



## George Bush Presidential Library

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### Inventory for Systematic Review

## Records on WHORM Subject File FA (Federal Aid)

#### Extent

1.4 ft.; boxes 1-4 scanned

#### Access

Collection is open to all researchers. Access to Bush 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 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, 1996–1997. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

#### Scope and Content

The materials in FA (Federal Aid) are a systematically processed body of documents from the White House Office of Records Management (WHORM) Subject File. This secondary subject category contains materials relating to federal aid in general. A considerable amount of correspondence can be found here dealing with such topics as the need for additional funds in the budget for reparations to be paid Japanese-Americans who were interned during World War II, the possibility of finding more money for research in the biomedical sciences, opposition to the proposal of turning over discretion of Community Development Block Grants (CDBG) from the federal level to state governments, and opposition to federal funding for conducting a study of the sexual habits of Americans. In a few instances federal aid dealt

with in subsequent file codes is handled at least partially under this category. For example, letters concerning proposed spending cuts in mass transit are located here as well as within FA 007. The reasoning behind such an arrangement does not appear to be readily discernible and could pose problems for the researcher.

**System of Arrangement**

Records that are responsive to this FOIA request 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 <http://bushlibrary.tamu.edu/research/find/whorm/whorm.html>.

**Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Subject Files**

<b>Category</b>	<b>Case Number</b>
FA	[Entire Category Processed]

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