



Inventory for FOIA Request 2018-0263-F[49]

Emails From, To, CC, or BCC Brett Kavanaugh Referencing VRA, Minority Voters, Black Voters, Hispanic Voters, Latino Voters, African-American Voters, Racial Discrimination, or Discriminatory Voting Practices between July 2003-May 2006 that have not already been processed

Extent

433 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: 2/13/2024

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2018-0263-F[49] 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 2018-0263-F[49] requested previously unprocessed materials related to emails sent or received by Brett Kavanaugh referencing VRA, Minority Voters, Black Voters, Hispanic Voters, Latino Voters, African-American Voters, Racial Discrimination, or Discriminatory Voting Practices between July 2003 and May 2006.

This FOIA primarily contains night notes, cabinet reports, speech drafts, draft letters, articles with commentary, political briefings, draft proclamations, information on judicial nominees, cabinet headlines, commentary on potential legislation such as the Century of Aviation Reauthorization Act and the National Museum of African-American History and Culture Act, a memorandum and talking points concerning a credentialing ceremony for new ambassadors, a memorandum and talking points for a roundtable with regional reporters, answers to a NAACP candidate survey, a memorandum regarding the commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the Brown vs. Board of Education ruling, and talking points regarding African-American academic progress and the rebuilding of several universities following Hurricane Katrina. Records from this segment date from July 8, 2003 to April 14, 2006.

System of Arrangement

The materials in FOIA 2018-0263-F[49] 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 – George W. Bush Presidential Electronic Records.

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.

Related Collections and FOIA Requests – Previously released records related to Brett Kavanaugh can be found on a dedicated page of the George W. Bush Library's website (<https://www.georgewbushlibrary.gov>).

The following is a list of electronic search results lists (SRLs) processed in response to FOIA 2018-0263-F[49]:

George W. Bush Electronic Records

VRA Exchange contains 53 assets, of which 38 are released in full, 3 are withheld in full, and 12 are withheld in part.

VRA 40Days contains 3 assets, which all are withheld in part.

VRA RNCPT contains 1 asset, which is withheld in part.

Minority Voters Exchange contains 9 assets, of which 4 are released in full, 0 are withheld in full, and 5 are withheld in part.

Black Voters ARMS contains 1 asset, which is released in full.

Black Voters Exchange contains 27 assets, which are all released in full.

Black Voters 40Days contains 1 asset, which is released in full.

Hispanic Voters Exchange contains 19 assets, of which 17 are released in full and 2 are withheld in full.

Latino Voters Exchange contains 13 assets, of which 6 are released in full, 2 are withheld in full, and 5 are withheld in part.

African-American Voters Exchange contains 24 assets, which are all withheld in full.
Racial Discrimination ARMS contains 8 assets, of which 6 are released in full and 2 are withheld in full.
Racial Discrimination Exchange contains 255 assets, of which 230 are released in full, 9 are withheld in full, and 16 are withheld in part.
Racial Discrimination 21Days contains 3 assets, which are all released in full.
Racial Discrimination 33Days contains 2 assets, of which 1 is released in full and 1 is withheld in full.
Racial Discrimination 40Days contains 3 assets, which are all released in full.
Racial Discrimination RNC PST contains 11 assets, of which 1 is released in full and 10 are withheld in full.