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Inventory for FOIA Request 2023-0019-F

Records on White House Office of Records Management (WHORM) Categories FG122 (Environmental Protection Agency) and FG487 (President's Commission on Environmental Quality)

Extent

72 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, May 2023. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

System of Arrangement

Records that are responsive to this FOIA request were found in one collection area—Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Subject File. As policy, WHORM Alphabetical File and WHORM Subject File 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>.

Please note that a single asterisk "*" indicates that the category is entirely processed and open.

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2023-0019-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 2023-0019-F contains materials primarily from within the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

The WHORM Subject File categories contain memoranda, reports, and correspondence pertaining to EPA policy and regulations, including communications from U.S. citizens, business interests, and local, state, and federal officials either contesting or supporting said regulations and/or environmental improvements/mitigations overseen by the EPA. A significant amount of the material includes memoranda and correspondence supporting various candidates for presidential appointments to EPA positions.

The following is a list of documents and folders processed in response to FOIA 2023-0019-F.

Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Subject Files

Category	Case Number
FG122*	Entire Category Relevant
FG487*	Entire Category Relevant

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