

Inventory for FOIA Request 2015-0213-F

Records on the Meeting Between President George W. Bush and Argentine President Fernando de la Rua on April 19, 2001

Extent

16 folders, approximately 873 pages / 58 assets

Access

Collection is open to all researchers. Access to George W. Bush Presidential records is governed by the Presidential Records Act (PRA) (44 USC 22, as amended) and the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) (5 USC 552, as amended) and therefore records may be restricted in whole or in part in accordance with legal exemptions.

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Provenance

Official records of George W. Bush's presidency are housed at the George W. Bush Presidential Library and are administered by the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) under the provisions of the Presidential Records Act (PRA).

Processing by

Staff Archivists, 2024. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released. Last Modified: 03/05/2024

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2015-0213-F are a selective, not necessarily all inclusive, body of records responsive to the topic of the FOIA. Researchers should consult an archivist about related materials.

FOIA 2015-0213-F requested materials related to the meeting between President George W. Bush and Argentine President Fernando de la Rua on April 19, 2001.

This FOIA primarily contains memoranda, briefings, correspondence, notes, information sheets, press releases, speech drafts, lists, routing slips, biographies, printed emails, printed articles,

schedules, and calendars. The bulk of the materials are schedules and calendars for President George W. Bush and Mrs. Laura Bush for April 2001 and May 2001. There are briefings, memoranda, information sheets, lists, and routine correspondence dealing with the White House visit of Argentine President Fernando de la Rua. The remaining items cover unrelated events and meetings occurring during this time period. Electronic records consist of emails regarding the timing and participants of the meeting, a schedule request, approved presidential activity memoranda, a weekly report from the State Department dated April 11, 2001, a suggested energy issues document for the meeting from the Department of Energy, discussion of gifts for the Argentine President, a pool report about the meeting, and emails requesting verification of meeting dates.

Please note that a portion of classified records related to this request has not yet been processed. Additional records will be provided as they become available.

System of Arrangement

The materials in FOIA 2015-0213-F are a systematic body of records responsive to the topic of the FOIA. Researchers should consult an archivist about related materials.

Records responsive to this FOIA were found in these collection areas – White House Office of Records Management (WHORM) Subject Files, Staff Member Office Files, and George W. Bush Presidential Electronic Records.

The White House Office of Records Management (WHORM) contains a variety of series created to organize and track documents and correspondence. The WHORM Subject Files and Alpha Files were compiled by staff in the White House Office of Records Management and are a series of documents assigned a letter/number combination and filed in a series of categories by subject. WHORM Subject Files and WHORM Alpha Files are processed at the document level.

Staff Member Office Files are maintained at the folder level by staff members within their individual offices and document all levels of administration activity.

Staff Member Office Files are processed at the folder level, that is, individual documents are not selected and removed from a folder for processing. While this method maintains folder integrity, it frequently results in the incidental processing of documents that are not wholly responsive to the subject area.

The Executive Office of the President (EOP) instance of the Electronic Records Archive (ERA) contains electronic records created or received by President George W. Bush. These records are stored in Search and Access Sets (SAS) that represent their originating computer program, such as Exchange Email or the Worker and Visitor Entry System (WAVES). In addition to records captured from the White House's electronic systems, EOP-ERA also contains records from the home and shared drives used by White House staff.

The following is a list of electronic search results lists (SRLs) and folders processed in response to FOIA 2015-0213-F:

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George W. Bush Electronic Records

ARMS contains 43 assets, of which 36 are released in full, 6 are withheld in part, and 1 is withheld in full.

Exchange contains 9 assets, all of which are released in full.

WHO contains 6 assets, all of which are released in full.

George W. Bush Textual Records

Box 1

Records Management, White House Office of

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Subject Files - BE (Business-Economic)
          488193
Subject Files - CO (Ambassadors and Envoys, Foreign)
          448041
Subject Files - CO008 (Argentina)
          483995
Subject Files - CO074 (Honduras)
          484002
Subject Files - FG001-07 (Briefing Papers)
          04/04/2001 [460561]
          04/05/2001 [460562]
          04/10/2001 [460565]
          04/11/2001 [460566]
          04/16/2001 [460568]
          04/17/2001 [460569]
          04/18/2001 [460570]
 Subject Files - PR013-08 (Opinions - Statements - Questionnaires - Articles)
          454128
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Staff Member Office Files

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Appointments and Scheduling, White House Office of Farr, Mary Beth - Scheduling Files

04/19/2001

Presidential Daily Diary Backup

04/19/2001 [1]

04/19/2001 [2]
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Strategic Initiatives, White House Office of Rove, Karl - Presidential Schedules 04/19/2001

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Container List for Previously Opened Folders:

Appointments and Scheduling, White House Office of

04/16/2001 - 04/23/2001	2017-0006-F	
Records Management, White House Office of		
Subject Files - FG001-07 (Briefing Papers)		
04/06/2001 [460563]	2017-0009-F	
04/09/2001 [460564]	2014-0216-F	1
	2017-0009-F	
04/12/2001 [460567]	2018-0011-P	
04/19/2001 [460571]	2014-0216-F	1