Inventory for FOIA Request 2001-2259-F

Records on Wages, Inflation, and Labor Shortages

Extent
18 folders

Access
Collection is open to all researchers. Access to Bush Presidential Records, Bush Vice Presidential Records, and Quayle Vice Presidential Records is governed by the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA)(5 USC 552 as amended) and the Presidential Records Act (PRA)(44 USC 22) 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 Bush's presidency and vice presidency are housed at the George Bush Presidential Library and administered by the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) under the provisions of the Presidential Records Act (PRA).

Processed By
Staff Archivists, February 2003. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

Related Collections
Related collections may be found in FOIA 2001-1450-F Fair labor Standards Act (FLSA) and Minimum Wage.

Scope and Content
The materials in FOIA 2001-2259-F are a selective, not necessarily all inclusive, body of documents responsive to the topic of the FOIA. Researchers should consult the archivist about related materials.
FOIA 2001-2259-F contains materials on wages, inflation, and labor shortages during the Bush and Reagan administrations.

White House Office of Records Management (WHORM) Subject File categories contains a report on the use of unemployment insurance wage-record data.

The Staff and Office Files contain memoranda regarding the rise and fall of real wages and cost of living; published reports on wages; newspaper, magazine, and journal articles exploring wage and salary issues; Bureau of Labor Statistics news bulletins; conference papers on wage demographics and wage inequality; General Accounting Office reports on labor-management relations; and transcripts of speeches on inflation.

The Bush Vice Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files contain memoranda regarding wage rate regulations, staff reports on inflation, and constituent letters to the Task Force on Regulatory Relief.

**System of Arrangement**

Records that are responsive to this FOIA request were found in three collection areas—Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Subject Files; Bush Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files; and Bush Vice Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files. As policy, WHORM Alphabetical Files and WHORM Subject Files are processed at the document level. Staff and 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 WHORM Subject File compiled by the White House Office of Records Management is comprised of a series of documents assigned a letter/number combination and filed in a subject category. A complete listing of the subject categories including a detailed description of each category is available in our research room and on our website at [http://bushlibrary.tamu.edu/research/find/whorm/whorm.html](http://bushlibrary.tamu.edu/research/find/whorm/whorm.html).

The following is a list of documents and folders processed in response to FOIA 2001-2259-F.

**Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Subject Files**

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**Bush Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files**

Council of Economic Advisors
- David Bradford Files
  - Economy—Income and Wage Distribution [1] [OA/ID 07916]
  - Economy—Income and Wage Distribution [2] [OA/ID 07916]
  - Economy—Wage and Compensation Trends [OA/ID 07916]
  - Labor—Wages and Employment Terms [OA/ID 07918]
  - Wage and Earnings Materials [1] [OA/ID 07929]
  - Wage and Earnings Materials [2] [OA/ID 07929]

Counsels Office
- Mark Pauletta Files—Clarence Thomas Alphabetical Subject Files
  - General Articles: Inflation Hawks – Alan Murray [OA/ID 45503]
Policy Development
Tim Adams Files
  Inflation, Prices, Costs of Living [OA/ID 06872]
  Wages—Workers, Salaries [1] [OA/ID 06875]
  Wages—Workers, Salaries [2] [OA/ID 06875]
  Wages—Workers, Salaries [3] [OA/ID 06875]
  Labor [OA/ID 06876]

Diana Furchtgott-Roth Files
  Inflation [OA/ID 06780]

Public Liaison
Public Liaison Files
  America’s Choice: High Skills or Low Wages [OA/ID 08172]

Bush Vice Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files

Chief of Staff
Rich Bond Files
  Wage Rate Regulations [OA/ID 15366]

Rich Bond—VP Briefing File
  [Economy: CEA Report on Inflation 4/23/82] [OA/ID 15372]

Task Force on Regulatory Relief
C. Boyden Gray Files
  Labor: Wage Rate [OA/ID 15092]

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