

# **George Bush Presidential Library**

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# **Inventory for Systematic Request 2023-0667-S**

# Records on White House Office of Public Liaison Jane Leonard Files

#### **Extent**

1 folder

### **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 (CASE NUMBER)(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, March 2023. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

#### **System of Arrangement**

Records for this systematic project were found in the following collection area—Bush Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files.

#### **Related Collections**

Related material may be found in CASE NUMBER requests 1998-0002-F entitled "America 2000 Education

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Initiative, School Choice, School Funding, Forced Busing, and the National Education Goals", 1999-0118-F entitled "Health Care Reform", 1999-0285-F entitled "Civil Rights", 2006-0613-F entitled "School Choice / School Vouchers", 2006-1149-F entitled "Catholic Issues", and 2017-1962-F entitled "Direct Loans for Higher Education".

## **Scope and Content**

The materials in Case Number 2023-0667-S are a systematically processed body of documents responsive to the topic. Researchers should consult the archivist about related materials.

Case Number 2023-0667-S contains one folder of materials created by Jane Leonard related to President Bush's meeting with Cardinal John O'Connor of New York. The Office of Public Liaison coordinated activities, events, and relations between various public interest groups and constituencies and the Bush administration. Leonard served as Associate Director from June 1991 through April 1992. Her areas of expertise included Education and Literacy.

The Staff and Office Files contain letters, memos, document, lists, handwritten notes, diagrams, statements, and forms.

Correspondence in this folder include a letter from Cardinal O'Connor to President Bush suggesting a meeting with key Lebanese Americans and a second one to an administration official suggesting names of meeting participants. There are also memos supplying background information on, and details about, the meeting. A document contains points for President Bush to make during the meeting. There are lists of meeting participants and possible dates, handwritten notes related to various aspects of the meeting, and diagrams reflecting seating charts of meeting participants. Several White House statements detailing President Bush's meeting with Cardinal O'Connor were delivered as press releases. Forms present in this folder contain a White House scheduling recommendation, conference room request, and multiple requests for Photo/Mailing.

The following is the name of the folder processed in response to Case Number 2023-0667-S.

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

Public Liaison, White House Office of Leonard, Jane, Files Cardinal O'Connor Meeting on Lebanon (POTUS) Oval 9/16/92 3:30PM [OA/ID 07786]

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