

# **George Bush Presidential Library**

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### **Inventory for Systematic Review**

# Records on WHORM Subject File FG252 (Small Business Administration)

#### **Extent**

0.8 ft.

#### Access

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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, September 2018. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

#### **Scope and Content**

The materials are a systematically processed body of documents from the White House Office of Records Management (WHORM) Subject File category FG252.

FG252 is a secondary subject category containing government forms, correspondence, biographies, speech cards, reports, publications, news releases, and newspaper clippings. The forms found in these records are White House Correspondence racking Worksheets, Recommendation Routing Tickets, Staffing Memoranda, and Situation Room Transmittal sheets. The White House Correspondence Tracking Worksheets log in correspondence sent to the White House, list the subjects of the correspondence, routing information, actions taken, and disposition of the cases. The correspondence consists of communications among President Bush, administration officials, private citizens, politicians, and Small Business Administration (SBA) officials. Topics include commentary on specific persons recommended for SBA positions, minimum wage, loan guarantee programs, the Natural Resource Development Program, provisions that penalize borrowers for prepayment of loans, partnerships of the National Alliance of Business with the private sector, impacted regions of the riots in Los Angeles, complaints about perceived treatment by the SBA, alleged illegal diversion of SBA loan repayments, and feedback on proposed legislation. The White House received several unsolicited biographies from people interested in, or recommended for, presidential appointments to the SBA. The speech cards detail President Bush's remarks at Pat Saiki's swearing-in as SBA Administrator. Publications consist of SBA annual reports for FY 1989, 1990, and 1991 as well as Guarantees and 8(A) Contracts reports for the same years. Also present are annual reports on the Presidential Advisory Committee on Small and Minority Business Ownership. News releases cover President Bush's intention to nominate members of the U.S. SBA, Hurricane Andrew disaster assistance, and SBA rural economic initiatives. Lastly, newspaper clippings report capital gains rates and their effect on small business as well as coverage of the New England Lending and Recovery Project.

## **System of Arrangement**

Records that are responsive to this systematic review were found in Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Subject Files.

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 <a href="http://bushlibrary.tamu.edu/research/find/whorm/whorm.html">http://bushlibrary.tamu.edu/research/find/whorm/whorm.html</a>.

**Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Subject Files** 

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