.m. Conclude remarks and proceed to holding room.
- 5:35 p.m. Depart holding room en route motorcade for boarding.
- 5:40 p.m. Depart en route Allen C. Thompson Airfield. Drive Time: 15 mins. In Limo: J. Baker
- 5:55 p.m. Arrive Allen C. Thompson Airfield and proceed to Air Force One for boarding.
- 6:00 p.m. Air Force One departs en route Andrews Air Force Base.  
CDT

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Flight Time: 1 hr. 55 mins.  
Time Change: + 1 hr.  
Food Service: Dinner  
Guests Aboard: Sen. Cochran (R-MS)  
Cong. Franklin (R-MS)  
Cong. Lott (R-MS)  
Mrs. Lott  
Chet Lott  
Tyler Lott

8:55 p.m. Air Force One arrives Andrews Air Force Base.  
EDT Deplane and proceed to Marine One for boarding.  
- Open Press

9:00 p.m. Marine One departs en route The South Lawn.

Flight Time: 15 mins.

9:15 p.m. Marine One arrives The South Lawn.



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 17, 1983

MEMORANDUM TO: DICK DARMAN

FROM: KEN DUBERSTEIN *Ken D.*

Attached is biographical information on the members of Congress who will be traveling on Air Force 1 for the President's trip to Mississippi.

Accompanying the President, round trip, will be Congressman Trent Lott, Mrs. Tricia Lott and their two children Chet and Tyler. Joining the President in Mississippi and returning on Air Force 1 will be Senator Thad Cochran and Congressman Webb Franklin.

SENATOR THAD COCHRAN (R-MISSISSIPPI)

Senator Thad Cochran was born in Pontotoc, Mississippi in 1937. He was educated in the public schools of Mississippi, receiving his B.A. and law degrees from the University of Mississippi. He served in the U.S. Navy for two years and studied international law for a year at the University of Dublin, Ireland under a Rotary Foundation fellowship. Cochran practiced law in Jackson, Mississippi for seven years.

In 1972, Cochran was elected to the U.S. House of Representatives. He served three terms in the House and received over 70 percent of the vote in both of his races for re-election. In 1978, he was elected to the U.S. Senate to replace James Eastland. Cochran is the first Republican in over 100 years to be elected to statewide office in Mississippi.

In the Senate, Cochran serves on the Agriculture Committee, the Appropriations Committee, and the Governmental Affairs Committee. As a junior member of the Senate, Cochran benefitted greatly when the Republicans took control of the Senate after the 1980 election. In addition to serving as a member of the Agriculture Committee, Cochran was also able to move up to Chairman of the Agriculture Subcommittee of the Senate Appropriations Committee. In a state where agriculture is a major industry, these Committee positions are extremely helpful to Cochran back home.

A thoughtful and soft-spoken man, Cochran is well liked by his colleagues, and has close ties across the political spectrum. Cochran is a strong supporter of Administration policy, and has been particularly helpful on some close votes in the defense and foreign policy areas.

Cochran is married to the former Rose Clayton of New Albany, Mississippi, and they have two children, Clayton and Kate.

Cochran is seeking re-election in 1984. He will be in Mississippi when you arrive and will join you for the return flight to Washington.

Congressman Trent Lott (R-Mississippi) - Trent Lott is the Republican Whip in the House of Representatives. He has played a vital role in virtually every one of the President's legislative successes in the House. Most recently, he was instrumental in securing passage of the MX basing Resolution of Approval. Mr. Lott does have a tendency to complain about the Justice Department and that agency's activities. He was particularly upset about Assistant Attorney General Brad Reynolds traveling to Mississippi with Jesse Jackson. Congressman Lott has also developed, and should be encouraged to pursue, compromise legislation designed to remedy the current Constitutional impasse in the bankruptcy courts.

Mrs. Lott (Tricia) Mr. and Mrs. Lott have been married since 1964. Tricia is very active in Republican politics and also works as a dental hygienist in addition to her numerous other responsibilities. They have two children, Chester and Tyler. "Chet", age fifteen, is in high school and plays in a rock band along with Congressman John Breaux's (D-LA) son Bill. Tyler is thirteen years old and is quite active in school activities and also enjoys dance lessons. Both children are active in local church activities.



Congressman Webb Franklin (R-Mississippi) Webb Franklin is a freshman serving on the House Agriculture and Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committees. He is an attorney and served as circuit judge for the Fourth District before being elected to Congress. Because he is a Republican, Mr. Franklin's hold on this traditionally Democratic district is tenuous. He can be expected to concentrate on constituent services during his first term, rather than undertaking major legislative initiatives. Mr. Franklin has also been upset about Justice Department activities in his district. He was not consulted prior to the announcement by Justice that Federal Registrars would be sent into the district to increase voter registration. The district is 49% black.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

MAJOR DONORS RECEPTION FOR MISSISSIPPI GOP

DATE: June 20, 1983  
LOCATION: Denney's Restaurant  
TIME: 4:15 p.m.  
FROM: Ed Rollins *ER/mond*

I. PURPOSE

Fund-raising event for GOP Party-building and candidate support.

II. BACKGROUND

This fund-raising reception will have approximately 50 couples in attendance, all of which contributed \$3,000 per couple to the Mississippi Republican Party.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The attendees to this event, who by and large are the financial backbone of the Mississippi Republican Party, will include:

- Julius Ridgway -- immediate past Finance Chairman of the Party, and co-host of event
- his wife, Melonye
- Harry Allen -- current Finance Chairman of the Party, co-host of event
- his wife, Betty
- Billy Monger -- colorful -- and often controversial Mississippi Party conservative, served as Reagan Chairman in 1976 and is credited with holding the Mississippi delegation in line during the Kansas City convention. Served as Finance Chairman for the 1980 Reagan election effort.
- his wife, Jan
- Senator Thad Cochran
- Congressman Webb Franklin and wife, Edna
- Congressman Trent Lott, and wife, Trisha
- Leon Bramlett and wife, Virginia --  
Businessman and Republican Party candidate for Governor of Mississippi

III. PARTICIPANTS (continued)

- Ebbie Spivey, State Party Chairman
- Clarke Reed -- may be in attendance  
currently serving as National  
Committeeman for Mississippi
- Haley Barbour -- 1982 Senate Candidate in  
unsuccessful bid to oust  
Senator John Stennis,  
currently Mississippi State  
Party Vice Chairman

IV. PRESS PLAN

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V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

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ATTENDANCE AT FUND-RAISING DINNER: "MISSISSIPPI HARMONY,  
A PRESIDENTIAL TRIBUTE TO TRENT LOTT"

DATE: June 20, 1983  
LOCATION: Mississippi Coliseum  
TIME: 5 p.m.  
FROM: Ed Rollins *ER/mm*

I. PURPOSE

Fund-raising buffet dinner, honoring Congressman Trent Lott, with proceeds to go to the Mississippi State Party and Leon Bramlett's campaign for the Governorship.

II. BACKGROUND

The Mississippi Republican Party is in reasonable shape financially, but will require bolstering to make an effective run at un-seating Governor Bill Winter, elected in 1979.

This GOP event will feature the Republican Party leadership, with approximately 3000 attendees, paying from \$25 to \$200 per person.

III. PARTICIPANTS

As notated in Advance Office Briefing Materials

IV. PRESS PLAN

Open Press

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

As notated in Advance Office Briefing Materials



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: ED ROLLINS *ER/mm*  
DATE: JUNE 17, 1983  
SUBJECT: MISSISSIPPI -- POLITICAL BRIEFING

STATE POLITICAL BACKGROUND

- Ever since the Civil War, this once rich cotton state has suffered from high levels of poverty and an economic system that has been slow to modernize. Mississippi's per capita income in 1980 was easily America's lowest.
- In 1980, Social Security, welfare and other transfer payments were the principal source of income in 34 of the 82 counties and the second most important source of income in the state.
- Before the Voting Rights Act of 1965, less than 7% of Mississippi's blacks were registered to vote. By 1975, more than two-thirds were registered.
- Mississippi has by far the largest number of black elected officials of any state (436 in 1981). Some 10% of the 175 state legislators were black in the early 1980s.
- Mississippi has long been regarded as having one of the worst educational systems in the country.
  - In 1982, an estimated 3,000 Mississippi children simply failed to show up for the first grade.
  - The high school drop-out rate in 1982 was 42%, compared to 10% nationwide.
- In the nine presidential elections since 1948,
  - Republicans have won three -- Reagan, Nixon in 1972 and Goldwater.
  - Democrats have won three -- Carter in 1976 and Stevenson twice.
  - Independent/third party candidates won three -- Wallace in 1968, Harry Byrd in 1960, and Thurmond in 1948.
- Thad Cochran is the only Republican U.S. Senator who has been elected in Mississippi since the 1870s.
- Mississippi had the same two Democrat Senators, John Stennis and James Eastland, for 32 years between 1947 and 1979.

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- Mississippi has not elected a Republican governor since the 1870s.
- In 1964, Mississippi elected their first Republican member of Congress since Reconstruction during the state's landslide vote for Goldwater.

### 1984 PRESIDENTIAL RACE

- Mississippi will send 30 delegates and alternates to the 1984 Republican National Convention compared to 22 delegates in 1980.
- Mississippi has 7 electoral votes.
- President Reagan carried the state by a 49.5%-48.1% margin but lost Jackson by a 38.6%-59.5% margin.
- Presidential primary date\*:

Republicans: June 5, 1984 primary

Democrats: March 17, 1984 caucus-1st stage

\* State Executive Committees of the two parties have the option of holding a caucus or a primary. In 1980, the Republicans had a primary and the Democrats had a caucus.

### STATE POLITICAL SUMMARY

#### U.S. Senate:

In 1982, six term Democratic Senator John Stennis won re-election over Republican Haley Barbour by a 64%-36% margin. Barbour, a vice chairman of the state Republican party, gave Stennis his first contested election since 1947.

In 1984, Senator Thad Cochran will be running for election to a second term. A state GOP survey in April showed Cochran with a 60% favorable rating and only a 4.5% unfavorable rating.

Senator Cochran's brother, Nielsen Cochran, is running for a seat on the statewide Public Service Commission in 1983. Nielsen Cochran has been a Jackson City Commissioner for six years.

For the Democrats in 1984, there has been speculation that Governor William Winter may either run against Cochran or may become a top aide to Walter Mondale. Another possible opponent may be former 2nd District Congressman David Bowen, who did not run for re-election in 1982.

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Governor:

Incumbent Democratic Governor William Winter is constitutionally unable to succeed himself and therefore will not be running for re-election in 1983.

The Democratic candidates are:

Evelyn Gandy	--	Former Lieutenant Governor and Democratic run-off candidate for governor in 1979. Raymond Strothers, who conducted Sen. Stennis's successful 1982 bid, will be political consultant.
Bill Allain	--	Attorney General and opponent of utility rate increases. Democrat consultant Dick Morris of New York, who worked on Texas Gov. White's campaign, will conduct polling and act as general consultant.
Mike Sturdivant	--	Hotel chain owner, Delta farmer and former state college board member. Democrat consultant Bob Squier is producing his media and Peter Hart is conducting his polling.

Clarksdale businessman Leon Bramlett announced his candidacy for governor on April 19th. Initially, Bramlett had withdrawn his name from consideration by the Mississippi GOP leadership after his daughter, Sally Key Russell, fell into a coma last December (she remains hospitalized in intensive care in Memphis Hospital). He re-entered the race after doctors informed him there was little hope his daughter would recover.

Bramlett's major campaign issue is education. He strongly supports merit pay for teachers and minimum graduation requirements. Bramlett has pledged that as governor he will ensure every dollar in the Education Reform Act\* will be spent on education and not transferred into other programs as many fear. The Mississippi Association of Educators has endorsed Democrat Evelyn Gandy.



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\* The Education Reform Act was passed by the Legislature and signed into law last December. It was designed to expand and improve the school system and its mandatory educational requirements. It also includes a built-in appropriations mechanism.

A May poll conducted by Market Opinion Research of Detroit indicated that, among the Mississippians polled, Evelyn Gandy is the leading choice for governor in both the Democratic primary and general elections. Polling data is as follows:

Democratic Primary	Gandy 42%
	Allain 29%
	Sturdivant 14%
Head-to-Head	Bramlett 25% - Gandy 67%
	Bramlett 24% - Allain 63%
	Bramlett 33% - Sturdivant 49%
Name Identification	Gandy 87%
	Allain 57%
	Sturdivant 37%
	Bramlett 34%

U.S. House of Representatives:

Mississippi Congressional Delegation: 2 Republicans  
3 Democrats

Highlights of Key Congressional Races

2nd C.D. Delta - Greenville, Vicksburg

In an upset victory, former Circuit Court Judge Webb Franklin defeated Democratic state Representative Robert Clark by a 51%-49% margin. This race received national attention because Clark was initially considered a sure bet to become Mississippi's first black congressman since Reconstruction.

4th C.D. Southwest - Jackson

Democrat Congressman Wayne Dowdy defeated Republican businessman Liles Williams by a 53%-46% margin in their second match. Dowdy was first elected in a special election in 1981.



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5th C.D. Southwest - Gulf Coast

Minority Whip Trent Lott was elected to a sixth term by defeating Arlon Coate by a 78%-22% margin.

Congressional Redistricting

- In May, The U.S. Supreme Court returned Mississippi's redistricting plan to the U.S. District Court in Greenville for re-examination in light of recent changes in the Voting Rights Act to see if it discriminates against black voters.
- The 1982 Congressional elections were held under a temporary plan that included a 54% black district which was won by Republican Webb Franklin.
- U.S. Assistant Attorney General William Bradford Reynolds was recently in Mississippi investigating Voting Rights Act violations. On June 16, he ordered 10 federal examiners into 5 Mississippi counties to register voters. Rev. Jesse Jackson also met with Reynolds as part of his voter registration program.

Major 1983 Elections:

Governor	OPEN -- William Winter (D) cannot succeed himself.
Lt. Governor	Brad Dye (D)
Secretary of State	Edwin Lloyd Pittman (D)
Attorney General	William Allain (D)
Treasurer	William Cole, III (D)

State Senate	5 Republicans	47 Democrats
State House	4 Republicans	118 Democrats

Filing Date: June 3, 1983  
Primay Election: August 2, 1983  
General Election: November 8, 1983

